

## NEWSLEAMER



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#### **CONGRATULATIONS TO RAHIMA SANKOH YEAR 6**

and her teachers, Mrs Taouk and Mrs Finch

Dear Teachers and Parents,

This year we had a great response to the 2017 NSW Storytelling Competition for year 5 and 6 students. This statewide competition for students in Public, Catholic and Independent schools showcased performances of a variety of telling styles and types of stories.

The judges were impressed by the quality of the entries and said that the students who performed best were those who showed a natural style with voice and gesture, and where it was clear that they knew the story and were telling without any visual prompts.

Seven finalists have been selected to present their stories in a Family Storytelling Concert on Saturday, June 17th to conclude the 2017 NSW Storytelling Conference. Final placings will be determined on this day.

#### Finalists in no particular order:

Jack Kelleher - St Gerard's Primary School, Carlingford Amy Wallbank - Lindfield Public School, Lindfield Zachary O'Hara - Our Lady of Fatima Primary School, Caringbah Orlando Tribe Aviles - St Mary's Primary School, North Sydney

Rahima Sankoh - Holy Trinity Primary School, Granville

Ivy Lowe - St Gerard's Primary School, Carlingford Natasha Metlege - St Catherine Laboure Primary School, Gymea

Entry to the Sunday afternoon family concert is free and anyone is welcome. We encourage family and friends of students to come and enjoy the concert at

> Lewisham Public School Hall, 49 The Boulevarde, Lewisham 3.30 - 5pm Saturday 17th June 2017

Attached is the conference program. Please pass on information to any who may be interested. Bookings are essential to determine workshop numbers.

Other information about the Australian Storytelling Guild and its activities can be found at www.storytellersnsw.org.au

We congratulate the students and acknowledge the encouragement given by the classroom teachers and parents and look forward to seeing students in your school entering this competition again in 2018.

Kind regards Christine Carlton President Australian Storytelling Guild (NSW) Inc www.storytellersnsw.org.au storyaus@gmail.com

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#### **CELEBRATION OF LEARNING**

Here are some shots of our celebration of learning day last week.

Thank you to all who were able to attend we had some wonderfully positive feedback about the whole process. Remember the key points from the cyber bullying session.

- BE ALERT AND KNOW WHAT YOUR CHILD IS DOING.
- Report and block if you are concerned.

Our next Celebration of Learning will be in term 4, you will be excited to see how your child has progressed in their learning.



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This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of the Holy Trinity.

Pope Gregory IX instituted Trinity Sunday in 828 CE. This day is known for being the only major Christian festival that celebrates a <u>church doctrine</u> rather than an <u>event</u> in its sacred history. It is dedicated to the Christian belief in the <u>Trinity – Father, Son and Holy Spirit</u> – and falls on the <u>Sunday following Pentecost</u> each year.

Many Christian churches in Australia celebrate Trinity Sunday. It is an opportunity for the congregation to learn about or revisit the concept of the trinity, which refers to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit being one God.

The Nicene Creed, the sign of the Cross and our school prayer remind us of God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit.

Each morning our students recite our school prayer a prayer that names and honours the Trinity and embodies our school motto.

Pray this prayer with your children.

God for us we call you <u>Father</u>, we <u>love</u> one another

God alongside us we call you <u>Jesus</u>, we <u>Serve</u> one another

God within us we call you <u>Holy Spirit</u>, you give us <u>hope</u>.





Please keep the following students in your prayers.

These students will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation on 21/6/17.

Cassandra Nguyen Ricky Dang Isaiah Montecino Isabella Ripoll Jason Nguyen Vinz Danganan

Helen Bayer

Mrs Boyer Principal Holy Trinity Primary supports

Delany College

LOVE SERVE HOPE

93.7%
Attendance
for week ending

2/6/17



#### KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS FOR 2018 - CLOSING SOON

Our enrolments period is closing soon for Kindergarten 2018. If you have a child who will turn 5 by 31<sup>st</sup> July 2018 they must enrol for school for next year.

Please collect an enrolment package from the school office and return the completed form with all the required documentation now.





### Birthday Celebrations

Jiel Akol, Ricky Pokhrel,
Timmy Nguyen, Joachim-Cruz Taliauli,
Joshua Depares, Makalita Liutai,
Malia Taliauli, Will Derbas,
Elly Hur,
Juliana Romanos



# **Students of the Week** Week ending 2/6/17



Kindergarten
Year One
Philip Juana
Year Two
Gabriel Coloma
Year Three
Dylan Hur
Year Four
Timmy Nguyen
Year Five
Jayson Nguyen
Year Six
Raynesh Shrestha



NEW DATE FOR SCHOOL PHOTOS - NOW ON THURSDAY 10<sup>th</sup> AUGUST You can return your ENVELOPES NOW so they don't get misplaced.

#### Calendar Dates

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> June - Holy Trinity Feast Day

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> June - Queen's Birthday - No School today

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June - Athletics Carnival Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> June - Corpus Christi

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June - Reports for Semester 1 go home

MONDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> – THURSDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> JUNE – PARENT / TEACHER INTERVIEWS

 $Friday \ 30^{th} \ June \qquad - \qquad Staff \ Development \ Day - No \ School \ for \ Students$ 

Start of School Holidays

Monday 17th July - Start of Term 3



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