



**DATES TO
REMEMBER
NEXT WEEK**

June

Friday 22

- Highlands Athletics
- NO ASSEMBLY

JULY

Wednesday 4 July

- Sydney Grammar Orchestra

Thursday 5 July

- NAIDOC Day Celebrations

ADELONG PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

THURSDAY 21 JUNE 2018

TERM 2 WEEK 8

Principal's Post

Our whole school excursion to Canberra was a wonderful learning experience for all our students. Our students are to be congratulated on their exceptional behaviour throughout the day. A full report of the excursion is on the following pages.

Congratulations to Mrs Amanda Waters who has given birth to healthy baby boy named Beau.

Unfortunately netball was postponed last Friday but it will resume tomorrow Friday 22 June 2018

Good luck to our Athletics Team for the Highlands Carnival tomorrow. Thank you to the parents that have kindly provided transport for the team.

There will be NO ASSEMBLY this FRIDAY because students will be competing at the Highlands Athletics Carnival in Tumut.

On Wednesday 4 July the Sydney Grammar Orchestra will visit the school. They will perform from 10 am –11.00 am. St Joseph's Primary School have been invited to join us for the concert. At the completion of the performance everyone is welcome to stay for morning tea with the orchestra. Each family is asked to send in a plate of food to share at the morning tea.

NAIDOC Day will be celebrated on Thursday 5 July 2018. Batlow Technology School primary students have been invited to join in our celebrations. More information to follow next week.

Coming up next term

- Education Week celebrations will be held on Wednesday 8 August 2018 this will include Grandparents day, Book Fair, Classroom inspections and a special assembly so save the date!
- The school Ski Trip has been booked for Friday 10 August 2018. All information regarding the Ski trip will be sent out early next term.

Peter Pilgrim
Principal

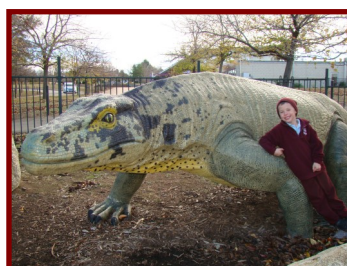


Excursion Report

The National Dinosaur Museum is not just about dinosaurs, as our K/1/2 students found out on Tuesday. The exhibitions cover the history of life on this planet with fossils from 700 million year old marine fauna through to fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.

Our guided tour took us through the 3 main periods from the Mesozoic Era :- the Cretaceous, the Jurassic and the Triassic periods. Our guide spoke to us about the types of dinosaurs in these eras, what important information fossils told us and how the dinosaur extinction took place.

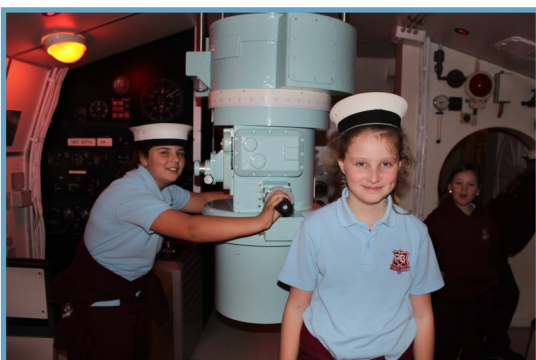
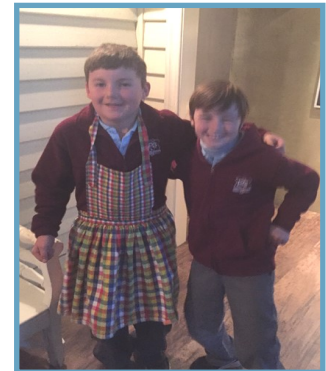
The children enjoyed exploring the Dinosaur Garden complete with life-like fibreglass models before moving on to have a ball at Questacon.





Our 3/4/5/6 students discovered the capturing exhibitions and experiences of The Australian War Memorial. The Australian War Memorial is both a museum and memorial honoring the brave men and women who have served in Australia's military forces. On our self-guided tour, students explored exhibitions on the Afghanistan, Korean and Vietnam wars. The displays consisted of uniforms, letters, shrapnel and many other items that had been used during those wars, along with information boards that allowed students to what, how and why the items were used during the wars. Our self-guided tour also took us through the

Aircraft Hall, before leading us into the Anzac Hall. Here, students viewed short films about certain types of aircraft that were used in WW1. These films realistically depicted what it would be like to be a fighter pilot in WW1 and was able to shed some light on the types of missions our courageous soldiers would embark on. The students thoroughly enjoyed investigating the Discover Room, a room where they were able to explore, touch, climb and dress up. Students were able to sit in and 'fly' a helicopter, before dressing up in a naval outfit and discovering what a submarine full of soldiers would of smelt like (pee-yew!). Students were also able to search the trenches, using a Pero-scope to see the war field above the trench wall and realizing how bad trench foot actually was by having it holographed onto their own feet.



