

# Springboard

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Term 3 - Week 4

Thursday 15 August 2019

EVERY  
STUDENT  
EVERY  
VOICE



Last Thursday our school celebrated Education Week and opened the classrooms to parents and families. Staff were very pleased to see so many families come in to view their children's work.

In the classrooms children were able to showcase their work which focused on STEM (Science, Technology Engineering and Maths) and Numeracy. Activities were set up for parents to join in on or just view.

The official opening of the "Buddy Chair" with the SRC - School Captains and P&C was a wonderful presentation. Thank you to the P & C for this fabulous gift to the school!

Students and their families then enjoyed the canteen Meal Deal for lunch. With the cold weather it was a great day to tuck into a Chicken Burger. There was approximately 130 chicken burgers to have ready for lunch. Thankyou to Alison and her many canteen helpers on the day—it was a big job to prepare so many lunches but again they did a wonderful job!

We are proud to show off our school and it is always pleasing to hear the positive feed back that comes from these special occasions.

We would also like to recognise the work of our staff for their preparation and involvement of the day.

Mrs Louise Purss-Semple  
Principal (Acting)



The official opening of the Buddy Chair—initiative of the P & C and SRC



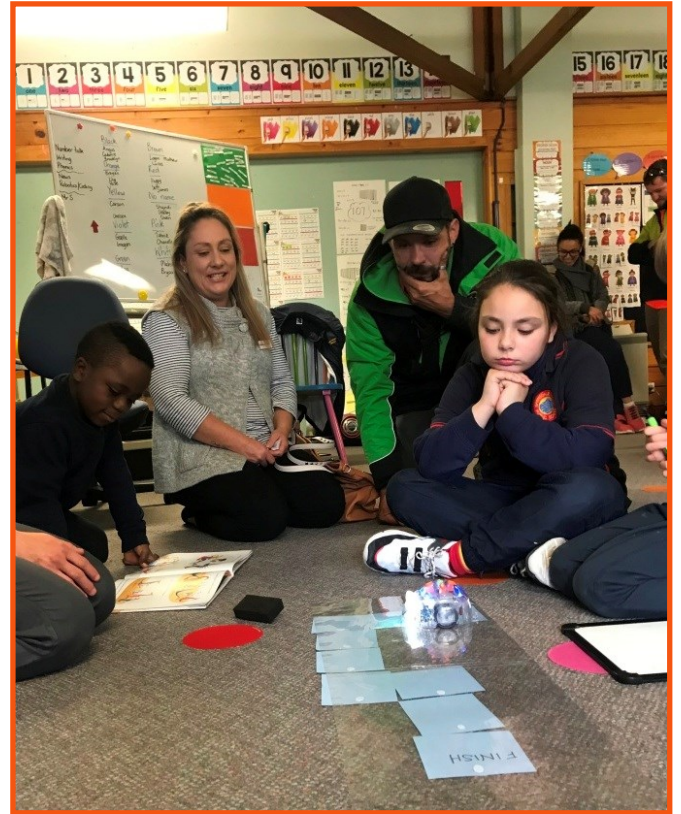
Classrooms were set up with activities which were focused on STEM (Science, Technology Engineering and Maths) and Numeracy. Students loved sharing this classroom experience with their parents!

Thanks for coming along!!





# Education Week



Pop in and see the Education Week artwork display in Centro Lavington.... IT LOOKS GREAT!



So great in fact—a member of the public phoned our school last Thursday to say she loved the artwork and the way it had been displayed. Hats off to Mrs Davidson and to the students who have their work on display.



# PBL Awards

## Class Awards Class Awards Bronze Awards Silver Awards Sports Awards

### K-1 Blue

Morgan S  
Nash F  
Rose M  
Blake B

### K-1 Red

Ollie Mc  
Max W  
Daniel O  
Dakoda W

### 1-2

Carson D  
Angus B  
Lucas R  
Tahnie B  
Poppy L

### 3-4 Blue

Zeek B  
Ben G  
Michael F  
Alyssa C  
Jazzamae B

### 3-4 Red

Abe M  
Ruby C  
Ryan Mc  
Zari C-O  
Maddi C

### 5-6 Blue

Anastasie M  
Erich H  
Blair P  
Talyn C

### 5-6 Red

Ethan T  
Charli C  
Tamika C  
Terje C  
Zack S



### K-1 Blue

Oscar S

### K-1 Red

Teegan H  
Annabelle D  
Ella B  
Ollie Mc  
Lola M  
Daniel O  
Marlen P  
Charlotte R  
Dakoda W  
Max W

