Truro Primary School

Term 2 Week 4 / Issue 7 – 21st May 2021

RESPECT • RESPONSIBILITY • INTEGRITY • SUCCESS

Principal's Message

It is that time of the year when students and staff are getting sick more often. Thankyou for your ongoing support and understanding with keeping children home if they are unwell.

A big shout out to families who helped out with the BBQ on Sunday for the 'Can Swap Meet'. We fundraised $250 to put towards school yard improvements.

Another big shout out to staff for organising the Dream Big excursion and Squash sessions at the Rex. A lot of extra time is put into organising these experiences for our students. Well done to all involved and parents who attended to support supervision.

Recently I have noticed some families have either missed or not received important notices or school information. Sometimes notices are left in classrooms, sometimes notices are only for certain classes, and sometimes notices do not go via Rachael and Jenni in the office. If this happens please contact class teachers first either in person or via class dojo. If you still have any questions or concerns please leave a message at the office and I will get back to you as soon as I can.

Next Wednesday we have a school assembly at 2:30pm in the gym.

Kind regards,

Val Menzel

COVID CHECK-IN

Reminder that it is a legal requirement that if you enter a building on site that you <u>must</u> sign in. All adults (including staff and parents) entering buildings must check-in by scanning the QR code or completing the paper recording log template located in the office or in classrooms.

Children and students (including adult students) do not need to check-in. Their attendance is recorded in EDSAS, EYS, EMS etc and can be easily made available to SA Health for contact tracing purposes.

Please note the COVID Safe Check-in is purely for SA Health contact tracing purposes and doesn't replace your normal visitor sign-in process. All guests should continue to sign in at the front office/ reception on arrival.

Important Dates and INFORMATION

Term 2 2021

May

Wednesday 26th - Assembly.

Thursday 27th - Special lunch day.

June

Monday 7th - Governing Council.

Friday 11th - Student free day.

Monday 14th - Public holiday.

Thursday 17th - Special lunch day.

July

Friday 2nd - End of Term 2. School finishes at 2:10pm.

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Newsletter

SCHOOL NEWS

Sporting Schools - Squash

Over the next 5 weeks students are attending Squash lessons at the Rex in Tanunda. Vicky Cardwell is teaching the students how to play Squash. She is the current development officer for the Barossa region and is a former world champion Squash player.

Library News

Nearly all students have completed the Premier's Reading Challenge. Thank you for your support in this. The "Book-opoly" boards are looking great in the Admin area.

We will be holding a Bookfair this year in Term 3, the week before Bookweek starting on Monday 16th August.

Bookweek is in Term 3 Week 6 and the theme this year is:

"New Worlds, Old Worlds, Other Worlds"

We will have our Bookweek parade as well as lunchtime activities for the students.

More information will be sent home later in the term but in the meantime lets get our thinking caps on for costume ideas.

Overdues

We are getting quite a few overdue library books. Next week I will be sending home notes with students who have long overdues. We ask that students bring their library books on their usual library borrowing day to return and then if they wish to reborrow then they can (unless another student is waiting to borrow the book), this avoids the overdue notice popping up on the screen.

Thank you

Jenni

R-2

Echidna learning area

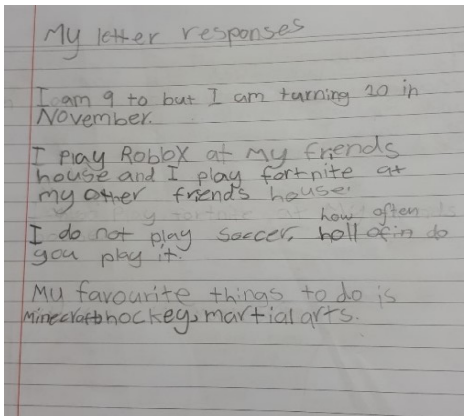
To celebrate learning all of the Natural Maths Strategies that make up the secret code, our class had a maths party! We made food using the natural maths strategies we have learned. To make our open face sandwiches, we doubled (d), used rainbow facts (rf), counted on (co), did turnarounds (ta), and used near doubles(nd).

For dessert we made apple donuts. This involved more secret code, including friendly numbers (fn) and subitising (s).

4-7 LITERACY

Year 4-7 Literacy

Students have already had a busy start to the Term. They have responded to letters from their Pen Pals from The Australian Christian College, Darling Downs in Western Australia.


