



NEWSLETTER

Adaminaby Public School 2019 | Term 2 | Week 1



Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden

Friday 3rd May will be our next SAKG day. K-2 Cooking and 3-6 gardening.

Monday Munchies

Next up:

Mon 6th May - Lucas

Monday 13th May- Stephens

Mon 20th May- Willcocks

Monday 27th - Walker

Sports Uniform:

Shay Cuthbert has advised that the sports uniforms are ready for pick up upon payment. Please send in your \$20 to school to collect your new sports shirts that were ordered last term.



150th Anniversary - A huge Success

What a brilliant way to celebrate 150 years of continuous public education in Adaminaby. The festivities were a fitting tribute to a much loved part of the community. Our P&C shone brightly with the beautiful book of memoirs and the pavers for sale, along with the delicious lunch on offer. The grounds were spectacular with our new softfall enhancing the gardens. I'm sure every member of our current school community felt proud of how amazing the school grounds looked.

A highlight for many of our guests were the student performances. I had many compliments on how professional our leaders carried out their roles. I also had remarks on how moving their singing was of both the school song and We Are Australian. Mrs. Salvestro particularly loved the robots display.

The most loved part of the day for everyone was undoubtedly the Maypole Dances in period costumes. Special thanks to Mrs. Wall who did an amazing job preparing us all, as did Valmai for dressing us.





Upcoming Events

Day	Date	Event
Tue	30th April	First Day term 2
Fri	3rd May	SAKG
Thursday	9th May	Assembly 2.45pm
Tuesday	14th May	NAPLAN
Wed	15h May	NAPLAN
Thurs	16th May	NAPLAN
Fri	10th May	RIVERS athletics
Wed	22nd May	Music - Mrs Wall National Simultaneous Storytelling
Thurs	23rd May	Assembly 2.45pm

Recent Notes

Note	Due
Rivers Athletics Notes	Tuesday 7th May
Parent-teacher interviews	Tuesday 7th
Vamai's fundraiser in Cooma (2/6/19)	Tuesday 14th May

Particular thanks to Kerrie who managed the entire 12 months of meetings and co-ordinated many of the finer details including advertising, planning and researching much of the history along with creating many of the displays.

The day will be remembered by many for a long time to come. I know all of the staff are incredibly proud of the school, our community and especially our students.

ANZAC Day

Thank you to the many families who attended the April 25th Anzac Day service in Adaminaby. Mrs. Sullivan was very proud of our students and enjoyed being involved in the ceremony.

State Swimming

Congratulations to our P6 swim relay team who represented Adaminaby at the State carnival in Homebush last term. The girls overcome there fears to do a terrific job in the pool. They had a terrific experience and learnt a lot about what it takes to swim at an elite level. I hope you caught them in the The Monaro Post this week?

STEM Share Kit



Our students made the most of their opportunities with the STEM share kit right up until the last week of term 1. Their Lego We-do creations were sensational. The kit will now make it's way to Nimmitabel Public School for term 2. A big thank you to Kelly Burke who was able to spend 4 days with us during term 1 to get us solving technological and programming problems.

District Cross Country

In week 10 last term, all of our students 8 years and older competed in the Cross-Country event in Nimmitabel. In true Adaminaby style, all students tried their best and ran beautifully. Congratulations to Kaitlyn Lucas who was awarded under 11's champion and will go on to race in the regional X-C event in Nowra this term.

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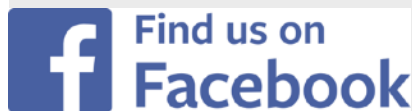
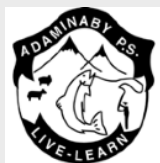
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**Netball Gala Day**

Last term our years 3-6 students joined with Nimmitabel school to play in the Netball Gala day. This is a very popular event and was a terrific experience for all involved. Our students developed their netball skills and enjoyed working as a team with each other.

Sport in Term 2

I was notified that our school was unsuccessful in receiving the Sporting Schools grant for term 2 due an increased demand. This means we will not hold the 4 sessions of cricket I had hoped we could afford. Instead, we will focus on developing our athletics skills as well as other fundamental movement skills such as batting, catching and kicking. Term 3 sport will include School Snowsports and plans are underway for 3 days in Selwyn and 2 in Perisher.

Rivers Athletics Carnival

Next Friday 10th May, the Rivers athletics carnival will be held in Dalgety again. Permission notes will be sent home this week. The district event will follow 3 weeks later in Cooma on 30th May for those who qualify.

NAPLAN Online begins week 3

Students in years 3 and 5 will sit the NAPLAN assessment in week 3 of this term. Those students will receive more information regarding the schedule and what this involves for them. This year is the first time the assessment will be done online.

Old Kiandra Schoolhouse Maintenance

Our kitchen is scheduled to get a new roof this term. This is a very precious building to us and for the history of our region, and as such, the building is actually heritage listed. Work will begin on the roof this week. We hope that it won't impact on our kitchen garden program.

Parent-Teacher meetings

Mrs. Sullivan and I would like to hold parent teacher meetings in week 3 this term. We will send home a schedule for you to indicate your preferred time slot during the week.

Valmai's invitation to our students



As you know, our costumes for the 150th were kindly supplied at no cost to the school by Valmai from Harmony House in Cooma. Valmai was so impressed with our performance she has invited us to participate in a fundraiser for Kyla Hedger from Berridale who desperately requires a new chair so that she can sit up and be a part of her world. Mrs Wall and myself have agreed to support Valmai in her fundraising efforts for Kyla. The event will be held on Sunday 2nd June, at the Cooma Ex-Serviceman's Club at 2pm. Students can perform

bush dances in the same costumes that they wore for the 150th. Expressions of interest will be sent home shortly.

The new Soft-fall



Our new soft fall is installed and looks terrific. It is certainly high quality and the children love playing on it. A very big thank you to our P&C, particularly Karen Maguire who headed up the team with the task of applying for the community grant that allowed us to make the purchase of \$44,000. This has been a fantastic addition to our school and community that we will enjoy well into the future.

Mrs. Baff fundraising for mcCr

What an amazing community event to be a part of. We raise money for local cancer patients on the Monaro. I'm sure that the mcCr committee asked me to participate because of my connection with Adaminaby. I will be dancing, yes dancing, in the Monaro Spectacular as a part of the Mountain Groovers (you may have seen our posters around town). The aim of the game is to raise money for this worthy community cause. We will be holding a Day at the Distillery this Sunday and I would love to see you there (tickets available at eventbrite.com). Or you can simply make a donation of any size to our gofundraise page <https://monarospectacular.gofundraise.com.au/payments/donate/page/711059> Thank you.