### K-1 Blue

Olivia W  
Blake B  
Morgan S  
Jonty L

### 1-2

Lucas R  
Lachie S  
Braylen S  
Tahnie B  
Shyindi K  
Brooklyn B  
Seth P

### 3-4 Blue

Alyssa C  
Jem L  
Kelsey S  
Mackenzie C  
Michael F  
Woonsen P  
Taj C

### 3-4 Red

Abe M  
Ryan Mc

### 5-6 Red

Sam B

## Sports Awards

### K-1 Blue

Rose M  
Olivia W  
Morgan S  
Yvonne B

### K-1 Red

Ella B  
Theodore M  
Bryan T  
Jefferson C

### 1-2

Brooklyn B  
Seth P  
Shelby W  
Braylen S

### Senior Sports

Alexis G  
Ellie W  
Ziggy H  
Woonsen P  
Ryan Mc  
Freya S  
Allira T-L  
Connor W  
Blair P  
Maddi C  
Sam B  
Ruby C  
Zeek B

## Library Awards

### K-1 Blue

Indianna W  
Dallas S  
Benjamin F

### 3-4 Red

Mikayla W  
Jack H

### K-1 Red

Marlen P

### 5-6 Blue

Charlie G  
Talyn C

### 1-2

Angus B  
Brooklyn B

### 5-6 Red

Sam B  
Savina C

### 3-4 Blue

Pixie H  
Luca M-W

## PBL Value Awards



### K-1Blue

Skye O



# PSSA Sports Reports

### Netball

Springdale Blue had a fantastic win against LEPS. Award went to Alexis G.

Springdale Red also had a great win against Glenroy P S. Award went to Ellie W.

Springdale Yellow tried hard although went down to LEPS. Award went to Ziggy H.

Keep trying hard girls!

No games played last week due to bad weather.

### Soccer

Our juniors played against LEPS and won 8-1. Awards went to Woonsen P and Ryan M.

Seniors won their game against LEPS 3-1 and the awards went to Freya S and Allira T-L.

### AFL

We played a good game against Lavington PS. Each week all students continue to put in their best effort and sportsmanship on the field. Awards went to Connor W and Blair P.



## PSSA Rep

Sandy M



Sandy M recently competed at the Riverina PSSA Girls Australian Football trials in Wagga.

Although not progressing through to the next level, Sandy said she had a great day and enjoyed the experience.

Well done Sandy!

# 5/6 Red Robotics



Tiana, Tamika and Addy



This term we are lucky to have been able to borrow the Robotics Kit from the STEMshare Learning Library.

5/6 Red are using the Lego WeDo kits, where we construct our robots out of Lego and then code them using iPads.

Students are learning to design, construct, program and test robots and then they have to go back and 'debug' them if they are not working as designed. Our major project is to design and create a robot which could help in a bushfire emergency.

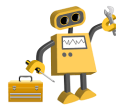
The students are applying their creativity, critical thinking and problem-solving skills in these activities, which are all valuable skills for the future. As you can see, it is a lot of fun too!



Rhemi, Sandy, Marlee and Savina



Savina and Sandy



Luke Natalya and Caleb



Terje, Joel and Sam





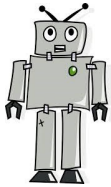
BJ and Mathew



Caleb, Natalya and Luke



Charli and Allira



Freya, Tylah and Sienna



Joel, Sam and Terje



ROBOTS



Eli, Ethan and Ben



Koby, Zack and Will

# Book Week

Tuesday 20 August

Book Week Parade  
9.05am in the school hall  
Families welcome

This year the theme is  
" *Reading is my SECRET POWER* " .

Children can choose a book character from  
any book to dress up in.



Thursday 22 August

Canteen ' BOOK WEEK ' Meal Deal

Pizza & Drink \$5

*Meal Deal Orders and money  
must be in by Wednesday 21 August*



## Stepping Stones Kindergarten Readiness Program

### Session 1

Friday 1 November 2019 - 1.30 pm to 3 pm

- Parent afternoon session in the library. Time to ask questions and share with other parents. Afternoon tea provided. Students will be in the Kindergarten classroom

- Please ensure your child has eaten lunch before arriving and is dressed appropriately for physical activity including a hat.
- Children will participate in outdoor activities with their buddies for 2020.

### Session 2

Friday 8 November 2019 - 1.30 pm to 3 pm

- In the Kindergarten classroom

### Session 3

Friday 15 November 2019 - 1.30 pm to 3 pm

- In the Kindergarten classroom

### Session 4

Friday 22 November 2019 - 1.30 pm to 3 pm

- Canteen open to spend approximately 80c In the Kindergarten classroom

### Session 5

Friday 29 November 2019 - 1.30 pm to 3 pm

- In the Kindergarten classroom Buddy session

The first 'Stepping Stones' session is also the Parent Information session to be held in the library whilst your child is in the classroom.