My letter responses

I am 9 to but I am turning 10 in November.

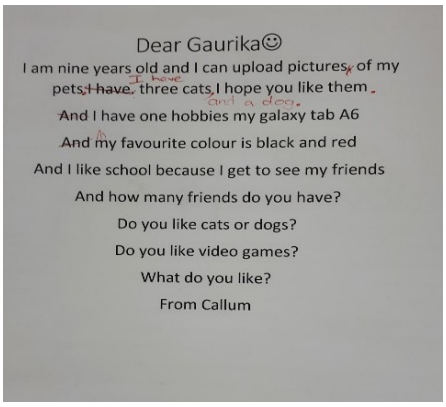
I play RobloX at my frends house and I play fortnite at my other frends house.

I do not play Soccer, how often do you play it.

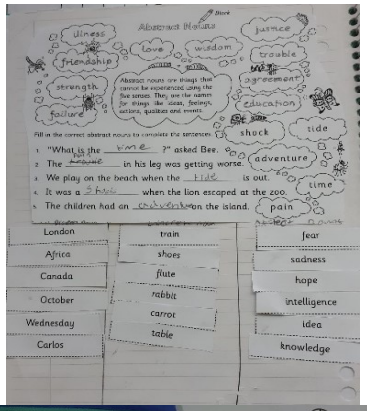
MU favourite things to do is Minecraft hockey, martial arts.

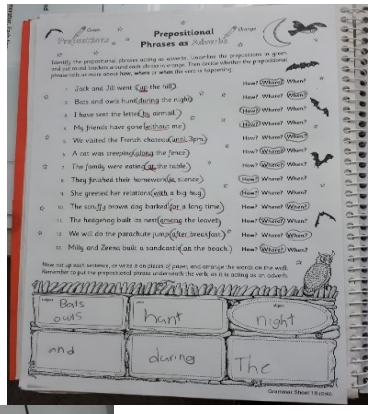
My letter responses

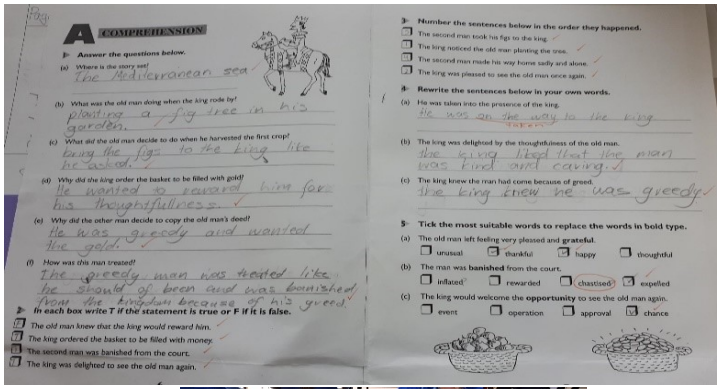
Dear Skyla
I hope you like this my writing.
have I got pets? yes I have pets. I have one puppy and its name is Sasha.
and my favourite food is chicken and I am nine year old too and some people call me Mack or Kenzie or Mackapacer. and I have two Sisters there names are Kaylee and Isadelle and I have one Brother Eli.
from mackenzie

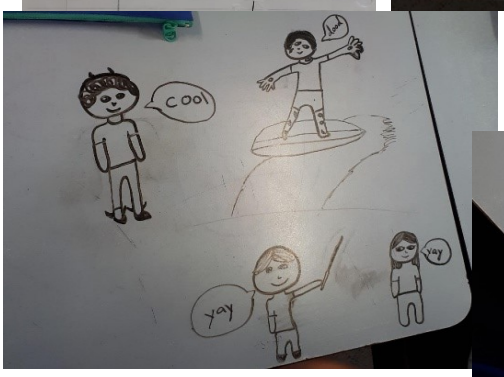

Dear Gaurika☺
I am nine years old and I can upload pictures of my pets, ~~I have~~ I have three cats, I hope you like them and a dog.
And I have one hobbies my galaxy tab A6
And my favourite colour is black and red
And I like school because I get to see my friends
And how many friends do you have?
Do you like cats or dogs?
Do you like video games?
What do you like?
From Callum

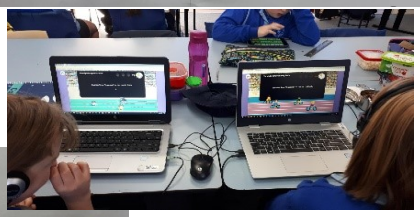
Students have also been busy recognising different grammar concepts and practicing their reading comprehension. They have listened to stories and created questions and worked on tasks in Reading Eggspress.

