COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

- Tuition
- Scouts
- Taekwondo
- Piano
- Recorder
- Family Relations Info
- Overseas Exchange Info

If you would like more information on these events please call into our office and check out our Community Noticeboard.
This term Armidale City Public School is again participating in the Woolworths Earn and Learn program. Completed sticker cards can be placed in the box at school or at Woolworths. The program will enable our school to earn educational resources when anyone from the school community shops at Woolworths. The program runs until 8 September.

Good luck to our Tournament of the Minds teams who are travelling to Coff's Harbour this Sunday to compete in the regional Tournament of Minds competition. Thank you to Mrs Roach for assisting the teams in their preparation and for going to Coff's harbour with them. Do your best everyone and enjoy the experience.

Mr Matt Hobbs
Principal
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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT - WEEK 6
Welcome to the students, teachers and adults from Chengdu Foreign Language School and Golden Apple School in China who have been coming to our school this week. They have been participating in activities with our Stage 3 students and today Armidale City Public School students participated in food tasting, Calligraphy, Chinese History and Art Lessons led by the students and adults from Chengdu. A big thank you must go to Sino Australian Foundation for Education (SAFE) and Richard Liu - SAFE Director for coordinating the visit. We look forward to continuing this type of visit again in the future and know our students have taken a great deal from the opportunity, just as our Chinese visitors have. Our visitors will leave next Monday, 24 August to return to China.

Our students are busily preparing items for 'A Night with the Readers Companion bookshop. Tickets are only available through the  iPad to create books and use the video camera to film interviews, relating to people in the community that meet our needs and wants. We look forward to the rest of this term. Keep up the wonderful work boys and girls.

Mrs Smith and 1/2S

WORK OF THE FORTNIGHT
KR Whole Class
KB Archie
KG Amelia K
1/2P Jemima
1/2C Busby
1/2S Leul
1/2KS Whole Class
3/4S Bhavya and Sanar
3/4P Catalina
3/4T Georgia
3/4J Jack
3/4R Felix, Ashton and Wallace
5/6R Nicholas
5/6K Michelle, Tamika, Tabitha, Elana, Anna and Lisa (our Chinese Friends)
5/6Mac Christian
5/6J Amy

KINDERGARTEN BLUE NEWS!
Kinder Blue have been learning all about factual books and have focused on discovering interesting facts about dogs. The students were amazed that dogs can understand up to 250 words and some dogs can solve mathematical problems! We have written information reports and included many things such as what they eat, what they need and that they have a special membrane on their eyes that helps them see in the dark.

We would like to say a big thank you to Cody's VERY brave dad who rescued us from the world's biggest huntsman spider one afternoon. Our really large (size of a cat) spider visited us in our hat room and was relocated to a much nicer environment for a spider. We had some fun naming our spider and some names the students thought of were Incy, Venom, Elsa, Sarah but I think Goliath was more appropriate!

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BRONZE AWARDS
1/2C Talion Ian
   Aashia Cooper
   Toyah Busby
   Amelia
3/4R Lars
3/4S Jessica

SILVER AWARDS
KB Sienna Tahila
   Brayden
   Isaac Liasa
   Tommy Jasmine
   MJ
1/2C Lucy Kaelin
   Brayden
   Olivia
1/2KS
   1/2P Tiffie Emily
   Charlotte Fia
   Donika Chloe
   Brath Lilly
   Georgia Jack
3/4R Noah
   Alik Hamish
   Bailey MacKenzie
3/4J Lekzinah Sarah
   Justin Anna
5/6Mac
   Amy

GOLD AWARDS
KB Alexis Archie
   Michaela Rachel

1/2S CLASS NEWS
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