



Dareton Public School Newsletter

7th December 2015

Term 4 Week 10

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Principal's Report

Welcome to week 10 where our Key Value being promoted is: 'Be Strong' - making good choices and being in class, on task. As always we encourage all parents/carers to discuss our Key Value for the week with their child/ren. We appreciate the support each family gives our school in promoting our Key Values of being a Proud; Strong; Smart; and Safe school and community.

Road Safety— Last Friday afternoon a tragic accident occurred on the Silver City Highway. Our thoughts and wishes are extended to the family during this difficult time of loss. It is a timely reminder that we all need to exercise care when on our roads. Children should wear a helmet when riding their bikes or scooters at all times and drivers need to exercise additional caution when driving, particularly in and around school zones. Pedestrians need to exercise special care when walking near or crossing a road at all times.

Kinder Orientation Day— Wednesday 9th— 9am—3pm. A special day has been planned for our 2016 Kinders where we invite them to come to attend our school for the whole day and join with Ms Gold and her class. Further details are available from Ms Gold or our School Office.

2016 Kinder Parent-Carer Information session— An information session for parents and carers of our 2016 Kinders is planned for this Wednesday 9th December at 9am in our Culture Room. Those parents who have not completed an Application to Enrol form can do so on the morning.

Shoe safety— We ask for all children to wear shoes when at school. This is a safety requirement, particularly when in the playground. Thongs and open toed sandals/footwear should not be worn at any time. Thank you for your co-operation.

School Presentation Day— Tuesday 15 December 1pm— K/1 Classroom. We invite all our families to attend our 2015 School Presentation Day. This year it will commence at 1pm in the K/1 classroom and will involve Awards, Presentations and Reports on our 2015 school year and our achievements. At the conclusion of the Presentation Day, parents/carers are welcome to meet with teachers and also to collect 2015 Student Reports. The afternoon will conclude by 3pm.

Ringworm— There have been a few reported cases of Ringworm. Children need to have the ringworm treated and the sores need to be covered entirely for children to attend school. Thank you.

Hugh Twaddle
Principal

Principal's Awards

Sienna

Nikarla

Anthony L

Student of the week

Khiran

Kaylah

Merit Certificates

Shivontae

Missy

Corralane

Malcolm

Attendance Awards

Missy

Raymond

Domanic

Kayln

Kaylah

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School Calendar of Events

2016 School Enrolments— application forms are available from the School

Wednesday 9th December— 9am—3pm 2016 Kinder Orientation Day

Wednesday 9th December— 9.00am 2016 Kinder parent/carer information session in Culture Room

Friday 11 December—9am— Year 5 Captain Speeches during assembly.

Tuesday 15th December— 1pm, 2015 School Presentation day

Wednesday 16th December—Last day of School for students





Classroom Visit

Kindergarten Students – 2016

Wednesday 29th December 2015

Dear Parent / Carer,

Your child is invited to attend an open classroom visit in the K/1 Room on Wednesday 9th December 2015

Time: 9am to 3pm

This will give them an opportunity to:

- *Meet some of the current Kindergarten students*
- *Familiarise themselves with the class room*
- *Get to know Lisa and Ms Gold*

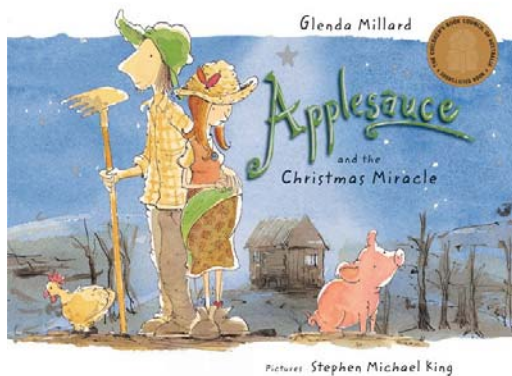
PARENT INFORMATION SESSION

There will be a parent information session commencing at 9am in the Culture Room.

K/1 News

Applesauce and the Christmas Miracle Glenda Millard

This week Kindergarten students will listen to and participate in literacy activities inspired by the book Applesauce.