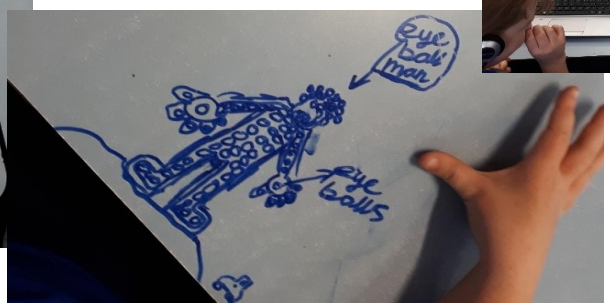












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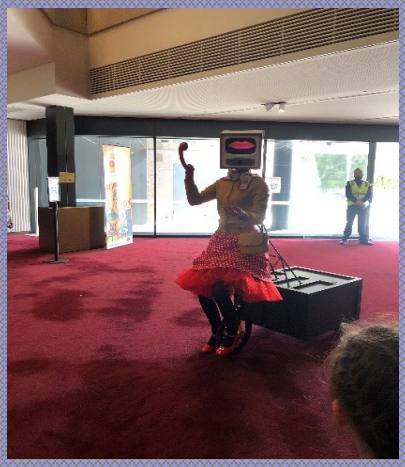

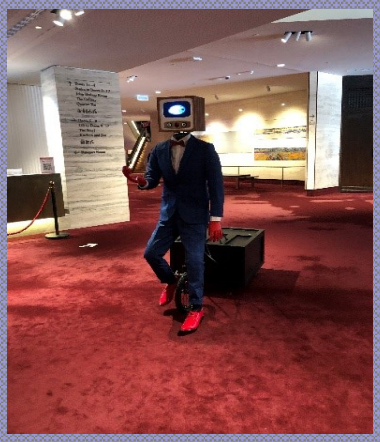

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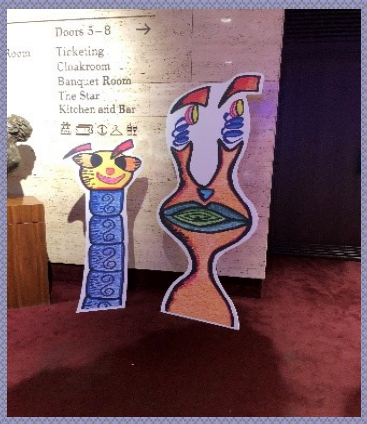
Doors 5 – 8
Ticketing
Cloakroom
Banquet Room
The Star
Kitchen and Bar

COMMUNITY NEWS

ndis MISSION AUSTRALIA

Delivering the NDIS in your community

Parent information

Come and have a coffee and chat with Mission Australia

- Do you know what is available in your community – we can help
- What would you like to see in your community?
- How can you advocate for yourself in your community?

We also offer one on one individual appointments in the community, at your local school, or at one of our offices if preferred.

GET FREE HELP

Due to Covid restrictions - Please call first to book first.

Please ensure you are well and have not travelled to any current Covid hotspots or been in contact with anyone who is unwell or has travelled to known hotspots.

To book your spot

Phone: Lianne on 0436 692 475 for bookings/cancellations.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

TERM 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 5	24	25	26 Assembly	27 Special Lunch Day	28
WEEK 6	31	***June*** 1	2	3	4 Newsletter
WEEK 7	7 Governing Council	8	9	10	11 STUDENT FREE DAY
WEEK 8	14 Public Holiday	15	16	17 Special Lunch Day	18 Newsletter
WEEK 9	21	22	23	24	25
WEEK 10	28	29	30	***July*** 1	Newsletter 2 End of Term 2 Finish at 2:10pm

TERM 3	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 1	19 Term 3 Begins	20	21	22	23
WEEK 2	26	27	28	29	30
WEEK 3	***August*** 2 Governing Council	3	4	5	6
WEEK 4	9	10	11	12	13