



22/9/23

Term 3 - that sure went by in a flash!

Dinofari—today saw the presentation and conclusion of our integrated science unit called Dinofari. The unit of work required the students to examine informative texts to become an expert about one particular dinosaur. The final activity which was today's presentation was intended to give the students the opportunity to share their learning while honing their public speaking skills. It was also a wonderful way of integrating purposeful use of technology into student learning through research as well as the construction of Google Slide presentations for our older students. I know the younger students cannot wait for their turn. We trust you enjoyed the event and the opportunity to see and hear just what the students have learnt.

MSSN Eisteddfod

What a pleasure it was to take our students to participate in the eisteddfod on Wednesday—first place in the music category was a great result. Equal to that was the behaviour from everyone on the day. Thank you to Mrs Rae, Deb and Vanessa for their help with the day.

PBL

Our PBL focus for this week is ENJOYING HOLIDAYS. Students will be able to articulate what this looks like, sounds like, feels like and give reasons why this is important!



Parent Interviews

Thank you to those families who were able to come along to parent interviews. Both myself and Mrs McRae valued the chance to talk specifically with you about any concerns you had, as well as celebrate the learning that is taking place.

Head Lice Alert

Please be vigilant by keeping a close check on your children as the change of season is often a time when we see headlice appear. This is a very common occurrence in schools.

Tips for parents in reducing the spread of head lice

As infestations are particularly common in primary schools, it is best to choose a treatment that can be used over time. There is no single solution to eradication, only persistence.

**regularly check your children's hair*

**tie back and braid long hair*

**keep a fine tooth head lice comb in the bathroom and encourage all family members to use it when they wash their hair.*

Term 4

As you will have noticed from the calendar, Term 4 is looking like another busy but enjoyable term. Students all return on Monday 9th October. Wishing everyone a safe spring break along with the hope for some much needed rain.

Weekly Awards

Each week a student of the week will be selected. This student will have demonstrated enthusiasm for learning, produced some wonderful work or been kind and thoughtful in some way.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK







R-Jay

Well Done Awardees



Mia & Ewan

Hargraves Public School Term 4 2023

WK	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/ Sun
1 Oct	9	10	11	12	13 PINK UP fundarais- er	14/15
2 Oct	16 Mrs Endacott Syd- ney	17 Mrs Endacott Syd- ney	18 Personal development Session Years 4-6 @ Ilford Public School	19	20	21/22
3 Oct	23	24 School Photos 	25	26	27 Musica Viva – Hargraves	28/29
4 Oct/ Nov	30 Grandparents Day Open Classrooms	31	1 Mrs Endacott to Glen Alice Bunnings visit	2	2	4/5
5 Nov	6	7 Mrs Endacott Bathurst	8	9	10	11/12 Remembrance Day
6 Nov	13	14	15	16 K-2 ex- cursion to the Zoo 	17 	18/19
7 Nov	20	21	22	23	24	25/26
8 Nov/ Dec	27	28	29 Maddie to MHS Presentation Night	30	1	2/3
9 Dec	4	5 3-6 camp	6 3-6 camp	7 3-6 camp	8 3-6 camp	9/10
10 Dec	11 Swim School	12 Swim School	13 Swim School	14 Swim School	15 Swim School	16/17  Christmas Tree
11	18	19				