

Guise Public School

"Educating and caring for the whole child"

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Appointments

We are pleased to announce the permanent appointment through Merit Selection of the three staff members who have been doing such a fantastic job in our support unit this year, Mrs Davies, Ms Capps and Mrs Crichton to Guise Public School!!!!

I'm sure you'll join the staff and students in welcoming them permanently to our school!!

Autism Awareness Day

Tomorrow is our Autism Awareness Day. Children will be able to wear colourful clothes and purchase fairy bread for 50c. More information is on the next page.

Easter Hat Parade

Our students have been busily creating Easter Hats to wear at our parade tomorrow afternoon. All parents are welcome to come and see the parade at 2pm in the hall.

Sapphire Level Awards

Congratulations to our Sapphire Level Award winners for Term 1. These children were chosen by their teachers for showing exemplary behaviour for all staff, always working their hardest and for having great attendance.

More Sapphire Level Awards will be handed out in Terms 2 and 3.

Election BBQ

Thank you to those families and community members who supported our school by purchasing a sausage sandwich from our Election Day BBQ last Saturday.

A huge thank you to Karen Davies (and her family members), Tracy Palinko and Mrs Crichton for giving up their hard earned weekend to support our school!

Pre-Kinder program

We are excited to announce that beginning the 6th May, Mrs Mitchell (our long term AP who is currently on maternity leave) will be beginning a Pre-Kinder program at our school on Wednesdays from 9.30 - 1pm. This program will be fantastic to any children who will be starting Kindergarten in 2016.

If you know of anyone who has children they wish to come to this great program, please pass their name and contact number to the office.

More information will be coming home next term

Holiday Security

Please remember if you have any security concern over the holidays to ring School Security on 1300 880 021.

Have a great Easter!

Debby Meredith

CALENDAR

April

- 2nd Last day Term 1
- 3rd Good Friday
- 20th Teachers return
- 21st Students return



2015 CLASSES

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|------|---|---------------------|
| KE | - | Mrs Elliott |
| K/1S | - | Mrs Searle (AP) |
| 2/3C | - | Mr Carr |
| 3/4H | - | Mrs Horn |
| 5/6M | - | Mrs Mullen/Mrs Carr |
| K/2C | - | Mrs Crichton |
| 3/5C | - | Miss Capps |
| | | Mrs Davies (AP) |

Support Teachers

Mrs Kitsouklias
Mrs Tunj
Miss Anson

Learning Support Officers

Mrs Ballantine
Mrs Mayes
Mrs Hundt

Aboriginal Education Assistant
Miss Bell

Office Administrators

Mr Stevens
Mrs Ball
Mrs Ballantine

Principal

Mrs Meredith

Security

If you suspect someone is unlawfully on the school grounds.

Please call School Security unit:

1300 880 021

TERM ONE SAPPHIRE LEVEL AWARD WINNERS

KE -	Aaron Ali	Zara Navae Vuong
K/1S -	Taeje Eli	Ricky Painter - Dixon
2/3C -	Jenhniesha Cooke	Noah Tauiliili
3/4H -	Ebony Reyes	Phoenix Stokes-Erikkson
5/6M -	Daejuan Henry	Imran Tabboule



World Autism Awareness Day – GO COLOURFUL FOR AUTISM

The eighth annual World Autism Awareness Day is April 2nd. Every year autism organisations around the world celebrate the day with unique fundraising and awareness raising events.

What is autism?

Autism is a lifelong developmental condition that affects, among other things, the way an individual relates to his or her environment and their interaction with other people.



The word 'spectrum' describes the range of difficulties that people with autism may experience and the degree to which they may be affected. Some people may be able to live relatively normal lives, while others may have an accompanying learning disability and require continued specialist support.

An estimated one in 100 people has autism; that's almost 230,000 Australians. Autism affects almost four times as many boys than girls.

This term at Guise Public School, to show our support for all of our students with autism, we will be holding a number of fundraising/awareness events.

Friday 2nd April – Students will be able to purchase colourful fairy bread for a cost of **50cents** per slice. In addition, students are encouraged to wear colourful clothes on the day to show their support for autism also,
Look out for the colourful hands that will line the entrance way to our school on April 2nd.

Term 2 will see our fundraising events continue with another colourful event planned for early in the term. If you have any question, please feel free to contact me at school.

Mrs Davies
A.P Support Unit