

# MITCHELLS ISLAND PUBLIC SCHOOL



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## Newsletter—Term 2, Week 9 2019

**Canteen:** There is no canteen at school tomorrow due to the Athletics Carnival.

### Reports:

Reports will come home on Friday, 28th June. If you would like to discuss your child's report, please call the office to arrange a time.

### Athletics Carnival:

Our Athletics Carnival is tomorrow. It will be held on Thursday, 27th June at the Taree Recreation Grounds. Private transport will be required and parents are welcome to stay and watch. There will be a canteen available. If it is postponed due to the weather, **I will text at 8am.**

### Old Bar Lions Club:

Last night, our staff attended the annual Lions Club Changeover Dinner where we were presented with a donation of \$1000 from the Lions Club. We are very grateful to the Lions Club of Old Bar for their support of our school.

### Bucket Drop:

We had one response from our request for volunteers in last week's newsletter. We really need all families to help with the bucket drop on the 29th June even if you can only spare an hour.

### P&C Bucket Drop—Available Times

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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8am-9am

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9am-10am

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10am-11am

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11am-12pm

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12pm-1pm

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3pm-4pm

### Children's University:

We had a great day at the University yesterday. I was very pleased with the behaviour of our students, they represented our school beautifully.

We started our Parent Talks last week with the students hearing about the role of an airline pilot from Mr Christian Purdon. Today Mr Robert Jones talked about his career as a Cargo Superintendent. We would love to hear from all of our parents about their chosen careers or even a hobby/sport. Please consider presenting a talk to the students and have a chat to Mrs Wilson about what it involves. Thanks to Mr Purdon and Mr Jones for their great talks, the students really enjoyed them.

### P&C Meeting:

The next P&C meeting will be held on Monday, 1st July at 2pm in the library followed by the Sesqui-Centenary meeting at 3pm. Please consider staying for both, we can arrange for staff to mind your children for you.

### Reminders:

**Don't Forget!**

27/6/19	Athletics Carnival
1/7/19	P&C Meeting 2pm Sesqui-Centenary Meeting 3pm
5/7/19	Last day of Term 2
22/7/19	Staff Development Day
23/7/19	Students return for Term 3
2/8/19	Zone Athletics
5/8/19	School Spelling Bee

# Children's University



Parent  
Careers  
Talks





# This week in 3-6

**Emily:** In art, we made bird silhouettes. We made the background out of coloured tissue paper and we cut out a bird to glue on. After we glued the bird on our background, we laminated it. It was very fun.

**Ruby:** To make the background we ripped the tissue paper in strips and then we had to glue them on. For the bird, we got an outline of a bird and had to trace it on black paper.

**Divonne:** We had to glue down the strips for the background and it was very sticky. I didn't like how it was sticky, but it turned out okay.

**Ashlyn:** On Tuesday K-6 went to the Children's University. We learnt about jobs and we went to 4 different activities. They were all so much fun, but my favourite was when we saw Luke the black Labrador therapy dog.

**Bethany:** My favourite thing that we did was the macramé, because it was hard but very fun. A macramé is like there's lots of pieces of ropes tied together and we looked 2cm down the rope and put as many beads as we wanted on all the pieces of rope. We kept doing it until there was two layers of beads and then we tied up the bottom. We got to hang it up wherever we wanted, but the pot might smash, so we had to be careful.



**Nicola:** Our Athletics Carnival is coming. For the last couple weeks, K-6 have been practising for the athletics carnival. We have been practising little frogs, big frogs, high knees and we have also been practising the 100 metre sprint. The K-6 students are having fun practising, and they are going very well.

## Sesqui-Centenary Raffle

Thank you to those who have already sold their raffle tickets!

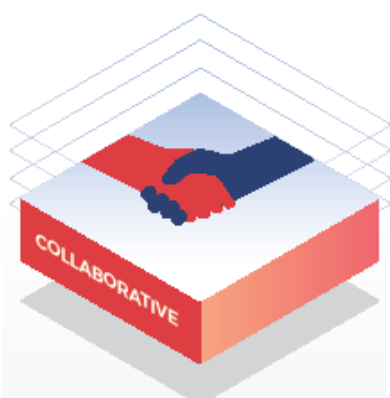
Extra ticket books are available at the office.

Tickets are \$2 each and books have 10 tickets in them.



# School Community Charter

 **Collaborative. Respectful. Communication.**



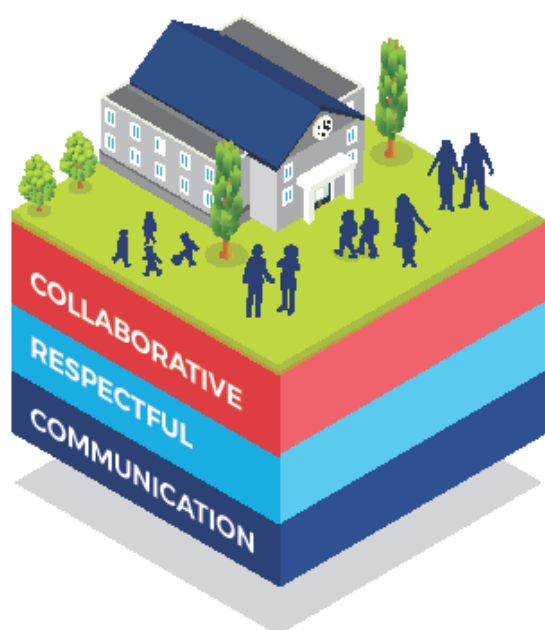
We work in partnership to promote student learning.



We treat each other with respect and fairness.



We communicate in a positive and constructive manner.



## Respectful communication is a right

In all workplaces people have the right to feel safe and respected. Unacceptable and offensive behaviour has no place in our school communities.

### Unacceptable behaviour:

- Aggressive or intimidating actions, such as violence, threatening gestures or physical proximity.
- Aggressive or intimidating language, including the use of obscenities, making sexist, racist or derogatory comments or using a rude tone.
- Treating members of the school community differently due to aspects such as their religion or disability.
- Inappropriate and time wasting communication.

**We all play a part**