**Principal’s Report**

Dear Parents/Caregivers

**Assembly**
Room 17 took to the stage at yesterday’s assembly to tell us all about what they had been learning in class. Our year 2 students spoke confidently in front of a huge audience and performed the song I Still Call Australia Home beautifully, well done Mrs Goodall and our year two’s.

**School Upgrades**
It has been a very productive week of painting at the school this week. All of the student toilets have been painted, all sinks and taps replaced and the tiling redone in both of the girls toilets. The facilities for students are looking amazing. Thanks to all our staff and students making this a smooth process with all of the changes throughout the week. Through the generous support of the school Parents and Citizen committee we are also in the process of painting the school hall. The P&C have donated $5,000 towards the cost of the repainting and our hall will look wonderful in time for the Mirrabooka’s Got Talent final at the end of the term.

**Early Close**
On Thursday 23 June Mirrabooka Primary School will have an early close at 12.30pm to enable reporting to parents to take place. Timetables have been sent home to IEC classes for parents to select times. Timetables for mainstream classes will be made available closer to the date. This is an invaluable opportunity for parents to meet with classroom teachers to discuss their child’s progress and to see how they can support their child’s learning at home. If parents are unable to collect children at 12.30pm on this day alternative arrangements will be provided.

**Attendance & Arrival Time**
Regular and punctual school attendance is critical for students to get the best possible education. As our mornings are getting a little bit colder we are noticing an increase in students being late to school. To ensure that students receive the best possible start to the day and their education I encourage all parents to ensure their child is at school on time each day. See the chart on the next page to see how quickly 10 min per day adds up a large amount of missed learning.

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**DATES TO REMEMBER**

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**Enrolments Kindergarten to Year 6 for 2017**
We are now taking applications for enrolment for all year levels for 2017.
To enrol in **Kindergarten 2017** your child’s birthday must fall between 1 July 2012 and 30 June 2013. Application forms are available in the front office or can be downloaded from the school website. A copy of your child’s birth certificate and statement of immunization is also required when lodging your application.

**Mirrabooka’s Got Talent**
The auditions for this year’s talent show will commence in week 7 and 8 so now is the time for everyone to work out what their special talent is and start practising at home. You can be a singer, dancer, juggler, comedian, acrobat, anything at all! You can be a solo act or get together with a friend or a group of friends. But most importantly you are to HAVE FUN! Look out for lunchtime rehearsals.
The following students have received Honour Certificates:

- Kim Room 9
- Nima Room 3
- Nik Room 10
- Arok Room 20
- Ratima Room 14
- Nima Room 5
- Tensing Room 9
- Hamza Room 16
- Emmitt Pre Primary
- Museo Room 12
- Blair Room 17
- Kiara Room 6
- Dylan Room 9
- Dong Ting Room 3
- Bella-May Room 20
- Rolence Room 1
- Daniel Room 1
- Natnael Room 5
- Hannah Room 9
- Sajjad Room 16
- Miraj Pre Primary
- Yasamen Room 12
- Tyler Room 17
- Hamza Room 6

WELL DONE TO YOU ALL!!

Room 17 Assembly

Our theme this term is called ‘Awesome Australia’ and we have been learning about Australia and the Australian Dreamtime. For our assembly item we sang a special Australian song called ‘I Still Call Australia Home’. The students in our class shared some facts about the states and territories of Australia, including the state animal emblems. A big thank you to all of the families that attended. It was lovely to see the fantastic support that our students received from families and friends.

FRIDAY INTERSCHOOL SPORT

The Interschool Sports Competition started last week with our first match against Dryandra PS.

Our Soccer team were exceptional winning 3-0 with Ali Sina awarded with ‘Player of the Match.’

Our Football team worked hard as a team and showed promise for an exciting term ahead. Player of the match was awarded to Terrance. Well done.

Our Netball teams A & B both won with some outstanding scores, with player of the match going to Tracey in the A Team and Sarah in the B Team.

Our second match was at home and we played against Boyare PS. Another winning streak for the Soccer and Netball Teams. In the Soccer, Jeremy our fantastic goalkeeper received ‘Player of the match’ and Zahraa B Team and Kirsty A Team for the Netball. The football Team never gave up and showed great team work. The player of the match went to Rahima, well done.

Our next match is at home against Roseworth PS. If any one would like to come and cheer on the students, matches are from 1.30pm - 2.15pm. Everyone is welcome.

Ms Farmer
The year 6 WISH Camp to Springhills Farm Stay was a fantastic experience for all involved. This year the students, along with all the other farm activities such as egg collecting, were involved in hand rearing three joeys. Our students learnt so much about a working farm. There was also a visit by a lady called Sarah who talked to them about different career options to do with the wool industry.
Dianella Public Library is hosting a free Noongar Culture Session on Saturday 28th May at 10:00am -11:00am.

The event focuses on sharing cultural knowledge about Noongar people, history and caring for country. Children will see artefacts, learn about Noongar Seasons, song and dance, roles of men and women and taste some traditional foods. Ages 5 - 18 are welcome to book at:


Adults attending with children are not required to book.