

Week 6, term 4

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Narrandera East Infants School

Excellence in Early Learning



Newsletter



What's happening at Narrandera East

November 17th 2020

Week 6

19/11/20 Kindergarten Transition

20/11/20 Library
Scripture
Stadium

No fruit & vegie day

Week 7

26/11/20 Year 3 Transition

27/11/20 Advent Pageant
Library
No Scripture
No Stadium

No fruit & vegie day

Week 8

30/11/20 Presentation Day

04/12/20 Library
Scripture
Stadium

No fruit & vegie day



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Education

Principal's news

Hello all

We certainly are getting to the tail end of the year with teachers very busy writing progress reports on your child. These reports will go home on the 27th November with your child, please ensure you read them and contact the school or your child's teacher if you wish to have a parent/teacher interview. We have enjoyed seeing academic, social and emotional growth in our students in 2020. Given the disruptions to learning due to COVID19, the students have certainly shown their resilience and perseverance and we are very pleased to report on their progress. The report format is similar to the semester one report, however, it has gone back to a scale of 5 – Basic, Limited, Sound, High and Outstanding - with 'sound' being at a proficient level for their stage. Next year the Department of Education have indicated that report formats will be revised state-wide to be more in line with Learning Progressions.

Tomorrow we will be taking a group of 8 students to a recording studio – The CAD Factory- near Boree Creek, to record them singing our co-written song 'On Wiradjuri Land'. Neville Bamblett is joining us and will be recorded playing the didgeridoo.

This Thursday is our last day of Kinder 2021 transition. We have certainly enjoyed meeting our new enrolments and making them feel comfortable in their new learning setting. Having transition days has enabled those students to experience a taste of life at school, reduce any anxiety, and help them and us prepare for 2021. Thank you to all families for following our COVID safe plan to enable the transition to go ahead.

Thankfully we have had a reduction in the number of tick sightings and bites this past fortnight. We are doing everything in our power to ensure the students are safe, however, we do need you all to remain vigilant in checking your children for ticks, especially in skin fold areas. It is important you know that the ticks are not the paralytic or poisonous variety, however, if found medical attention is advised to ensure complete removal to avoid a post bite infection, and please ensure you report the finding to the front office by calling 69591858. Once our new fence is erected during the summer holidays, we will then spray the grounds to eradicate any ticks. Spraying the grounds at present is futile as the kangaroos (which bring the ticks in on their bodies) are coming on site daily and we have no way of stopping them. I thank you for your patience and vigilance in this matter.

Please help your child to learn the words on the back of the newsletter for the Advent Pageant.

Have a great week everyone
Liss Routley
Principal

Awards for week 4, term 4

Kindergarten

Jalyon Williams

Improved concentration when reading

Jack Manley

Sharing his knowledge (Remembrance Day)

Nash Light

Displaying tolerance and empathy

Year 1

Zoe Lawrence

Careful painting on the NAIDOC banner

Anneliese Hutchison

An interesting picture made out of pattern blocks

Harry Davies

A great photo of his work with the iPad camera

Jaycee Davison-Dowdy

Fantastic safety skills and enthusiasm while bike riding

Year 2

Mia Whillans

For her participation in snakes and diggerdoo game

Alirah Mullins-Birch

For her participation in snakes and diggerdoo game

Luc Appleby

Working hard in numeracy and literacy

Science awards

Kinder - Hayley Pearson

A detailed discussion (duck)

