

The Meadows Mag

A vibrant and caring learning community

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Office Hours

Monday to Friday
8:20am - 3pm

Canteen

Monday, Wednesday, Friday
8:20am – 1:30pm

Before & After School Care



Enrolments can be done online:
www.squiggler.com.au/enrol-now/ or for more
information contact head office
on 1300 778 444

Uniform Shop

Uniforms are sold in the canteen
Monday, Wednesday & Friday
8:20am - 9am

Payment by
cash & cheque
at school
OR
prepay online using
MasterCard or Visa



Calendar

Important Dates in Term 4, 2021

Week 11

Wednesday, 15th December Year 6 Graduation
Assembly & Farewell

Thursday, 16th December Last Day of School

Important Dates in Term 1, 2022

Week 1

Friday, 28th January STAFF Development Day

Week 2

Monday, 31st January STAFF Development Day

Tuesday, 1st February First Day for 3-6 Students

Wednesday, 2nd February First Day for Kindergarten

Week 3

Friday, 11th February Swimming Carnival

Principal's Message

Presentation Day Awards

We certainly missed having our parent community onsite for our annual Presentation Day Assemblies held today. The full list of award recipients is as follows:

For each class listed the first student received an Academic Achievement award, the second student received a Most Improved award and the third student received a Citizenship award.

Class Awards

KH - Micah, Charlotte, Chantelle

KP - Rian, Eyan, Summer

KS - Ramaa, Samrudh, Aria

1/2C – Awan, Therese, Kamel

1/2L – Smit, Lily, Autumn

1/2O – Dylan, Divine, Luselina

1/2P – Devak, Sam, Leon

2/3A – Bihaan, Hriya, Bahar

3/4R – Samara, Katie, Levine

4T – Aakanksha, Mele, Isla

3-6P – Jasper, Noah, Lauren

5/6D - Ana-Leah, Decoda, Amal

5/6H – Nathan, Logan, Farida

5/6S – Ria, Zainab, Mann

Library Awards

KH – Kohinoor 2/3A - Shanen

KP – Kesar 3/4R - Isha

KS – Caitlyn 4T – Joanna

1/2C - Ranbir 3-6P – Alex

1/2L - Christine 5/6D - Trinley

1/2O - Arpith 5/6H - Disha

1/2P - Keerthan 5/6S - Mann

Operation Art Awards

Micah (KH), Luselina (1/2O),
Nagul (1/2C), Michael (3-6P)

Sports Awards

Zone PSSA - Jasper, Jaxson, Vinoth, Mason
Medals (AFL)

Premier's Sporting Challenge Medal – Mason

ICAS Writing Awards

Distinction Isha (3/4R)
Credit Nathan (5/6H)
Credit Yashika (5/6S)

Student Leaders 2022

It is my pleasure to announce the following student leaders for 2022!

School Captain Mann Jasani

Vice Captain Aiden Lazarus

Prefects Srivitha Korakatu Srinath, Farida Awad,
and Trinley Wangmo.

Congratulations to all!

Kindergarten Enrolments 2022

Do you have a younger child ready to start Kinder at The Meadows PS next year? Or do you know someone in the neighbourhood who has? If so, please come along or invite your neighbours to come along and commence the enrolment process NOW!

As of today, we have 54 confirmed and enrolled students for Kindergarten in 2022. Please make all enquiries through Mrs Anderson at the front office. There is still opportunities to visit the office for one more week or you may choose to enrol online.

School Leavers

If your child is in Kindergarten to Year 5 and you know you are leaving our school at the end of this term (next week), please let the office know as soon as possible as we are finalising class structures for 2022.

Baby News!

Since our last newsletter, two of our teachers have brought beautiful babies into the world!

Mrs Thornton and her husband David welcomed Sophie Annika Thornton on 11th November, a little sister for Holly. Meanwhile, Mrs Ozel and her husband Murat welcomed their first child on 20th November, a bouncing baby boy named Mete Ozel. Mothers, fathers and babies are all doing well!

**That's a wrap for 2021!**

Whilst we still have the Year 6 Graduation and Farewell to look forward to next week, the school year will suddenly grind to a halt for all students next Thursday 16th December. This has been an incredibly challenging year, one which will always be remembered for the 12-13 weeks missed by all students during the Covid Lockdown. Our community rose to the occasion, and I was certainly pleased with the overall commitment to learning from home. I have also been very pleased with the way in which our students have returned across the past 6-7 weeks, ready to learn with a positive attitude and really enjoying their social re-connections as well.