Gingerbread Playdough Ingredients

1 cup plain flour
1/4 cup cooking salt
2 tsp Cream of Tartar
1 cup water
2 TBSP oil
2 tsp Cinnamon
2 tsp ground Ginger
1 tsp Nutmeg
1 tsp Cloves



*I would like to invite
all parents & carers
to our School
Presentation Day.*

Next Tuesday

*15th December
2015*

*I look forward to
celebrating the
achievements of all
students at
Dareton Public
School.*



Paper Cup Christmas Decorations

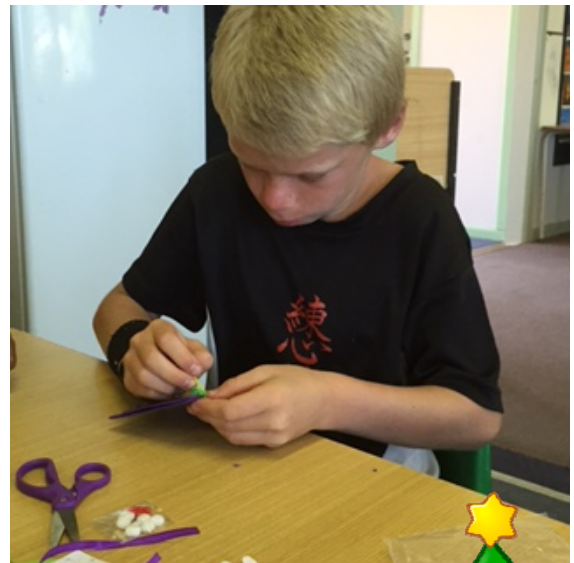
Last Friday we started to make Christmas decorations. Some of the decorations involved paper cups. I was impressed with the enthusiasm and persistence of all students to follow instructions and complete each task.

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Have a great week
Donna Gold & Lisa Andrews

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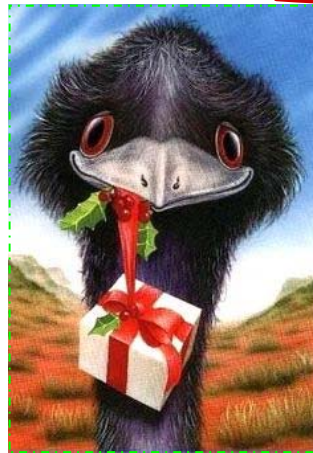
Christmas Craft



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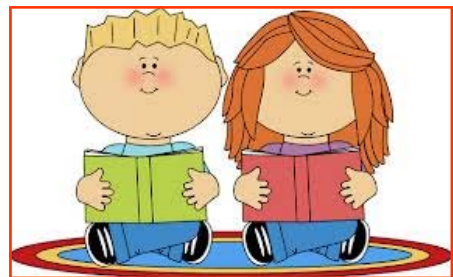
Dareton Dollars

On Friday students will have the opportunity to purchase some goodies from our final Dareton Dollar shop for the year. Congratulations to all the students from Goannas who will be going shopping on Friday !



As the year comes to an end I wish to thank the students in Goannas for their efforts this year. To the parents and carers thank you for your continued support in helping your children at home and at school. From the students and myself a big thankyou to our wonderful student learning support officers Candice Johnson, Dawn King and Brandon Kirby you played an important role in the Goannas classroom throughout the year.
Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

As the year draws to an end could you help your child find any outstanding readers and return them to school,



Students in Goannas have been busy making Christmas decorations for our classroom.



Playgroup

We are looking for new members to join our playgroup

Held in the SaCC (Schools as Community Centres) Room at Dareton Public School

Tues: 11:00am – 1:00 pm

Playgroups are a fun way for children under 5 to learn and develop new skills, explore, discover and socialise.

Carers will also enjoy meeting other caregivers to have a yarn, make new friends, share ideas and play!

Mums, Dads, Nans, Pops, Aunties and Uncles

Everyone is welcome.

For more information, please contact

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Or

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Presentation Day

Tuesday 15th December

1pm



All Welcome