



ULAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 18

TERM 3 Week 10

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Today, Friday 18th September is the last day of term. Students return on TUESDAY 6th OCTOBER.

Have a safe and happy holiday!!

ABORIGINAL ARTEFACT VISIT

On Monday the 14th of September we had a special visitor from Wilpinjong mine.

Her name was Tanietta and she came to share her stories and show us some Aboriginal artefacts.

We learnt about the sections of the Aboriginal flag. The bottom red represented the land, the top black represented the people and the yellow circle represented the sun.

Tanietta showed us so many artefacts including; coolamons, shields, spears and different types of boomerangs, axes, and special rocks that were used to shape and carve tools.

We had a turn at the clapping sticks and the emu distractor.

She taught us how to say "good day" in Aboriginal language, which is Yiradhu Marang and we listened to her speak in Aboriginal language. It was very interesting and fun to learn new things and to see the different Aboriginal tools and instruments.



CASSILIS SPORTS COACHING DAY

On Friday 9th October we will be attending a special Sports Coaching Day at Cassilis Public School. Students will participate in a variety of coaching activities. Travel will be by car. The permission note will be sent home after the holidays.

FIRE SAFETY WORKSHOP

Staff and students will participate in a Fire Safety Workshop being coordinated by staff from NSW Rural Fire Service on Wednesday 7th October.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Our school photos will be taken on Monday 12th October at 9.30am.

GREEN DAY by Stephanie White

On Thursday the 10th of September Years 4 and 5 went to Mudgee Showground to participate in Green Day. The first activity wasn't very exciting because we had to look at dirt and worms. The second activity was making crayons. We made them out of dirt and waxy water. We also painted pictures out of dirt paint. The most exciting activity was the Bunnings one. We got to play with dirt. We got to take an apron each. After that we had lunch provided for us. We had sausage sandwiches. When we were finished we saw a Science Show. I was an assistant and I had to hold a piece of lino. Then we got a worm farm and got in the car and returned to school.

THE TERM AHEAD

Tuesday: First day of Term 4

Wednesday: Fire Safety Workshop

School banking

Library Day

Melties

Friday: Cassilis Sports Coaching Day