

Edensor Park Public School

NEWSLETTER



22nd November 2012

Mini Fete

The Mini Fete was a huge success thanks to all staff, parents and students! The rain managed to hold off (although I did get a little wet, apparently it only rained where I was!) so all stalls could run according to plan. The children need to be congratulated for having their best manners and behaviour during the Fete. It was great to see the coloured hair, painted faces, tattoos, show bags, many prizes, delicious food and happy faces around the school. The money raised from Mini Fete goes towards the Year 6 Farewell. Special thanks to Miss Moisisdis for the time you have put into organising this wonderful event for the children.

High School Orientation Day

Year 6 students will be involved in a High School Orientation visit on Monday 5th December. Parents are reminded that you will need to take your child/ren to the high school on this day. If your child is going to a Catholic or Independent high school next year, you will need to check with the school for the orientation dates. The students will get to know their new school, teachers and meet some of the student leaders. The change to high school can be an uncertain and anxious time for some children but I am sure this experience will help alleviate any fears they might have. It is a great opportunity to meet children from other schools and start making some new friends. We look forwards to hearing about your day when you come back to school on the Tuesday.

Firemen Visit



I was a little concerned on Monday morning when the Firemen were in the office and a fire truck was in the car park! The students from Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 had a visit from our local Fire Station reinforcing the issue of safety around fires and what to do in an emergency. The children had a look at the fire truck and were able to hold the hose and spray it onto the grass. We would like to thank the firemen who attended and reinforced some very important safety messages with our younger students.

Reports

Teachers are busy writing end of year reports at the moment and will be sent home during Week 10. There is an English, Maths and General comment on each child's report. Please take the time to read the report carefully and discuss it with your child. If you have any questions about the report, make an appointment with your child's teacher to discuss it further.

End of year celebrations

The weeks are flying past and Christmas is approaching but we still have some end of year celebrations to watch out for. Presentation Day, Year 6 Farewell, Parent Helper Morning Tea and Christmas Concert will be happening during Week 10. The dates for each event are on the back of the newsletter.

T. McCosker

Asst Principal



Help! The fish need their house cleaned!

Our fish aren't happy! Their aquarium is in need of a good clean and we just don't have the time or the ability to do it properly.

If anyone can spare some time and expertise to bring a sparkle back to the tank, we would love to hear from you. Please come and see the ladies in the office if you can help.

Absence Notification—If you know that your child is going to be away, call the office and let us know! Class Rolls can be adjusted on the spot, and there will be no need for you to write a note.



School Uniform Recall —Earlier this year we had a batch of girls summer uniforms that were faulty. We put out a note, recalling this stock so that the dresses could be replaced.

If there is anyone out there still needing to swap, please bring your faulty uniform in this week.

There are a few

Show Bags

left to sell for

\$6:00

each



They are available from the office, while stocks last!



2 Hours
 + 18 Stalls
 + 286 excited kids
 + Parents, friends, & teachers
 = Lots of fun
 and \$4800
PROFIT!!

Thanks to everyone who contributed towards the success of the Mini Fete held last Wednesday. The food stalls provided the energy needed to participate in all the fun activities.

