



Luddenham Public School

Newsletter

"Start each day with a thankful heart"

Principal's Message

Dates to remember.....

28th November

School Concert/Talent
Quest

3rd December

Public High School
Orientation

4th December

K-6 Assembly

5th December

Captain's Speeches

12th December

Presentation Assembly
Year 6 Farewell

13th December

P&C Meeting

17th December

Celebration Day

18th December

Last day for students

Over the past two weeks, we have witnessed devastating bush fires across NSW and during this time the volunteers of the Rural Fire Service have given their time and relentless energy to assist families and communities in need when fighting the bush fires in extreme weather conditions. On behalf of the Luddenham Public School Community we thank the Rural Fire Service for their selflessness, bravery and genuine commitment in helping others.

Yesterday we held our last 2020 Kindergarten transition program. We have had a wonderful time getting to know these students and we are looking forward to having them be part of our school next year. Kindergarten students will start school on Thursday 30th January 2020.

Today the students in K-2 spent the day at Calmsley Hill City Farm. Over the past weeks as part of the Science and English syllabus, the students have been learning about farms, farm animals and how farms support our daily lives. We saw sheep shearing, milking cows, working dogs and went on a very bumpy tractor ride. We all had a great day.

The End of Year Concert will be held next Thursday 28th November starting at 1:30pm. We look forward to showcasing each class's talent in a class performance and we look forward to watching our students perform in the talent quest. All families and friends are welcome to come and join us.

At this stage, the Director of NSW Public Schools, Lisa Porter will be sending out an Expression of Interest for Luddenham Public School Principal for Term 1 2020. I will keep the school community informed as the process progresses.

The last K-6 Assembly for 2019 will be held in Week 8 on Wednesday 4th December. This will be the last opportunity for students to hand in their special awards and Luddenham awards to be eligible for a Principal's award.

Karen Ellis

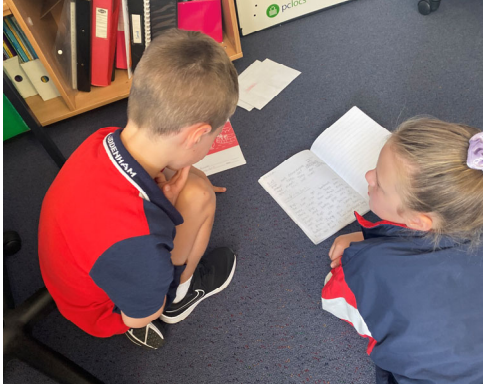
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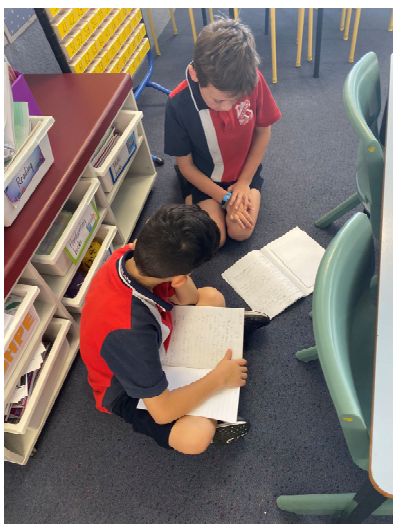
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Instructional Leader

Great writing in 1/2



1/2 students have been working very hard on using success criteria to help their writing. When the class are writing they refer to the specific success criteria to know what they need to include in their information reports about farm animals. An important part of being a successful writer is using feedback to improve the writing. 1/2 students have been using peer feedback, linked to the success criteria, to make really great changes to their information reports. We are so proud of how well they work in pairs and how focused they are to helping their partner improve their writing. Yesterday in pairs they were giving feedback to each other on using headings and full sentences. Great work 1/2 students!



Canteen News

Congratulations to the following students who have won Award Vouchers since the last newsletter:

Healthy Choice: Claudia, Billie-Lee, Blake

Most Polite: Bayley, Levent



PBL Awards

The following students have been recognised for their safe and responsible behaviour since the last newsletter:

Respectful: Lexi, Destini, Trinity

Safe: Lucey

Responsible: Lexi, Bayley, Lucey, Delta



Learning and Support

This week is World Nursery Rhyme Week! Nursery Rhymes are jam packed with opportunities to teach early literacy skills, vocabulary and language. They are also a platform on which to develop numerical, social, physical and emotional skills.

For some wonderful resources, check out <https://www.worldnurseryrhymeweek.com/>

Lindy Johnson

Learning and Support Teacher

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K-6 Assembly

The next K-6 Assembly will be held in Week 8 on Wednesday 4th December as part of Grandparents Day at 10:20am.

P&C News

P&C Meeting

The next P&C meeting will be held on 13th December 2019

Everyone is welcome!

Lost Property

Please remind your child to check the lost property box for misplaced belongings. Anything in there at the end of the year will be thrown out or put into the second hand uniform cupboard.

Woolworths Earn and Learn

Recently we received the resources we were able to order through the Woolworths Earn and Learn program. The students have been enjoying the sandbox tools and classroom resources.

Thank you to those families who participated by bringing in their stickers.



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Absentee Note

Name of Student: _____ Class: _____

First Date of Absence: _____ Last Date of Absence: _____

Reason for absence: *The reason for absence must be shown below. Please tick the box and give details*

☐ Sickness (please give details, eg flu)

☐ Family reasons (please give details, eg attendance at a funeral)

☐ Other reasons (please give details, eg attendance at a religious ceremony)

Parent / Caregiver's name

Parent / Caregiver's signature

Date

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Stage 2 Camp



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Congratulations to the following students who were presented with awards at our assembly last week:

Class Awards	K/1	Max and Tilly
	1/2	Jeremy and Chaise
	3/4	Marissa and Tyler
	5/6	Bella and Ryan
PBL Awards (Respectful)	K/1	Charlee
	1/2	Koby
	3/4	Brock
	5/6	Candace
Library Awards	K/1	Delta
	1/2	Jamal
	3/4	Levi
	5/6	Kasey
Luddenham Awards	K/1	Jesse, Charlee and Ahleiana
	1/2	Jeremy
	3/4	Luke and Damian
	5/6	Lucas



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Learning and Support

Over the past term the Aboriginal students were given the opportunity to interview their families about their cultural background. Some of the students have already met with me to create their personal story. This week I am delighted to share Ahleiana's Story.

