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Dear Parents,

### **AGBU DEDICATED FUND & RELIEF FOR LEBANON**

In the aftermath of the devastating explosion in Beirut that took place ten days ago, AGBU Central Board engaged in worldwide appeals for urgent contributions to accelerate relief for Lebanese Armenians with a designated relief fund.

Immediate and generous support from across the globe resulted in over one million American dollars raised with both benefactors and grassroots donors rising to assist. The first million was doubled by a matching contribution from Chairman of the AGBU Council of Trustees, Vatche and Tamar Manoukian, with the additional commitment to match all subsequent funds generated in the coming weeks to this urgent effort.

Among the first large contributions received of \$100,000 or more include: Elie and Elzbieta Akilian (USA), Yervant Demirjian (USA), Haig and Elsa Didizian (UK), Nigol Koulajian (USA), Levon and Claudia Nazarian (USA), Joseph and Jenny Oughourlian (UK), Berge and Vera Setrakian (USA), Sam and Silva Simonian (USA), Sinan and Angele Sinanian (USA) and an anonymous donor (USA).

AGBU expresses gratitude to all of the benefactors as well as remarkable grassroots donors and supporters from around the world. It is also appealing to all Armenians worldwide to be a lifeline to their compatriots in Lebanon by donating quickly and generously to maximize the matching gift opportunity.



AGBU Sydney Chapter has also appealed to our local community to join in raising urgently needed funds. Based on first needs assessment, the AGBU Humanitarian Relief Fund for Lebanon is providing emergency assistance by focusing on three areas: Food Distribution, Medical Assistance and Emergency Response. AGBU will finance and assist in organizing the rebuild of houses, replacement of windows and doors and the provision of essential home appliances. The committee will provide temporary housing to those whose houses are uninhabitable.

Every dollar raised for the AGBU Humanitarian Relief Fund for Lebanon will be allocated directly to support the above assistance programs. We hope you can assist by donating to either AGBU Sydney via a direct transfer -

BSB: 032000 Account: 121001, using your name as a reference) *or* on the web site: [agbu.org/lebanonrelief](http://agbu.org/lebanonrelief)

You can also support the Armenian-Australian community's joint Facebook fundraiser for the Armenians of Lebanon, which has passed \$50,000. The AGBU is part of the joint community appeal [#BachigsForBeirut](https://www.facebook.com/BachigsForBeirut)

If you are unable to donate online, please contact Mr Hovhaness Kouyoumdjian on 0408 283 826 for other options. In unity is strength and together we can put Lebanon on the road to recovery.

14<sup>th</sup> August, 2020

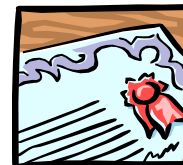
MANOUG DEMIRJIAN



# 2020 HONOUR AWARD LIST

Congratulations to

*Lio*



## SCHOOL FEES

Parents are reminded that fees for Term 3 (Payment 2) have been charged to your account. This will be the final account for the year on which to pay.

Payment is due by **Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> September**. Parents who anticipate any trouble in meeting full payment by this date should contact the school office.

Purchases of uniforms henceforth will require payment on ordering since no further accounts will be issued this year.

*Note: An invoice for the Term 4 Swimming Program will be provided later this Term.*

## DONATIONS TO ALEXANDER SCHOOL

*In Memoriam for the Late Vahe Khatchadourian*

Mr & Mrs Ari and Bianca Zorlu & Family \$100

*In Memoriam for the Late Raffi Demirjian*

Mr & Mrs Ara and Annette Galstian \$100

Mr Mihran Kessikbachian \$100



## HOUSE POINTS TERM 3

*Uniform, Playground, Charity & Awards*



**YEREVAN** - 49 points

**SEVAN** - 55 points



*Support your House Team and earn points by having the correct uniform, by following the playground rules and by being generous.*

## TEACHERS' AWARD

**TERM 3 – WEEK 4**

Year 6: Vanessa

Year 4: Khloe

Year 3: Lio, Lucas, Sofia, Anthony, Kris

Year 2: Dzila, Lara

Year 1: Lara, Luca Zareh



## DATES TO REMEMBER

- 10/09 School Photos
- 21/09 Armenian Independence Day
- 25/09 Last Day Term 3 - Mufti Day
- 12/10 School Development Day (Pupil Free)\*
- Emergency Care & CPR Staff Training
- 13/10 First Day Term 4
- 19/10 Start of Book Week and Book Fair
- 26/10 Book Week Show
- 06/12 Christmas Concert & Graduation
- 10/12 Last Day Term 4 for Students

