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## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

We have reached the end of Term 2. This has been a period of many exciting learning opportunities for our students. I wish everybody a relaxing term break and I look forward to Term 3 commencing on Monday, 15<sup>th</sup> July.

I have included a photograph of our completed concrete foundation for Stage 2. Students and staff have been guessing how much concrete went into the foundation. I have not received the final total but it will be in the vicinity of 480 cubic metres. It will not be long before steel framing will arrive and the building will rise above the ground. We have been very blessed by having no heavy rain. We are on track for the building to be completed in March 2025.

*John Mooney  
Principal*



## DIARY DATES 2024

**MONDAY 15TH JULY** - First day of Term 3

**FRIDAY 16TH AUGUST** - Curriculum Day (**NO SCHOOL**)

**FRIDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER** - Last day of Term 3 (**EARLY FINISH**)

**MONDAY 7TH OCTOBER** - First day of Term 4

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## VALUE OF THE FORTNIGHT

We will be studying the value, Kindness, for the month of July.

Kindness is about showing care and concern for other people, animals and the environment. At Emerson School we are constantly acknowledging the many kind acts that occur around our school.

All staff and students are encouraged to nominate anyone that has shown kindness to others, for a Kindness Award. You can never have enough kindness in the world.

***Dianne Wright***  
***Campus Principal, Middle School***

## JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS—ART EXCURSION

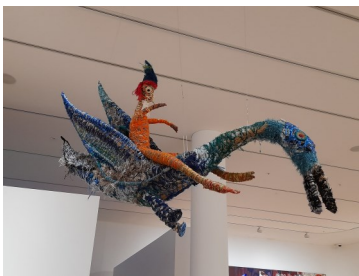
On Wednesday 19th June JSG & JSH students visited the Bunjil Place Art Gallery to explore the Kungka Kunpu (Strong Women) Exhibition.

Students learnt about the Dreamtime and Culture of Australia's First Nations people, whilst also exploring the themes and Art Elements of many of the artworks on exhibition. They were excited to select their favourite artwork and discuss them as a group. This experience will be used to spark students' imaginations in creating unique and personal stories in the art room with Ms Paul.

Many thanks to Mr Zhang, Mrs Visal and Anthony K for also accompanying the students.



***Pamela Paul***  
***Visual Arts Teacher***



## SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS—SSV

SSV spent the first semester planning, designing, transferring images and painting the garden wall mural in collaboration with Mr Taylor of SSH. SSV students worked hard as a team to paint the mural, which includes images, colour and design choices all made by the students. Please stop by the garden to enjoy this beautiful wall mural.

***Mrs Malanga***  
***SSV Teacher***



**JUNIOR SCHOOL STUDENT OF THE TERM AWARDS**

**YAHYA S**

**JSA**

**For his positive attitude  
towards all activities.**

**RAHUL S**

**JSB**

**For his positive approach  
and hard work.**

**ADAM A**

**JSC**

**For his hard work and  
positive choices.**

**SARAH T**

**JSD**

**For always being kind and  
being a responsible  
member of JSD.**

**LUKE K**

**JSE**

**For working hard and  
making good choices.**

**RUEBEN R**

**JSF**

**For being a great leader.**

**JOSHUA A**

**JSG**

**For being a great leader  
and trying his best.**

**JASON M**

**JSH**

**For trying his best and  
achieving his targets/  
goals.**

**ISABELLA E**

**JSI**

**For her positive approach  
to all her learning  
goals.**

**THOMAS T**

**JSJ**

**For learning to be more  
patient and always doing  
his best.**

**TYLER Z**

**JSK**

**For making big changes to  
become a responsible and  
mature leader in JSK.**

**AYAAN R**

**JSL**

**For working hard on his  
speech and his writing.**

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## MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT OF THE WEEK

**MSA**      **LENNON F**

For all his contributions to Emerson School.

**MSB**      **TARINA W**

For her improved attitude towards learning.

**MSC**      **YOUSIF M**

For being a responsible class member in all activities in Term 2.

**MSD**      **ZOE S**

For giving 100% in all subject areas, especially Maths and English.

**MSE**      **ANGELIA T**

For all her efforts this semester.

**MSF**      **MU A**

For always trying her best and being her happy, helpful self.

**MSG**      **CAMERON S**

For showing consistent effort in class.

**MSI**      **ERIC S**

For his amazing achievement in Mathematics.

**MSJ**      **SEBASTIAN H**

For showing maturity.

**MSK**      **NOOR K**

For volunteering to talk during a class discussion.