Lindy Johnson

Learning and Support Teacher

Ahleiana's Story

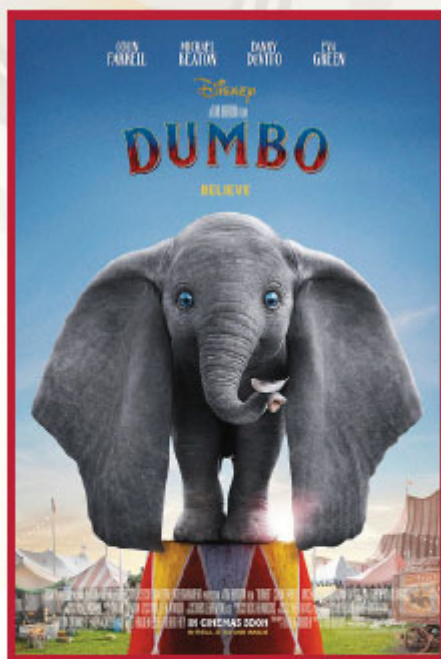
Hi my name is Ahleiana Adnum-Waenga and I am 5 years old. I like to make and play with slime. My favourite colours are purple, pink and blue. I like to eat noodles. I live with my sister Zahlia and my mum. We live in Bringelly and I go to Luddenham Public School. I am a proud Aboriginal girl.

My mum and her parents came from Ashford in the northern tablelands of NSW. Mum went to Ashford Central School. We are part of the Kamilaroi-Gamilaroi mob. Mum and her family liked to eat fish and damper. They enjoyed playing football and netball. At special celebrations the whole family would gather together to dance and share stories.



Cinema IN THE Park

SATURDAY 30
NOVEMBER



PENRITH
CITY COUNCIL



TIME: 6pm until late,
movie commences at dusk.

WHERE: Regatta Park,
River Road, Emu Plains

FEATURE FILM: 'Dumbo'

Kids activities & food for sale.

For more information phone 1300 736 836.

penrith.city/events



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Airport



Time

11am to 2pm

Sessions

- 11am to 12pm
- 12pm to 1pm
- 1pm to 2pm

When

Saturday, 23
November 2019

Where

CPBLL JV Early
Earthworks site
680 Badgerys
Creek Road,
Badgerys Creek
(please see
overleaf direction
map)

We speak your language

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Community Open Day Invitation Western Sydney Airport Early Earthworks

Western Sydney Airport and CPB Contractors and Lendlease Joint Venture (CPBLL JV) are holding a family friendly community open day from **11am to 2pm on Saturday, 23 November 2019** at the Early Earthworks project site compound, 680 Badgerys Creek Road, Badgerys Creek.

Residents will get an insight into the project, its progression and have the opportunity to engage in the following activities:

- Get up close and take a selfie next to a 60-tonne scraper
- Learn about protecting Indigenous heritage: children will have the opportunity to take part in an archaeological dig
- Try driving a scraper on our simulator
- Ecological station where you can get your very own free native sapling

How to register

The following session times will be available:

- 11am to 12pm
- 12pm to 1pm
- 1pm to 2pm

Spaces are limited to 50 people per session so please register your attendance at:

WSAenquiries@cpbljv.com.au or call **1800 951 171**

We hope you can join us at the community open day and look forward to seeing you there.



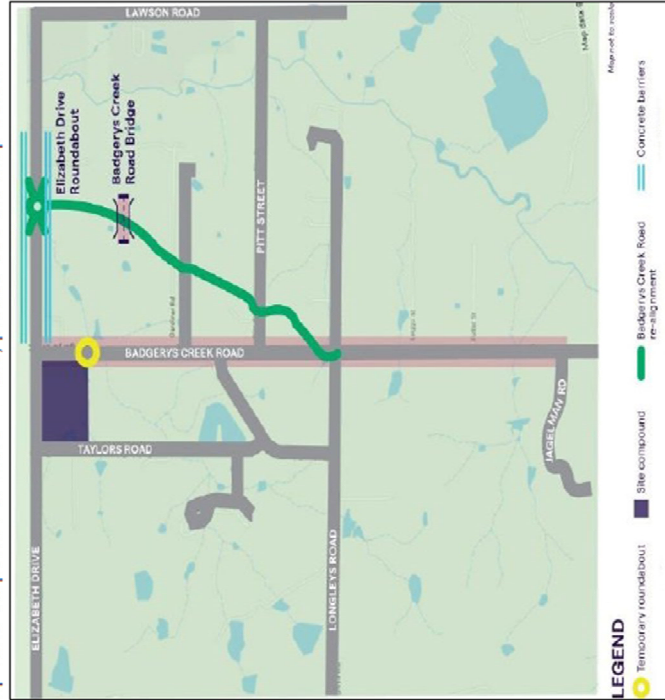
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How to get there

The Early Earthworks site compound is located on the corner of Elizabeth Drive and Badgerys Creek Road.

Access to the compound is via the roundabout on Badgerys Creek Road. There will be a boom gate as you enter the compound, please keep to the speed limit and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs. All vehicles must reverse park in the compound carpark. For more details, please see the map below.



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