Excursion Quotes from Class 4/5/6

"The Canberra excursion was amazing! I loved going and seeing the War Memorial with all the little clips of how war was. Questacon was even better, all the science stuff and games and the best bit was the drop slide." *Bella*

"At the War Memorial there was a room called the Discovery Zone. There was four parts to it a helicopter, submarine, World War 1 and the trench." *Byron*

"My favourite part in Questacon was the Earth Room with all the gems and rocks because I like geology." *Jenna*

"The drop slide and the War Memorial was awesome." *Kiandra*

"The Slide at Questacon was fun" *Konrad*

"My favourite part of the excursion was the seven foot drop at Questacon you got in suits and then went up these stairs and got on a block and held onto pole and let go down the slide" *Celeste*

"The Canberra trip was fun going to Questacon and going to the War Memorial was interesting and being with my friend was the most fun" *Lily*

"My favourite bit was the Discovery room because it was cool to see how people lived during the wars." *Rylee*

"It was a great day both at the War Memorial and Questacon, but I enjoyed Questacon the most because of the seven foot drop" *Mitchell*

"My favourite part of the Canberra Excursion was the seven foot drop and going home to the dinner and warmth." *Makayla*

"My favourite part of the Canberra trip was the War Memorial and the first light show we watched." *Grace*

"My trip to Canberra was so exciting and fun. I did not have a favourite part." *Austin*

"My favourite was the seven foot drop. You have to hold onto a bar and when 3 2 1 is said you let go." *Ella*

"It was an enjoyable day both at the War Memorial and Questacon." *Ronan*

"My favourite part was the seven metre drop. It was fun." *Lilly*

"My favourite part was when the scientist in the lab showed us experiments." *Lucy*

"My favourite thing was the seven foot drop." *Brayden*

"My favourite was the seven foot drop" *Micheal*

"In Questacon there was a seven foot drop and it was fun and scary at the same time. It went really fast and was really steep." *Chantelle*

"The day was long but worth it." *Jasmin*

"the Canberra excursion was awesome." *Sara*

"My favourite part was the seven foot drop, it was fun and enjoyable." *Jace*

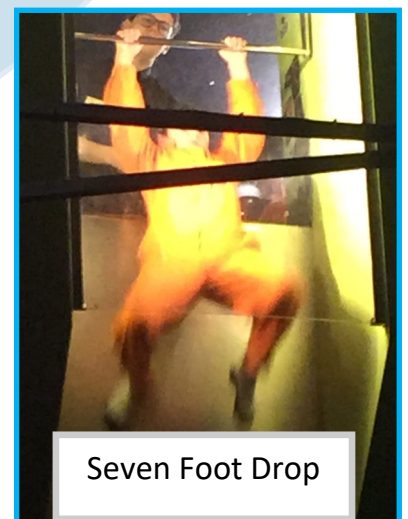
"My favourite part was the Light and Sound show at the War Memorial." *Hunter*

"It was fun." *Julie*

"My favourite part was the seven foot drop." *Chase*

"My Favourite part was the seven foot drop." *Luke*

"Questacon was fun." *Isaac*

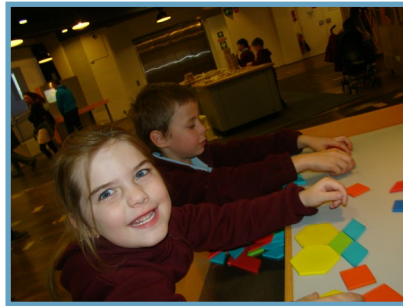


Seven Foot Drop

QUESTACON

THE NATIONAL SCIENCE
& TECHNOLOGY CENTRE

Questcon - a place where all ages can engage with science in extraordinary ways. With over 200 hands-on exhibits in 8 interactive galleries, the children had plenty to explore. From feeling the force of an earthquake, seeing a lightning strike to experimenting with colour like you've never seen it before. It is safe to say, everyone had a fabulously fun day and learnt lots of interesting things as well



WEEK 7 AWARDS

PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS



SILVER AWARDS

Congratulations Austin and Matilda



CLASS MERIT AWARDS

Well done Toby and Josh



CAUGHT YOU BEING GOOD WEEK 7

Preston, Jasmin, Luke, Celeste,
Toby, Charlotte, Amber, James,
Matilda, Minnie and
Makayla



School Radio News

Wednesday 27 June 2018

Bella & Lily



CANTEEN ROSTER

Friday 22 June	Tracey Manning and Maxine Rosetta
Friday 29 June	NO VOLUNTEERS Canteen will not open if there are no volunteers
Friday 6 July	Maria Contessa, Liz smith and Amanda Salter