



# The Parkes East Parrot

26 November 2018

Term 4, Week 7



## Merit Certificate Criteria for this week:

- Making positive contributions to class discussions
- Being safe and being in the right place at all times



## Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL)

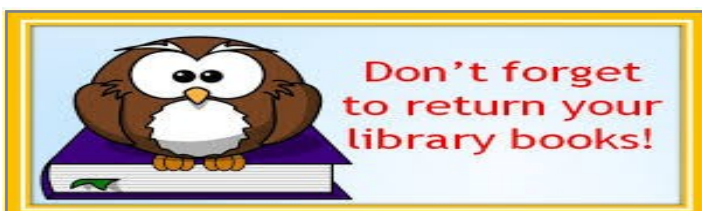
### Respect

#### At school respect looks like...

- Acknowledge that you have been spoken to by replying nicely
- Complete tasks that you have been asked to do
- Use manners when thanking the office and canteen staff
- Raise our hands when we want to share
- Join activities and complete tasks
- Sit down and speak quietly at bus lines

#### At home respect looks like...

- Listen to our family and carers
- Speak kindly
- Care for our siblings and respect their privacy
- Look after your belongings and belongings of your family
- Clean up after yourself
- Offer help and assistance with household tasks



## LIBRARY BOOKS

Borrowing has finished for 2018.  
Please return all Library books as soon as possible.

What a lot of fun our Colour Run was last Wednesday. Thank you to the parents who came along to the celebration. All participants in the run, including our staff, greatly enjoyed the event and I am sure it will be on the list for future PBL Celebrations.

A huge thank you to everyone who purchased books during our Book Fair. The funds that were raised will be used by Mrs Ewings to buy news books for our library.

Our parent helpers morning tea is being held this Wednesday. This is our opportunity to celebrate the support that our parent helpers have provided across the year.

Have a lovely week everyone, Mrs O'Neill

## WHAT'S AHEAD...

### Week 7

Wed 28 Nov Year 6 orientation to Parkes High School (all day)  
Thu 29 Nov McDonalds/Magill Tennis Cup  
Fri 30 Nov Parkes Community Christmas Street Parade

### Week 8

Mon 3 Dec School Prefect Elections  
3-7 Dec Intensive Swimming lessons, years 2-5  
Wed 5 Dec Talent Quest Final  
Thu 6 Dec Whole School Social

### Week 9

10 - 14 Dec Intensive Swimming lessons, years 2-5  
Tue 11 Dec School Presentation Night  
Wed 12 Dec Gold Certificate morning tea, Infants students  
Thu 13 Dec Village Fair  
Fri 14 Dec Gold Certificate morning tea, Primary students

## MERIT CERTIFICATES - Term 4, Week 6

### Work Ethic

*Showing a positive attitude towards learning*

**K-60:** -  
**KH:** Alyrah Phillips-Thompson  
**KI:** Harry Oram  
**KM:** Madison Beuzeville  
**1MB:** Summer Baker  
**1MC:** Toby Ross  
**1O:** Isaac Hoy  
**2M:** John-Tian Waters  
**2L:** Caitlin Baker  
**2-3D:** Isaac Walton  
**3K:** Jemma Hayes  
**3-4F:** Isabelle Prescott  
**4-5M:** Laura Burkitt  
**5-6S:** Sophy Jones  
**6R:** Rhianna Gilby

### Behaviour

*Being honest*

Levi Baxter  
Reece Parker  
Millie Ralph  
Sophie Fahey  
Lockey Harbidge  
Charli Milne  
Kelsey Finnegan  
Paityn Phillips-Thompson  
Annabelle Nash  
Patrick Skinner  
Phoebe Hale  
Aksel Carroll  
Michael Fritz  
Riley Blackstock  
Marley Moran

### Wiradjuri

*Being kind and gracious to strangers*

Dekodah Morley  
Alyrah Phillips-Thompson  
Flynn Oram  
Ruben Whitford  
Ava Percy  
Billy Beuzeville  
Josie Beuzeville  
Ethan Reeves  
Scarlett Peden  
Lyla Miller  
Tom Rix  
Maddison Dopson  
Bronnie Searl  
Deegan Ingram  
Thomas Burkitt

**Rise Above Self:** Breanna Powell

**Love of Reading:** Charlotte Layton

## WEEKLY ASSEMBLY

This week, **1MB** is coordinating assembly; presenting Merit Certificates, school reports and MC'ing the event. If any parents would like to come along, they are more than welcome to attend.

