

Every student matters. Every moment counts.

We acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land and pay our respects to Elders past, present and future.

Book Week—Find your Treasure \*\*\*\*\*\*\* Amended Date—Now on Thursday 23 Aug \*\*\*\*\*\* This term we celebrate Book Week in <u>week 5</u>. On Tuesday 21st August we will be holding our book fair and parade. Our theme this year is "Find your Treasure". We ask all students to please dress up as a character from their favourite book.



CC THERE IS MORE TREASURE IN BOOKS THAN IN ALL THE PIRATE'S LOOT ON TREASURE ISLAND WALT DISNEY

Parents and carers are invited to come along and watch their children participate in the parade and join them for a picnic lunch.

Our book parade will commence at 11.30am, after which we will have a picnic lunch. We will have sausages for sale \$2.00 and poppers \$1.50. We will open book fair sales on the day at the following times: Morning Sales 8.55am—9.22am Lunch Sales 12.10pm -12.35pm



# <u>Touch Footy Gala Day</u>

All students in Years 3 to 6 will be participating in the Touch Footy Gala day held on Thursday 16th August at Carr Confoy Oval. All students are expected to participate, as this day forms part of the PE Program and

curriculum. The day teaches students about ball skills and team participation. Students are to wear their sports uniform, school hat and jumper.

There may be a canteen operating but students are to bring lunch, morning tea, and plenty of water

Please ensure that your child has returned the permission note and \$3.00 fee.

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The boys and girls have been reading picture books by Michael Salmon before his author visit on Tuesday. For a follow up art lesson, the children created their own book character in a short comic strip story.

Polar Boy, a novel by Sandy Fussell, was the inspiration for another art lesson using pastels. The subject of the portrait was an apex predator like a bear or a big cat. Australia's Global Connections is the Geography theme, so reading groups have been engaging in conversations based around their text, Australia's Global Trade. Mrs Leten 4/5L







K/1G students can identify materials that are light or heavy. They can use a pan balance to compare the masses of two objects and record their findings. Well done K/1G keep measuring. Miss Gay



### Michael Salmon Author Visit

We were very lucky to have Michael Salmon visit our school on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> August. Michael kept us entertained with his amazing cartooning ability and inspirational words. The students really enjoyed his presentation and it was wonderful to hear the stories behind his books. We have purchased some of his new books for the library so look out for those ones on the shelves soon!

Remember to keep in touch with what is happening at school with the Skool bag App. Search "Goulburn South Public School" to find it. Download it today, it's FREE!

Celebrating our Success Positive Behaviours for Learning								
Student of the Week	HUME	Riley 3/4M						
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House Competition Winner	<mark>OXLEY</mark> MEEHAN	Luc	y 3/4M					
Citizenship Awards	Level	1	Kawsar	K/6M				
			Indy Sam	KM K/6R				
	Level	4	Bridie	4/5L				



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**GROWING GREAT PARENTS** 

Each newsletter we are going to bring to you tips on raising and creating **RESILIENCE** in our children – one building block at a time. Commonly known as Australia's 'queen of common sense', Maggie Dent is a parent of four boys, an author, educator, parenting and resilience specialist. We are going to use Maggie's building blocks to help us all build **RESILIENCE** in our children....from birth up!

Resilience refers to the ability to successfully manage life, and adapt to change and stressful events in healthy and constructive ways. <u>Childhood is a journey and there is no perfect world, perfect parent or correct way to raise a child.</u> THERE IS NO PERFECT CHILD. Families today live in a world of massive change and uncertainty. In many ways parenting is now more **CONFUSING** than it has ever been because of the massive availability of information, together with the invisible and overt pressures of consumerism that have saturated the parenting world. However, real kids can **THRIVE** in our **UNREAL** and often **CHAOTIC** world.

## BUILDING BLOCK 1 – POSITIVE, HEALTHY PREGNANCY – Parenting Tips...

- \* A healthy pregnancy is the best start for a healthy baby
- \* Stress can impact a baby in the womb so try to manage your own stress during pregnancy and ask for help if you need it
- \* Babies can be born with emotional memory
- \* Everyone in our community needs to support pregnant women regardless of age, culture of social status

(Maggie Dent: Building Children's Resilience: one building block at a time, 2016) www.maggiedent.com

# **Upcoming Events**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 4	13/8	14/8 Author visit Michael Solomon 9.30— 10.30	15/8	<mark>16/8</mark> Yrs 3—6 Touch Footy gala day Carr Confoy	17/8 Sold and unsold raffle tickets to be returned to school
Week 5 Book Week	20/8	21/8	22/8 P & C Raffle drawn today	23/8 Book Fair Parade "Find your treasure" Date change	24/8 Jump Rope for Heart Exhibition Exeter P.S visit 12.35—1.05
Week 6 NAPLAN ONLINE Readiness Mon—Thurs	27/8	28/8	29/8 P & C Meeting 3pm	30/8 Fathers Day Stall	31/8 Farmer Fundraiser
Week 7	3/9	4/9 AFL	5/9	6/9	7/9

## <u>P & C</u>

P & C will be holding their monthly meeting on Wednesday 29th August at 3pm. All Parents and carers are welcome and encouraged to attend.

The P & C have been very busy working on the canteen refurbishment and working on new menus. The canteen will be back in operation shortly "Stay Tuned"

We will have a parent roster operating the canteen and the days of operation will be notified shortly. If you would like to volunteer and become a part of the canteen operations please advise the P & C Committee or the office.

### SRC Fathers Day Stall

SRC will be holding a Fathers Day stall on Thursday 30th August. There will be a great selection of gifts for students to purchase, priced from \$1.00 through to \$5.00. Supporting our SRC in their fundraising initiatives assists in purchasing resources for the students across the school.

We thank you for supporting your SRC