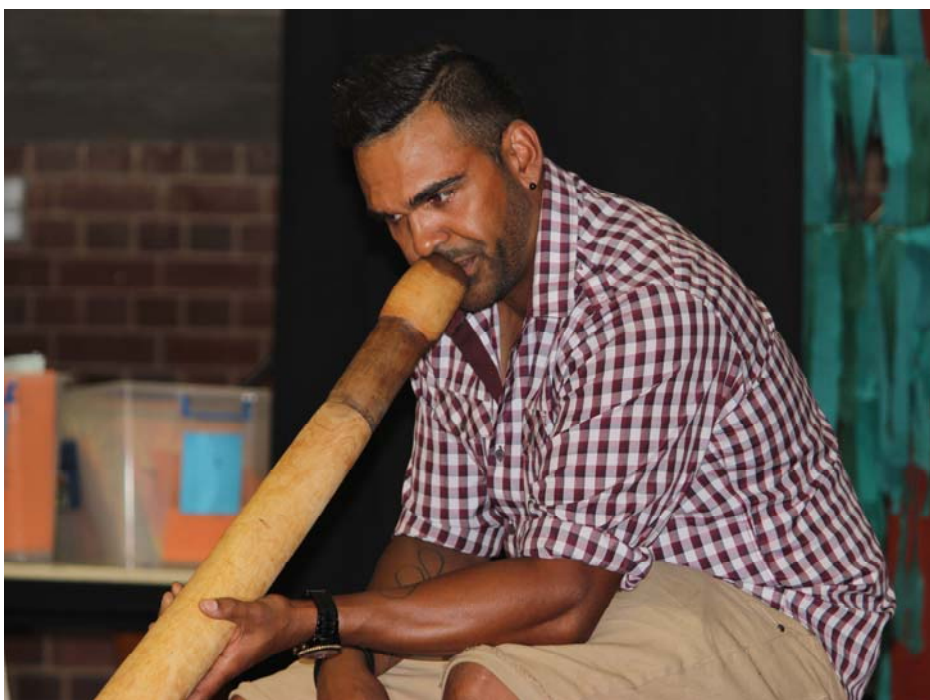




Ashmont Public School

Bulletin

*To Dream. To Inspire.
To Succeed.*



Yindyamarra



Term 4, Week 10



Bus Forms

Students going from Year 2 to Year 3 need to return their new bus forms to the school so they can be processed. If they are not returned children will not have bus passes to begin 2014.

A message from our Principal

Christmas break message

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the contributions to our school throughout the year. A special thankyou to our staff, volunteers and parents that support student learning and engagement. This will be the last Bulletin for 2013.

I wish everyone a happy and safe Christmas break. I look forward to seeing everyone in the 2014 school year. Students in years 1-6 will commence school on Tuesday, 29 January. Kinder will begin on Monday, 3 February.

Presentation Night

Our school held a very successful Presentation Evening to celebrate the success of our students last Tuesday night. A special thankyou to our school community for sharing such a special event.

Welfare Assembly

Tomorrow, commencing at 9.30am, a Welfare Assembly will be held to acknowledge student positive behaviour level rises, attendance certificates and Gold Award presentation. Friends and families are welcome to attend.

Class Picnics

Please ensure permission notes and payment are returned promptly to school. K-2 children will be going to Noah's Ark at a cost of \$7 and years 3-6 to the Junee Pool at a cost of \$5.



“The only dreams impossible to reach are the ones that you never pursue.”

Michael Deckman

Messages for our parents

Combined Scripture Concert

A whole school scripture concert was held last Thursday afternoon. It was a great way to share what the students have learnt and get into the Christmas spirit. A special thank you to our Scripture teachers who volunteer their time each week.

Volunteers Morning Tea

Each year we have had many volunteers in our school who support our students. This includes, and is not limited to, volunteers in our Breakfast Program, canteen, reading mentors and scripture teachers. To acknowledge their contribution, our volunteers are invited to attend a special morning tea to be held Monday, 16 December at 11.00am.

School Leavers

If your family will be moving over the Christmas break and not returning to school in 2014, please advise the school as soon as possible. This will support decisions made for class structures and staffing. Thank you for your support.

Important Dates

Term 4 Welfare Assembly	11 December
K-2 Christmas Sing-a-long	12 December
Year 6 Graduation Assembly	13 December
Student Reports go home	13 December
Volunteers Morning Tea	16 December
K-2 Christmas Party	17 December
3-6 Picnic in Junee	17 December
Last Day of School	18 December
Yr 1-6 Students return	29 January
Kinder students start	3 February

Canteen Roster

Wednesday – K. Warner / N.Murray
Thursday – T. Bennett
Friday – K. Warner
Monday – Year 6 Students
Tuesday – Year 6 Students



School Bell Changes

As advised at our Presentation Night, following are the bell time changes commencing at the beginning of the 2014 school year:

8.45am-9.15am	Supervision
9.15am	School begins
9.15am-11.15am	Morning Session (2 hour block)
11.15pm-11.55pm	Lunch (10 minutes supervised eating and 30 mins)
11.55pm-1.55pm	Middle session (2 hour block)
1.55pm-2.15pm	Recess
2.15pm-300pm	Afternoon (45 minutes)
3.00pm	End of school

Dear Parents, Family and Friends,

You are invited to our Kinder – Year 2 “Christmas Sing-a-long” Thursday 12 December 2013, 9.45am in the hall. We would like the children to dress in the colours of red, white and green.

