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Dear Parents,

INTERNATIONAL SOCCER TOURNAMENT

Thank you to all the parents for supporting the *Soccer Tournament* at the German International school last Saturday. The children enjoyed the opportunity to play as a team in a tournament environment, against other international or bilingual schools. We can in fact say that six nations competed in the tournament - we had Australia, Italy, Japan, France, Germany and Armenia!

The Year 3/4 team did exceptionally well, considering the fact that it was mainly comprised of Year 2 and only few Year 3/4 students. They had the opportunity to play three games in their group, against the German, John Colet and Japanese schools. After a hard battle, with some excellent defending, the team was not able to record any wins. As a result, they were not able to qualify for the semi-finals. However, they will be back next year with the experience, promising to be a formidable force.

The Year 5/6 team playing at the outside Futsal field also did great with one loss (3-5) and two draws (3-3) and (4-4). They missed out on the semi-finals based on point difference, making them and the school proud.

Overall it was a fun day out where they had the opportunity to meet other students and parents. We like to take this opportunity and say a special 'Thank You' to the coach, Michael Aghabekian and look forward to doing it again next year. Go Team Armenia!



I.C.A.S. SCIENCE RESULTS

The Science results of the International Competition and Assessments for Schools (ICAS) were received this week. Congratulations go to **Alexander** for achieving **Distinction** and being placed in the **Top 9%** of Year 2 participants in Australia. Congratulations to **Sara** for achieving a **Credit** award. Also congratulations to **Sargis** for achieving **Merit** in ICAS Science Assessment.

All students who participated in the competition were tested on a wide variety of thought provoking skills ranging from observing, measuring, interpreting, predicting and concluding to investigating, reasoning and problem solving. If you have any queries about your child's result, please do not hesitate to contact their teacher.

8th November, 2019

MANOUG DEMIRJIAN



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2019 HONOUR AWARD LIST

Congratulations to

Ava
Harout



**ARMENIAN GENERAL BENEVOLENT UNION
ALEXANDER PRIMARY SCHOOL
CHRISTMAS RAFFLE**

The P&C Committee has organised a Christmas Raffle as part of our annual fundraising.
Tickets are selling at \$2 each and we have some amazing prizes!
Make sure buyers fill out their names and phone numbers and return all tickets together with the money to the school office by Monday 2nd December 2019.
Extra tickets are available from the school office.
Thank you for your support & happy fundraising!

**BIRTHDAYS
OF THE WEEK**

Happy Birthdays to...
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HOUSE POINTS TERM 4

*Uniform, Playground, Charity
& Awards*

ARARAT - 57 points **MASIS** - 58 points

TEACHERS' AWARD

TERM 4 – WEEK 4

Year 5: Lara K
Alina
Elizabeth
Year 3: Adelin
Year 2: Lio
Dzila
Lucas

Kindergarten: Ava , Harout
Preparatory: Gohar
Victoria
Elena

*Remember 10 Encouragement Awards = Teacher's Award
Will your name appear here next?*

DATES TO REMEMBER

- 16/11 Family Night - Kids Crazy Costume Party
- 20/11 Interschool Debating Comp. # Finals Round
- 24/11 Armenian 'Kermesse' - School Choir
- 03/12 CARES Bike Safety visit - Years 3-6
- 06/12 Armenian Welfare Centre - Christmas Visit
- End of School Swimming Program
- Student Yearly Reports - Sent Home
- 07/12 Armenia's Earthquake Remembrance Day
- 08/12 Christmas Concert & Graduation
- 10/12 Alexander Aged Care - Christmas Visit
- 12/12 Last Day Term 4 for Students
- 13/12 Staff Planning Day