This is a time when parents are invited to attend and receive their information pack as well as a gift pack for your child.

You will be able to ask questions to help make the transition to school as smooth as possible for your child and family. We will also talk about the actual enrolment day process itself.

## PLEASE READ

### Compulsory Attendance

#### Absences

We would like to remind parents that regular attendance to school is compulsory. On occasions your child may need to be absent from school, eg; being sick, family reasons or unavoidable appointments. Following an absence from school you must ensure that within seven days you provide the school with a verbal or written explanation for the absence.

#### Lateness

It is equally important to arrive at school on time daily as this ensures that students

- do not miss out on important learning activities scheduled early in the day
- helps students learn the importance of punctuality and routine
- reduces classroom disruption
- gives students time to greet their friends before class.
- Lateness is recorded as a partial absence and must be explained by parents.

All students who arrive late to school must come to the office to sign in and take a red card to the class teacher. Early leavers also need to come to the office to sign out.

## Enrol NOW!

### Springdale Heights Public School 25 Cardo Drive Springdale Heights

I wish to enrol my child for Kindergarten 2020

Name.....

Date of Birth:.....

- ☐ My child has siblings attending school at present and is in zone
- ☐ Within zone
- ☐ Out-of-zone with a sibling already enrolled at the school

Eldest sibling attending SHPS: .....

Parent's Name: .....

Address: .....

Phone:.....

### Year's 3 & 4 Excursion to

### Altina Wildlife Park

**Wednesday 25 September 2019**

*Notes went home earlier this week with students in Year's 3 & 4.*

This year we are proposing a day excursion to the Altina Wildlife Park at Darlington Point. If you would like your child to go on this excursion,

**please return the note and pay a non – refundable deposit of \$20 before Wednesday 28 August 2019.**

The cost of the excursion will be **\$45**, which includes bus travel and entry to the Zoo. Children will need to take packed healthy food for recess and lunch.

You can make two payments as below or you can pay for the excursion in one full payment. Payment dates are as follows:

Deposit: Wednesday 28 August **\$20**

Final Payment: Wednesday 11 September **\$25**

Mrs Emma Carroll & Mrs Erin Davidson  
Excursion coordinators

# 2019 TERM THREE CALENDAR

Please read carefully as changes will be made regularly

All assemblies start at 2.20pm unless notified otherwise

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 4	12/8	13/8	14/8	15/8 5/6 Red Assembly @2.20pm	16/8 PSSA 1pm–2.55pm Netball at J C King Park Soccer at Melrose park AFL @ SHPS.  <i>Gymnastics Yr's 1 &amp; 2 11.20–12.50</i>
Week 5 BOOK WEEK	19/8	20/8 9.05am Book Week Parade	21/8	22/8 Canteen Meal Deal	16/8 Last week of PSSA 1pm–2.55pm Netball at J C King Park Soccer at Bonnie Doon Park. AFL @ SHPS  <i>Gymnastics Yr's 1 &amp; 2 11.20–12.50</i>
Week 6	26/8	27/8	28/8 Lavington Library Yr's 1 & 2 Write Around the Murray 11.15am –12.45pm	29/8 5/6 Blue Assembly @ 2.20pm	30/8 Father's Day Stall & Raffle draw.  Riverina Athletics  <i>Gymnastics Yr's 1 &amp; 2 11.20–12.50</i>
Week 7	2/9	3/9	4/9	5/9	6/9
Week 8	9/9	10/9	11/9 Albury Library Museum Write Around the Murray Yr's 3-6. 9.30– 11.25am	12/9 3/4 Blue Assembly @ 2.20pm	13/9 Trent Barrett Shield. Yr's 3 & 4
Week 9	16/9 MHS speaker to visit Yr 6 students 12.30-3pm	17/9	18/9 Cricket Yr's 3 & 4	19/9 Canteen Meal Deal	20/9
Week 10	23/9	24/9 SRC -Out of Uniform Day	25/9 Altina Wildlife Park excursion for Yr's 3 & 4 6.50am to 4.30pm	26/9 3/4 Red Assembly@2.20pm	27/9 Cricket Yr's 5 & 6  LAST DAY OF TERM



- The P & C will run their annual Fathers Day Raffle and Stall.
- Raffle tickets will go out early next week with the eldest child.
- Fathers Day Stall is Friday 30 August from 9.15 am in the hall.
- Raffle will be drawn after the Fathers Day Stall.

*Great chance to pick up a bargain for dads!*