

"THE PLAINS EXPRESS"

SHARING & LEARNING & CARING

Term 4 Week 4

7 November 2024

Good Afternoon Parents and Carers.

I am thrilled to share some highlights from our recent Open Day, which was a resounding success! It was wonderful to see so many families join us to celebrate the incredible achievements of our students and the vibrant community we have built together.

Open Day Highlights

Our students showcased their talents and hard work, and the feedback we received was overwhelmingly positive. From engaging classroom activities to impressive performances, it was clear that our students are thriving in their learning environment.

Amazing Bike Track

A standout feature that garnered five-star reviews from our students is the new bike track! They have expressed their excitement about having a safe and fun place to ride and develop their cycling skills. It's wonderful to see their enthusiasm for physical activity, and we are excited to watch them enjoy this fantastic addition to our school.

Thank You for Your Generosity

I would also like to extend a huge thank you to all the families and community members who generously donated garden resources for our school garden. Your contributions have made a significant impact, and our students are eager to get their hands dirty and learn about gardening, sustainability, and the joy of nurturing plants.

Thank you once again for your continued support and involvement. Together, we are creating an enriching environment for our children to learn and grow.

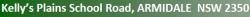
Warm regards, Jenna Walsh

Our resident Tawny Frogmouth family

Tawny frogmouths are symbols of intelligence, determination and wisdom. They fly silently in the night and are often careful and quiet, speaking only when they have something interesting or useful to say.







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Congratulations to all our award recipients.



























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Creative Arts





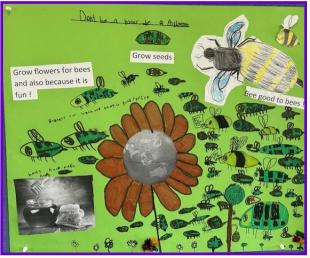
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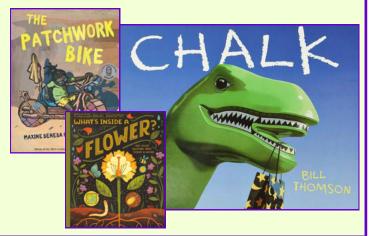






In Literacy the K-2 Rokalas have been studying the book 'What's Inside a Flower', and learning about the importance of plants and bees in our world. In preparation for our Open Day and continuing with the theme, the children made individual posters highlighting the importance of bees in our environment to display in our classroom.

This week we are comparing and reviewing three very different texts, Chalk, The Patchwork Bike and What's Inside a Flower. Over the next few lessons students will complete a critical review of the three familiar texts that they have explored in previous units.



In maths K-2 have been investigating weight, capacity, mass, area and length. They are particulary enjoying our new classroom maths resources, such as the balancing arm scales and individual Rekenreks.









Van Gogh - Sunflowers



















NEW ENGLAND SINGS! 2024

Congratulations!

Levi recently competed in the NSW State Championships L3 Mens Division Gymnastics and earned a Bronze medal! His Country Zone Team came in 5th.

Fantastic effort, Levi!



Our amazing bike track . . .









and bike riding under the COLA









More of our visiting wildlife!









