Welcome to Term 3

It has been wonderful to see all the children after their holidays and hear all the stories. We have selected one of the best to include below. Thanks Trisha.
We have started the Term with major remodelling of our grounds and some of our facilities thanks in large part to the generosity of one of the local developers - Australand. It has been a very exciting time for the school and I’m sure you have noticed the changes.

Mrs Carney will return to the role of Relieving Principal on the 30th July. We hope she has had a lovely break and are looking forward to having her back. I would like to thank everyone for their support during my time in this role.

Vanda Quinn

On the holidays I went to ice skating. This was my first time to go ice skating. We had lunch and I had hot chips and we went shopping and I had a book and a pen and I went home. I ate lunch and I had a rest and I went to sleep and I saw a movie. It was Scream 4 and we had Coke and I went to my cousin’s house and I had dinner and we went to the park.

Trish Year 2

The transformation of our school begins ............

July dates...

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We Celebrated **NAIDOC** week by dot painting hands and planting them in our Rainbow Serpent Garden
On Friday morning the whole school was very excited to meet Frosty, a gentle English Sheep dog. His carer, Ann, told the children all about the safe way to approach dogs. The children were then given the opportunity to approach and pat Frosty. The children and the teachers all enjoyed the experience.

**Health and School**: At this time of year our children are susceptible to many forms of illness. If your children are feeling unwell keep them at home to rest and recover. Also remind them of the importance wiping their noses and washing their hands.
**Awards**

**Jellybeans**
Zeinab D: For being a caring friend at preschool
Hussein E: For being a confident speaker at group time
Zaineb E: For always being the first to tidy up at preschool
Shaheer: For trying his best in all activities

**Kindergarten**
Barkley: For being a helpful classmate
Nadine: Being a great helper
Batoul: Always trying her best
Ninjin: Settling into the classroom well

**Year 2**
Radwan: Great maths work
Hussain: Giving a great speech

**Social Skill Awards**
Zen Preschool, Rory Y2 and Radwan Y2

**Rainbows**
Mohammed E: Being very creative with art and craft work
Timah: Matching capital letters to lowercase letters very well
Zara F: Always playing co-operatively with her friends
Hussayn K: Making wonderful buildings with blocks

**Year 1**
Aadi: Making it onto the Mathletics Hall of Fame!
Yasmine: Often using our word of the week
Ali O: Terrific reading work
Hashimiyah: Beautiful painting of a street scene

**Arabic**
Saleh: Sharing news about his trip in Arabic
Hussein A: Identifying most Arabic letters
Ali A-Y2: Reading a few sentences fluently in Arabic

Happy Birthday to these people!!!
July
Nadine 3rd  Hashimiyah 17th
Abbas 20th  Youssef 20th

…..and the work continues……..

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