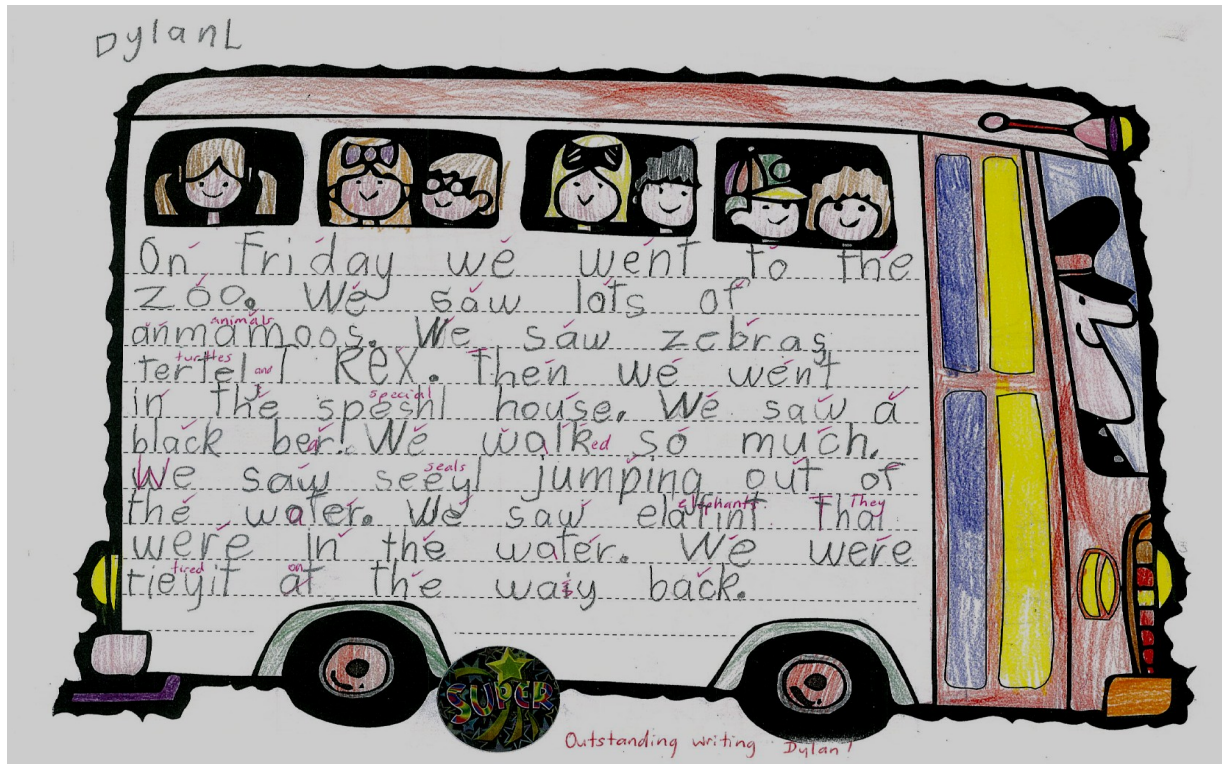
We would like to thank all the people who donated things to the Mini Fete:

- ◆ Our wonderful parents
- ◆ Coles
- ◆ Gloria Jean
- ◆ Featherdale Wildlife
- ◆ Calmsley Hill
- ◆ Tik Tocs
- ◆ Taronga Zoo
- ◆ St John's Park Bowling Club
- ◆ Marconi Club

