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Term 1 Week 9

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From the Principal...

You may have heard your child speak about having a growth mindset and wondered what they meant. At school we encourage students to be open to new learning, have faith in their ability to learn, even when it is hard, and to never give up.

The following brief explanation comes from the work of Carol Dweck who first introduced Mindsets and their impact on learning.

What is Mindset? (mindsetonline.com)

Mindset explains:

- Why brains and talent don't always bring success
- How they can sometimes stand in the way of success
- Why praising brains and talent doesn't foster self-esteem and accomplishment, but jeopardizes them
- How teaching a simple idea about the brain raises grades and productivity
- What all great CEOs, parents, teachers and athletes know



In a fixed mindset, people believe their basic qualities, like their intelligence or talent, are simply fixed traits. They spend their time using their intelligence or talent as reasons for their limitations instead of developing them. They also believe that talent alone creates success—without effort. They're wrong.

In a growth mindset, people believe that their most basic abilities can be developed through dedication and hard work—brains and talent are just the starting point. This view creates a love of learning and a resilience that is essential for great accomplishment. Virtually all successful people have had these qualities.

Teaching a growth mindset creates motivation and productivity in the worlds of business, education, and sports. It enhances relationships. I will explain further over the next few weeks but for now, start fostering mindsets by thinking of the way you give praise. Rather than, "You are so clever" use "You really worked hard to get that done, you just didn't give up". That is, praise the effort put in rather than their intelligence or talent. Children will then know that it is the effort and risk taking that is valued and they will become more likely to persist in their challenges.

What Kind of Mindset Do You Have?



I can learn anything I want to.
When I'm frustrated, I persevere.
I want to challenge myself.
When I fail, I learn.
Tell me I try hard.
If you succeed, I'm inspired.
My effort and attitude determine everything.



I'm either good at it, or I'm not.
When I'm frustrated, I give up.
I don't like to be challenged.
When I fail, I'm no good.
Tell me I'm smart.
If you succeed, I feel threatened.
My abilities determine everything.

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Defibrillator at School

We now have a defibrillator on the wall outside the school office. All staff have been trained in the use of a defibrillator and though we hope we never have to use our training or the defibrillator, cardiac arrest does happen in our community within both the adult and child population. Survival rates climb to around 70% if the defibrillator is applied in the first minutes after cardiac arrest.

When we purchased one for school use, we were drawn to the St John NT "Public Access Defibrillator Program" and so we decided that ours would be placed in a public place for use by anyone who needs it. This place will be soon registered for access.

See <https://www.stjohnnt.org.au/shop/pad/index> for more info



Vacation Care

Vacation Care

We will have Vacation Care available at school during the coming one week break. It will be from Monday 15th April to Thursday 18th April. (Friday is Good Friday). Enrolments are now open. Please contact spps.oshc@ntschoools.net or drop in to the school office for an enrolment pack.

Parent Meetings

On Tuesday April 9th we will hold our parent meetings. Most will begin around 3pm and continue until between 7pm and 7:30pm. There will be differences in the times that are available for each class teacher so a letter will be sent out shortly advising you of the times and how to book appointments. These will again be booked online.

Parent meetings are an important part of your child's learning. This is a time for you to celebrate their successes and bring up any concerns with your child's teacher. This is a perfect opportunity for you to interact with child's learning showing them the value you place in their education.



Road Closures

We have been informed by the Darwin City Council that work will soon begin on upgrading the size of the stormwater pipes under Nudl and Verberg streets. This may begin as early as this Friday, 29th March, depending on the weather.

The map below shows that during this time part of Nudl Street will be closed so you may need to plan a different route to school. This will happen from 13th April. (holiday week)

Parking will also be very difficult as many spaces on Nudl and all spaces on Verberg will not be available for use.

We will put together some suggestions for families during this time and get them to you soon.



LEGEND

-  Road Closed
-  No parking to public

NOTES

Detours will be in place during construction.

Traffic management will assist local traffic entering and exiting properties including school.

