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Slab Build Ceramic Vessels—Year 9



We have been focussing on improving every student's attendance over the past two weeks and are thrilled with the improved attendance data. The Executive Director Mr Tim McCallum and the Director of Educational Leadership Mr Adam Boulus have emailed me to congratulate the Attendance Team led by Ms Khalid. On Tuesday's assembly we acknowledged the OUTSTANDING attendance of these 6 students who have not missed even one day this year! Students were acknowledged and received a Hoyts voucher. Congratulations to Alice, Jordan, Luke, Sisir, Shaniya and Lachlan

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OPPORTUNITY INNOVATION SUCCESS

It was the TAS faculties turn to reward and acknowledge students who have excelled or significantly improved in the TAS classes. Congratulations to all these students.



Our seniors continue to share their redemption of VIVO points stories. Thank you Aiden for helping our school community know how valuable the VIVOs can be!



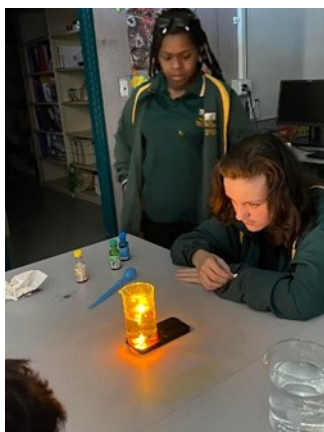
Congratulations to Braedon and Sisir for being our High Flyers for the week receiving the most VIVOs of all the students in the school.



Skye held the teachers draw and Ms Lidbury was the winner out of all the teachers who had awarded all their VIVO points for the week. Her prize was a tube of bubbles which were beautifully demonstrated on assembly.



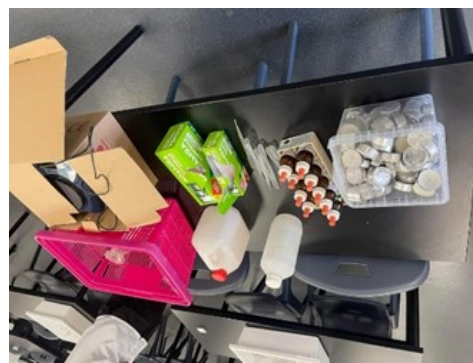
This week was 'National Science Week' which was celebrated in the Support Unit: MC4 and MC3 made lava lamps, MC1 made a Milky Way galaxy model and MC2 made a particle model using pistachio shells.



We have some very talented sportsmen and women at Windsor High School. We had a couple of big wins last week for our under 16's Oz-Tag teams over Riverstone HS. The girls dominated from start to finish winning 18-0. The boys were locked in a tough battle in the first half going in 3-3, at the break. The experience of the boys was too much for the Riverstone side in the second half putting on 5 unanswered tries to win 8-3. Well done to both squads!



Year 11 chemistry students are working hard on their depth study on reactive chemistry. They have individually designed experiments to investigate factors that affect the rate of reaction. The reactions being investigated are decomposition of copper carbonate, a precipitation reaction formed by mixing calcium chloride with sodium hydroxide, the generation of a gas produced by bath bombs using varying concentrations of citric acid and the decomposition of hydrogen peroxide.



Our support students had a special 'kindness' themed sit-down lunch. They used this opportunity to refine their table manners and etiquette. Students proclaimed it to be a resounding success, with many asking for seconds of lasagne, garlic bread, salad and dessert. A special thank you to Mrs McBurney who planned this entire lunch.



There is strong evidence that connecting to culture has a positive impact on learning outcomes for our First Nations students. Year 7 Deadly Dreaming Program for term 3 have been learning about Aboriginal Symbols and creating their own stories using symbols.

Well done to the year 7 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students!



Kind Regards
Jennifer Hawken
Principal

TAS NEWS

It has been a very busy time in the TAS faculty this term.

Year 7 students in Digital Technologies have been learning how to write code. They have successfully been able to make lights in creative patterns. Students will continue learning and develop the ability to design and use functional sensors and produce sounds throughout the rest of Term 3.

8W Design and Technology are hard at work constructing a timber trinket box. They are learning the process of box construction and gaining skills of adding inlays and using laser cutting to enhance the look of their project.



Our new Year 8 students studying Agriculture and Food Technology are to be commended for being STAR students, especially remembering to bring their leather shoes, aprons and containers with them when they cook! They whipped up a vegetarian noodle stir fry this week.



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Year 8 Design and Technology have started their silver ring project. This week they learnt how to use a ring gauge and how to file metal.



HF1 is now proudly displaying vintage HSC works, author unknown. Thank you to Liz at the Hawkesbury Remakery for donating.



Year 9 Agriculture students are participating in a competition to see who can grow the largest cabbage. Izabelle is regularly playing Justin Bieber songs to her cabbages to see if it helps them to grow, hopefully it works!



In Year 9 Metalwork, students have been learning metal fabrication, heat treatment of metal and how to cut a thread in the construction of a foldable camping shovel.



In Food Technology the Year 10 students are studying 'Food Product Development' recently creating their own Ice cream 'smash ins' and they are currently creating their very own Willy Wonka chocolate bar. We look forward to seeing their creations.



Year 11 Food Technology have been creating delicious traditional dishes.

Lemon Meringue Pie

Shepherd's Pie

Lamingtons



Stage 6 Hospitality have been very busy catering over the past few weeks. Some of the amazing delights that have been prepared include:

A memorial afternoon tea for the late Ms Koomen and her family with our community celebrating her contributions to Windsor High School. Thank you to the Year 11 Hospitality Team for their hard work.



Three individual Recognition morning teas for our students, the fairy bread was a huge hit! Thanks to the year 10 students for helping serve and Year 11 Hospitality for the preparation.



Year 11 Hospitality students are also developing their teamwork, time management and knife skills preparing: handmade egg noodle pasta with carbonara sauce; Chicken Caesar salad; Buddha nourish bowls, Thai beef salad and also whipping up 6 kilos of Biscuit dough for our Year 6 transition day.



Year 12 Hospitality students continue to impress with their culinary skills preparing: Crumbed fish served with a crispy noodle salad; Filet mignon with creamy mushroom sauce and fresh vegetables; Marinated chicken thigh with steamed rice and fresh vegetables; along with some very delicious handmade chocolate eclairs.



Congratulations to the Year 12 Industrial Technology students for completing their major work projects and portfolios, we look forward to sharing your projects once they have been marked.



Jewellery Making Interest Group.

This term, we have been making macrame bracelets.

We are currently working on beaded wire bracelets and other pretty things.





At
Maraylya Hall
(Boundary Rd, Maraylya)
on
Friday 9th September
6pm
Prizes to be won.

Presented by Cattai Public School P&C Assoc.

5 games of Bingo and a Burger for Dinner for \$10pp.

Soft drinks/water available to purchase.

All welcome.

Book at <https://www.trybooking.com/CBROK>

This is a child friendly event. Enquiries to Kim on 0419 435 022

CALENDAR TERM 3

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| Monday 5th September - Friday 9th September | Wellbeing Week |
| Monday 12th September— Wednesday 21 September | Year 11 Exams |
| Thursday 22nd September | Year 12 Graduation |
| Friday 23rd September | Last Day Term 3 |
| Monday 10th October | First Day Term 4 |

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