

# Newsletter

Adaminaby Public School

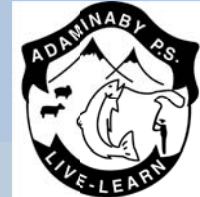
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## Principal's Message

Well done to Adaminaby Public School students who performed in the Monaro Small Schools Performing Arts Festival. Students should be very proud of their performance on stage but also with their good manners and high level of responsibility that they displayed on the day. The performance was a fantastic opportunity, not only to showcase our talents and celebrate public education, but also for our students to experience what it is like to be part of a large performance on a professional scale. Unfortunately the afternoon timeslot meant that some working parents and family members were unable to attend the performance, however we will perform an adaptation of our piece *Where the Forest Meets the Sea* at this year's presentation night in term 4.



## School Skiing Program

The school skiing program has been running smoothly and our trial of private transport has gone extremely well thanks to our parents who were able to drive students to the snowfields. We have now finished our days at Selwyn Snowfields and only have one day left, which will be at Thredbo, on the 26<sup>th</sup> August. Information regarding this day will be sent home early in the week prior that day.

## Interschools Skiing

Congratulations to our team of skiers who raced in the Alpine ski races for the Interschools ACT – Sth NSW Regional Championships.

The Division 4 boys team has received an invite to the Southern NSW State Championships, on 27<sup>th</sup> August in Perisher.

## Adaminaby Small Schools Science Day

Next Wednesday is our science day, where students from our group of small schools will be joining us for some fantastic science shows and workshops provided by the CSIRO and Fizzicks Education. We also have students from Monaro High School coming along to participate in this day. Our P&C is catering the event. Lunch Orders went home last week and these need to be returned to school by **tomorrow**, to assist the P&C with their catering.

This is a great fundraising opportunity for our school, so if you are able to volunteer some time to help out with the preparation of this lunch next Wednesday, can you please let Maureen or Linda know that you are available.

## iPads

The school has purchased four iPads for use in our classrooms for all students. They have some fantastic app's loaded on them to complement our learning, particularly in literacy and numeracy. They are also an excellent tool to aid development with hand eye coordination and fine motor skills.

## Book Week

Stay tuned for some fun activities for Book Week in week 10. This year's theme is *One World, Many Stories*. We are planning a fun multicultural day!!

## Assembly

There will be an assembly this Friday at 2:30pm. Our assemblies are open for all to attend

## Upcoming Events

Day	Date	Event
Tuesday	9 <sup>th</sup> August	P&C Meeting
Monday	15 <sup>th</sup> August	Cup Cake Day
Wednesday	17 <sup>th</sup> August	Adaminaby Science Day
Friday	26 <sup>th</sup> August	School Skiing – Thredbo
Saturday	27 <sup>th</sup> August	State Interschools
Week 10		Book Week

## Recent Notes Handed Out

Note	Return to school by:
Science Day Lunch Order	Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> August

## Monday Munchies

15 <sup>th</sup> August	Everyone!! – Cup Cake Day
22 <sup>nd</sup> August	



Please note the change this week to Monday Munchies. As a special **RSPCA** fundraiser we would like to join in on their **Cup Cake Day**. We would like everyone to make cupcakes this week and we are going to extend the invitation to the community to come along to the school

on the 15th August and buy a cupcake to raise money for the RSPCA. Please pass around this invitation!!!

## P&C Meeting

There is a P&C meeting **tonight at 5pm**, in the school library. All welcome!!

## Woolworths Earn and Learn.

The school is participating in the Earn & Learn program. Please see the following insert.

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