Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back to the new semester, it was great to see the students return to school refreshed and ready for the challenges of another busy term. Please remember that although the weather is still quite cold students are required to wear full school uniform. As well, it is hats off for July but starting August all students will need hats when in the playground or outside during PE.

Canteen Manager
Our Canteen Manager Therese Watts has left our school to pursue other career options. Therese has made an enormous contribution to our School Canteen and our students and staff have enjoyed wonderful healthy food produced fresh by her and the canteen team. We wish Therese all the very best and thank her for her fantastic work in our canteen.

Student Achievements
Anna from Ms Bryant’s Year 3 class has completed some excellent homework. She has done some great writing and excellent numeracy work. It is exciting to see homework helping her learn and consolidate her knowledge.

Jessica from Ms Fattore’s Year 6 class has done some great work on our Aboriginal heritage. Jessica takes great pride in producing her best work at all times, (pictured right).

Ethan and Sam from Ms Winter’s Year 4 class have produced outstanding homework. They have made models of Sydney Harbour before and after the First Fleet arrived. Both boys have produced quality work. Well done!

Israt from Ms Hagan’s Year 1 class has written an excellent example of Journal writing. She has clearly detailed all that she did on Sunday and produced her very best work. Excellent achievement.

Class Visits
In Ms Maasepp’s Kindergarten class the students are busy learning how to count forwards and backwards up to 20. The students were rotating in groups through four fun learning activities. In each activity they practiced different ways of counting forwards and backwards. The activities engaged all the students and it is always great to see Kindergarten students working competently with iPads. It is also great to see all students in the class involved in answering all questions posed to the class as they worked cooperatively to improve their understanding and knowledge. What a great range of ways to learn how to count both forwards and backwards.

As always, please contact the Deputy Principals; Ben Hall, Gail Taylor, Sam Beattie, Tiffany Mahon or myself, to clarify any issue of concern to you. The whole school team at Amaroo School is committed to working with our community to ensure our students have the very best opportunities to learn.

Richard Powell