



# Gravesend Public School

Fortnightly Newsletter

Week 5 Term 4 2018

## Upcoming Events:

22 November—  
Community of Schools

3 December—  
Swimming

4 December—  
Swimming

5 December—  
Swimming

6 December—  
Swimming

10 December—  
Presentation Night

13 December—  
Year 6 Formal Farewell  
at the RSM Inverell

13 December—  
Obstacool Inverell TBA

14 December—  
Reports sent home

19 December—  
Last day of school for  
2018

2019

4 February—  
Staff will attend  
Mandatory Training in  
Moree

5 February—  
Staff Development Day

6 February—  
Students return to  
school

## **Principal's Prose**

This term Gravesend PS participated in a trial regarding collaboration and programs across a Community of Schools. We have joined our buddies Pallamallawa PS, Croppa Creek and now Gum Flat PS to work through a theme of Sustainability.

Gum Flat PS will be joining us this Thursday for some workshops and a Video Conference with Pallamallawa PS and Croppa Creek PS so the students can discuss the unit.

The students attended the North West Film Festival to participate in workshops around Acting, Film-making and using different Technologies to produce films. This has been preparation for our Visual Literacy and Film Making Project in Term 3 2019.

Thank you to everyone who support our 'Have Your Say Day' The confidence students exhibited was exemplary.

## **TAMAI & ERIN MEMORIAL**



## **STUDENT AWARDS**

### **WEEK 2 ORGANISATION**

**SAM PEACHEY**

**CHLOE WITTEN**

**ALEX WARBY**

**HUNTER WARBY**

**EDWARD FOREMAN**

**POPPY BARWICK**

### **WEEK 3 GETTING ALONG**

**MAGGIE BROWN**

**LEVI MEADER**

**ZAC BARRINGTON**

**CHARLIE PEACHEY**

### **HOME READING**

**200 NIGHTS—SARAH  
BARWICK,**

**MOLLY ARMSTRONG**

**250 NIGHTS—CLANCY  
BARWICK,**

**SARAH BARWICK**

**MOLLY ARMSTRONG**

## **FILM FESTIVAL**

On Friday, 16th November we travelled to Inverell for the North West Film Festival. We were treated to a couple of workshops in two groups.

We were able to play with TV cameras and green screens and speak with members of our group in the trailer studio outside. It was very funny being in the trailer and seeing others get 'run over' by cars and trucks when we would tell them to fall over!



Clancy fell into a hole on the moon and Charlie (the monster) ate him up!

The other workshop was with Adrian from Melbourne (an ex drama teacher) who makes his own films. We had so much fun acting out our stories narrated by him. These are some photos of our great acting skills!

After the workshops we watched some winning films. The students loved the one that a girl had made about cooking her father a delicious chocolate birthday cake. She used 'time-lapse' photography for the making of the cake.

We can't wait to make our own films next year!

Islah and Maggie were playing on the monkey bars and got blisters on their hands.