ARMENIAN STUDENT FUND

WEEKLY REPORT: Term 4 Week 4

8 Points – Ararat	\$12.80
6 Points – Masis	\$10.00
TOTAL:	\$22.80
ACCUMULATED:	\$527.95

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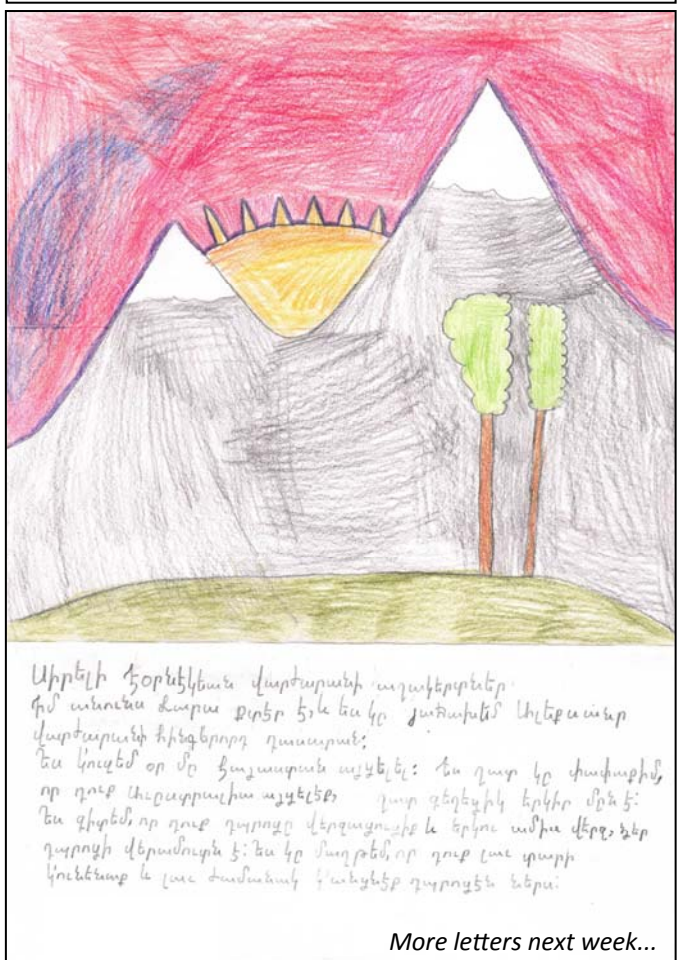
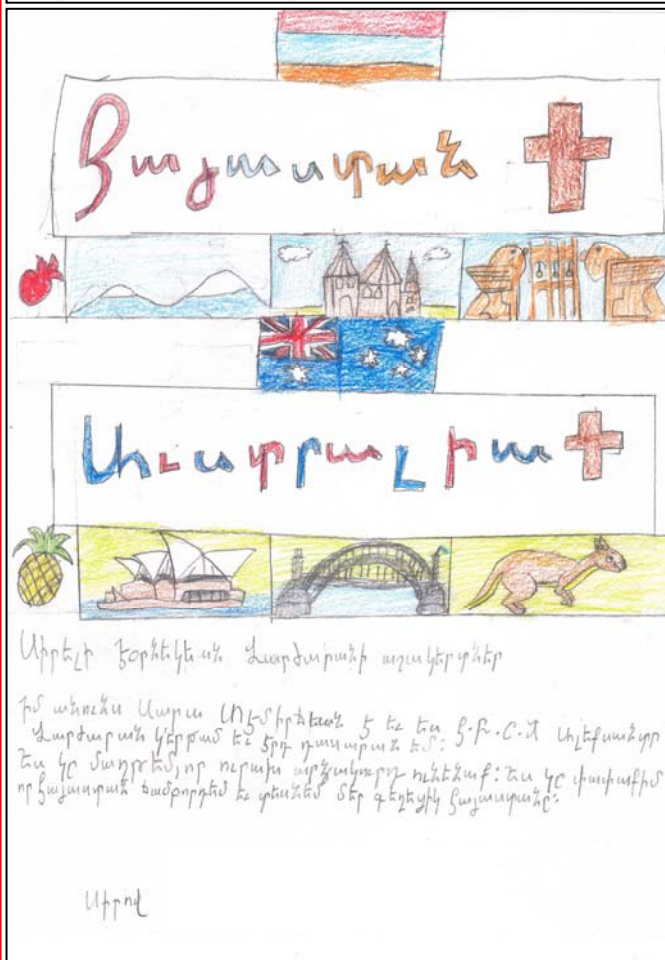
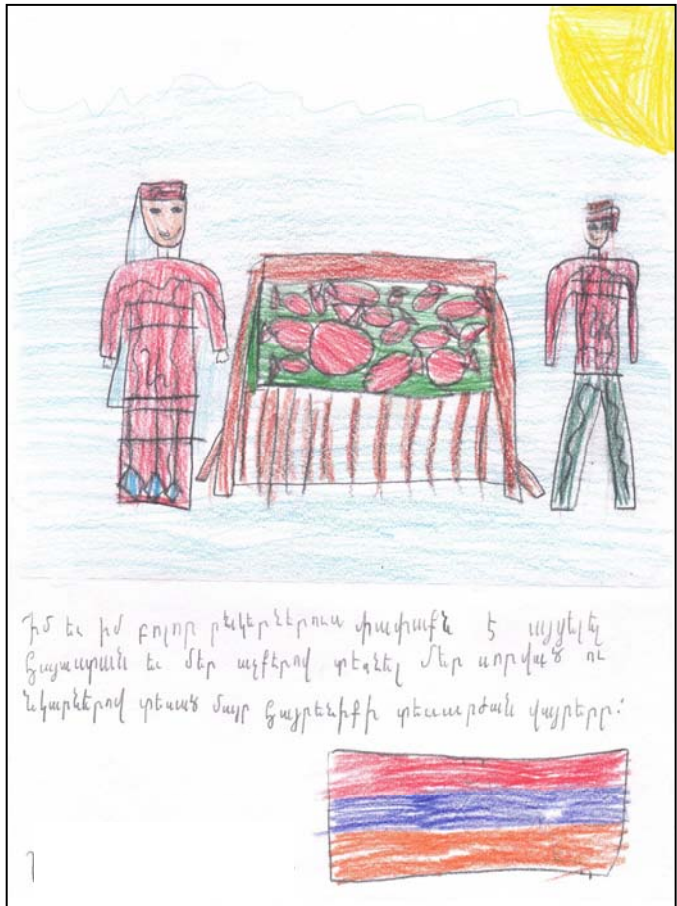
Armenian Missionary Association

