

Gathering Week 3 Term 3 2022

Lucky Draw: Tirki, Hayfaa and Jacinta.

Kindergarten - Turtles - Mrs Foldi

Medya: For her outstanding effort in reading.

Elizabeth: For always working hard in all her school work.

Kindergarten - Wombats - Miss McDonald

Zach: For being a hard worker and making great choices.

Mimi: For settling into our classroom and being a resilient friend.

Kinder/1 - Blue Tongue Lizards - Miss Stevenson

Allan: For joining our class with an enthusiastic and helpful attitude.

Tyler: For his hard work and respectful attitude to teachers.

Year 1/2 - Dingoes - Mrs Betts and Ms Furze

Elijah: For making positive choices at all times.

Suaad: For her improvements in reading.

Year 1/2 - Yabbies - Mr Power

Mackenzie: For contributing in class discussions.

Darren: For working hard on sounds and letters.

Year 2/3 - Platypus - Mrs Healy and Ms Coggan

Jennayah: For working hard in all areas.

Layla: For being a kind and helpful class member.

Year 3/4 - Kangaroos - Mrs Harwood and Mrs Paddison

Ryan: For using his integrity.

Rhiley: For using and developing a range of efficient numbers strategy.

Year 3/4 - Koalas - Mr Williams and Ms Ryan

Adel: For resilience and making great friendship choices.

Aidin: For connecting with peers and helping during Maths.

Year 5/6 - Sugar Gliders - Mrs Eastlake

Sabar: For consistency improvement in all areas everyday.

Millie: For being so kind and connecting with her peers.

Year 5/6 - Falcons - Mrs Anderson and Mr D'Gluyas

Yusroh: For being a hardworking class member.

Taj: For settling into class routines and confidently asking questions.

**Respect,
Connect,
Succeed**



Readiness for School commences this week.

Do you know of anyone who has a child who is starting school next year and living in the Drummond Area, they can book a spot with us now.

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Drummond Memorial Public School

DRUMBEAT

TERM 3

WEEK 4

8 August 2022

Important Dates

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Week 4

**8-12 August -
NAIDOC Week**

**Tuesday 9
August**

Year 6 students
to Martins Gully
PS

**Wednesday
10 August - 14
September -**

Puggles class
starts for six
weeks each
Wednesday

**Friday 12 -
Meal Deal**

**Tuesday 16
August
Science Day**

**Thursday 18
August
Gathering**

**Week 6 -
Bookweek and
Parade**

September

7 Photos
13 Touch
Football Gala
Day
14 Puggles last
day for Term 3

This term is going to fly just like the previous two.

This week we are celebrating NAIDOC week. "Get up!, Stand Up!, Show up!.. Celebrating the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. To open our week Mrs Carleigh Eastlake a proud Bunjalung woman and teacher from Tweed Heads. Mrs Eastlake spoke about what the theme means to her and how we all should be getting up, standing up to support others and to have a voice, to be heard, and showing up to do anything you say you are going to do. To be proud of who you are and recognise others for their culture as well.

Tomorrow the students will be participating in a variety of culture activities around the school- some in class, some outside using natural materials and some on technology. We have quite the selection this year. Unfortunately, due to the covid restrictions we cannot have parents in the school this week. We will be holding a BBQ in Book week to celebrate and will be inviting parents into this event.

We will ensure many photos are taken and placed in the following newsletters for you to see.

On Tuesday Year 6 will be traveling to Martins Gully to assist their students in science activities. I am so proud of our students, who are fantastic at STEM, ICT and have the confidence to lead others in their learning.

Our Puggles – Readiness for school class will start on this Wednesday. If you haven't enrolled your child for this please enquire at the front office or call 6772 3736 and then you just need to complete an enrolment form at the office so your little one can start in the 12 week Readiness for school Program.

Thursday: all students will participate in Aboriginal sporting games/ activities. Thank you, teachers for pulling together to support Mima Dave getting these activities arranged for our students.

Friday is the District Athletics carnival at Harris Park. GO DRUMMOND! Thank you to Mrs Healy and Mrs McIntyre for arranging and supporting our athletes to ensure they can compete at this carnival.

We have had quite a few covid cases across the Stage 1 classes so please watch your child for symptoms, any flu or cold like symptoms – do a RAT test, if the symptoms continue, please get a PCR test completed. If you need more RAT tests, please collect some from the office.

PLEASE DO NOT send a sick child to school.

Next week we will be celebrating Science week. The students will be again rotating around the classes participating in a variety of science lessons. These lessons are assisting the teachers cover the science curriculum and the students will be working at achieving their learning outcomes across this day.

Please start talking to your child about Book week, Week 6. We will be holding a book character parade; parents are invited to attend this and stay for an early lunch BBQ. The theme is Dreaming with Eyes Open. There will also be a Book Fair in the library for all to look at and maybe purchase a book or two. The library has some great competitions running across the school so please watch out for them.

There will be a flyer come home later this week. So, starting thinking of the favourite book character and how your child can dress up. Please do not go buying anything, use things found at home.

Have a great week and stay warm and safe. Julie Crompton - Principal

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We are very fortunate to be such a culturally diverse school!

Principal Awardees
Congratulations!



Fire
Ceremony



Raising of the
Aboriginal Flag
for NAIDOC
week.



1/2B inside their new classroom
in the demountable.