Further traffic control will be in place to assist in the school drop off and pick up times of:

7:15 – 9:00am

2:00 – 3:30pm

Preschool Easter Raffle

Thank you to all the families who have already purchased tickets or donated Easter goods. This year we are raising funds to purchase new outdoor climbing and balancing equipment for gross motor play. You can still support the raffle in 2 ways:

- by donating Easter goods (eggs, tableware, small gifts) to make up the Easter baskets,
- and by purchasing a ticket or 6.

Tickets are still available in the school office. The raffle will be drawn on **THURSDAY** the 11th of April .

Thanks for your support!
Preschool Team

Marathon for Kids

Many children have signed up to do the Marathon for Kids challenge. This is our second year at this and much of the running will happen here at school in Term Two. Children will run 41 kilometres, at school, home, and in the playground and will complete their final leg of the Marathon at either the 2019 ConocoPhillips NT City2Surf on 2nd June or at our school.

NOTE TO PARENTS: Registration for your child for the 1.195km at the NT City2Surf is organised through the school. Independent entries for other family members can be processed online at www.ntcity2surf.com.au where you will also find all race day information.

We hope to see both you and your child on race day, June 2nd, ready to run, walk, jump or hop your way through the various distances!



Parent Contribution

Thank you to all the parents who have made their Parent Contribution this year. This Contribution is \$150 for primary school and \$60 a term for preschool. It allows us to provide so much more by way of playground facilities, excursions, sports resources, IT and more.

Crossings

Please stay aware of children at our crossings. Sometimes they don't look and so we have to be prepared. Take the extra time and care to keep our kids safe.



Captain's Blog – Harmony Day

We congratulate everyone who participated in the Harmony Day assembly, especially our talented performers including; the Junior and Senior Choir, Greek dancers, Year 5 Kenny (Indonesian dancers), The Hatch family, the New Zealand dancers and the Chung Wah Chinese Lions. Apart from the stormy weather, it was a fun and eventful assembly. We thank all the parents/guardians for taking part in our ceremony.

Written by Lachie Brown, Nicoletta Cotis, Matthew Maduro, Nomiki Redwood.



Harmony Day 2019



Transition Excursion to Woolworths

Last week the Transition classes went on an adventure to Woolworths in Nightcliff. This was part of their Health unit. Children have been learning about 'always' and 'sometimes' foods. During the term we discovered that fruit has seeds and vegetables don't. At Woolworths, the children were able to see all types of different fruit and vegetables and even got to sample some. They were taken behind the scenes and saw where they sort the fruit and vegetables, experienced the super cold freezer and rolled some dough in the bakery. It was a lot of fun and brought what we have learnt this term to life.



- Mrs. Crompton



CALENDAR

<i>DATE</i>	<i>DAY</i>	<i>EVENT</i>
9 th April	Tuesday	Parent Teacher Meetings
12 th April	Friday	Last day of Term 1
15 th -22 nd April	Monday-Monday	Mid Semester break
19 th -22 nd April	Friday – Monday	Easter
23 rd April	Tuesday	First day of Term 2
24 th April	Wednesday	ANZAC Day assembly
25 th April	Thursday	ANZAC Day
6 th May	Monday	May Day holiday
10 th June	Monday	Queens Birthday holiday
28 th June	Friday	Last day of Term 2
23 rd July	Tuesday	First day of Term 3

Entertainment Book 2019/2020

Stuart Park Primary is selling The Entertainment Book again this year. The book is filled with some great savings for families in Darwin, interstate and now also in Bali. This year the Darwin Entertainment Book will be available in digital format only but your subscription can be shared on multiple devices. Attached is the flip book so that you can check out what is on offer: <https://online.flippingbook.com/view/941858/>



Stuart Park Primary School is fundraising with Entertainment!

Your support really helps our School, so we're thrilled to let you know about special bonus Early Bird Entertainment Membership Offers for loyal supporters.

