Primary Report...

Last week, the Primary students travelled to Melbourne with Miss Patton and Mr Gorman for their School Excursion.

The students travelled to Cootamundra by car and then caught the XPT train from Cootamundra, all of the way into Melbourne. They stayed at the Melbourne Metro YHA, which boasted a rooftop beanbag room with stunning views of Melbourne.

Whilst in Melbourne, the students had the experience of catching public transport, such as trains and trams. They visited the Spotswood Scienceworks Museum, where they watched a "Cool Stuff" show which was all about solids, liquids and gases. Then the students had the opportunity to explore the "Think Ahead" Technology section, Alice in Wonderland and Sportsworks exhibitions.
Whilst in Melbourne, the students had an ice-skating lesson, and an opportunity to do some free skating at the Medibank Icehouse. They all had lots of fun and laughs doing this.

On the Wednesday morning, the students visited the Old Melbourne Gaol and received a tour on the history of Melbourne’s crime and justice. They learnt that Ned Kelly was hanged in the gaol, which they all found extremely interesting.
The students then walked around the Melbourne CBD. They looked at the famous street art in Hosier Lane, and then they caught a red, double, decker bus which did a tour around Melbourne. It bypassed the Melbourne Aquarium, Eureka Skydeck, Crown Entertainment Complex, South Wharf, Harbour Town and the Melbourne Star, Etihad Stadium, Queen Victoria Market, Royal Melbourne Zoo, and the famous Lygon Street to name a few.

Later that afternoon, the students visited the Melbourne Museum. They explored the science and life gallery which was full of creepy crawlies! They then journeyed through the rainforest to the Melbourne Gallery where they learnt all about the history of Melbourne. The students even snapped a picture with Phar Lap!
One of the most exciting highlights of the trip was the State of Origin game II which was held on the Wednesday night at the Melbourne Cricket Ground. The students experienced the exciting atmosphere of the pre-origin entertainment, including the amazing fireworks display! They experienced the excitement of seeing Andrew Johns and Laurie Daley up close, and were very excited to see NSW come away with the win, the majority of NSW tries being scored right in front of our goal end! The students were also lucky enough to wait for a taxi alongside Molly Meldrum!
On the Thursday morning, the students visited the Sealife Melbourne Aquarium. They saw many interesting marine life, including a rockpool of starfish, crabs, stingrays, coral caves and jellyfish, tropical fish, sharks, seaturtles, seahorses, penguins, and a giant salt water crocodile! They learnt many interesting facts about crocodiles, including that a crocodile continues to grow throughout its entire lifetime, and a crocodile cannot die from old age!

The students also had the opportunity to walk along the Yarra River before exploring the Crown Entertainment Complex. They played a round of Ten Pin Bowling which was lots of fun! Then everyone participated in a game of laser skirmish. It was great to see some competitiveness coming out in not only the students, but all of the adults!
Thank you so much to the P&C for your very generous contributions to this excursion! Thank you to Mrs Meier and Mrs Taylor for helping to organise the excursion. I would also like to thank Jen Napier, Shane McCahon, Steve Kelly, Mat Ray, Hannah Troth and Mr Gorman for helping to transport students to and from Cootamundra.

Also, a BIG thank you to Mr Gorman, and the parent helpers, Hannah Troth, Jen Kelly, Emma West, Rob Napier and Mat Ray for helping to make the excursion run so smoothly!

Finally, thank you to all of the students of 3-6P for being on your best behaviour all week! It was a fantastic week!

Miss Patton

Thank you to Miss Patton who did a fantastic job with the organisation of her first excursion. You did a fantastic job and everyone had a fantastic time!

CARAGABAL PUBLIC SCHOOL
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Pyjama Day for Motor Neurone Disease!

Motor Neurone Disease refers to a breakdown of the nerve cells that control the muscles of moving, speaking, breathing and swallowing. Without these nerves, muscles slowly weaken and waste, affecting a person’s ability to walk, speak, move and breathe.

The Caragabal Public School SRC invites you to wear your pyjamas on **Friday 26th June** to help research the causes of MND, develop effective treatments, and find a cure.