*\* - To be confirmed*

## ARMENIAN STUDENT FUND

### WEEKLY REPORT: Term 3 Week 4

8 Points – **Sevan** ..... \$7.00

6 Points – **Yerevan** ..... \$4.55

**TOTAL:** ..... **\$11.55**

**ACCUMULATED:** ..... **\$225.75**

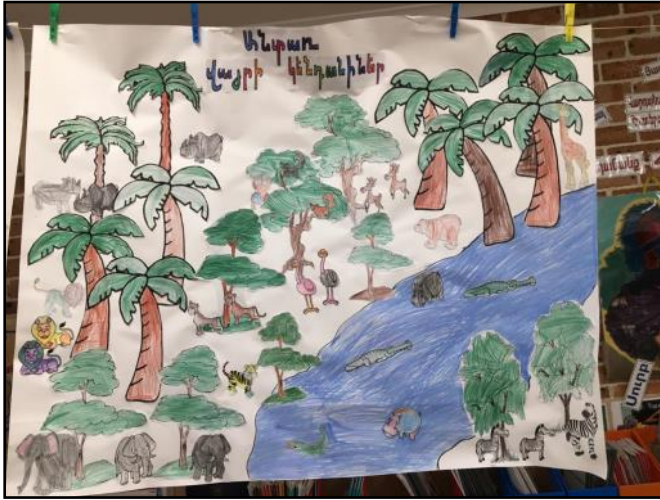
SPONSOR A CHILD IN ARMENIA THROUGH THE  
ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH  
[www.armenianchurchsydney.org.au](http://www.armenianchurchsydney.org.au)



## News from the Armenian Classroom...

### Դասարանէն Ներս

Ն/Պ-Մ/Պ - Այս դասընթացքին սորվեցանք ընտանի և վայրի կենդանիներու մասին: Մենք պատրաստեցինք Ագարակ մը ընտանի կենդանիներուն համար և Անտառ մը վայրի կենդանիներուն համար:



Ա-Բ դասարան - Մենք կարդացինք և նկարեցինք Պապիկն ու շողգամը պատմութիւնը: Մենք շատ համով կարկանդակներ պատրաստեցինք Երեցկին Հասմիկի հետ և կիսուեցանք դպրոցի բոլոր աշակերտներուն հետ: Ը՛մ շատ համով էր:



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Գ-2 դասարան - Սորվեցանք մեր հայրենիքի՝  
Հայաստանի 12 մայրաքաղաքներուն մասին,  
իւնչպէս նաեւ Երեւանի տեսարժան վայրերը նկարեցինք:



## *News from the Classroom...*

### Making Lanterns

In the past couple of weeks, Years 3 and 4 have been making lanterns, as part of their unit of study for this term called 'Celebrations'. The students loved making them. At first they made a simple form then they tried putting together a design which was a little more complex.



AGBU

**We Stand in Solidarity with the  
Armenian Community in Beirut**

**DONATE**

We are depending on each and every one of you across the globe to help us raise urgently-needed funds and awareness of our relief work.

Every donation will go directly to those in need.



## Photo Gallery

### Mufti Day ~ Sausage Sizzle



Visit us on  
Facebook

<http://www.facebook.com/AlexanderSchool>







# ՀԱՅԱՍՏԱՆԻ ԵԿԵՂԵՑԻ ՏԱՎՈՒՇԻ

The Armenian province of Tavush, bordering Azerbaijan, was under attack, by Azeri forces from the 12<sup>th</sup> of July, 2020. Homes have been destroyed and the lives of four Armenian soldiers taken.



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հայրենակիցներ

Հակառակորդի կրակոցների  
հետեւանքով տուժած  
Տավուշի սահմանամերձ  
բնակավայրերի մեր  
հայրենակիցներին

զորակցութիւն ցուցաբերելու նպատակով  
հայտարարում ենք նուիրահավաք:

## SUPPORT TAVUSH

### DONATE NOW

Help the community of Tavush regain their  
freedom and restore what they have lost.

**(02) 9419 8056**

**Electronic transfers:**

Account Name: Armenian Church Council of Aust. NSW  
BSB: 032 297 Account No: 323236



THE ARMENIAN APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF HOLY RESURRECTION  
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# ARMENIAN GENERAL BENEVOLENT UNION ALEXANDER PRIMARY SCHOOL

Enrolling Now for 2021 from Prep to Year 6

**Enrol  
for  
2021  
Book A Tour**



## Live Life Well @ School

### STAY SAFE ONLINE

Help your children safely navigate their digital world and educate them to avoid harmful online experiences.

#### Stay safe online

For online safety:

- Use an internet filter
- Activate the parental control function on devices
- Supervise internet use
- Let children know that they should tell you if they have any problems online, see something that they know is wrong, or anything that upsets them.

**Cyber safety is everyone's business!**

For more information:  
[esafety.gov.au/iparent](http://esafety.gov.au/iparent)



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## Live Life Well @ School

### TEACHING GOOD FOOD CHOICES

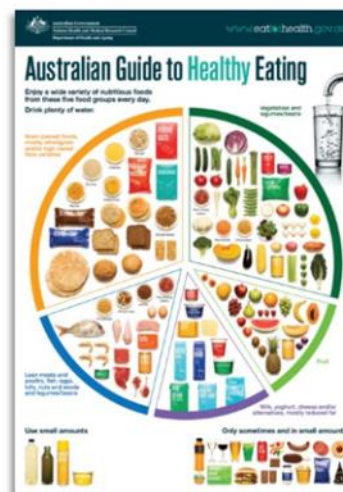
Help make meal times less fuss.

Download the **Australian Guide to Healthy Eating** to put on your fridge.

Have children choose from the five food groups to guide their food choices and develop their food literacy.

Download a copy at:

[www.eatforhealth.gov.au](http://www.eatforhealth.gov.au)



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