A message from the Principal

Welcome back Mrs Callan!
Welcome back to Mrs Callan who is returning three days per week from maternity leave. We hope you have had a lovely adventure during your time away with your son. We are all very excited to have Mrs Callan back supporting the students at Campbellfield Public School with their learning. Mrs Callan will be working with the students and teachers across Years 3-6 to implement high quality numeracy and literacy activities.

Welcome to our new Instructional Leader.
A big welcome to Mr Wayne Mason who was successful in gaining the Instructional Leader-Mentor role in our Early Action for Success community of schools. Mr Mason has stepped out of his permanent role as the principal of Elderslie Public School for the remainder of this year and 2016 to work in this role. Mr Mason brings many years of educational leadership experience to the role. He is also passionate about exchanging ideas focused on quality teaching and learning innovations occurring within our schools. Congratulations Mr Mason and I know that you will love working with the students, staff and families at our school.

Shining Student Leadership!
Four members from our senior student leadership team visited Minto Public School this week to exchange their ideas about leadership. The students held an open forum where they discussed how each school structures student leadership opportunities, the roles and responsibilities of student leaders, the election process and initiatives run by the school leaders. The students raised important ideas about leadership being inclusive and allowing for student voice within a school. I was very impressed with the confidence of our leaders to share their experiences with peers from a different school. They are wonderful ambassadors for our school!

Aboriginal Student Achievement Awards
The fantastic achievements and talents of five of our Aboriginal students were recognised this fortnight at the Aboriginal Student Achievement Awards. The prestigious award ceremony was held at Western Sydney University. Only one student per grade from hundreds of nominations was chosen to receive the award in each specific category. Congratulations to our five students who have worked extremely hard this year to receive these awards.

Mark Thompson - Literacy Award
Patricia Bragger - KARI All-rounder Award
Ashley Thompson - Culture, Courage and Commitment
Montanna - Literacy
Caleeah Brown - Attendance
Creativity put to the test at Round 4 of the Endicott Cup.

Our talented primary students who were selected to represent our school at Round 4 of the Endicott Cup were also wonderful ambassadors for our school. The students had an amazing time and lots of fun competing in sporting, cooking and visual arts challenges. The students tested their agility, made creative cupcakes and sculpted imaginative pieces from clay. A big thank you to Mr Hawkins for coordinating Endicott Cup across 2015. It has been an incredible opportunity for so many of our students.

I am very proud of the achievements of our students. They not only work hard in their classrooms, but also embrace opportunities within our community of schools where they share their leadership skills and experiences. Well done CPS!

Ms Nicole Wade
Principal

Book Club ISSUE 8 – the last one for the year – went out this week. Some fantastic Christmas present ideas in there!! If you would like to place an order you can do so online or put order and money into the office by the 18th November.

Thank you for your support of this program in 2015 – the school library has been able to buy more books for your children to read with the rewards!

Thanks again
Kristie James - Librarian
1/2 Magenta and 1/2 Coral have been learning about living things. We have had lots of great experiences to help us learn how living things grow and what they help us produce.

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