



Learning

Responsibility

Safety

HANDBURGER DAY

Last Tuesday, our Student Representative Council led by Mrs Fiddes coordinated 'Handburger Day', which was our school take on McHappy Day. Our students learned about the vital role Ronald McDonald House plays in supporting families with sick children. Our kids participated in skill tester games at recess, before being treated to a beautifully prepared burger lunch. Amazingly our little school raised a whopping \$730, which has been donated to Ronald McDonald House to help with the care and support of families in need. Well done GPS!



BATHROOM UPGRADE

Mrs Reardon and our girls' groups have been busy managing an upgrade to the senior girl's bathroom. Phase one of the project is now complete, with the space getting a much-needed makeover. With more inspirational quotes and brightness coming, we cannot wait to see the finished product.



Student of the Week

Kinder	Charla Dow	Year 4	Jai Anderson
Year 1	Zandah Britt	Year 5	Tessa Murdoch
Year 2	Amayah Bell	Year 6	Kaylee Rose
Year 3	Oliver Davies		

RECOGNITION ASSEMBLY

The next school assembly will be held this Thursday 30 November at **12:00pm** in the Hall and will be hosted by our captains. All welcome to attend. **Please note the time change to accommodate intensive swimming.**

INTENSIVE SWIMMING

This week students in Years 2, 3 and 4 commence the Intensive Swimming Program. Students are to bring their swimmers, towel, sunscreen and a bag for wet clothes each day even on overcast or wet days. A decision to swim or not to swim won't be made until close to swimming time. If your child is unable to swim due to sickness or injury please let your child's teacher know.

Times: Year 2 & 3: 12:40 to 1:45pm

Years 3 & 4: 1:35 to 2:40pm

2024 CAPTAIN SPEECHES

Candidates running for 2024 School Captains will present their speeches on Wednesday at 10:30am in the Hall. Parents of students presenting speeches are welcome to watch the students deliver their speeches.

PARENT ONLINE PAYMENT FREEZE

In preparation for our transition to Compass Finance, Parent Online (POP), and EFTPOS payments are currently locked. We will advise when payment can resume. Once payment resumes it will be through the Compass portal.

LIBRARY

All borrowed books need to be returned this week. If you have lost a book, please contact the school.

