"WHAT'S UP AT BPS"



2020 Leadership Team



On Presentation Day we found out who our school leaders for next year are going to be. Our 2020 School Captains are Alana A and Harvey B. The Vice Captains will be Ethan P and Farrah P. The 2020 Prefects are Alex L, Harrison B, James F, Kerali H, Lucy H and Skye T.

We also found out who our House Captains are for 2020. They will be: Emus - Megan D and Tara T Kangas – Archie R and Hannah H Koalas – Hannah C and Raiph C Wombats – Hayden F and Joshua R

Congratulations to all our 2020 Leaders!

<u>Joshua R</u>

Grandparents Day

On the 31 of October we celebrated our grandparents by inviting them to our school for Grandparent's day.

It was very interesting to talk to the grandparents about what school was like for them. One of the things that almost all the them agreed on was that they hated the milk which they had to drink every day. They hated it because it had been delivered in the morning, so by the time they got it, it was warm. One grandparent said that even though it was warm she still liked it and would sometimes help her friends out by drinking there's for them.

Some also said how at school they had the cane, which was a long stick used to punish misbehaving students by hitting them hard on the bottom or on the hands. When they were at school, they also had inkwells which they would dip their pens into. One grandparent said that in school one day they had plaits and the boy behind them dipped her plaits into his inkwell.

Altogether Grandparents day was a success, and everyone had a great time.

Riddle

Riddle: Why is Europe like a frying pan?

Book Review

Heroes of Olympus By Rick Riordon

After the second Titan war it appeared as though everything was safe but something evil was awakening. The earth goddess Gaia, having slept for millennia, is now waking from her slumber to destroy just about everything so that she and her children, the giants, can rule. She has also opened the doors of death, a magical gate that prevents monsters from instantly coming back to life. The Goddess Hera has made a team of seven demigods (and one satyr) with a quest to defeat Gaia and her children, and to seal the doors of death. But the closer they get to victory, the harder their journey becomes and with monsters not staying dead, it seems impossible. Can they complete their lifethreatening quest? Read the Heroes of Olympus series to find out.

I think this is a good series because at the end of each chapter there is always a fitting and hooking cliff-hanger, especially at the end of Book 3, The Mark of Athena. This makes you eager to read on.

Heroes of Olympus is an adventurous book based on Greek and Roman mythology and carry-on from the Percy Jackson (if you haven't read that I suggest you do before you read Heroes of Olympus). I recommend this series for years 3 (stage2) and higher because it does include killing monsters and characters being badly wounded but nothing too gory.

<u>Charlie M</u>

<u>Joshua R</u>

FAREWELL YEAR 6

BPS wishes you all well as you move onto to High School.



Last Thursday night Year 5 and 6 went to Asquith golf club for the Year 6 farewell. Once there, we went inside and had our main course, after our main we watched a slide show and the 2019 and 2020 captains made their speeches. Then we had dessert, which was pavlova or chocolate brownie. We then started dancing and there were lots of songs to dance to. After the dancing cake was handed out and it was time to go home. Thanks to the parents and teachers who organised the night, we had a great time.

<u>Joshua R</u>

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This is your first copy of the new school newspaper "What's Up At BPS". We will put out a new edition every two weeks for you to read by yourself or with a friend. You will find lots of articles for you to read in here. We would love everybody to be able to contribute something to the newspaper. Details on how to contribute will be in the next issue.

