From the Principal’s Desk...

This Friday, we will be celebrating NAIDOC week. Please come to school dressed in red, yellow and black. We will take part in Yalunga Games, Aboriginal painting and Dreamtime stories.

This Friday, we will farewell Mr Hughes and wish him the best of luck in his future teaching career. We also farewell the Hunt family who are moving to Darwin. Thank you for your contribution to our school over the last 15 years. You will be greatly missed by teachers, students and families.

Tomorrow our Science Day will be held from 12 noon-1.30pm. Students are to bring in a science activity to show the school. Parents/Grandparents are invited to watch this event and stay for lunch as well as the end of term assembly at 2.30pm. Please pack your own lunch if you would like to come.

Tonight we have a disco to be held in the Senior classroom from 5.00pm to 6.30pm with a real DJ. This will be followed by a light BBQ dinner at the front of the school. Please bring a plate to share and drinks (non-alcoholic) for your family.

Students are to come dressed as an S or H character.

Have a nice restful holiday and we look forward to you safe return on Tuesday 14 July 2015.

Andrew Watson

Happy Holidays

Star Students

Seamus
For his contribution to Kelly’s Plains Public School and making it a better place.

Sunita
For great writing.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**JUNE**

- Wed 24: Disco & The Hunt Family Farewell 5.00pm
- Thurs 25: Science Day 12 noon
- Fri 26: End of Term Assembly 2.30pm
- NAIDOC Week activities
- Last Day of Term 2

**JULY**

- Mon 13: Staff Development Day
- Tues 14: Students return Term 3
- Fri 17: State Cross Country (Caleb)
- Thur 23: Ball Games at Uralla afternoon
- Fri 24: District Athletics
- Tues 28: ACOS Choir

**SHARE LEARNING CARING**

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**WHOLE SCHOOL PLURAL RULE #7**

PLURAL RULE SEVEN

Sometimes, a word may completely change its form when a plural is made:

- one child ➔ one child
- two children ➔ two children
- person ➔ people
- goose ➔ geese
- fungus ➔ fungi
- criterion ➔ criterions
- nucleus ➔ nuclei
- man ➔ men

Try these...

- foot ➔ feet
- mouse ➔ mice
- tooth ➔ teeth
- woman ➔ women
- cactus ➔ cacti
- dice ➔ dice

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QUESTACON SCIENCE SHOW

Tom and Bec from Questacon in Canberra, on the 10th of June 2015 at 10a.m, came to Kelly’s Plains Public School.

They showed us lots of science experiments such as scrunched up paper vs. flat paper and fizzy tablets and much more.

Tom’s 1st show was about air. He showed us scrunched up paper vs. flat paper, parachute vs. sun glasses and how the parachute was pushed up by air. He used a leaf blower to show how air goes up wing goes down, wing goes up, air goes down. He talked about inventor Isaac Newton and that action = reaction His rockets and air experiments were REALLY FUN!

Bec’s 1st show was about gas. She placed fizzy tablets into water in a film canister and we watched the gas form. Most of the canisters exploded which was really cool! It was funny watching Sophie, Cody and Lilys’ expression while they were waiting.

Tom’s 2nd show was to see how strong a rope is by pulling it. As well compressing chalk, when you pull it, it breaks, but when you compress it, I won’t snap. It was super dooper fun!

Bec’s 2nd show was about music she taught us vibrations it was interesting. Some of the instruments she made were a laser sound with a slinky and a cup and a slinky with a bucket. It was unreal.

Bec and Tom then showed us rockets. On our oval everyone got to have a turn at pumping up the rocket Torryn, Tom (from Questacon) and Joel got super soaked. This was one of my favourites.

Tom came out and played wacky sticks with us at recess and eventually they had to go. But not before he explained more about planes and air pressure. Everyone was so happy that they came out to our school.

Cooper