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*"Great teaching is explicit,
engaging and enables
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success."*

Upcoming Events

JUNE

- 1 P & C Meeting and
Assembly
- 8 World Ocean Day @ Scotts
Head PS.
- 11 Queen's B'Day Public
Holiday
- 15 John O'Neill Athletics
Carnival at Willawarrin

Thanks to Orangemoon
Organic Farm for
donating worms for the
worm farm and oranges
for our juices.

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Week 5 Term 2 2018

CREATIVITY

RESPECT

TEAMWORK

Principal Talk

We will be having a P and C meeting at 9.00am on Friday followed by an Assembly at 10.00am. It would be wonderful to see as many families as possible.

GA John and GA Gav

John and Gavin are doing lots of exciting projects around the grounds. It is great to see the students chatting with them about plants, animals and landscape design. Gavin and Eddy had a lovely conversation about worms and Eddy was keen to read his book about worms to Gavin. Taryn and Willow are working with John on a new Guinea Pig cage design. It is when students make connections between the real world and their learning that we see a real shift in their thinking.

Projects on the go include;

- Frog pond
- Bike jumps
- A new guinea pig cage
- A new Long jump pit
- Re designing and re building the BBQ area

Many thanks to Jai for bringing in a Banana plant, Pomegranates and Lilli Pillis. The Banana plant found a home up near the cricket net. We will pot the other plants up and put them in the ground later in the year.

School Focus

**The Learning Pit –
how to use a growth mindset
to build resilience and
problem solving skills.**

Kelly's Canteen

Thank you Kelly for the beautiful lunch on Friday. The students had big appetites and big praise for the yummy food. Dulcie's juices are a real favourite. I wonder what she will make this week?

Thank you Dulcie for coming over and helping with the serving and the clean-up. It is a real bonus to have a second person lend a hand.



Robotics Excursion

Next Tuesday, Wren, Willow and Taryn are off to Melville High in Kempsey to participate in a STEM Expo. STEM stands for – Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths. Unfortunately their robotics preparation on Friday was not successful. The robot ploughed into the robotics box and knocked it off the table sending tiny pieces all over the floor! Luckily Taryn caught the robot before it plunged over the edge! A major rebuild and reprogram is needed!

If you are coming to Assembly on Friday you will see the Robotics team in action.

Library with Willow

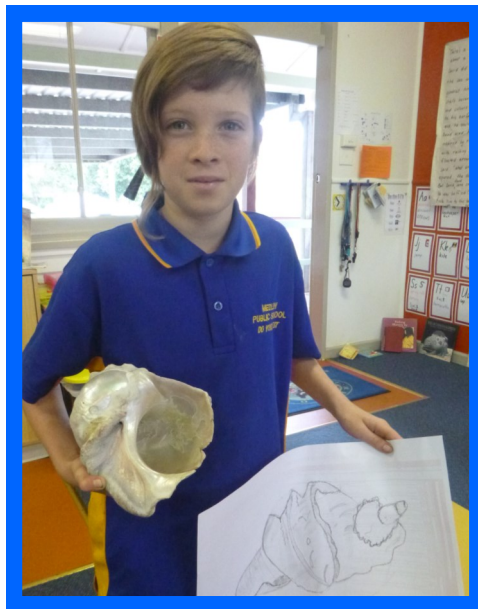
I am really enjoying being library monitor. I like using the scanner.

School Parliament with Wren

School Parliament was productive. The kids came up with lots of great ideas. Some we can do and some we can't. I like how we can improve our school through discussing ideas in School Parliament.

Regards,

Sarah Landers
Principal



“There’s a Sea in my Bedroom”

The class are doing a unit of work based around the story “There’s a Sea in my Bedroom”.

Ms Landers bought in a conch shell and we all listened to the “sea”.

Willow drew a picture of the shell while we were reading the book and discussing the author’s use of language and punctuation.

