

Respect, Excellence, Perseverance, Diversity



From our Leadership Team

Another amazing event at Mallala! Friday we held our annual Colour Explosion with students, staff and parents really embracing the fun. Mrs Robinson has the tell-tale green hair to show just how much fun she had. After last year it is fantastic to be able to have parents back on site and joining in the fun. Thank you to all for remembering to QR Code at the entry points.

From today, masks are not compulsory for staff and students in both primary and high schools. Fingers crossed this might eventually extend to the wider community.

Next Monday is our final Pupil Free Day for the year. Staff will be on-site planning for 2022. We have had some great success with student growth and outcomes this year and we want to strategically continue this trend.

Just a reminder that the Department for Education has implemented a state-wide policy regarding the storage of mobile phones that are brought onto site. Our policy states that:

"During the school day students are not permitted to access or use their mobile phones or other personal devices. Students must switch off or mute their devices before storing them at the beginning of the school day. They will not be able to access their device until the end of the school day."

Personal devices (including mobile phones and smartwatches) are to be handed into the class teacher for storage in a locked drawer/filing cabinet until the end of the school day or when the student's school day ends i.e. early departure."

A copy of the policy was sent out earlier in the year, however if you would like another copy please contact the Front Office. We ask that you support us in this by reminding your child that this is a requirement should they bring their phone or other electronic device to school.

Preschool parents please remember to return school enrolment forms for 2022 if you have not already done so and remind friends and family who may be looking at enrolling at Mallala to do the same. Similarly if your child is not returning to Mallala next year it is essential that you notify us either by phone or email as soon as possible to support our class organisation and staffing plans.

Thank you to all of the parents who attended our preschool and reception parent information sessions. If you were unable to attend and feel unsure about any of the process please contact either Kylie or Jade in the preschool or the Front Office.

Information regarding the Concert and Graduation will be coming out by the end of next week.

Sharon, Luke and Anne



Attendance



Year to Date

Term: 4 - 2021

Week: 3

Date: Monday 25th October

Term Dates/Events

Monday 1st November

Student Free Day

Staff in Training

Students do not attend school on this day.

Wednesday 3rd November

Mallala Museum Visit

Rm 2 & Rm 3

Tuesday 9th November

Learning Design Team

Parliament House Visit

SAPSASA Tennis

Monday 8th— Wednesday 10th

Wednesday 10th November

Playgroup 9 ~ 11am



Assembly Hosted by Room 1

Humanity Awards

Mila Andrews
Oaklee Hackett
Olivia Pym
Aleisha Baker
Alec Kluske
Kaley Weir-Jovanovic
Issac Cawrse



Observers Award ~ Room 4



Class Awards

Olivia Pym
Ashton Amor
Ethan Poole
Hayden Pascoe
Cooper Gove
Brodie Barker
Sienna Baldwin-Smith
Declan Halwes
William Kipling
Logan Bates
Miranda White
Rory Plant
Cooper Barker-Hayman
Natalya Molloy
Levi McIntyre
Hunter Mitchell
Isaiah Hunt

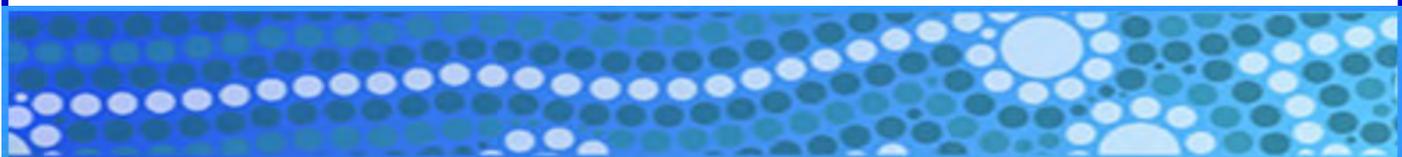
*Korean Award
Room 7*



*PE Award
Room 2*



*The Arts
Room 2*



The Colour Explosion



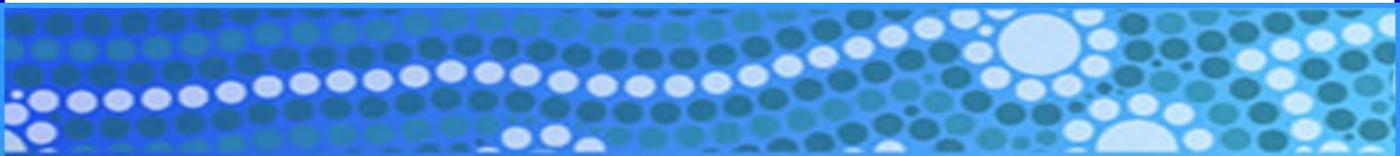
Thank you to Miss Tynan and Mr Hooker for organising another fantastic "Colour Explosion Event". The weather was absolutely perfect and it was enjoyed by staff and students. Also thank you to Andrew and team for bringing out the CFS truck for the slip and slide

Tina's Speed Puzzle

Last Solutions: The answer is 6. running down the columns vertically, the numbers increase by increments of 2,3,4, and 5.



Can you determine the values of the three hidden numbers?