Year 1 - Harry Davies

Describing the properties of playdough

Year 2 - Samuel Mohr

Designing using different materials

Art/Craft awards

Kinder - Callie Whillans

Carefully painting poppies for Remembrance Day

Year 1 - Casey Quince

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Year 2 - Lachlan Weir

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H.S.I.E. awards

Kinder - Cheyenne Minnick

For a fabulous kookaburra

Year 1 - Lylah Borg

For her participation in NAIDOC activities

Year 2 - Ryder Longford

For his participation in NAIDOC activities



Go for Gold awards

**Rubie Cottom, Aiden Burns, Oliver Brewer,
Isaiah Cottom, Mia Whillans, Samuel Mohr &
Braxton Ivanoff**



Remember



No Hat - No Play



Principal's award

**Hunter Park, Rubie Cottom,
Skylah Cottom & Mia Whillans**



**3 x Principal's awards
Nickolas Cashel-Irrgang**



Sushi \$4.00

**Thursday
19th November**



**Beef Rissoles with Tomato
flavoured rice \$4.50**

Name: _____

Year: _____

Variety Ordered	Number Ordered	Variety Ordered	Number Ordered
Teriyaki Chicken		Chicken Cutlets	
Chicken & Avocado		Vegetable & Mayo	
Smoked Salmon		Tuna & Mayo	
Beef Rissoles with tomato flavoured rice		TOTAL	\$

Orders to be returned with correct money by **Wednesday 18th November**

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NAIDOC WEEK

'Always Was, Always Will Be'



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Major Raffle

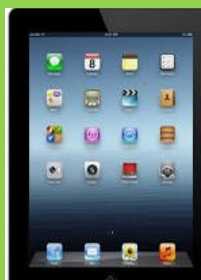
The P&C will be running a major raffle in term 4 to make up for the unfortunate cancellation of our fete due to Covid.

The raffle will be for a 10.2 8th Gen wifi 32g Apple iPad. The funds raised from the raffle will go directly to helping complete the bike track which is currently being constructed at the school. Tickets are \$5 each and will be sold in local businesses around town as well as being sent home for students and families to sell.

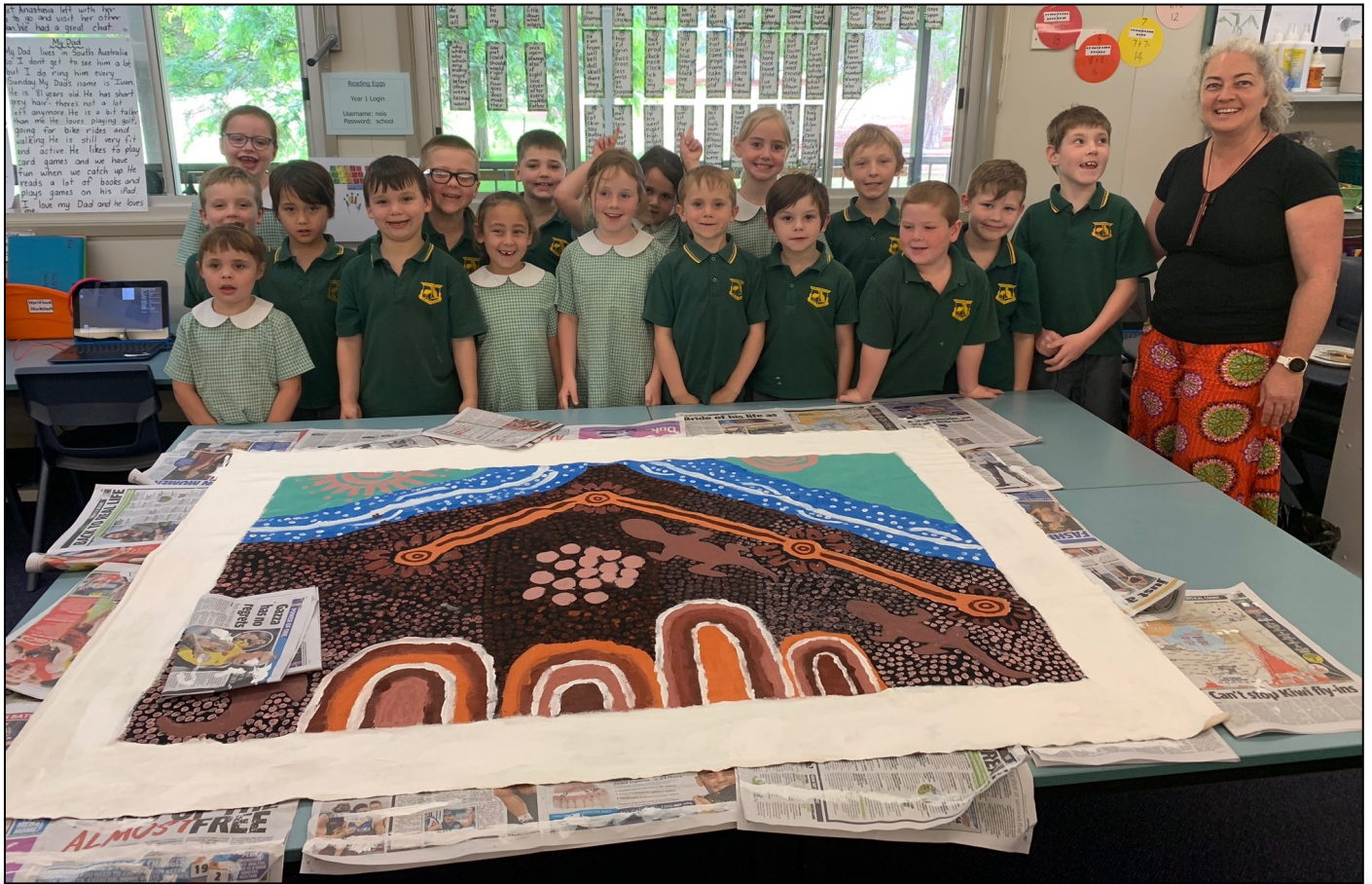
If you sell all your tickets and want more you can get them from the front office. The raffle will be drawn on Presentation Day, Monday 30th Nov.

