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Important Dates to Remember!

**Thursday
26th November**
K/1/2 Safe Dog Day

**Friday
27th November**
**Inverell Times
supplement**
Kindergarten
Transition

**Friday
4th December**
Carols by Candlelight

**Intensive
Swimming Dates**
December 3rd, 10th,
11th, 14th, 15th &
16th

Library Days

Wednesday- Infants Class

Friday-Primary Class

Sport

Wednesday

Delungra Public School

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Musica Viva Excursion

Last Tuesday our students travelled to Gum Flat for a Musica Viva performance, "Global Song and Dance". Our students enjoyed socialising and playing with the Gum Flat students before the performance.

The performance was a great opportunity for our students to see a live music performance and expand their knowledge of music. These live shows are always a high quality interactive learning experience.

Musica Viva Reflections

"It was fun, they had drums and two sticks. All the kids got into different circles, the people in the front made smaller circles and the ones at the back made bigger circles."

Storm

"They had a saxophone, it made a soft noise. We all got into 10 different circles, the circles kept changing, getting bigger and smaller."

Tallan

"They had a big base drum and a small base drum, a guitar, a flute, wooden spoons and microphones. The music was fast and when it stopped we had to clap."

Aiden

"I liked it when they choose different instruments to play and hearing them play the music together."

Maddison

I liked when we got to go up and play some of the instruments with them and when we choose the different instruments for them to play."

Chelsea

"It was wonderful, having all the different instruments played. The music was great and hearing the songs they had written and sang was fantastic."

Troy

Intensive Swimming

Our swimming will be held in the last two weeks of school at a cost of \$25 per students. Our students will have 12 swimming lessons in

total. During our learn to swim all students will travel to Bingara and participate in 2 swimming lessons each day. The lessons will be separated by lunch and a break.

Our first day is next Thursday, attached is the permission note. Please return permission note and money by **Monday 30th November**.

Kindergarten Transition

This Friday 27th November we will have another whole day transition for our 2016 kindergarten students.

Our last Kindergarten day for the term will be 4th December – full day.

High School Transition

Last Thursday 19th November our Year 6 students completed their full day transition at Macintyre High. Both Blake and Shae had a great day and enjoyed sharing their high school experiences. We will be sad to see our year 6 leave, but we know that they are prepared and ready to start their next educational adventure.

Dog Safety Day

A Pet Safe instructor along with her lovely Labrador dog will visit K/1/2 students on Thursday at 2-00pm.

The session will teach our children dog awareness skills, how to approach dogs and what to do in difficult situations. Understanding dog behaviour and the way to approach them is a very important skill for children to learn.

Inverell Times Supplement

This Friday 27th November Delungra Public School will feature in the Inverell Times schools supplement. Grab a copy to show your family and friends what a great school we have and catch up on some of the exciting opportunities our students have had this year.

Primary News

This week we are enjoying our new carpet and the changes we have made in our room. Our classroom is a great learning environment and we are very happy with our improvements.

In Science our students are continuing to learn about simple machines and the roles they play in our lives. During maths we will be expanding our knowledge of fractions.

K/1/2 News

This is our last week looking at the book study on "Where the Forest Meets the Sea" by Jeannie Baker. Students have thoroughly enjoyed this book study and have learnt the importance of conserving our environment.

In class we will be learning narrative texts, this week students will be constructing their own narrative text to share with the new Kindergarten students next week. The classes grammar focus is Antonyms. Kindergarten will be revising all letters names and sounds.

During maths all students will be learning about number patterns. Students can practise this skill by skip counting at home.

So far this term K/1/2 students have enjoyed learning about transport, how it has changed over time and how it helps us everyday. This week students will finish designing and making their own form of transport.

Homework will be sent out this week along with a new home reader if students have returned their last one. Please remember that home readers are able to be changed each day. Library is on Wednesday so please bring in your books.

If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact me at school. Mrs James

ANZAC Spirit- Jayden



Super Sport- Edward



Photo Gallery

Musica Viva

