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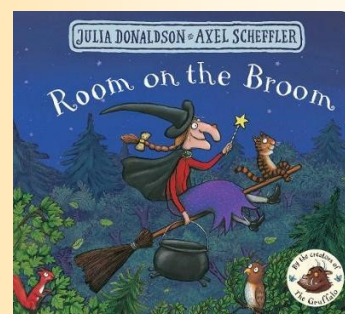
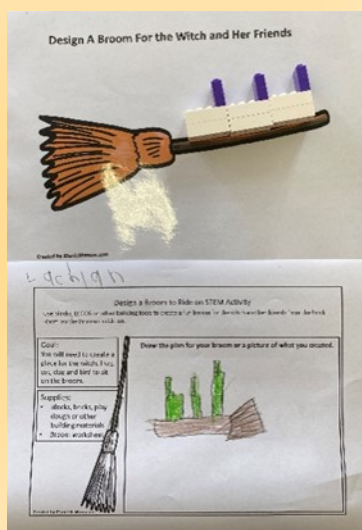
Smithton Primary School

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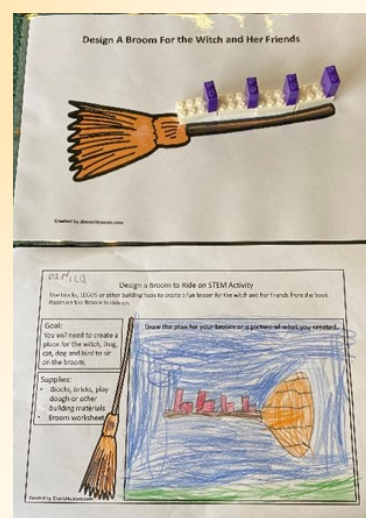
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Prep Grey

In Prep Grey we have been reading the book 'Room on the Broom' written by Julia Donaldson. We had to think about what object we would take with us if we had room on our own brooms and a reason why we would take that item. We also had to design a new broom for the characters in the book out of Lego.



Room on the Broom



Assembly

Thank you to those who came to the assembly yesterday. It was great for our whole school community to be back together again in the assembly hall, even if the seating arrangements were slightly different from usual. Each and every class got up to share one thing that they had been learning about in class. It was a really good opportunity for everyone to celebrate the start of Term 3. As you can see in the photos, students were so proud of their work and happy to stand up in front of the crowd and show (or speak about) it. A particular mention to Ayla and Lucy (SRC members) who did a brilliant job of hosting the assembly. Certificates were also given out and I wish to congratulate once again the following students:

Prep G – Lachlan and Layla

P/1 Ryan – Sam and Hollie

1/2 Kemp – Chase and Melody

2/3 Goodwin – Riley and Alex

3/4 Gausden – Olivia and Zoe

3/4 Irvine – Ashlynn and Asta

5/6 Nichols – Bella C and William

5/6 Watts – Ayla and Lucy



♥ All the best Mrs Hills ♥

We also took the opportunity at the assembly to farewell Mrs Megan Hills. Mrs Hills has been teaching at SPS for 11 years, teaching all the way from Kinder through to Grade 6 over her time and has been employed most recently as the head of Student Engagement. Mrs Hills' last day is on Thursday 3rd of September as she heads off on maternity leave and will then be commencing a new role at Forest Primary School after that. We gave Mrs Hills a huge High Five and some farewell gifts as a whole school. We wish her all the best with the new baby on the way and further into the future. Thank you Mrs Hills for the amazing work you have done over a long period of time at the SPS; you will be missed from the SPS TEAM.



Lastly, I wish to congratulate all 5/6 students who have successfully participated in Winter Sports over the past few weeks on Friday afternoons. It has been a good opportunity for our students to interact with students from other cluster schools on the sporting fields and courts. Well done to the following SPS students who have been selected to represent the Circular Head Cluster School's squad at Country Gold:

Football: Jack, Nathan, Deacon, Tyron, Ezra, Jonty and Zander

Netball: Monique, Akacia and Shaienne and Tannah

Thank you once again for your ongoing support. As always, if ever have questions, concerns or something to pass on, please make an appointment to visit your children's teachers or speak with me directly. Together we are stronger.

Thanks,

Josh Smith
Principal



On the 14th of August two SRC members, Ayla and Monique laid a wreath at ANZAC Park on behalf of the SPS community. This was to commemorate the 75th Anniversary of the Victory in the Pacific and Vietnam Veterans Day.



Kinder Grey

Lots of our Kinder families have vegetable gardens in their backyards. Several children brought in produce from their gardens and we enjoyed a Winter Warmer lunch in Kinder Grey's Restaurant! Our Menu was Vegetable soup, Salad and Garlic Bread. A big thankyou to the families that supplied food and came in to help prepare our feast.

Evannah commented whilst eating "This is the Best Day ever!"

Some of the children were brave and tasted the food even though they thought they wouldn't like it! We saw some funny faces!



Dates To Remember

SEPTEMBER

Every Monday 9:00am	Mother Goose online
Every Tuesday	Pre-Kinder- for children turning five in 2021, 9:00am to 10:30am Student Banking Day
Every Thursday 9:00am to 10:30am	Pre-Kinder - for children turning five in 2021
Every Friday 9:00am to 10:30am	Launchpad
Friday 4th	Grade 3/4 Expo
Friday 25th	Last day of Term 3

OCTOBER

Every Monday 9:00am	Mother Goose online
Every Tuesday	Pre-Kinder- for children turning five in 2021, 9:00am to 10:30am
Every Thursday 9:00am to 10:30am	Pre-Kinder - for children turning five in 2021
Every Friday 9:00am to 10:30am	Launchpad
Monday 12th	Start of Term 4

Drink Bottles

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Camp 1: Sept 27 – Oct 2 Grades 3-5

Camp 2: Oct 4 – 9 Grades 5-7

More information is available on their website www.riverbend.org.au

Camp forms are available via the website or at the school office.

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