We encourage all students and families to do their best selling tickets and when they are sold return the raffle tickets and money to the front office.

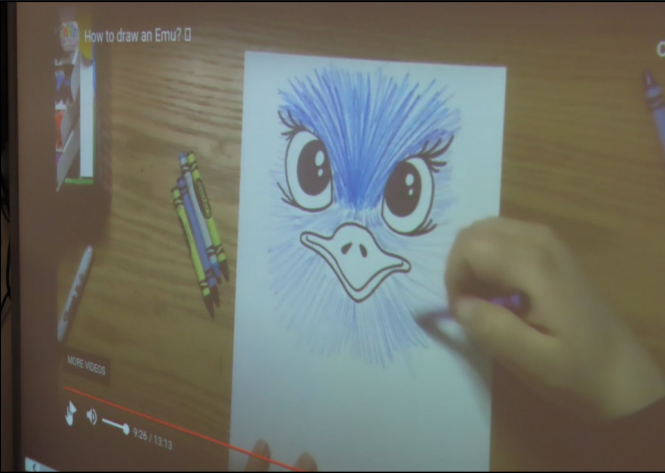
Ticket books are available at the front office if you require more to sell. Good luck everyone!



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We would like to apologise for the mistake in last weeks newsletter, the student in the middle of the photo is Nickolas Cashel-Irrgang not Lachlan Weir as was published.



Congratulations to Ava Rhodes, Nickolas Cashel-Irrgang, Chase Makeham and Jaxson Birks (absent) who were our Book Fair lucky prize winners. Thanks to everyone that purchased books, we raised an amazing \$396.00 worth of commission to purchase new books for our library.

I COULDN'T SLEEP

Words and Music by Charlie Groves

- 1 I couldn't sleep one night,
What did I see?
On that Christmas night,
What did I see?
A star up in the sky,
Radiant and bright,
A star up in the sky on Christmas night.
- 2 I couldn't sleep one night,
What did I see?
On that Christmas night,
What did I see?
Shepherds from the hills,
Running into town,
When they heard the news of Christmas night.
- 3 I couldn't sleep one night,
What did I hear?
On that Christmas night,
What did I hear?
Angels all around,
Singing songs of joy,
Welcoming a child on Christmas night.
- 4 I couldn't sleep one night,
What did it mean?
On that Christmas night,
What did it mean?
The perfect Son of God,
Given to the world
To show the world His love on Christmas night.
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Given to the world
To show the world His love on Christmas night.