Pre-order the NEW 2019 | 2020 Entertainment Membership and receive bonus offers you can use right away!

<https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/91s6057>



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

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The following advertisements are not necessarily endorsed by the school.

OTTWAYS TAE KWON DO AND SELF DEFENCE

Classes are held at Stuart Park Primary School on the following nights

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All ages

Tuesday 6.30 to 8 pm

All ages

Thursday 6.30 to 8 pm

Come and enjoy martial arts with a qualified instructor for self-defence, fitness and fun. Contact Peter on 0427991394. Come and Try. First two lessons free.



PLAYERS WANTED!

Interested in playing Basketball in the upcoming season? Ansett Basketball Club is looking for **Under 10 and 12 Girls** for the new season. Contact us at ansett.basketball@hotmail.com Online registrations through the DBA website open in April - [DBA website](#)

SCHOOL HOLIDAY Easter Fun
George Brown Darwin Botanic Gardens
Tuesday 16 April 2019
10am - 1pm

- water slides
- food and drinks available to purchase
- Easter biscuit decorating from \$2
- games and music
- circus play
- train rides
Adults \$15
Children 3-12 \$7
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- Easter arts & crafts
- play group
- face painting
- cuddly animals
- segway rides
\$10 for 10 mins
- bubble fun
- Easter bunny appearance

Remember to Slip, Slop, Slap. There are no ATM facilities at George Brown Darwin Botanic Gardens.

FREE ENTRY

GeorgeBrownDarwinBotanicGardens www.nt.gov.au

Arafura GAMES
DARWIN 2019

26 APRIL - 4 MAY 2019
International multisport event celebrating the uniqueness of the Northern Territory.

GET INVOLVED VOLUNTEER NOW

A variety of roles require your support:

- Arrivals / Departures
- Transport
- Accreditation
- Opening and Closing
- Signage
- Venue Operations
- Sports Medicine
- Medal Ceremonies
- Logistics
- Sport
- Information
- Media / Comms

Register and find out more at:
www.arafuragames.nt.gov.au/volunteers
Email enquiries to: AGVolunteers@nt.gov.au

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www.arafuragames.nt.gov.au



Walk For Autism

Sunday 29th April
Sunset Park, Nightcliff Foreshore
at the end of Aralia Street

Choose your distance, walk, roll, spin, run or wheel!
(Distance from Nightcliff Jetty to Rapid Creek Bridge and back is 5km)

BBQ • Crew & Brews
Coffee • Jumping Castle • Petting Zoo

Wear your Bright Colours!

Registration:
• Individuals \$5
• Family \$10

All monies raised for Autism NT stays in the NT to assist Territorians living with autism

Email: autismnt@autismnt.org.au
Register at: walkforautismnt2018.eventbrite.com.au




School Holidays @ DSC

1	<p>Drop & Go</p> <p>Drop them off for 4 hours and we'll entertain them with a whole range of activities to wear them out! We'll even feed them for you.</p> <p>Tue 16th & Thu 18th Apr, 10am - 2pm \$30 per child.</p> <p>BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL</p>
2	<p>Sit & Watch</p> <p>Get your kids to learn to play while you sit back and enjoy a coffee!</p> <p>They'll enjoy a group coaching session, then finish off with a friendly competition using all the skills they've just learnt.</p> <p>Wed 17th Apr 10am - 11pm. \$15 per child</p>
3	<p>Stay & Play</p> <p>Join the fun and get on court with your kids... Adults play at kids prices! Simply rock up to hire a court for Squash or Racquetball and experience the fun for yourself.</p> <p>13th - 22nd Apr between 10am & 5pm (Weekdays only) \$5 each for 1 hour.</p> <p>Plus FREE racquet hire these school holidays!</p>

Contact Darwin Squash Centre for any enquiries and bookings:
Phone: 8945 7362
Email: info@squashnt.com.au
Location: 6, Marrara Dr, Marrara NT 0810



Open to all Middle and Senior School students, King Of the Court is a friendly competition for school students to enjoy the game of Squash & Racquetball after school hours. An instructor will be present to make sure everyone gets a chance to be involved and any level of skill is welcomed!

