DRUM BEAT

We are certainly on the downhill run to the holidays now everyone. It’s great to see the students still working so hard in their classrooms and playing so beautifully in the playground. Thank you everyone.

Gathering
The Kindergarten students and the MC class were just amazing at Gathering last week. As I have said before I love the positive vibe that Gathering puts through the day.

Athletics Carnival
We will be holding our annual Athletics Carnival this Friday, June 19th, let’s hope that we have good weather on the day. The students have been training hard and I’m sure that it will be a great day. This will be held at the school oval. We would love for you to come along and support your children at this event.

Parent Interviews
A note should have gone home from your child’s classroom teacher in the past week in relation to parent interviews. This is an opportunity for you to meet briefly with your child’s teacher to discuss their progress so far and also to talk about how we can all work together for the best educational outcomes for your children.

Big Breakfast
We are having our Big Breakfast this Thursday morning between 8.30 – 9.00am. Bacon and egg rolls and pancakes will be available. It sounds delicious, I look forward to meeting lots more parents. Please come along and join in and say goodbye to Neil. Neil and his family are unfortunately leaving our area. We wish them every success in their new venture and thank them for the time and dedication that they have given to our school whilst living in Armidale.

NAIDOC Week
We will be holding our school NAIDOC activities in Week Two next term. I do understand that this was initially planned for next week but due to prior commitments by some performers we have postponed this event until next term. More information will be given in the newsletter next week.

Nationally Consistent Collection of Data
This year Drummond Memorial Public School will be participating in The Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability. This is an annual collection that counts the number of students with a disability and the level of educational adjustment they are provided with. If you would like further information please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Tanya McKinlay, Relieving Principal

CONGRATULATIONS

Lucky Draw: Jermaine Boney, Peter Shoobert, Joey Nauruschat

Kindergarten Possums Mrs Platts
Charlie White - Excellence in English, Mathematics and Creative Arts.
Katriel Riley - Always using his persistence key in all work and having fantastic listening skills.

Kindergarten/Year 1 Mrs Walsh
Dominic Willis - Developing great reading strategies.
Maker Majak - Persisting when learning something new.

Year 1 Miss Jones
John Kaquiala - Persisting in his reading.
Ali Alaradi - Trying very hard in his writing.

Year 2 Mr Lester
Lucy Fleming - Fantastic informative and imaginative writing.
Tsharnti Jerrard - Being enthusiastic and always being confident.

Year 3 Mrs Clarke and Mrs Harwood
Jackson Elliott - Being an enthusiastic learner on the floor.
Agoi Marial - Getting along skills in the classroom.
Zahra Alarabi - Improved writing and spelling skills.

Years 4/5 Mr White
Rahif Shawdari - Excellent effort in reading groups.
Terrance Whippy - Great curiosity and attitude during science.
Noah Hunt - Trying his best in English.

Years 5/6 Mrs Richardson & Miss Rich
Brandon Boney-Morris - Settling in to the class well and having a positive start at Drummond.
Hasan Kyhoon - Working hard to get tasks completed on time.
Muriel Jerrard - Making positive contributions to class discussions.

MC Mrs Curry
Cooper Hislop - Representing North west in PSSA and showing great sportsmanship.
ESL Transition students having a great time learning