



Sinai News

November/ December 5780

What has been happening at Sinai College?

VALUE OF THE MONTH

MAKING THE CORRECT CHOICE

Prep /Year 1



Year 2/3



Senior Class



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Year 2/3



Senior Class



VALUE OF THE MONTH

RESPONSIBILITY

Prep /Year 1



Year 2/3



Prep /Year 1



Year 2/3

Senior Class



CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE STUDENTS WHO HAVE BEEN AWARDED CERTIFICATES FOR UPHOLDING AND DEMONSTRATING THE VALUES OF SINAI COLLEGE IN 2019. THE STAFF, YOUR PARENTS AND YOUR PEERS ARE VERY PROUD OF YOU! KOL HAKAVOD!

REMEMBRANCE DAY AT SINAI COLLEGE

Armistice Day is on 11 November and is also known as **Remembrance Day**. It marks the **day** World War One ended, at 11am on the 11th **day** of the 11th month, in 1918. A two-minute silence is held at 11am to remember the people who have died in the wars.





SWIMMING

Thank you Emily for another Term of wonderful swimming lessons. We are very fortunate to have such a great pool and it was very pleasing to see how many of the students have improved their swimming skills.





A VISIT FROM YARRANLEA SCHOOL

The students and staff from Yarranlea School came to spend a morning with us. Students had the opportunity to meet and play with students from another small Independent School and great friendships were made.





FRIENDS



Fun in the Sun



THANK YOU - STUDENT COUNCIL

Thank you Sophie Kaplan, Bina Jaffe and Luciella Bolger Hay for organising a very successful "crazy hair, crazy socks and games day." Your positive growth and leadership skills were evident in the smooth running of the activities. All the students had a wonderful time and comments like "This was such an awesome day.", "It was the best day ever!" were plentiful.





A MESSAGE FROM THE STUDENT COUNCIL

Being able to run so many amazing and fantastic fundraisers, we are very grateful. It was a pleasure to be able to do activities, hunts and making food and drinks for the students of Sinai College. We would like to give a big thank you to Miss Harrison and Kathy for helping us, because without them nothing would have gotten done. We hope that the students have had a wonderful time participating in our events. The memories of Students Council will always be with us for the journey ahead.

CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS AT SINAI COLLEGE

At Sinai College we celebrate the children's birthday according to the Jewish and Hebrew calendar.

Thank you Mrs Jaffe for always providing these very delicious birthday cakes.





YEAR 2 AND 3 PRESENTATION

Ba'al Tashchit

In one of our parasha classes we learnt about a very important mitzvah: Ba'al Tashchit- Not to be wasteful.

We created posters that share messages to help keep the world clean and healthy so that we have a pleasant world to live in.



Prep and Year 1

Clothes are an important part of our lives. They can keep us warm (or cool). We can wear different colours and designs and change them for different occasions, we can follow the latest fashions – and even make them ourselves!

Great fun was had by all when we designed clothes for our paper dolls. Here are the final products.



We made our own 'Tartan' weave and laminated the final product.



We learnt about the traditional dress of different counties and we drew pictures of Miss Kiyomi in her kimono.



We then designed an outfit for our favourite soft toy and with support from our teacher and Kiyomi we cut the fabric of our choice and dressed our soft toys.



Year 2 and 3

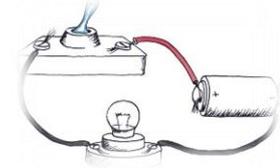
This Term the Juniors have been very busy exploring their community. As part of the unit 'Living Together' the pupils developed their understanding of what it means to be part of a community and how they contribute to this. Through History the students were able to compare Sinai College past and present during a visit from a member of the Jewish Community. They used this visit to inspire a piece of art work, detailing changes in the school over the years. Working together in teams, the students developed their use of Digital Technology through PowerPoints and Photostories. This unit has also enabled the children to develop their skill of working in groups and explore different roles within. The students have continued to improve on their questioning skills and have worked extremely hard to achieve many challenges along the way.



Seniors

The Senior class has been busy in the last half of Term 4 learning about different natural disasters. We have formed groups to produce and video news broadcasts. Our last task will see us draw a comic strip to show ways we can lower our carbon footprint.

The Seniors have also been busy finishing up their final Maths and English work as well as preparing for the final Exit Point for 2019. Completing our narratives has also been a big focus with students hoping to write, edit and publish before the Exit Point.



MUSIC

News from the Music Room!

We have had many exciting things happening this term in music. Four of our very talented students sat their AMEB (Australian Music Examinations Board) exams on the 22nd of November. Sophie Kaplan, Rachel Kaplan, Rachel Baladi and Natalya Zavodniyk put in a huge amount of work in the lead up to their exams and received excellent results. I am extremely proud of the hard these girls have worked they deserve a huge CONGRATULATIONS for their success!

Play and choir rehearsals have been a major priority in preparation for awards night. All students have been working very hard to polish up their performances for the big night and of course they pulled off an amazing show on Wednesday night! Thank you so much to all the family and community members for all the compliments on the night. It was a big team effort of all staff and students and I couldn't be happier with how well they performed. Well done!!!

I hope everyone has a relaxing and safe break over the summer – enjoy!

Musically yours,
Jaclyn Tassan



JEWISH STUDIES

Over the past few weeks we have been busily preparing for the upcoming festival of Chanukah- Festival of lights.

We learnt the story about how Chanukah unfolded and the two miracles that took place and the reason why we celebrate this festival for eight days and nights. We then had a miracle of our own. After learning about one of the customs of Chanukah, to eat foods that are fried in oil, we all put our hands into making latkes for the whole school to enjoy! Huge thank you to Kathy for all your help in making it happen



We have had a wonderful year filled with so much learning and laughter and growth.

I wish you all a restful summer and I look forward to seeing everyone back in 2020. Mrs Jaffe





AWARDS AND CONCERT NIGHT

11 December 2019

Congratulations to all of the wonderful students on your outstanding performance at awards night. Preps and Year Ones, you put a lot of effort into 'Sammy's First Hannukah' and the final presentation was excellent. Junior and Senior classes, your performance of was excellent as well.





Graduates 2019.

Bina, Sophie and Luciella.



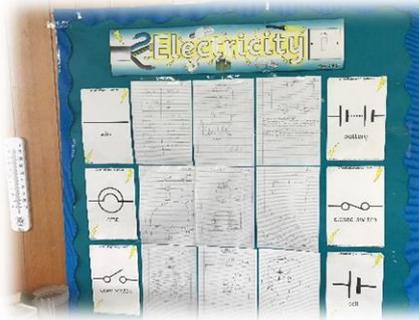
HOT DOGS AND LATKES

Thank you Kathy and Mrs Jaffe for making delicious hot dogs and latkes for us... we really appreciate your amazing culinary skills.



FINAL EXIT POINT 2019

HAPPY
LAST
day of
SCHOOL



CHANUKAH IN THE CITY

Chanukah
IN THE CITY

SUNDAY
22ND
DECEMBER
2019

COMMUNITY STALLS
DELICIOUS FOOD
LIGHTING OF THE GIANT MENORAH
KIDS SHOW
KIDS SLIDE & ROCK CLIMBING
SINAI COLLEGE CHOIR
VIRTUAL REALITY GAMING STATION

Featuring
Amazing Byron Bay
SHAI SHRIKI BAND

4pm - 8pm
Reddacliff Place
(Top end of Queen St Mall)

Featuring
Sensational
**MARTIAL ARTS
FIRE SHOW**

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