



Durrumbul Public School NEWSLETTER

Term One Week Two



Principal: Mrs Lauren Hankinson

2022 HIGH ACHIEVERS

It was so very exciting to share such a special presentation afternoon with all our school families to acknowledge the tremendous achievements made throughout the year. It's so important to reflect back on the successes and improvements students had made in all subject areas. Thank you to all who came to celebrate with us. Our students are so lucky to have such support for their schooling from home. The smiles say it all! Well done to all of you. You make us all so very proud.



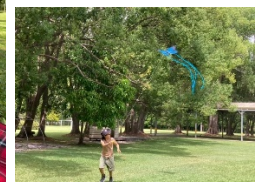
GIANT GAMES REWARDS DAY

We were so thrilled that David from 'Giant Games' was able to come back to our school again and set up a multitude of giant games for our students to enjoy in the last week of school. From Snakes and Ladders to Jenga to Connect Four, everything seemed so much more exciting when it is ten times the size!!! It was such a delight to then play all these games with our family members following our Awards Assembly. I'm not sure whether our Mums and Dads might have even had more fun than we did!



KITE FLYING AND PICNICS

A huge thank you to Ms. Cherry for organising such a happy way to end the year for our students with some 'pretend' camping fun playing in tents, flying kites, learning how to play badminton, having picnic lunches each day and of course some LEGO building fun! WOW O WOW!!



SAND SCULPTURE WORKSHOP

Who knew professional sand sculpturing was now a subject taught at school!? Well, it is here at Durrumbul Public School when the extremely talented Steve Machell from Sandology dropped in to teach our students how to sculpt sand! Steve taught the students so many “secret” tips about using sand to create amazing sculptures and then together they built some incredible castles and dragons using the skills they had just learned. I’m certain the local beaches will never look the same after our students visit over the summer. Thanks Steve, we loved every single minute!



DID YOU ATTEND DURRUMBUL PS?

As you can imagine, over the past 120 years or so, we have quite the collection of historic photos and paper records. I recently got a bit of a thrill taking a look at a handwritten Behaviour Records book from 1965! If you attended (or worked at) Durrumbul Public School over the years, please feel free to contact me by phone or email lauren.hankinson@det.nsw.edu.au to arrange a time to take a look at our historic collection so you can scan or take photos of anything you might like a copy of to keep for yourself.

Lauren Hankinson - Principal

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.