Heading into 2022, as mentioned in the previous newsletter, we bid farewell to Miss Sammut, Miss Cassel and Mrs Hanson and wish them well on the next phase of their teaching journey. We thank each of these teachers again for their excellent contribution to our school community over several years.



To our Year 6 students we wish you every success as you embark on up to 6 years at High School starting next year. You are ready – make the most of every opportunity, and remember, you will always be part of the Meadows Family.

Finally, I wish all our families a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year, hopeful of more certain times ahead, and good health to everyone. Students in Years 1-6 will return on Tuesday 1st February whilst our new Kindergarten students will start on Wednesday 2nd February – the very memorable date of 2.2.22!



Look after each other,

Scott Staveley

Principal

School Banking is closing nationally

Sadly, the CommBank School Banking program will not be returning to schools in 2022.

For 90 years, our School Banking program has helped children learn about money, reinforced the importance of regular savings and provided structure for parents to support their children to save.

We've had strong support from thousands of schools, parents and teachers across the country who choose to run our program. We're disappointed with the position taken by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC) and subsequent decisions by some state and territory governments to take that choice away from individual schools and parents. Because of the ASIC review and these government decisions, we're unable to continue providing programs in schools, and we've had to make a difficult decision to close our School Banking program nationally for all schools, both government and non-government, across the country.



CONGRATULATIONS Award Winners!

K-6 Assembly Award Winners - Week 9

Assistant Principal Awards (3 points)

Kindergarten	Lavani
Year 1	Aariv
Year 2	Akin
Year 3	Smit
Year 4	Adhiraj
Year 5	
Year 6	Noah

Principal Awards (5 points)

Kindergarten	Aria
Year 1	Krishna
Year 2	Mackenzie
Year 3	
Year 4	Domonic
Year 5	Mann
Year 6	Nathan

Kookaburra Pins

Blue (10 Points)

Akash
Caitlyn
Aria
Micah
Corinth
Luka
Brayden
Amarli
Dwij
Ayushi
Delilah
Ilija

Yellow (20 Points)

Awan
Aariv
Agastya
Malakai
Beverly

Purple (30 Points)

Mackenzie
Brooklyn
Michael
Rettalia
Abby

Orange (40 Points)

Ackland
Luke
Javin
Mohammed

Gold (50 Points)

Jasper
Noah

Platinum (60 Points)

Monica
Nathan
Mann
Jayden





CONGRATULATIONS Award Winners!

Week 7

Teacher's Awards (2 points)

KH	Tori Cruz
KP	Rian Lior
KS	Mannat Caitlyn
1/2C	Liyanne Ranbir
1/2L	Lily Smit
1/2O	Riley Krishnavi
1/2P	Sheryl Achchudan
2/3A	Shakaya Lahtarnah
3/4R	Darius Jasmine
4T	Peyton Mele
3-6P	Michael
5/6D	Retallia Ilija
5/6H	Isabelle Logan
5/6S	Jaydn Alessandra

Week 8

Teacher's Awards (2 points)

KH	Leah Sara
KP	Baani Aneesha
KS	Diana Zara
1/2C	Luka Nevaeh
1/2L	Inderbir Akshita
1/2O	Dominic Mustafa
1/2P	Sam Aariv
2/3A	Pellen Malakai
3/4R	Hezekiah Luke
4T	Raagavi Joanna
3-6P	Domonic
5/6D	Hali Abby
5/6H	Farida Jovan
5/6S	Ayushi Trinity



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Week 9

Teacher's Awards (2 points)

KH	Claire Micah
KP	Suniva Summer
KS	Feleti Caitlyn
1/2C	Vincent Nagul
1/2L	Christine Lateesha
1/2O	Aishveer Arpith
1/2P	Vasundhara Brian
2/3A	Ijaz Dhvani
3/4R	Sharlese Jahnira
4T	Brooklyn Ghauresh
3-6P	Arthur Olivia
5/6D	Jayden Lachlan
5/6H	Asipeli Mason
5/6S	Lydia Chloe

Week 10

Teacher's Awards (2 points)

