



# Valentine Public School

Grapevine

Term 2 Week 9 2019

Connect Respect Inspire



## What's on at VPS?

	Mon 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Tue 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Thur 27 <sup>th</sup> June	Fri 28 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Term 2 Week 9</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stage 1 Planning Day</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Early Stage 1 Planning Day</li> <li>K-2 Sports in Schools</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stage 3 Planning Day</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stage 2 Planning Day</li> <li><b>Pyjama Day – Gold coin for Max</b></li> <li>Premier's Debating</li> <li><b>Band Disco</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PSSA Girls Softball Regional Final</li> </ul>
	Mon 1 <sup>st</sup> July	Tue 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	Thur 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Fri 5 <sup>th</sup> July
<b>Term 2 Week 10</b>	<b>VPS ATHLETICS CARNIVAL</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Knights Knockout Finals and Supporters Excursion</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>REPORTS home via Sentral Parent Portal</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Celebration Assembly 2pm</li> <li><b>LAST DAY</b> Term 2</li> </ul>

## From the Principal's desk...



Dear Parents, Carers and Community,



On behalf of our staff, I would like to say a huge congratulations to Mr Daniel Wilson who was successful in gaining a permanent Assistant principal position at Cardiff Public School. Mr Wilson will take up this position at the start of Term 3.

Mr Wilson will be a huge loss to Valentine Public School as he has been a huge part of our school community since 2013. We wish him all the best as he takes on his new position.

As a result of Mr Wilson leaving, we are happy to welcome Mrs Jane Pankhurst to take up the position of 3WM classroom teacher (Monday – Wednesday) and our Instructional Leader on Thursday and Fridays. Mrs McCurdy will continue to teach 3WM each Thursday and Friday.

Mrs Kristy Bone will also be starting her maternity leave next week as she prepares to welcome her first baby into the world. Our school ran an Expression of Interest panel and we are pleased to inform the community that the successful candidate is Mrs Lauren Main. She will teach KB full time and relieve as Early Stage 1 Assistant Principal position for the remainder of the year.



Both Mrs Pankhurst and Mrs Main bring a wealth of knowledge and experience to their roles. We welcome them both to our staff and invite families of KB and 3WM to a meet and greet during week 1 of Term 3.

Enjoy your family time this weekend.

**Mrs Leigh Rich**  
Relieving Principal

## What's Hot @ Valentine

- ❖ Star Struck – You were awesome!
- ❖ Kindergarten – You survived your first excursion.
- ❖ Our Year 5 Debaters – well done.
- ❖ Semester 1 Reports - Our staff for finalising student Semester 1 reports.



Seasons for Growth - COMING SOON to our school.

## Matific Award

Well done to 3GB for being awarded the Matific trophy for the class with the highest points last week!



# SCHOOL NEWS

## Star Struck 2019

Congratulations to our Star Struck performers who did a wonderful job representing Valentine PS last weekend.

The children were amazing in their performances and their behaviour. Their attitude to the long days was exemplary and they shone on stage as they performed "Come Fly with Me" in the second half of the show. They were fantastic VPS representatives. Both Ms Hoppe & Mrs Ciarrocchi were so proud of each and every single one of them.

