



Tambar Springs

Public School



Newsletter

Friday , 2nd August 2019

Term 3 Week 2 2019

Principal's Message

NAIDOC Celebrations at Mullaley.

The first day back found us at Mullaley with students from Carroll for NAIDOC week which was held in the holidays.

Miss Short greeted us and we had a quick choir rehearsal with Mr Brown.

Mixed age groups from all schools rotated in half hour blocks on a number of activities.

James Hogden was there to teach dance and how to throw the boomerang. There was a yarning circle situated in the corner of the playground where a fire was being tended to. All to make the perfect Johnny cake.

Mrs Lush worked with the students to use authentic Aboriginal symbols to decorate their boomerangs. There were also a Language and an art class with Miss Short and Miss Birkett. All the students got into the spirit of the day and requested hand painted symbols on their faces.

Mr Carter provided the sausages for lunch and everyone finished their first day making a new friend, learning new words and being a part of this wonderful ancient culture.

Congratulations Millie!

Congratulations to speedster Millie Nelson! Millie has qualified to go to Zone at Gunnedah on the 24th of August, coming 2nd in the 100m girls final.



Main photo: Students

celebrate NAIDOC Day.

DATES TO REMEMBER—

Friday, August 2nd—

*Education Week rehearsal
at Gunnedah Town Hall

Friday, August 9th—

*Education Week
performance at Gunnedah
Town Hall. All Welcome.

Wednesday, August 21st—

* Pupil-free day—no
school on this day.

* AgQuip

Every Tuesday—Scripture
lessons

Every Friday—Library day



National Tree Day.

As part of National Tree Day our community members and students planted thirty tube stock in our garden beds. The students were excited about planting and growing native plants that will thrive in our local soil.

The plants were generously donated by Taylor Ford and Toyota in Gunnedah. The students received gloves and shirts for the occasion. We look forward to the plants of Lomandra, Lilly Pilly and Saltbush growing so we can use them for craft and cooking. Thank you to Taylor Ford for delivering them complete with tree guards for protection. In time the trees will provide a valuable resource to our planet.



Our Kindergarten students, Andrea and Zac , are learning about maths language.

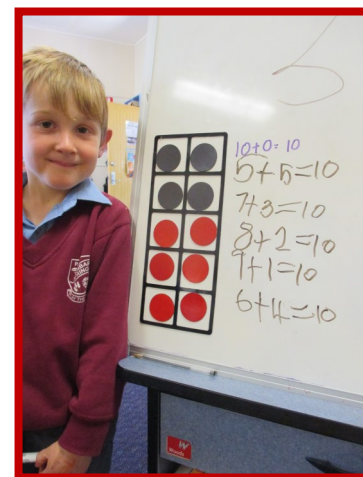
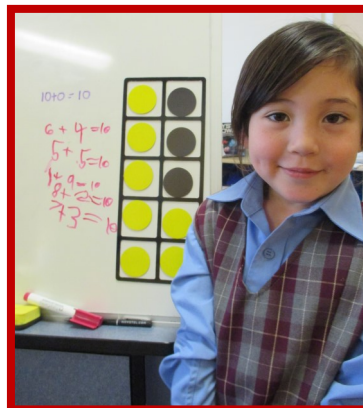
Understanding the word 'between'
and how it relates to maths
language.



Understanding how to use 'inside' and
'outside' as part of maths language.



Representing friends
of 10



Students designed
their own foam prints
as a follow-up to
NAIDOC Week.
See Miss Vanessa's
Goanna.



Picking and weighing the tomatoes from our garden



Dementia Friendly Town

Prevention □ Understanding □ Healthy ageing □ Activity □ Caring

Every 3 seconds someone in the world develops dementia.

Knowing how to help and understand the challenges they face you can make people living with dementia, feel accepted and safe.

For more information or to RSVP by 29 August for catering, please contact Fiona Robertson on 6792 5514.

Please join Senior Primary Health Care Nurse Fiona Robertson for an informative presentation on dementia and how to make your town more dementia friendly. Health checks and a light lunch will be provided.

**Friday, 30 August
11am - 2pm
Tambar Springs Emporium
Wellness Centre**

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NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND
AND CENTRAL COAST
An Australian Government department

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Namoi Partner Schools Education Week Assembly

Friday, August 9

11AM

GUNNEDAH TOWN HALL

We hope that you join us as we acknowledge outstanding contributors to Public Education within our local community.

Boggabri Public School
Carroll Public School
Curlewis Public School
GS Kidd Memorial School
Gunnedah High School
Gunnedah Public School
Gunnedah South Public School
Mullaley Public School
Tambar Springs Public School



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