KH	Dhyan Samridh
KP	Harvey Meera
KS	Raina Mahi
1/2C	Nayte Maddison
1/2L	Johnathan Srithika
1/2O	Dylan Aadya
1/2P	Devak Brayden
2/3A	Jonte Neveah-Lea
3/4R	Michael Levine
4T	Leah Sanah
3-6P	Kele
5/6D	Aiden Ana-Leah
5/6H	Donald Jordan
5/6S	Kane Delilah

**At The Meadows we are
Safe, Responsible Learners !**



Community Noticeboard

The Meadows Public School, as a service to parents, will advertise community events that may be of interest. The Meadows Public School does not necessarily endorse or sponsor the events and accepts no responsibility for the management or organisation of these events.

SQUIGGLER OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE ACADEMY

Before & After School Hours

**Morning -
7:00am to 8:30am**

**Afternoon -
2:50pm to 6pm**

Squiggler Academy is a vibrant hub for growing minds, full of fun and engaging activities for children, where we spark their imagination and inspire a love

- Nutritious meals provided - Rotational Menu - Summer and Winter options (Birthday cakes included)
- Programs - Sports - Arts & Craft - Science projects - Mini chefs
- Vacation Care - School Holidays - 7:30am to 6:00pm
Excursions with meals and transport included
- For more information on our services visit our website at www.squiggler.com.au/
- Enrol online at: www.squiggler.com.au/

Visit our centre at The Meadows Public School, Fuller Street, Seven Hills

Contact: Kiara Lo - 0450 052 706

Email: kiara@squiggler.com.au

OR

Contact: Dianne Stevens - 0403 379 724

Email: Dianne@squiggler.com.au

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Physical activity is an important part of being healthy. Find as many ways as you can to be active everyday.

HOW MUCH ACTIVITY SHOULD KIDS DO EACH DAY?

Toddlers 1-3 years **Preschoolers 3-5 years**

**3
hours**
ACTIVE
PLAY
ACROSS THE DAY



- Standing up
- Moving around
- Active toys

School age 5-12 years

**1-3
hours**
PHYSICAL
ACTIVITY
ACROSS THE DAY



- Try activities that make breathing quicker and your heart beat faster:
- Fast walking
 - Riding a bike or scooter
 - Organised sport



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Part-Time Work

Become a School Crossing Supervisor with Transport for NSW!

Multiple Part Time positions - Sydney based

- Keep our kids, parents, and teachers safe on the road
- Be a second pair of eyes for our local motorists
- Earn an income and still have time to live your life to the fullest

School crossings require coverage for 20 hours per fortnight Monday to Friday during the school term. This involves 1 hour in the morning and 1 hour in the afternoon between 8:00 – 9:30am & 2:30 – 4:00pm.

Vacancies:

- Coogee Public School
- Earlwood Public School
- Granville Public School
- Mt Druitt Public School
- Narwee Public School
- Schofields Public School
- Regina Coeli Primary School, Beverly Hills
- John Purchase Public School, Cherrybrook
- St Charbel's College, Punchbowl
- St John's Catholic Primary School, Narrabeena
- Surveyors Creek Public School, Glenmore Park
- William Stimpson Public School, Wetherill Park

Does this sound like you?

- ✓ Reliable in good or bad weather
- ✓ Good communication skills
- ✓ Community spirit
- ✓ Positive energy

If it does, scan the QR code or visit jobs.transport.nsw.gov.au to apply today!

For late applications or more information, please contact Caitlin Ritchie:

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Seven Hills Toongabbie RSL Cricket Club

Season 2021/22 93RD Season

Seven Hills has a proud history stretching back to 1928 as a successful community-based cricket club playing in the Parramatta District Cricket Association.

Junior Cricket - Ages 8 to 16

Kids who want to get more involved can play traditional formats of cricket on Saturday mornings.



All Girls Junior Cricket - Ages 7-15

Where everyone gets a go. Played on a Saturday afternoon.

Season runs from October until March.

No games over Christmas and January school holiday period



Woolworths Cricket BLAST- Ages 5 to 10

Entry level program to teach children the basics of the game in a fun, safe environment.

8 Week Programs Fridays – Best Rd Seven Hills

Junior Blasters – Basic skills Ages 5-7 . October 2021

Master Blasters – Modified games ages 7-10 February 2022

More information is on our website.

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register online www.shtsrslcc.nsw.cricket.com.au