On Monday, 4 November we were honoured with a special visit by **Rev. Haroutioun Selimian, Head of the Armenian Evangelical Community of Syria**. This was the second time our guest was in Sydney, with his first visit being in March last year, where he was part of the special delegation from different parts of the world who had come to join in the Centenary Celebrations of the **Armenian Missionary Association**. The Australian chapter of the association had once again organised the visit, for their guest of honour, as part of their annual events and fundraising dinner.



Our guests, accompanied by Rev. Krikor Youmshajekian where given a tour of the school and the classrooms. Rev. Selimian had the opportunity to meet and speak to the students during class, who also took the opportunity to present a program of poetry recitals they had learnt. They also passed on their well wishes and prayers to the brothers and sisters in Syria, who are once again experiencing difficult days. Rev. Selimian then presented the school with a special gift, that has been prepared by students from a community school for the disabled. These students have lost a limb as a result of the Syrian conflict, but are still engaged in the production of craft work for the Glory of God.





More letters next week...

Photo Gallery...

International Soccer Tournament



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SUNDAY, 24 NOVEMBER 2019
From 12:30pm

Celebrating our food, culture and community

Armenian KERMESSE

Armenian Apostolic Church of Holy Resurrection

LIVE MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT

FOOD ★ KIDS' CORNER ★ GAMES
WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF OUR COMMUNITY GROUPS

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ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF HOLY RESURRECTION
10 MACQUARIE STREET, CHATSWOOD