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From the Principal's Desk

In this last newsletter for 2024 we would like to take the opportunity to celebrate achievements, recognize contributions, farewell students, teachers and families and say a big thank you.

Firstly good luck to all of our Year 6 graduates. It has been a privilege to see you grow as learners, acquire knowledge and develop skills to become compassionate, curious, creative, and resilient learners. Our 2024 Year 6's have been an integral part of our change journey and we have watched them grow into strong capable learners, who can articulate their learning, and take action to make their world a better place. Last night they were presented with our SECRET Powers mascot to remind them to take all the learning they have done in primary school, on with them as they transition to high school.

I would also like to thank all parents and Carers for their support this year. A great deal of what we do in school cannot be achieved without you and your cooperation and backing. We have many parent volunteers who help with excursions and in other areas of the school, many thanks and we look forward to working closely with you again next year. Thank you to our governing council for all of the great work they do to build our school community and being part of our school governance. We really appreciate everything you do to support our children at Prospect North.

This year we are fare welling a number of staff as they go on to spread their wings. Firstly, Gail Powers has won a position with the learning and teaching team in the department to facilitate the roll out of the new SA Curriculum and pedagogy. Gail has been at PNPS for 21 years and will be greatly missed. Sharni is also leaving us and has won a Highly Accomplished Teacher role at Felixstow PS, she has also been a long serving staff member and we will miss her expert teaching, especially in our nurture programs. We have 2 more staff members joining Philomena on maternity leave for 2025, we wish both Emily and Deanne all the best for the birth of their babies next year. Patrick and Kimberley will also be moving on to a new schools next year, we thank them for their time with us.

At this time of year we also have a number of contract support staff who may not be with us next year. We thank Karissa, Chris, Shanai and Alicia for the work they have put in this year supporting our students and teachers.

At our own site, Sarah and Cindy have both been awarded national accredited Lead Teacher status and will be working to mentor new staff next year. Casey and Kavita have also been awarded Highly Accomplished Teacher accreditation.

Finally, I would like say thank you and goodbye as I move on to a new role within ORBIS the department's training and development Centre, I will miss our fabulous staff, students and community.

We wish all the students who are leaving us at the end of this year a successful transition to their new schools. I know that they have all had a great start here at Prospect North and will go on to achieve great things in the future. I hope all our families and friends best wishes for the festive season and a safe and happy holiday break.

Marg Clark

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End of Year concert

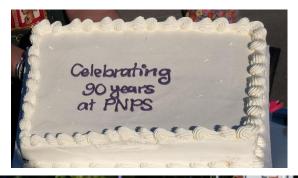
The year-end concert, which took place on Tuesday, December 4th, was a wonderful celebration of the past year. The casual picnic atmosphere was a great way for families to celebrate together. It was great to see such a huge turn-out!. The students thoroughly enjoyed dancing and singing their favourite songs, many of which were Christmas-themed.

The evening reached a high note with a rendition of "Happy Birthday" as Prospect North Primary commemorated its 90th anniversary this year.

Steph proudly displayed a piece of artwork created by the Year 2 students to pay tribute to the school's rich history spanning nine decades.

Thank you to all parents who came along, we hope you enjoyed the evening. Congratulations to all the performers, you did a fantastic job!

Lots more photos can be viewed on our website : https://www.prospectnorth.sa.edu.au/newsand-events/photo-gallery/































Congratulations



Congratulations to the 49 Year 6 students who graduated this week!

We are immensely proud of each and every one of our Year 6 graduates who have dedicated themselves to reaching this milestone.

As they transition to high school, we are confident they will carry with them the knowledge, skills, and values they have acquired at Prospect North.









We have no doubt they will continue to accomplish remarkable things and bring us pride in all their future pursuits. We wish them the very best as they begin this exciting new chapter in their lives.

This is just the beginning of many wonderful adventures to come!

















GRADUATION











































Congratulations Nguyet Anh



Our Lady of the Sacred Heart College congratulates Nguyet Anh, former student of Prospect North Primary School on being appointed College Co-Vice Captain in 2025.

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