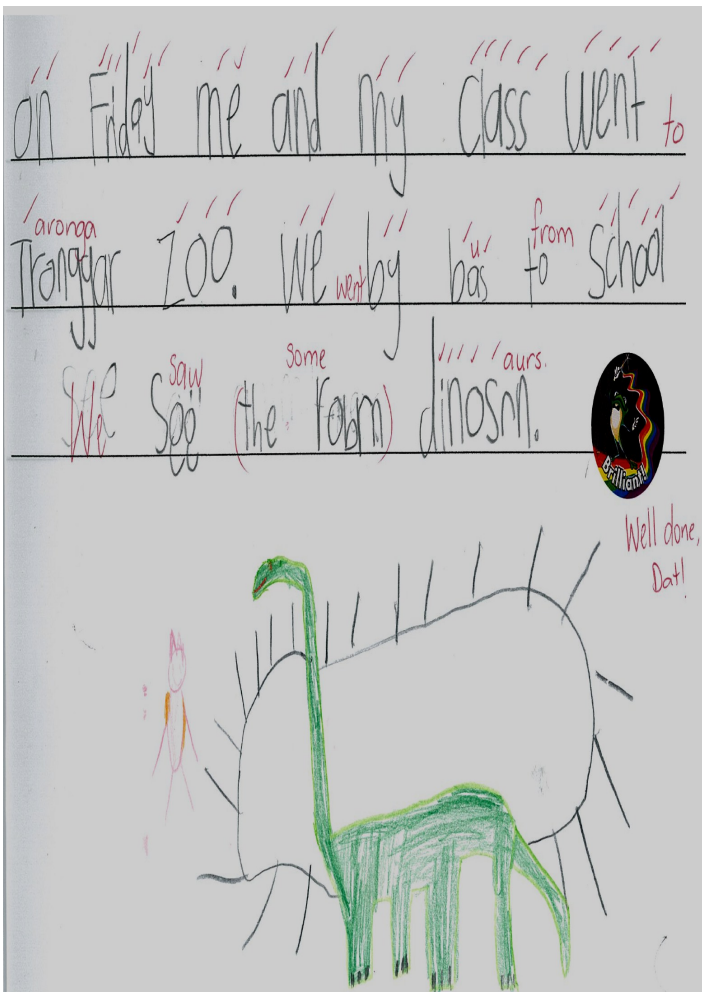
We would never be able to raise as much money without your generous donations.

Thank you!

KA & KL visited the zoo

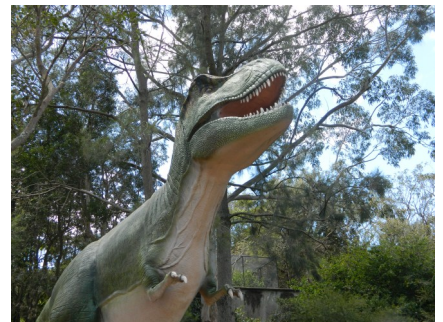
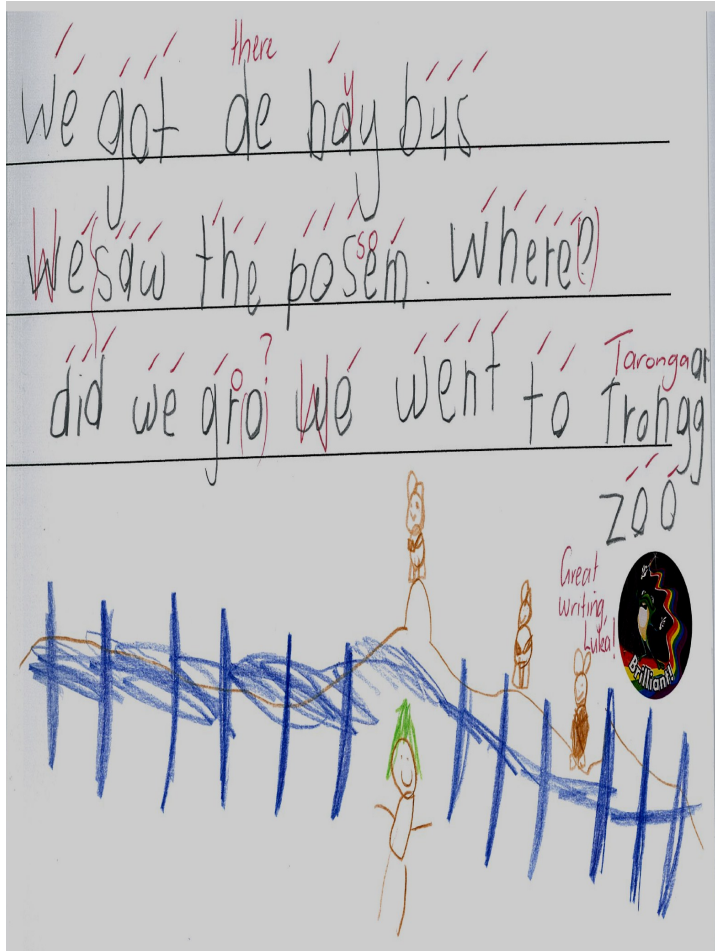


At Edensor Park School we are very proud of our Kindergarten children's ability to write beautifully structured sentences.

