## **Chullora Informer**











## Thursday 28 March 2019

## Harmony Week.

We celebrated the 20 anniversary of Harmony Day this year and it was an extra special day at our school. Students raised funds to be donated to the John Mac Foundation which helps students from refugee backgrounds attend university. As a very special guest, Deng Adut, the founder of the John Mac Foundation came to our Harmony Day assembly.

He spoke to our Stage 3 students about his life and the great difficulties he had to overcome to get an education and to lead the life he now he enjoys safely in Australia. He was a very inspiring role model for our students to have and we are very grateful to him for the time he spent with us.

Thank you to Mrs Nigroh for coordinating this great event.



## **Operation Art**

Congratulations to Sabrina and former students Ayah and Hana for their achievements in Operation Art in 2018. Their work has been selected to hang in the NSW Art Gallery and will soon tour all over NSW before being added to the permanent collection at Westmead Children's Hospital.

Thank you to Mrs Alexiadis for leading such a high quality visual arts program in our school.



## **Excursions**

All our excursions are carefully planned to enrich our students' education. Both Stage 2 and 3 have excursions before the end of the term and we encourage you to return your child's permission notes as soon as possible. The school does contribute to every excursion to help keep costs down for families but if you require any additional financial assistance, please see your child's teacher or call the office.

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#### **P&C News**

The P&C now have a Facebook page. This is the best way for you to get information about any P&C business or Mama's Kitchen directly. 'Like' the page in order to get access to their news feed. Search Chullora P.S. P&C/Mama's Kitchen to find the page.

Thanks to our P&C volunteers for coordinating the Election Day BBQ this year. It was a great success and the team are already planning the next one! Woolworths at Chullora and Coles at Greenacre along with Lime Projects supported our school through donations which helped increase our profit margins on the day and is very much appreciated. Thanks to all the staff and parents who gave up their time on the day.

The P&C will run a Mothers Day stall on Wednesday 8 May. Look out for more information early next term.

The next P&C meeting will be held on Wednesday 19 June in Block A at 6:30pm.



## **Student Leaders**

Our student leadership team spent the day working with leaders from other local schools on Tuesday as they attended the Belmore Boys High School leadership day. We look forward to seeing the great ideas they bring back with them to enhance their roles this year.

Thanks to Mrs Nigroh and Mrs Osmani for coordinating and attending with the students.

#### Mama's Kitchen

The canteen is open every Monday, Thursday and Friday. Keep your eye on the Facebook page for any Friday specials or other news relating to Mama's Kitchen. Please remember to place lunch orders before 9.00am.

#### **Parent Interviews**

Parents will have the opportunity to meet with their child's teacher before the end of term. Please make a time that suits you and the teacher to discuss your child's learning progress.

## **Eggscellence at Easter**

We will be opening classrooms for parents to visit and see the great things happening in our school. On Wednesday 10 April, we will hold a short assembly at 9am to say farewell to Ms Challis and then all classrooms will be open until 10am. Watch out for more details soon.

## **Important Dates**

Wednesday 10 April Eggscellence at Easter and

Farewell to Ms Challis

Friday 12 April Last day Term 1

Tuesday 30 April Students return for Term 2

Thursday 9 May Cross Country
Wednesday 22 May Community Iftar

