

Mount George Public School



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Principal's Report:

Canberra 2018

This year our Year 2-6 students embarked on an epic journey to our nation's capital. Our jam-packed itinerary left our students exhausted at the end of each day. All displayed fantastic behaviour, always focused on doing their B.E.S.T. Tyler Anderson even received external recognition for his above-and-beyond help at the ski hire shop. The manager gave him three bags of lollies saying that he was 'an exceptional young man who was well-mannered and considerate.' Well done Tyler!

There were many highlights but, for me, Snowboarding was the best. Our country kids took the challenge head on and we were so proud to see everyone progress so much throughout the day. Some so much so that I was able to take them on the chairlift to the top of the mountain and they were able to successfully board down several times. The smiles on the kids' faces as they came down the mountain were priceless. A truly magical day! I would like to thank Mrs Lednor, Michelle Anderson, and Sam Wallis who were fabulous from start to finish helping make this excursion a most memorable one. The novelty awards from camp include:

Best Spew - Malachi Best Stack Off the Chairlift - Tom Mother's Assistant Award - Tyler Best Sleeper - Ryan Most Rad Snowboarder - Cooper Best Old Man Hands after the Snow - Brayden Best Sharp Shooter - Alex Best Dessert Face - Adam Turtle Award - Shayla Best Death Stare - Kiarra Journalist Award - Matilda Giggle Award - Emily Best Burper - Caitlin Miss Forgetful Award - Kelsie Girlfriend Award - Zaliha Best Snake Hairdo - Hayley Best Stack - Mrs Lednor Best Backwards Driver - Mr Falla Ms Lash Award - Michelle Nav Girl - Sam

This is what some of the students wrote in their recounts of the trip:

Royal Australian Mint - "At the royal Australian mint we got showed around. We had lots of fun. We all so got to see a robot his name was titan he was a bit of a show off. Mr falla told us how he beat titan in a arm wrestle but we all no that's not truth" – by Kelsie Brown



National Arboretum – "The first place we visited the pod playground. The pod playground was shaped like acorns. There was a pirate ship and big slides. My favourite was the huge slide. There was a place where we good see bonsai trees that were over 100 years old. I liked the Bonsai tree with dog over the persons shoulder. There were also cool exhibits where you could look through a hole and see awesome things like the Gruffalo." - by Cooper Mills

Parliament house – "At Parliament house. there is a red and green .the red house is the senate where they past the laws. the green house is where they do debating. The coat of arms the kangaroo and emu were choser roo can't walk back and the emu can't walk back the funny the roo and emu is good to cook on the bbq." – by Tyler Anderson

National Art Gallery – "We went to the art gallery. In the aftternoon there was a giaut ball hanging in mid air out the frout. Inside we saw some Aboriginal burial poles which are used to put deceased pepile ashes in. We saw paintings that Australians painted to go over to England and Russia with golden frames." – by Ryan Hardgrave

Snow Day – "When I went to the snow we did snow boarding and I went up the lift to the digger snow hill and when I went up the mounted I face plated and it was soft snow like a landing on a pillow. Hayley ran in to me so she got pay back and she fell face first and it did hart her but it was funny snow boarding was fun and I hope I can go again" – by Kiarra Anderson

Telstra Tower – "It was very windy at Telstra tower we all run around it at the top viewing platform when the teacher was not looking we all run around it a gen about 5 times and sandal little Caitlin press the button on the lift and miss leoner and Sam had to get a nether lift up to the top" - by Zaliha Richards



The national museum - "it was the best day of my life. I was a tormenter. there was old stuff from the past. we all got to create our own robot. For a video game i created bender from futurama. And it was really hard to control in the game. The farmers guns was my favorite." – by Alex Hey

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Other School Business: Missing Furi Knives & knife sharpeners



Last year the school purchased over \$400 worth of knives for the students to use during the Kitchen/Garden program. These knives were essential for the quality of the program and the safety of the students. Earlier this year, all of the knives but one have been moved from the cupboard in the kitchen where they are normally stored. The knife sharpeners from a separate cupboard have also been mislaid. We have looked all through both kitchens and classrooms for the knives and still are unable to find them. It is a shared space that many

people use, so we are hoping that someone might have seen where they have been moved to. Please contact the school regarding any information. Thank you.

Kitchen Garden Recipe:

This month's recipe is for delicious apple muffins and a big thank you goes to Mrs Thompson for providing the recipe. These muffins were a HUGE hit with every student going back for seconds and requesting thirds!!

Apple Cakes

Ingredients

2/3 cups caster sugar

- 1 cup of self-raising flour
- 2 large eggs
- 125 butter, melted
- 4 medium apples, peeled and diced
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon

Instructions

(Preheat oven to 180 degree Celsius)

- 1. In a large bowl combine all ingredients,
- 2. Divide cake mixture evenly across a 12-muffin baking tray.
- 3. Bake for 20 minutes or until cooked and golden brown.
- 4. Allow to cool completely before removing from muffin trays.

Buon appetito!

From your P & C Association:

Call out for canteen helpers Term 4 – The P&C needs your help to keep the school canteen running. Parents, Grandparents, Aunts, and Uncles all welcome and you can work in pairs if preferred. There is no stock ordering involved. We just need someone to prepare the recess and lunch orders on the day. If you can assist next term, with any day except for Thursdays, please contact Michelle on 0408 202 154 to discuss. Thank you.

Newsletter Inserts:

- Flying Fox flyer please note, Flying Fox Preschool is taking enrolments for Term 4
- B.E.S.T. School Rules



The Flying Fox Mobile Preschool are at Mount George School residence at Mount George Public School every Friday from 9am - 3pm during school terms. We welcome you to visit our friendly Preschool. For further information please contact us on 0428 534 884 / 6553 4884.



Photo Gallery:

Canberra:



Book Week:



Impromptu cattle muster excursion:



Cedar excursion to the Manning Entertainment Centre to see George's Marvellous Medicine:



War on Waste and Food Pyramid Studies:



We hope you all enjoy a safe and happy holiday period. School resumes Monday 15 October and we look forward to seeing you all back for Term 4!

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