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# From the Principal...

# Welcome back to onsite learning!

It was lovely to welcome students back to onsite teaching and learning last week after Remote Learning 5.0 and to see everyone settle back in for the remainder of Term 3. Thank you to all parents and students who stayed engaged with our remote program and logged in for all WebEx catch-ups throughout the lock down.

# Kitchen/Café Play space

What a wonderful addition to our grounds and a lovely sight to see as you drive up the school driveway. The students have jumped in to make it their own, adding pots, pans and order slips to help with role playing activities. Our Pie Day Friday fundraising efforts will support the purchase of small items to enhance the opportunities.

A huge thank you to our group of volunteer workers who banded together to complete the construction work.



# Linking behaviours to our School Values

# Our Marvel of the Month for July

The recipient of this month's 'Marvel of the Month' award is Alice for demonstrating **Excellence**! Alice is being recognised for her spectacular work towards reading at home and keeping her reading diary up to date. Alice has reached over 100 nights reading already this term. Thank you and congratulations Alice!









**Tuesday 3rd August** State Principals' Conference Wednesday 4th August School Council @ 7:30pm Zoom **Monday 16th August** FSA Cluster Day @ Navarre Wednesday 18 August Sports @ Amphitheatre Monday 30 August FSA Cluster Day @ Navarre Wednesday 1 September Sports @ Amphitheatre **Tuesday 7 September** Excursion - Halls Gap Zoo Wednesday 8 September Sports @ Amphitheatre Learning Conferences Monday 13th September FSA Cluster Day @ Navarre





# **Transition Time for** MATTE YALLOCK PS 1341 Foundation Students

# Foundation - 2022

Now is the time to let families know to contact their neighbourhood schools and seek enrolment information. If you know of families in our area, please encourage them to make contact by phoning the school on 03 5462 2386. We have enrolment packs ready to hand out and are flexible in organising school tours.

Orientation days will take place in late Term 3 and throughout Term 4.











What a fantastic influence the Tokyo Olympics have been! We are thoroughly enjoying bringing the games into all areas of our curriculum. We officially opened our NYPS Potato Olympics last week and have scheduled events to take us right through to a closing ceremony this Friday.

#### **Event 1: Rolling**

Potato athletes were let loose down a ramp and the winner (determined by measurement) was the athlete who travelled the most distance.

#### Event 2: Target

Potato athletes were rolled with precision to reach the centre of a target and collect the most points.

#### **Event 3: Velodrome**

Potato athletes rolled around the velodrome. Distances were measured in fractional amounts determined by the quarter markers on the arena.

#### **Event 4: Diving**

Potato athletes leapt from a high diving platform. The winner was determined by who achieve the biggest splashed. Distances were calculated by chalk marks around the water marks made on the concrete and then measured.

#### **Event 5: Gymnastics**

Potato athletes balanced on beams which were slowly removed. The potato able to balance on the least amount of beams was the winner.

#### Event 6: Spinning (still to come)

Potato athletes will attempt an on the spot spin which will be measured in full turns.

# Event 7: Weight Lifting (still to come)

Potato athletes will stand still and support as many unifix as possible. The athlete who can support the most is the winner.



