



“Learning Together”



A community of active thinkers who can achieve their dreams.

Caring, Respectful, Learners

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Week 37

24th November 2023

Student of the Week Congratulations to:



Addi R: For giving her absolute best in all her assessments and showing care and respect during our science incursion. Well done!



Abbey W: For her continuous determination, focus and hard work, especially during assessment time. Great effort Abbey!!



Harrison A: For eagerly sharing his knowledge and engaging in all learning tasks.



Matilda O: For approaching all assessment tasks with a positive attitude and a happy smile. Superstar Tizza!



Lexi P: For your continuous attendance and being so positive in completing all of your assessments this week. Well done!



Russell L: For a shining star that brings happiness and kindness to the classroom every single day.

IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday 12th December—Leap into Learning—9.15-10.45am/ Transition days P-7

Tuesday 12th December—Grade 6 Graduation Party 5.30-7pm, Presentation from 7pm.

Wednesday 13th December

- Christmas Carnival (day) - see ad on p.6
- School Concert (evening) - see ad on p.7

Thursday 14th December—Grade 6 Day Out

Wednesday 20th December—Last Day of School Year (2.15pm finish/Pickup from 1.30pm)



PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



Dear Parents and Carers

ART SHOW

Last night I had the opportunity to enjoy a fantastic display of artwork completed by all of our students throughout the year.

The creativity, colour, skill and variety of examples on display left me totally amazed and extremely proud of the efforts of all students.

Our Art specialist program is run by Adelle Phillips and each student has one hour a week of Visual Arts where they are able to learn art techniques and work with an array of media to produce their art.

Mrs Phillips has done an outstanding job in inspiring students to express themselves in many different ways including sketching, painting, mosaic, weaving, collage and sculpture. They have used metal clay, water paints, crayons, charcoal, materials and many other materials to produce their works of art throughout the year.



Each class has also had 2 semesters of Performing Arts this year where they have had opportunities to express themselves creatively through music, dance, drama and video.

The art show last night was a fantastic culmination of many weeks of work and it was great to share the experience with students, parents and other family members.

We thank all parents who have bid on the class art works and will be notifying winner of the silent auction very soon. The silent auction raised \$650 for the school.

*Michael Smith— Principal
Caring, Respectful, Learners*

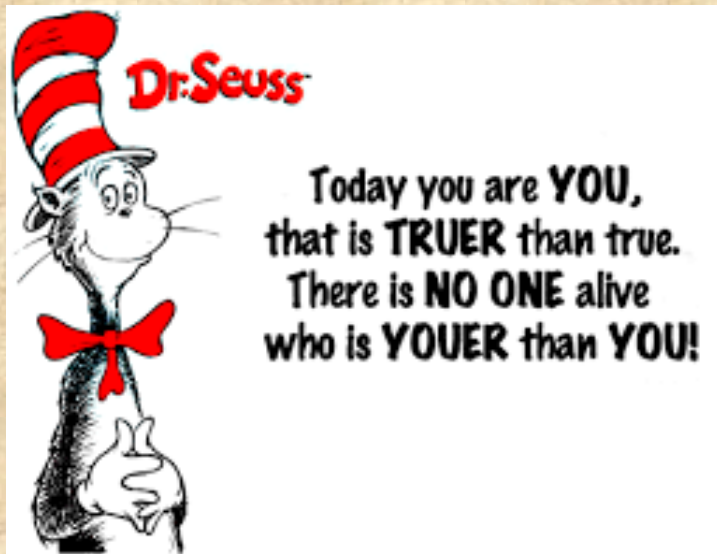
We would like to acknowledge those first nation families who cared for and used this land for many generations. We will commit to **caring** and using the land our school is built on in a **respectful** way. We are grateful to have this land where we can **learn** together.

(Developed by Drouin South PS students and SRC 2023)



A message from our Chaplain.....

This weeks Dr Seuss inspired thought is a good one to keep in mind every day;



We all have a unique skillset. We all have something to offer, something that we can contribute. Don't under estimate your influence, especially on your children.

Hayno.

Chaplain DSPS.

New in the Library!

Hot Wheels City—Where is the New Hero?

It's the second day of the biggest race ever, and the drivers are in for a tricky race. Can they survive all the scary surprises?

Level 1 has a simple story structure, a variety of high frequency words and no more than three sentences per page.



*Find this and other great books in the
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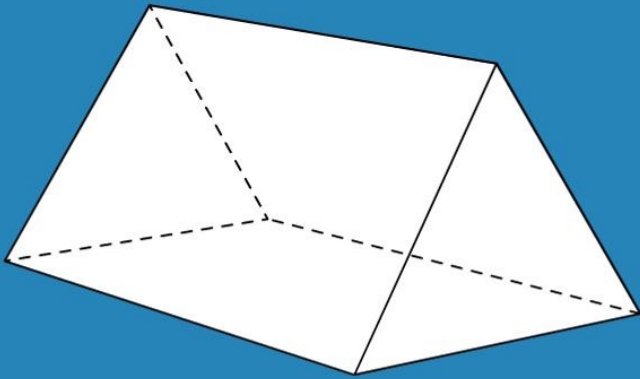
News from 5/6A



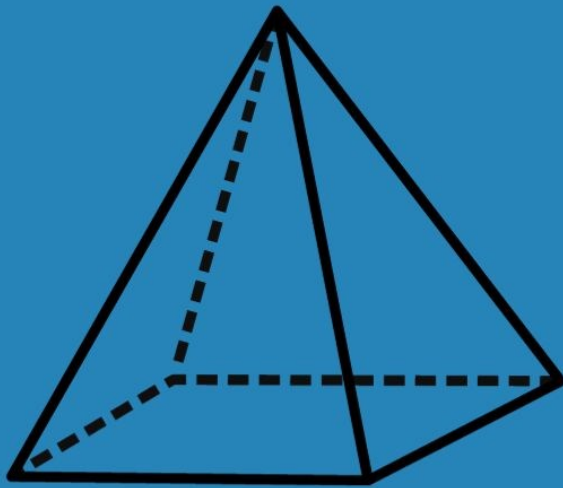
This week, in 5/6A, our mathematicians have been exploring the unique features of prisms and pyramids. The students were challenged to create a net to match a prism. They used great problem-solving skills to measure and/or trace faces to ensure their nets were accurate. It was wonderful to see teamwork, discussion of strategies and problem solving.



Prism



Pyramid





DSPS CHRISTMAS CARNIVAL



HOSTED BY JUNIOR SCHOOL COUNCIL

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TOY PET ADOPTION, LUCKY DIP, SPONGE
★ THROW AND MUCH MORE ★
STARTING FROM 50C
TREATS, POFFERTJES AND SLUSHIES \$2**



DECEMBER 13TH



STARTING AT 11.45AM



SIBLINGS AND FAMILY WELCOME





**2023 DSPS CHRISTMAS
CONCERT**

**‘WHERE IN THE
WORLD IS SANTA?’**

Wednesday 13th December 6pm

**Our concert is an open air event on the
oval. Bring your own camp chairs or
picnic rug.**

**BYO Picnic from 5pm.
Family and Friends welcome!**





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