At our fully air conditioned centre, it's the best way to beat the heat, make friends and have fun in a healthy and safe environment together with other students.

Details:
When: Every Monday starting Term 2, 2019
Time: 3.30pm-5pm
Cost: \$5.00
Weekly Prize: Free drink for the KING
Registration/ Enquiries:
Email info@squashnt.com.au or call 89457362
Location: Darwin Squash Centre,
6, Marrara Dr, Marrara, NT 0810

YOU COULD BE THE NEXT KING OF THE COURT!



AT THE
George Brown Darwin Botanical Gardens
(enter off Gardens Rd)
17th - 22nd April



Book online at
tes.com.au/train

Join in the school holiday fun at the George Brown Darwin Botanical Gardens this Easter holidays.

<p>EASTER TRAIN EGG HUNTS</p> <p>For Kids aged 4-12yo Duration approx 15mins. All children will receive an egg hunters prize pack.</p>	<p>TRAIN RIDES</p> <p>For all ages Duration approx 15mins. Enjoy a leisurely train ride around the Gardens.</p>
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For more info visit tes.com.au/train or call 8980 8222



THE DARWIN CRICKET CLUB

Wants you for u9's & u11's Cricket

Training each Wednesday afternoon at Kahlin Oval commencing on Wednesday 27th March 4.30 to 6.00pm.

Games/season commence on Saturday 27th April 2019.

Come and join the best family club in the Territory!

Sports vouchers welcome. \$180 includes fees, registration, game polo top and floppy hat (runs for 16 weeks).

Call Rob Hall on 0428 131 222.

For kids aged 5-7 they can also join the **Darwin Cricket Club** for Junior Blasters (\$100 incl kit) – you will need to put in postcode 0820 and select Darwin Cricket Club

<https://playcricket.com.au/junior/cricketblast-juniorblasters>

For kids aged 7-10 they can also join the **Darwin Cricket Club** for Masters Blasters (\$100 incl kit) – you will need to put in postcode 0820 and select Darwin Cricket Club

<https://playcricket.com.au/junior/cricketblast-masterblasters>

If you are a Mum or Dad cricket enthusiast, that would like to help Coach the U9s and U11s, we need you too!



AGES UNDER 11 | 2 HOURS

- Short, action-packed games played in under two hours
- With smaller team sizes, there are more opportunities for everyone to bat, bowl and field
- Play on a shorter pitch for more consistent ball delivery and skill development
- Have fun in a welcoming and inclusive environment
- All girls junior cricket leagues available

	PLAYERS	7
	PITCH	16M
	OVERS	20
	BOUNDARY	40M

GET INTO RUGBY

Easter Holiday Program - Darwin

What: Get into Rugby is a games-based rugby program for kids aged U6 – U13. The day will include fun activities designed to develop kids' rugby skills in a games-based environment.

All participants will receive a Rugby Ball, Boot Bag, Shirt and a Family Pass to the ANZAC Day Clash on Wednesday 24th April!

When: Monday 15 April & Tuesday 16th April

Where: Rugby Park, 71 Abala Rd, Marrara, Darwin

Available sessions:

Monday 9am – 12pm (Half Day) & Monday 9am – 3pm (Full Day)

Tuesday 9am – 12pm (Half Day) & Tuesday 9am – 3pm (Full Day)

Cost Per Person:

Half Day = \$50 Full or Mon & Tue Morning = \$60

Day & Half = \$75 Two Full Days = \$85

What to bring: boots, mouthguard, water bottle, hat and lunch for full day participants (morning tea provided).

Register on the Rugby Explorer App

1. Select - Northern Territory Junior Rugby Union
2. Select - Get into Rugby Participant (season)
3. Choose your session

For more information contact Aaron Hawthorne:
aaron.hawthorne@ntrugby.com.au or phone 8945 1444



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