



GLADSTONE

PRIMARY SCHOOL & KINDERGARTEN

NEWSLETTER

Term 4, Week 7, 28 November 2018



29th November

- Happy Day casual day for 'Kickstart for Kids', **gold coin donation.**

5th December

- Rehearsal for End of Year Celebration.

6-7th December

- R-7 School transition (whole school).

7th December

- Playgroup 7 CaHYS PH 1300 733 606 for appointments.

11th December

- End of Year Celebration.

12th December

- Straight Aces class party.

13th December

- Whole school to pool 1.00-2.30.
- Reports home.

14th December

- Last Day of Year, early dismissal 2.10



2019

We are finalising classes for 2019 and would be interested to hear from families who may be moving away from the area or from the school in 2019. We also would be interested to hear from anyone moving to the area with possible enrolments for the Kindergarten or school.

School Sores

We have had a couple of cases of school sores [impetigo] reported. This is a superficial skin infection caused by bacteria. It appears as a flat, yellow, crusty or moist patch on the skin, usually on exposed parts of the body. Incubation period – 4-10 days. Infectious period – as long as there is discharge from the sores. School sores are extremely contagious. Treatment – a doctor may recommend antibiotics in severe cases. Any sores on exposed skin should be covered with a watertight dressing.

Garage Sale

The school is joining the town Garage Sale on Saturday 1st December 9am - 3pm. Sale will be held in the car park. We have plenty of chairs, tables, cupboards and other assorted materials. We are also in need of volunteers to help out on the day, putting things out from 8.30am and then taking a turn to take money etc. Please let Bev know by Friday any times that you may be available to help.



Donations please

We are looking for more donations for the Christmas raffle. Please send in asap. Some ideas:- Christmas decorations, bonbons, nuts, snacks, gift cards, toys, candles.

Working Bee

A Working Bee will be held in the week before children return to school to replace the bark chips in the two playgrounds. Put it in your diary. Contact Mark Crawford for more information.

SAPSASA

Cricket & Tennis



All three boys had a great week even though the rain interrupted play... In cricket Max & Chad team won 1 and lost 1, with both having success with the bat and the ball. In tennis Dougal won about half of his matches and his team came 2nd in their division over all. Well done boys!



Straight



Reading with the Sparkles

Straight Aces students practiced skills in writing to a specific audience by writing, illustrating and publishing their own picture books. The Sparkles loved them!

M&Ms Maths

Who said Maths is boring?! The Straight Aces used (and then demolished) M&Ms to practice calculating mean, mode and median.