## END OF YEAR SCHOOL SOCIAL

**Theme:** Party time

**Date:** Thursday 6 December

**Where:** School Hall

**Times:** Kindergarten/Stage 1  
(6:00 pm - 7:00 pm)

Stage 2/Stage 3  
(7:15 pm - 8:30 pm)

**Cost:** \$2.00 per child  
(includes an ice block)

## MAROON, SILVER AND GOLD AWARDS

Congratulations to the student listed below for achieving ten Principal's Awards, which entitled them to be awarded with a Silver Pennant.

**1MC:** Charli Milne

Congratulations to the students listed below for achieving fifteen Principal's Awards, which entitled them to be awarded with a Gold Pennant.

**1MB:** Oscar Hendry

**2/3D:** Patrick McPherson



## NO PARKING ZONES

**A reminder to parents and carers:**

- It is illegal to park or stop in this zone for longer than 2 minutes.
- You must be within 3 metres of your vehicle at all times.

**The fine for disobeying these rules is \$183 and 2 demerit points.**



## BOOK FAIR

A huge thank you to everyone who supported our Book Fair. It provided great opportunities to update our Library resources and for our school community to purchase terrific children's books.

## 2019 CAPTAIN AND PREFECT NOMINATIONS

Year 5 children have been busy preparing their Captain and Prefect nomination speeches. If your child wishes to nominate for a 2019 Captain and Prefect Leadership role, we would like to remind them that a signed Code of Conduct form needs to be returned to the front office before Thursday 29 November. Children will present their speeches in the school hall on Monday 3 December, commencing at 9:30am. Parents, family members and friends are more than welcome to attend to support the children.



## VILLAGE FAIR

Our **Year 6 Fundraiser** will be held on Thursday 13 December. Year 6 children have been given the task to organise our traditional Village Fair but they need your help. We are asking for donations of any unwanted/unused toys or books to sell on our White Elephant Stall. If you have anything at home that you are willing to donate could you please bring to school and give to Mrs Robinson or Miss Swindle. Thank you for any contribution.



## SAVE THE DATE - PBL INDIVIDUAL REWARDS

Our PBL Individual Rewards session will be held in Week 10, on Tuesday 18 December, from 11:45am - 1:15pm.

When this date gets closer we will be asking for parent helpers to come in and assist on the day.

## PARKES LIBRARY SUMMER READING CLUB

Kids, get ready to join Parkes Shire Library Summer Reading Club for a fun time when "Curious Creatures" will take over your summer reading.

The launch will be held at Parkes Shire Library on Tuesday 4 December at 4:00pm with a special time for readers to sign up, receive a kit, meet a special guest, see surprise creatures and other fun activities.

For more information please contact 6861 2309.



## VOLUNTEERS MORNING TEA



Our school community is so grateful to our many volunteers for the support they offer our students.

Please come along and allow us to say thank you on Wednesday 28 November at 11:00 am.

## CHRISTMAS PARADE - Friday 30 November 2018

Our school will be participating in the Parkes Christmas Parade by walking behind our school flag dressed in **Christmas clothes**. The children are asked to meet by 5:45 pm in Cooke Park (Short and Clarinda Street Corner). The parade will start at 6:00pm. Parents are then asked to collect their children after they have walked in the parade from the Cooke Park starting point.

## CHRISTMAS PARADE

I hereby give permission for ..... in class .....

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to participate in the Christmas Parade on Friday 30 November 2018.

Signed: ..... Date: .....

