NEWSLETTER



Week 10 - Friday 21st June 2024

Message from the Principal

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you so much for all your support over the past term. I am hoping that you all get the chance to spend some quality time with your loved ones over the next few weeks.

Explicit Teaching

This week, four staff members attended a three day course on Explicit Instruction facilitated by Dr. Lorraine Hammond at Karama Primary School. While this course validated many of our existing teaching and learning practices, it also provided valuable insight into our next steps.

First Day of Term 3

The first day of Term 3 is a pupil free day. All teachers and ISAs will spend the day developing a Whole School Approach to Positive Learning. We will examine existing practices to see if they are in alignment with current research and evidence and create plans for future directions. Going forward, parent and student input will be significant in this process.

Sports Carnival

Last week's Sports Carnival was a great success! Thank you all so much for your support both in the lead up to and on the day. It was wonderful to see so many families present on the day!

Colour Fun Run

Thank you all so much for your generosity with this year's Colour Fun Run! We managed to raise over \$21,000!

Times Table Challenge

I have put out a challenge to all our Year 3 to 6 students to learn their times tables over the coming weeks/months. I am sure they will tell you all about it when they get home. Please encourage your children to practise these over the holidays.

School Uniform

Just a reminder that the following are requirements for the Mother Teresa uniform:

- Solid black shoes (They do not need to be leather)
- Royal blue jumpers (You can get these online from Best and Less)
- No nail polish or dangly earrings
- Blue or white hair ties

You can find a copy of our uniform policy attached to the Audiri post

Kind Regards, Michelle Garbutt Principal



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Front Office News

Upcoming Events

School Holiday break

Monday 24th June-Monday 15th July

Term 3

Students return - Tuesday 16th of July 2024

Please find attached on Audiri a draft copy of the Term 3 2024 school calendar *Please note the calendar is subject to changes*

2024 Term Dates

Term 1

Wednesday 31st January - Friday 5th April

Term Break

Monday 8th April - Friday 12th April

Term 2

Monday 15th April - Friday 21st June

Mid year break

Monday 24th June - Monday 15th July

Term 3

Tuesday 16th July - Friday 20th September

Term Break

Monday 23rd September - Friday 4th

October

Term 4

Monday 7th October - Thursday 12th December

Front Office Hours

MONDAY 8:00AM - 3:00PM

TUESDAY 8:00AM - 3:00PM

WEDNESDAY 8:00AM - 3:00PM

THURSDAY 8:00AM - 3:00PM

FRIDAY 8:00AM - 3:00PM





MTCPS 2024 Sports Day















On Friday the 14th we held our whole school sports day. Well done to all students for showing great effort and sportsmanship, our chants were heard all the way to Rosebery Primary School!

Hurley House took out the day with 1013 points.



Congratulations to the Mackillop House for recieving the Fr Tom English Athletics Carnival Team Spirit Shield for the day.

Thank you to all the parents who came to help. Thank you to Miss Natar and Miss Herold for organising such a fun day!



A massive congratulations to Hurley House for being our overall winners on the day

2024 Athletics Carnival Age Champions

Congratulations to the following students on achieving their 2024 Athletic Carnival Age Champion Medals. These medals go out the the students who had the highest total points in their age division

8 Year Olds

Boy - Ellis Kay Girl - Sasha Harford

9 Year Olds

Boy - Austin Fisher Girl - Amina Basco



10 Year Olds

Boy - Vincent Nichols Girl - Miranda Sampa



11 Year Olds

Boy - John Cadungon Girl - Isabelle Jacob

12 Year Olds

Boy - Jordy Butler Girl - Sofia Lawler

V8 Supercars





Last Friday five lucky students were chosen to attend the Chief Ministers Marquee at the Supercars. Students were treated to lunch and goody bags as well as getting up close and personal with some reptiles. It was a fantastic afternoon!



School of Sport Education NT Football Championships

On Wednesday, Mrs A and Mrs Garbutt went to check out our Soccer Superstars in their NT Football Championship Trials.

We would like to wish the following students all the best as their try for a spot in the NT Team;



Travis Dean
Celeste Franz-Hoobin
Ben Gallagher
Ronaldo Ingles
Vincent Nichols
Piper Schelkis