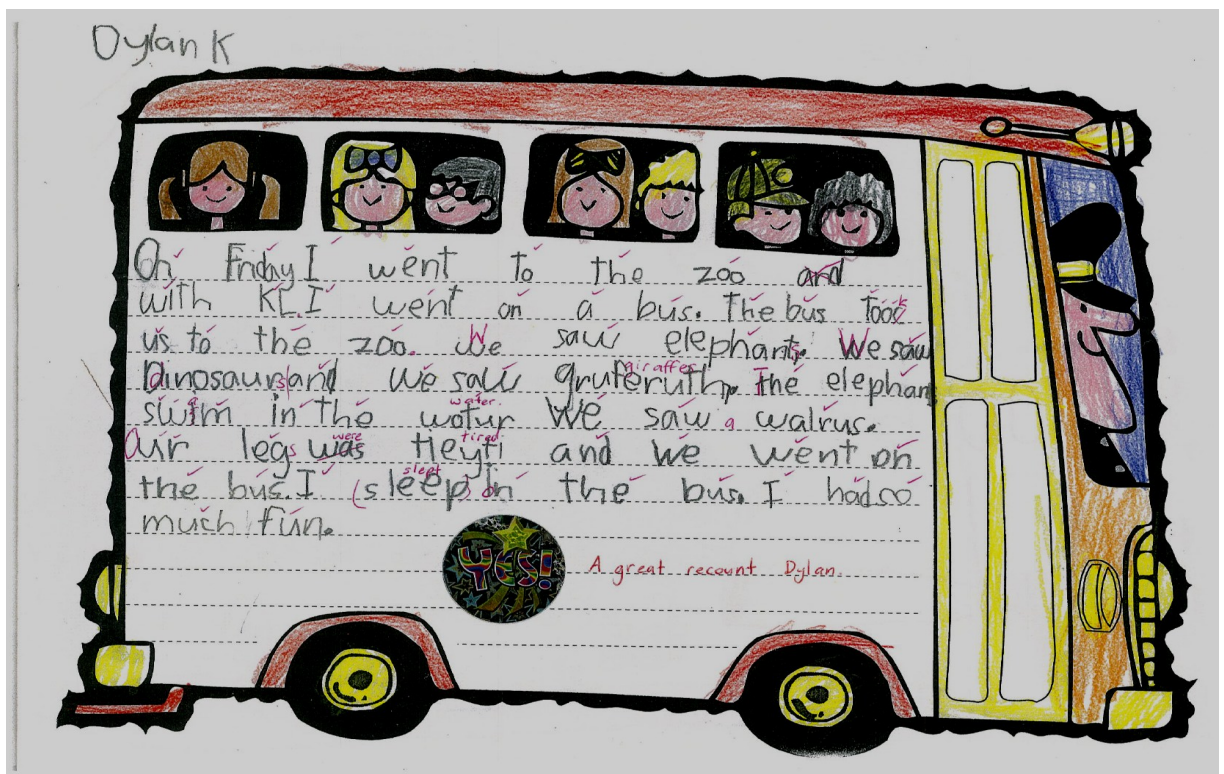




On Friday, 2nd November, KL & KA went to Taronga Zoo. We saw lots of animals and dinosaurs! We were so excited on our first excursion and had lots of fun. Our legs were so tired by the end of the day and some of us had a little nap on the bus on the way back to school.



... and they really did see a dinosaur!





