

# Red Range Public School Newsletter



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## District Athletics Carnival

The Northern New England District Athletics Carnival will be held at Emmaville this Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2011. Congratulations to Emily, Andrew, Jerry and Nathan who have been selected to compete at this carnival. Permission notes were sent home last week and must be returned to school by **tomorrow**, Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2011.

## Kindergarten Orientation

Children starting school in 2012 are invited to participate in our 'Kindergarten Orientation' program each Thursday during Terms 3 and 4. Commencing next Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> August 2011 preschoolers will spend the morning at school doing their own special activities and then join in other school activities for the rest of the day. This invitation is open to any child aged 4 – 5 years starting school in 2012. If you know of any interested children and parents please let them know.

## Education Week

This year, Education Week is celebrated from 1 to 5 August. Public schools across NSW will be showcasing the wonderful programs and initiatives they offer. The theme for Education Week 2011 is 'NSW Public Schools - creating the future'. A special Awards Ceremony will be held at the Glen Innes Town Hall commencing with afternoon tea at 4.00pm followed by the presentation of awards. The ceremony will finish at approx. 5.30pm. Our school captains, Emily Shannon and Bryce Chard will represent the school at this ceremony.

# Happy Birthday

7/8/11 James Williamson

## Super Readers

Amy

## SUPER SPELLERS

Izarha	Taneekwa	Jaimie	Jada
Elierha	Dominic	Chloe	Emily

## AWARDS

**Amy Beale** – A super effort in reading.

**Rachel Jones** – A super effort in spelling.

**Nathan Jones** – Trying hard in Literacy.

**Andrew Jones** – A super effort in Literacy.

**Elierha Fields** – Being a helpful classroom member.

**Jake Dowling** – Trying hard in Literacy.

**Izarha Fields** – A super effort in spelling.

**Jesse Dowling** – A super effort in Literacy.

## Community Notices

### National Tree Day

Planet Ark created National Tree Day (31 July) to help address important environmental issues such as habitat for native wildlife, biodiversity, salinity, erosion and long-term carbon offsetting. You can organise a tree-planting site in your local park or school, at a nearby creek, roadside or bushland area, even in your own backyard. More info: Freecall 1300885000 or <http://treeday.planetark.org>

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Glen Innes Pre-school is holding an evening for parents regarding School Transition and how parents can support their child's learning. In the spirit of community education all parents



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*We acknowledge the Ngorabul people as the traditional custodians of this land.*

are welcome to attend. Please contact the Glen Innes Pre-school for more information.

### Parent Talk School Transition

Your child is about to start school. Transition Programs are underway at local schools. Julie May, Early Childhood Consultant with the Department of Education and Communities will be at Glen Innes Pre-school to discuss-

*"What Can Parents Do to Support Children's Learning?"*



7.30pm Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> August 2011

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Glen Innes Pre-school  
Cnr Coronation Avenue/Wentworth Street  
Supper provided.

### Dates to Remember

1 <sup>st</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup> August	Education Week
2 <sup>nd</sup> August	Education Week Awards
2 <sup>nd</sup> August	Return district athletics carnival permission note
4 <sup>th</sup> August	District Athletics Carnival – Emmaville
5 <sup>th</sup> August	Return Bookclub orders
12 <sup>th</sup> August	Visiting Performance – Australian Folklore
11 <sup>th</sup> August	Kindergarten Orientation
18 <sup>th</sup> August	ATSI Children's Day coordinated by Sarah Molles

19 <sup>th</sup> August	Science in the Bush – Year 5/6 students UNE Armidale
25 <sup>th</sup> August	Regional Athletics Carnival – Tamworth
29 <sup>th</sup> August-4 <sup>th</sup> September	National Literacy and Numeracy Week
19 <sup>th</sup> -20 <sup>th</sup> October	NSW PSSA Athletics – Homebush

### Thought for the day

A child educated only at school is an uneducated child.

George Santayana

### ABSENTEE NOTICE



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STUDENT'S NAME .....DATE OF ABSENCE.....

REASON FOR ABSENCE .....

SIGNATURE OF PARENT.....