**DAKOTA B**

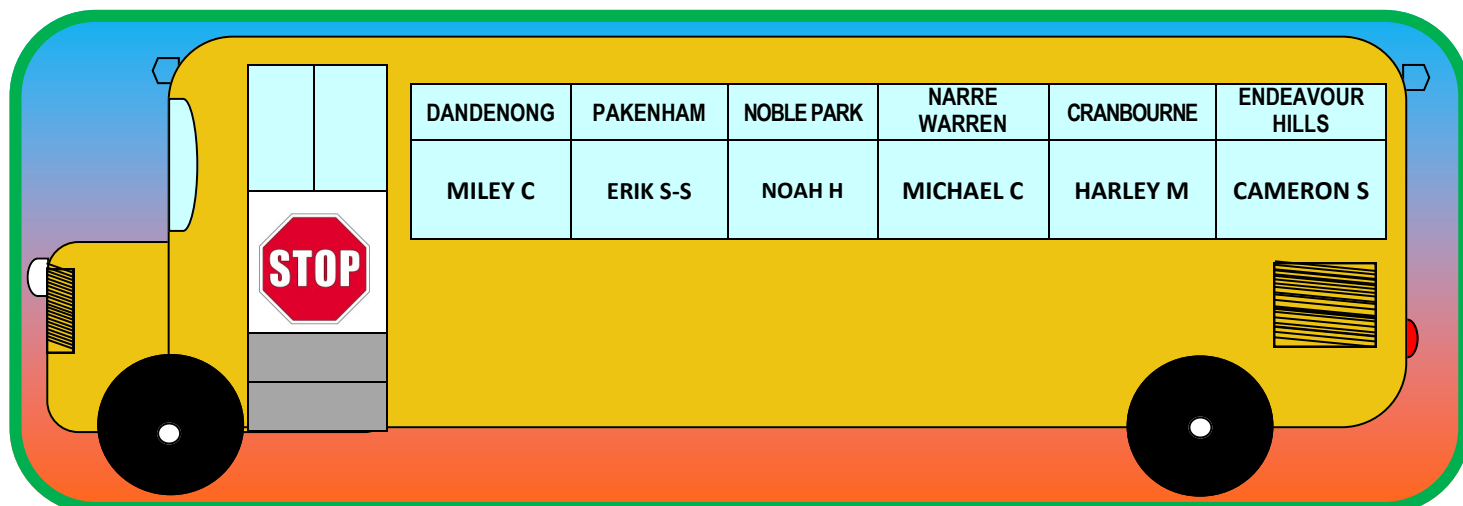
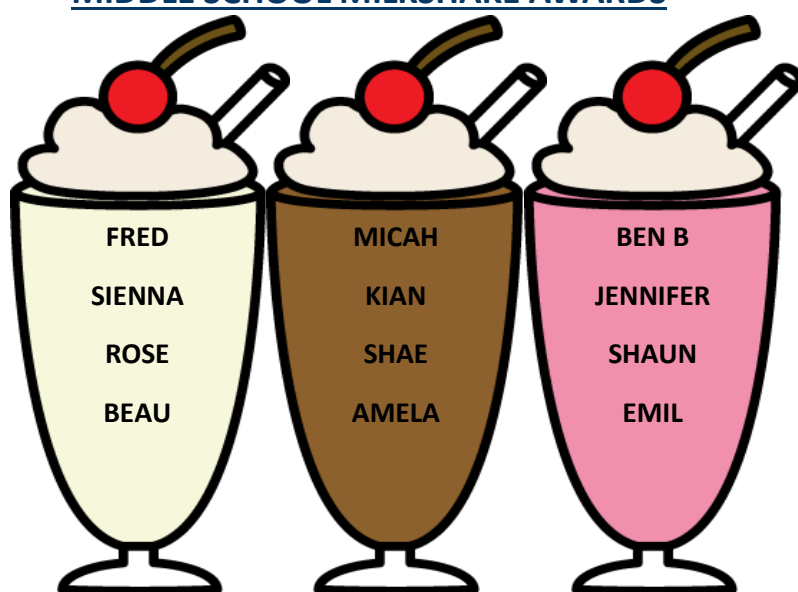
For being brave when having her vaccinations.

**ESO**      **BETHANY E**

For being kind and helpful all the time to her peers.

**ARTISTS**      **ANGEL H, NED W, LAYLA M, INDUJAA M**

## MIDDLE SCHOOL MILKSHAKE AWARDS



## SPORTS STAR OF THE TERM AWARDS



# All About Me



Name Nisini

Age 14

Class MSK

Responsibilities: Middle School Captain & Bus Captain

## My Hobbies

- Basketball
- Drawing
- Handwriting



Nisini thinks 'Being school captain means being respectful, helpful and kind.'



Favourite subjects:

1. PE
2. Maths
3. Art

## When I Grow Up I Want To ...

I want to work at Bunnings because I like to be creative and make things with wood, and I love plants!