MERIT AWARDS

KA	Jeremy Broome Cathrine Naser Zander Angeleski Darcy Morgan
KL	Emily Talevska Paris Giorgio Dylan Kusnadi Tye Giorgio
1C	Maryam George Andy Butrs Rhiannon Morgan Michael Lo Bianco
1P	Janina Lim Marcus Victoria Joseph Le Onella Dawood
1/2K	Kye Konemann Jeremy Jago Owen Choyce Danijela Bobanovic
2/3L	Sebastian Ghisso Joshua Talevski Damian Gutierrez Megan Duong
3S	Yohana Al-Saddawi Esho Samano Catrin George Yohana Al-Daqaq
4Y	Ramena Fredoun Sarah Lewis
5V	Alven Shamoun Tiffany Baker Tatijana Moric
5/6J	Cynthia Ninh Chelsea Pham Rebecca Cresswell
6L	Vivien Pham Johnathan Neth Hieu Nguyen Jamie-Lea Sembler

PEER AWARDS



KA	Dominic Silic Patrick Sadeth
KL	Tye Giorgio Dylan Luu
1C	Elayna Nguyen Nathan Truong
1P	Tahlia Zlomislic Jacob Noumeh Sabreen Hassan Evelyn Thai
1/2K	Danijela Bobanovic Daniel Abbasi
2/3L	Jason Whittle Halyna Nguyen
3S	Paul Younan Natasha Peters
4Y	Alex Syromahos
5V	Tiffany Baker Joel Simpson Rachael Gandjou
5/6J	Sonita Sin Dragon Soumpholphakdy Christian Pallas
6L	Jovana Kolar Alyssa Tran

SPORT AWARDS



KA:	Talia Coletti
KL:	Laura Tashman
1C:	Ashlyn Bui, Rhiannon Morgan
1P:	Natasha Kapitanovic
1/2K:	Nicholas Bet Dashto, Princston Le
2/3L:	Megan Pham, Jason Whittle
3S:	Stella Athanasiou, Umar Babu
4Y:	Ben Skoric, Joshua Yalda
5V:	Anthony Chau, Ethyn Toon
5/6J:	Tommy Le, Jack Nguyen
6L:	Alyssa Tran, Vince Luca

P&C News

Our next P&C meeting will be held on **Wednesday, 28th November 2012, at 4pm**, in the staffroom. Everyone welcome.



HALLOWEEN DISCO



Children had a great night at the disco on the 1st November. A big 'Thank you' to all our helpers: Mrs Jenny Tran and her children, Edensor Park Butchery, Mr Rogers at Bakers Delight, Carnes Hill. Your contributions helped enormously to make this night such a huge success.



Christmas Hamper



This week we are asking for donations of Christmas Decorations, Baskets, Wrapping Paper, Paper/Plastic Christmas Plates etc, for our Christmas Hamper Raffle. Remember, there is a prize for the class who brings in the most items!

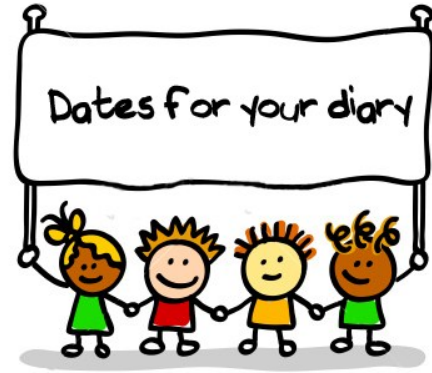


Enrol now for Kindergarten 2013



Children who turn five before 31st July 2013 are eligible to start school next year.

If you have a child, or you know of any children in Edensor Park who will be ready to start school next year, please call into the office now for an enrolment form.



Dates to Remember



NOVEMBER

- 28th P & C Meeting
- 28th Talent Quest

DECEMBER

- 5th High School Orientation Day
- 11th Presentation Day
- Year 6 Farewell
- 14th Parent Helper Morning Tea
- Christmas Concert
- 19th End of Term



2013



Yr 1 - 6 : Wednesday 30 January
Kindergarten : Thursday, 31 January

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