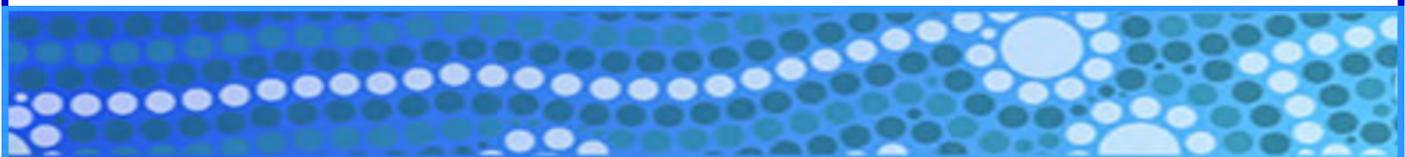
Jaynes Community Corner ~ Mallala Museum

We were very lucky to secure some time slots to take the whole school down to the Mallala Museum to have a look around the amazing items on show, that were used out on the land and also around the home...many years ago. Some of our younger generation have little knowledge of what life was like before the world of electronic devices and gadgets. Many were fascinated at how farming was done before the tractors of today were invented; Peter and Paul Angus showed the various grains grown and what was used to plough the soil and harvest the grown crop. Marcus showed the stages of writing materials in school right back to a piece of slate and chalk followed by the ink and parchment paper. They asked many questions and really enjoyed the marching outside to the drum beat. Rosemary showed students through the kitchen, how they made butter many years ago a few students were **surprised that there wasn't an electric mixer to beat the cream with.** In the laundry after a brief run down on clothes washing, the students got to have a turn of the old wringer, the kids loved it. Rosemary assured them it was hard work back in the day. I would like to take the opportunity to say thankyou to Rosemary, Peter, Paul, Marcus and all the volunteers for having us at the museum and sharing all the knowledge and information.

Jayne Tiller

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Hair
With
Heart

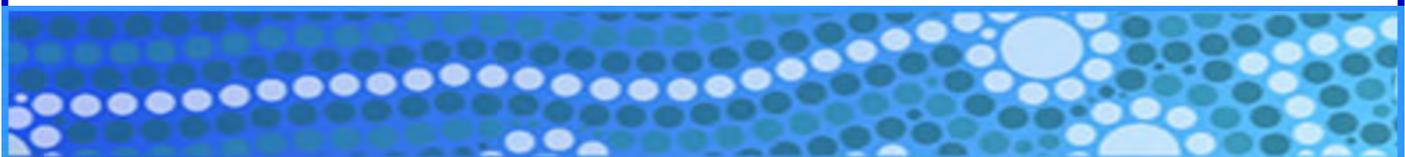
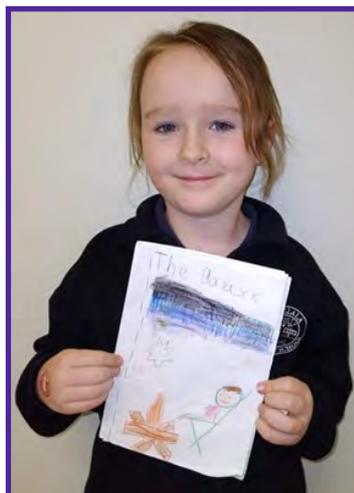
Our very own Kaley visited the Variety Club Head Office to donate her hair to the #HairWithHeart program. Kaley cut off over 40cm of her hair in honour of her uncle Steve who recently passed away from lung cancer. Her generous donation will be made into a wig for someone who has lost their hair due to a long term medical condition. Thank you Kaley for being kind, caring and thinking of others.



Student Profile ~ Aneeka Arts

Aneeka spent her free time creating a book called "The Galaxy". She worked on it with care and detail giving the book a front and back cover, illustrations with the writing, a blurb and lots of colour.

Great job Aneeka.



2021 Mallala Primary School Parent Opinion Survey

The parent survey is accessible via the link below, and will close at 5pm Friday the 19th of November. We would love your feedback.

<https://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/JkKftdPR>

Your feedback helps us understand the things we're doing well, where we can improve, and what's important to you as a parent. The survey takes no more than 10 minutes to complete and will provide us with valuable information for future planning. Your answers will not identify you or your child.

If you have any questions regarding the survey, please contact Luke Shepley on 85272240.

Kind Regards,

Luke Shepley

Senior Leader



T-BALL & BASEBALL

Season beginning soon!

T-Ball ages 3-6
Pee Wee Baseball ages 7 & 8

Trainings held Wednesday nights, 5.30pm
@ Karbeethan Reserve

For further information, contact:
T-Ball: Bec 0407 125 681
Pee Wee Baseball: Cat 0419 340 357
Email: gawlerrangersbaseballclub@gmail.com

GAWLER RANGERS BASEBALL CLUB

HOOPS

For kids ages 5 to 10 to master basketball skills while having fun and making friends.

WHEN : STARTS WEEK 3 29 / OCTOBER / 2021

WHERE : BALAKALVA RALLI COURTS

TIME : 5-6PM FRIDAYS

COST : RANGES FROM \$25 - \$100 DEPENDING ON PACKS. DETAILS OF PACKS TO BE RELEASED SOON.

CONTACT : KAYLEIGH PARKER ON 0498034392 OR [KAYLEES33@GMAIL.COM](mailto:kaylees33@gmail.com) TO REGISTER YOUR INTEREST, FOR REGISTRATION FORMS, OR FOR ANY OTHER ENQUIRIES.

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BEFORE SCHOOL
6:30am - 8:30am

AFTER SCHOOL
3:15pm - 6:00pm

VACATION CARE
7:00am - 6:00pm

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Much appreciated.

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