Cost: Please bring a **Gold Coin Donation**

The last day of school for Term 2 is Friday 26th June. Students return to school for Term 3 on Tuesday 14th July.
P&C Meeting
Thursday 25th June
3:30pm

A Curried Caragabal Christmas in July!

Please come and join the Caragabal P&C for a 3 course Indian inspired Christmas feast!
Where: Caragabal Country Club
When: 18th July 2015
Time: 6:30pm
RSVP 10th July: Hollie 0427 475 391 dhfurde@hotmail.com
Dress: A touch of Christmas
$40 per ticket
There will be light entertainment provided

Anglican Church Service
The next service to be held at St Peters Anglican Church will be 19th July followed by 23rd August.
For further information please call 6343 1097.

Royal Hotel Caragabal
Friday Nights
Meat Tray Raffles
(2 prizes to be won)
Joker Draw $400
from 7:00-9:00pm
For further information please call Erin 6347 5336

TAI CHI FOR HEALTH
Tai Chi will be held each Tuesday at the School at 8.00am.
Newcomers welcome.
Enquiries to Helen Denovan 6349 1777

Caragabal Country Golf Club
Duty Rosters:
26th to 28th June ~ Trevor Cooper – Mitchell Pollock – Greg Brain
3rd to 5th July ~ Peter Toole – Peter Butler – Ross Noble
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COWRA TO HOST STATE CWA CONFERENCE

At the recent State Conference of the Country Women’s Association of NSW held in Tamworth it was announced that Cowra would be the venue for the 2016 State Conference. In the first week of May 2016 Cowra will be overrun with CWA ladies!

Over 700 CWA members, and some partners, will be in the town for nearly a week for their annual Conference and for the various State competitions which are part of this event.

The Conference will be held in the Cowra Showground Pavilion and the Church Service, the first event of the week, will be held in St Raphael’s Catholic Church. The Cultural, Agricultural & Environmental, and International Competitions and Displays will also be at the Pavilion, with Land Cookery in the Presbyterian Hall and Handicraft in the Anglican Hall.

The CWA State Conferences are held around New South Wales but it is not every town that has the capacity to host such an event. Cowra is very fortunate to have a conference venue the size of the Showground Pavilion, a church with a capacity for 800 plus, and enough accommodation in the town and surrounding district. This is the first time that the town of Cowra has hosted a CWA State Conference.

All accommodation in Cowra, Canowindra and the surrounding district will be booked out. Organisers may even have to call on locals to offer home hospitality.

This Conference is being hosted by the South West Group of the CWA who have formed an Organising Committee comprising Chairman Rowena Casey of Cowra, South West Group President Jenny Thompson from Young, Executive Representative Linda Wilding from Cowra, Group Secretary Lyn Callaghan from Wirrimah, Carmen Gordon from Boorowa Branch, and Jo Chambers, Andrea Ridley, Leona Steen and Judy Houghton, all of Cowra Evening Branch.

The Organising Committee is very grateful for the support already received from the Mayor of Cowra, Bill West, the President of the Cowra Business Chamber, Ben Casey, and the President of the Cowra Tourist Corporation, Ray Walsh, and will be looking to work closely with them, and with organisations and residents of Cowra to ensure that attendees of the 2016 CWA State Conference enjoy a happy, friendly and safe experience in Cowra.

For further information contact Chairman Rowena Casey on 0402 262 660 or rowenac@westserv.net.au
Archibull ~ Naming the Calf Competition

Please write your suggested name for the Caragabal Public School Calf, and return it to school before Thursday 25th June.

GRENFELL CINEMA

Residents are hereby advised that the next film at the Grenfell Cinema will be shown as below:

“Pudsey the Dog – The Movie” - Wednesday 8th July 2015 at 2.00pm

Tickets are available from Louisa’s Locker with prices detailed below:-

$20 Family  $8       Single
$5 Pensioners $5       Children (12 yrs)

As there are limited tickets available residents are encouraged to book early.

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WHAT ARE THE CLINICS
The ActewAGL July Holiday clinics are held each year during school holidays across Canberra and Southern NSW. The clinics run from approximately 9.00am to 3.00pm on the day, and both morning tea and lunch is provided to all participants. For further information and to REGISTER please see the back page or contact our Development Department at the below email:
development@brumbies.com.au
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