



Government of South Australia  
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## Week 6 Term 3 2019 NEWSLETTER

### Principal's Report

Dear Families,

This week is National SSO Week. Our School Service Officers do an incredible job to assist our staff and students in so many ways at Callington Primary School. Administration, finance, student support, library, Intervention, making resources, transport, first aid, after hours call outs, lunchtime activities, breakfast club, grounds and maintenance are just a few of the ways our amazing SSOs contribute here. On behalf of our school community, thank you Sarah, Kate, Jill, Jeanette and Paul R for all you do! You are all awesome.

Our teachers have been moderating the children's narrative writing samples recently as part of the Brightpath writing program the Department for Education has implemented. With the Brightpath program, teachers compare their students' work to calibrated exemplars to arrive at a scaled score, in collaboration with colleagues. Teacher judgements are then externally moderated. The program provides teaching points to implement to further progress our young writers.

Our concert is quickly approaching. The children have been very busy in Performing Arts lessons with Catherine Bruce, preparing the play, *Mystery at Magpie Manor*. As previously communicated, this popular event on the school calendar has been moved to term 3. Please save the date on your (and family/friends') calendars. **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> September.** The show will start at 6:00pm at the Hall, with the stars of the show required a little earlier.

With the concert moving, we will still have a special assembly at the end of the year to farewell our Year 7s and make any special presentations. Our Year 7s will also have a graduation event with their families, with details to be decided over the next few months.

Staff have been impressed with the way our families have embraced the requirements for our lunch heating service, known to some as '*CallyEats*'. With this in mind, staff will offer this service for the rest of the year on ***Tuesdays, Wednesdays*** and ***Thursdays***.

If you would like to discuss any matter regarding your child's education, please make an appointment through the office or send me an email

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Kind regards

Paul Jude  
**PRINCIPAL**

#### CONGRATULATIONS—Week 6 Awards

R/1/2

Jasmyn—Respect - For showing respect to her peers by helping them when they are hurt.

Ila—Enthusiasm - For showing Enthusiasm with her learning and always striving to achieve her personal best.

3/4

Reece—Excellence - For focusing on his writing and doing his best.

Tina—Mindfulness - For showing awareness of other people's feelings and being compassionate towards her peers.

5/6/7

Lachlan H—Bravery - Showing fantastic bravery with your learning especially in Maths & English. Always giving it your best effort and asking questions.

Cortni—Responsibility - Always showing outstanding leadership for your peers and the younger students.



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## HELLO FROM JEANETTE!

(Pastoral Care Worker)

Parents have a great privilege to help shape and mold their children's lives.

Sometimes it can be challenging, sometimes it can be a blessing.

Here are some quotes about parenting.

"Teaching children to count is good but teaching them what counts is best"

Bob Talbert.

## BOOK WEEK/BOOK FAIR

Our book fair this year was a fantastic success, we raised over \$1,000. This gave the students the opportunity to pick out \$450.00 worth of new books for our library, what fun they had!

We would like to thank all involved in creating a fun and exciting week

Our winners for the week were:

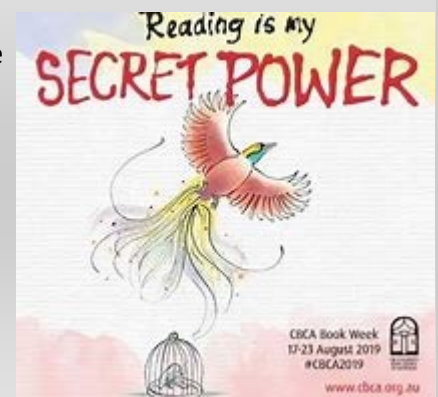
Alison—for most creative colouring in page design focusing on our Bremer Values

Emily and Ruby—for design runner up

Zac, Elliot, Sally, Ally and Luke—colouring comp winners

Arabella—for most creative dress up costume.

Well done to you all



## Dates to Remember

**Friday 6/9**

School Closure

**Tuesday 10/9**

School Photos

Governing Council Meeting

**Friday 20/9**

SCHOOL CONCERT

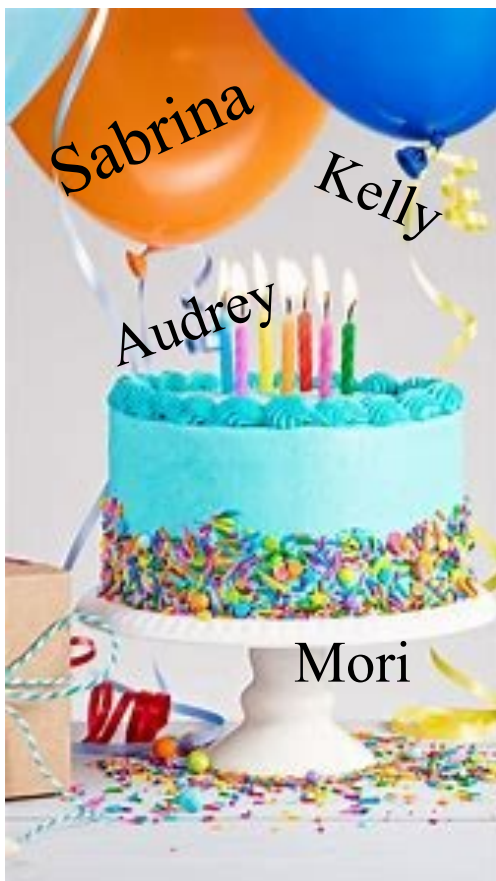
**Friday 27/9**

Assembly Run by R/1/2 class

Last day of term 2.20 dismissal

*Happy Birthday*

BOOK CLUB  
ORDERS DUE  
Monday 8/9/2019



Thank you to all the generous sponsors that are listed below. They have all generously donated items for our upcoming fundraisers. Please support the business as they have supported us.

Strathalbyn Hardware, Mitre 10, Burson Auto parts, Bunnings, The Garden Pot, Paramount Browns, Browse & Save, Neds, Super Cheap Auto, Cheap as Chips, Lulian's, Stratco, Neutrog, Down to Earth Plant Sales, Jakem Farm, Touchwood Nature Play Resources, Leah Marshall, Callington Family Day Care, Parklane, Town & Country Custom Cakes & Decorating, Nana Marg's Family Day Care, Jeane Jarman & Emma Kerrigan.

Thank you to Kanmantoo Store, Bremer River Cottage and The Callington Clubrooms plus all the Callington Family and Friends who sold Raffle Tickets. Without your support the fundraiser wouldn't have been so successful and we really appreciate all your efforts.

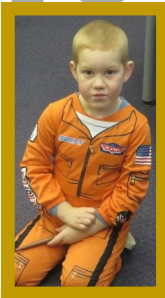
Thank you to Lauren S, Michelle F, Mandy Dolman, Lisa K, Ros W for all the behind the scenes work of these fundraisers.

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# Book Week

# 2019



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# In the 5/6/7 Class...



**This term in History, we have been learning about Australian Bushrangers, The Kelly Gang, Ned Kelly and how he has shaped Australia's History and Identity. As part of our learning, we were introduced to an Australian artist named Sidney Nolan. Sidney Nolan was famous for his series of paintings showcasing the life and times of Ned Kelly. In History, we had a go at recreating some of Sidney's paintings, this is how we went!**

