



Durrumbul Public School NEWSLETTER

Term Four Week Four



Principal: Mrs Lauren Hankinson

SAY "CHEESE!"

A huge thank you to The School Photographer for coming out to our school on a very rainy afternoon to take our 2022 school photos. We do love that our P&C supports students wearing their own comfortable clothes each day that express their own individuality and style but they certainly did look very sharp for their photo shoot in their uniform. Photos can still be purchased online. If you need details, please don't hesitate to contact our front office for an order form.



SAVE THE DATE

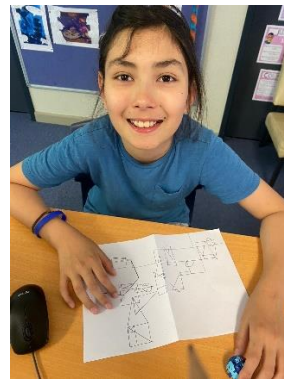
Our end-of-year Awards Assembly will be held at 2pm on Thursday 15th December at school. All family and friends are welcome as we celebrate all the achievements of the year. The last day of school for students will be Friday 16th December and school returns for students on Tuesday 31st January 2023.

KINDERGARTEN 2023

We are still accepting enrolments for all year levels for 2023. If you know of any family moving to the area or perhaps a little one about to start Big School, please encourage them to come out and take a look at what we have to offer at our school. Word of mouth is the very best kind of recommendation and we would love for you to share with your friends and the community all the things you love about Durrumbul Public School.

MAGICAL MATHEMATICIANS

In maths this past week, our students have been exploring faces, vertices and edges through hands-on activities and how shape can be used in art. Finding opportunities for tactile learning really helps children get comfortable with identifying and understanding vertices and edges of a shape. Students also explored where they could find vertices and edges in real life. Maybe ask your child to have a look around the house at some common objects and see if they can point out the vertices?



TENNIS COACHING SESSIONS

We are so pleased to welcome back Coach Justin from Red Hot Tennis Mullumbimby, who will be back each week to offer our students a targeted tennis program. Students practice skills that will make the difference between just hitting the ball and accurately sending it where you want it to go. They also enjoyed a game of Angry Pigs that was a big favourite.



AWARDS



MULLUM SHOW - BEE THERE!

Students have been very busy bees over the last few weeks designing and creating their display for the Mullumbimby show on the 12th and 13 of November. They started the design process by brainstorming different ideas for the display. They decided they wanted to help people understand the important role bees play in our survival. During this process they identified pollination as an important role bees play in ensuring we have ample fruit and vegetables to feed a growing population. The students have unpacked many amazing facts about not just honeybees, but also our native bee population. When they opened our native beehive at school, they were able to see the structure of the hive and the role of the queen bee and worker bees. With the support of teachers, students helped clean the ants and lizards that had decided to move into the native beehive. Everyone was surprised at how many bees lived in such a small hive! Be sure to come and visit the Mullumbimby Show and take a look at the incredible work the students have been doing to show the importance of caring for our different bee colonies in the area.



DIGITAL CLASSROOM OFFICER

We are so thankful for all the work Mr. Symon Roberts has done this year for our school in his role as our Digital Classroom Officer. This term he has been unpacking and looking at how different computer programs can be used for different purposes. The students have been sharing their ideas on a range of subjects using a program called Jamboard, which has allowed them to work collaboratively on joint projects. The major advantage to this, is that they are being supported to learn new and interesting facts about a topic through the ideas of their friends and support of their teacher. Another program Mr. Roberts has introduced is Canva. Using this innovative technology, the students have worked both independently and collaboratively to make vibrant presentations for our up-and-coming display at the Mullumbimby Show.

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER

TERM 4 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
WEEK FOUR	English, Fitness, Maths, Indigenous Studies, Japanese, Assembly and Library. CT: Ms. Cherry.	English, Fitness, Maths and Geography/History KINDY ORIENTATION 9:30 - 11:00 SCHOOL PHOTOS CT: Miss Taverner.	GREENDAY Environmental Science, STEM and Sport. TENNIS COACHING SESSION 11:30-12:30 CT: Mr. Roberts	English, Fitness, Maths and Creative Arts. CT: Miss Taverner.	English, Fitness, Maths and Health/PD. CT: Miss Taverner.	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19
WEEK SIX	English, Fitness, Maths, Indigenous Studies, Visual Arts, Assembly and Library. CT: Ms. Cherry.	English, Fitness, Maths and Geography/History EXCURSION TO KOOLBEANZ FOR CHEF COOKING LESSON Bus leaves at 9am CT: Miss Taverner.	GREENDAY Environmental Science and STEM TENNIS COACHING SESSION 11:30-12:30 CT: Mr. Roberts.	English, Fitness, Maths and Creative Arts. CT: Miss Taverner.	English, Fitness, Maths and Health/PD. CT: Miss Taverner.	
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CT: Classroom Teacher

We would like to acknowledge the Arakwal Bumberlin people of Bundjalung Nation who are the Traditional Custodians of this land on which we live, learn and work.