Principal’s Report

The Education Week Performance will take place on Thursday, 30th July. Each school will present an item and films. Information is attached. We hope all the students will attend to perform this item. Tickets are here at the school.

The Removal of the Trees took place on the last weekend of the holidays. We felt it necessary after the scare from last year when one of the pine trees uprooted and fell miraculously away from the classroom. Thank you to Mel and Dan Kidd, Su King, Dennis Reed, Jeremy Clear, Trent Tonissen, Charlie Burton and Ian Sellers. Thank you also to the students who assisted especially with the watering down of the shade sails – Hunter, Cooper, Jaidyn and Gabby. A special thanks to Ray Jamieson and crew for the machinery and Mark Reed for the fire truck to be at the ready.

Christmas in July is happening again this Saturday. It was a great evening last year so make sure your seat is booked. There is a fantastic raffle in conjunction with this event. The tickets are attached.

Yesterday was a successful celebration of NAIIDOC Week. Thank you to everyone for the fast return of permission notes on Friday. The students had a wonderful day yesterday. Some comments and photos are reported in the newsletter.

Carol Sellers
Principal

Around the School

During the final week of Term 2 the students achieved their Fast and Frequent total, earning them a dress-up and movie day. The students came as their favourite movie character, and the costumes looked amazing! Fantastic effort to all students for reaching their total – keep up the safe, respectful and responsible work!

Yesterday Delegate Public School joined the other schools in the areas and participated in NAIDOC Day at Bombala High School. The event was a huge success with students learning how to throw a boomerang, engaging in Aboriginal dancing, canvas painting and studying Aboriginal artifacts. The students represented Delegate Public School with pride. More photos are published on the final page of the newsletter.
Classroom News

This fortnight in K12
During Numeracy lessons the class have been revising/learning their number combinations. Kindergarten and Year One have focused on their *Friends of Ten* (numbers that equal to ten). Year Two have been practising their quick recall and learning how to segment number problems using common combinations. Hand-on manipulatives and digital equipment have supported the students with their skill development and reinforcement.

Important Dates

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Platypus Pride Award

Callan
Respectful
Sharing in the playground

Book Corner News

Congratulations to the following students for incredible reading at home.

Emily Gilbert
Robyn Mikula
Student Spotlight

Georgie Dunn
Year Two

What is your favourite food?
Tuna Casserole

What have you learnt at school this week?
NAIDOC Celebrations – In their language sasa means please and thank you

What do you like about living in Delegate?
Its fun and not too busy

What did you like about the weekend?
I get to play with the puppies and ride my horse

NAIDOC Day comments

Thoughts about the day from the 345 class:

Callan: I learnt all about different types of boomerangs and I walked around and let them feel the kangaroo skin.

Brigid: I learnt how to throw a boomerang. The Aboriginal people dance about the earth and the sky.

Courtney: The Aboriginal people have dances about everything even about your fingers.

Hunter: They killed the animals for food and used the sinew for strapping axes.

Ajay: They make boomerangs from the stumps of trees and some look like animals such as the emu.

Mackenzie: The boomerang that kills emus hooks behind its knees and then it falls over.

Alex: I learnt that when you are doing something always breathe.

Attachments

• DaBBs Education Week Performance poster
• Raffle tickets, Christmas in July, please return by Friday, 24th July or on the night.
NAIDOC Day at Bombala