K-2 Christmas Party -

Tuesday 17 December, Week 11

All K-2 children will be treated to a special party which includes an excursion to Noah’s Ark and party food back at school. The cost is \$7 – to cover the cost of entry onto Noah’s Ark, bus transport, an ice block and watermelon. Children will need to bring their own Christmas picnic lunch and drink. They may wear party clothes (with back and shoulders covered) and sensible shoes (no thongs)

Literacy News

Spelling Tests

Well done Ashmont Public School for the efforts in spelling this term. These students scored 100% and will be attending the 100% party in the school hall on Monday 16 December at 10.30am.



Allira Lawrence-Winslett, Destiny Pitts, Aleetah Thackeray, Erica Wakefield, Joshua Cunningham, Tyler Thomsen, Tysin Besley, Skye Warhurst, Macey Clarke, Sarah Parker, Kaelin Lyons, Kodi Lyons, Jamie Barker, Claudia Morris.

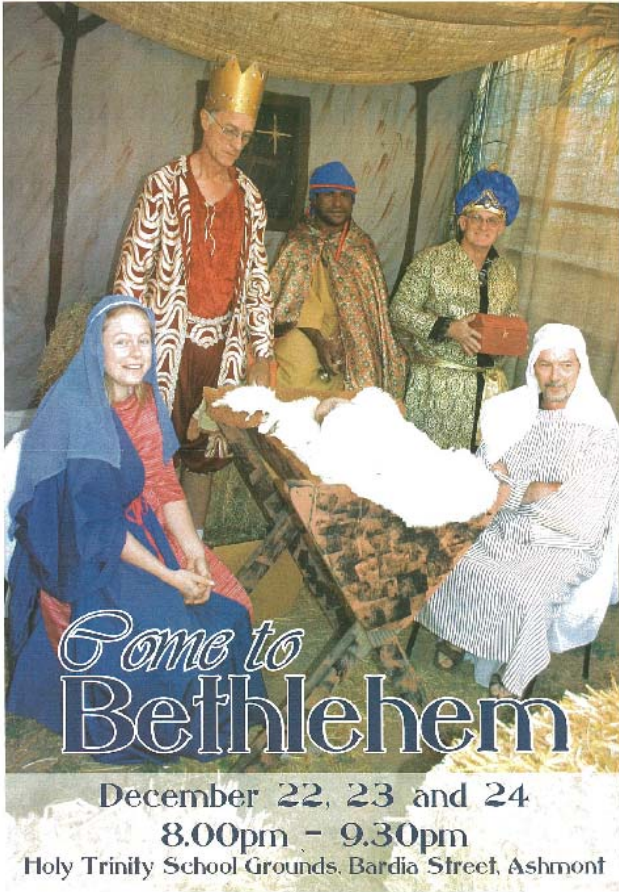
Handwriting Assessment

Congratulations to those children who improved their handwriting this term. Most children received a ‘Super Writer’ award. In each class a special ‘Most Improved Award’ goes to these writers.

	Best Writer	Most Improved
KR	Lakendra Kirby	Byron Price
KB	Tysin Besley	Beljohn Atkinson
1J	Annalyse Norville	Anthony Rigby
1/2G	Leeroy Fangalahi	Alexander Gbeintor
Little Dragons	Chloe Griffiths	Shekina Sarich
2P	Honey Sarich	Chloe Jacobsen
Zingy Zebras	Millie Smith	Callum Rath
3D	Jay Williams	Logan Marlow
3/4/5R	Amber Morris	Peter Grosse
4S	Stacey Mewburn	Nathan Dohl
5T	Lasharna Williams	Brodie Warner
6D	Tioni Frost-Hocking	Amy Putland
Legends	Zafar Hall	Zaden Hall

P&C News

On the last day of term the P&C will be having a **YOU’RE AWESOME DAY.** Children will be able to buy you’re awesome wrist bands and small bags of lollies for the price of \$1 each.



Come to Bethlehem

December 22, 23 and 24
8.00pm - 9.30pm

Holy Trinity School Grounds, Bardia Street, Ashmont

School Office hours - 8.30am to 3.45pm



Principal's Award Winners
Tara Crocker, Brayden Williams,
& Kaelin Lyons



MAWANG GAWAY
ABORIGINAL CONSULTATIVE GROUP

Invites you to the
MAWANG GAWAY
FAMILY CHRISTMAS PARTY

DATE: Tuesday 10th December 2013
TIME: 5.30pm - 7.00pm
VENUE: Wagga Botanic Gardens
Macleay St Wagga Wagga

Contact Aunty Isabel for further enquiries on 69210739
Drug & Alcohol free event. Children must be supervised by Parent/Carer

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Wiradjuri for
"Altogether come here!"

- Sausage Sizzle
- Touch Footy
- Treasure Hunt
- Special visit from Santa



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