



 Dates to
Remember

Italian Festival
Botanic Gardens
Sat 3 June

Ludmilla Landcare
Community Day
Sunday 4 June
4.30pm - sunset

50th Celebrations
Community Day
Saturday 17 June
10am - 1pm

Sports Day
Thursday 22 June

Last day of Term 2
Friday 23 June

First day Term 3
Tuesday 25 July



Principals News

Dear Parents, Carers and Families

Last Friday we had a visit from Laurie Lawrence who was in the Northern Territory to promote water safety. Laurie stayed for our assembly, entertaining the children with magic tricks and meeting with our school community. He spent time in Early Childhood and with our Friday Playgroup. Laurie then had help from our Early Childhood classes to sing 'Stay Alive do the Five', which was filmed for the channel nine news. Laurie Lawrence was very impressed with our students and how engaged they were in their learning and how tuned in they were to the important message of water safety that he was promoting. He congratulated me on having such a great school full of amazing students. If you go on to our Facebook page, you will see and hear Laurie talking and singing with our students and praising Ludmilla Primary School.

Laurie Lawrence was not the only visitor to our school last Friday. Ludmilla Primary also hosted a music play day for 82 music students from Larrakeyah, Stuart Park and Ludmilla Primary Schools. The NT School of Music did a great job coordinating and running the day, which culminated in a performance at lunchtime. It is a wonderful value add that all students from Year 4, 5 and 6 can learn a musical instrument at school. We have world class teachers that come to the school weekly to teach our students and I would encourage all students to give learning a musical instrument a go.



This week our students have attended yet another performance, this time it was the group *Makukukhan* and their show *Satu, Dua, Indonesia!* Students together with our music teacher Ms Edeson had been learning the songs from the show and all about the Indonesian Instruments used in the performance. Having this background knowledge really helped the students join in and get the most from the performance. The performers were very surprised when the children greeted them, asked questions and sang confidently all in Indonesian. We all must thank Ibu Putu our Indonesian teacher for helping to create such confident bilingual and for many of our students' multilingual students.

The Darwin Italian Festival is on this Saturday in the Botanic Gardens. Our Year 5/6 students have been busy learning about the culture and traditions of Italy and have created amazing Venetian Masks that will be on display at the festival. If you have a chance visit the festival and see the masks and join in the fun of the day.

Another important event is the Ludmilla Creek Landcare Community Day on Sunday 4.30 pm until sunset. There will be bushwalks, talks, and it is a great chance to find out what is happening in and around the creek and connect with the Ludmilla Community.

Remember that our 50th Anniversary celebrations Family Fun Day is planned for the Saturday 17th June from 10.00 am - 1.00 pm.

Kind Regards
Carol Putica



Thank you for all the kind donations of pre loved books.

A special thank you to the group
Good Karma Darwin
for the four boxes of books.



Everyone gets mad

Helping children learn to manage anger

Children's angry behaviour is often difficult to deal with because it stirs up feelings of anger and annoyance in others. It can also frustrate parents and carers when anger is used to push them away.

Everyone feels angry at times. Parents and carers can help children learn how to cope with anger in positive ways by teaching them to be aware of feelings, to find appropriate, safe ways to express them, and to identify and solve the problems or frustrations that lead to angry feelings.

Learning skills for understanding and dealing with anger will make it easier for children to solve problems, get help when needed and be more relaxed around others.

Have ways to calm down

When emotions are strong, it is easy to act without thinking. Encourage your child to take control and allow time for the emotions to subside. Walking away, using a quiet spot to think, or doing something else like riding a bike or listening to music are all activities that can assist in reducing strong emotions.

Cool-down steps to teach children

- 1. Recognise that you are angry**
 - Notice the body signals that mean you're angry (eg getting hot, racing heart, tense muscles)
 - Give a number from one to 10 to show how angry you are
- 2. Cool down your body**
 - Breathe slowly
 - Take time-out in a quiet place
 - Go for a walk, do something physical
 - Draw how you feel
- 3. Use coping self-talk**
 - "It's OK I can handle this"
- 4. Try to solve the problem**
 - Talk to someone who is a good listener



**DARWIN
ENTERTAINMENT
CENTRE** *Live!*

Buslink
driving your way

Thank you to Darwin Entertainment Centre and Buslink for their generous support that enabled our students to attend *Mr Stink* at the Darwin Entertainment Centre last week.

Thank You!

Class	Name	Reason
T/1 Hughes	Isaiah Sing	You are making great improvements with your story writing. You know some 'tricky words' and use your letter sounds to 'have a go'.
	Zane Roberts	You wrote a very long story about making our bird feeder. Well done Zane.
1/2/3 Henschke	Duron Cameron	You are working hard to remember your sounds and words when writing.
	Darnell Singh	You have worked hard to improve your reading level.
3/4/5 Bannister	John Kennedy	For working with great focus 100% of the time in all Literacy tasks. Well done John!
	Wajahat Shaikh	For making good progress this semester in mathematics. Your hard work has resulted in improvements. Well done!
4/5/6 Kaye	Byron Rioli	You are showing excellent focus during Guided Reading activities.
	Lareece Sing	Working well on presenting Australian Animal and Wildcare information.



ASSEMBLY AWARDS



Our School Values:

Adaptability

Care

Community

Growth

Responsibility

The "Ludmilla Way" School Values Award

Shehzeen Niamul

Selwyn Gaykamangu

Keanu Fejo

Anthony Moles-Cardona

Trisha Ahfat

Bella Wurramarrba

Jordan Cooper

William Meng

You have demonstrated you don't give up.

For helping and looking out for others.

For speaking respectfully to others.

For speaking respectfully to others.



MUSIC PLAY DAY



- ★ Outdoor games and sports
- ★ Arts & Crafts
- ★ Playing with friends
- ★ Great Educators
- ★ Food and Cooking
- ★ Indoor Activities



How We Make Kids Smile at Ludmilla Primary School

We believe that the children who attend our programs should always get the safe, fun, engaging and quality attention that they deserve. With the help of our Educators, all activities in our OSHC program are guided by the needs of the children who attend the program.

There's never a dull moment in OSHC, and that's because we have so many different activities on offer every single day, such as:

Outdoor Play Time Fun – we keep your kids active and promote physical well-being in sport, gardening, general playground activities and inclusive games

Creative Time – we extend or encourage your child's interests, imagination and self-expression with activities such music and drama, arts and crafts, construction, cooking and indoor games

Homework and Quiet Time – if your child wants to recharge, relax and do their own thing, or choose to get a head-start on their homework they can. This means that when your child goes home they can enjoy the rest of their evening and spend more quality time with those that they love the most

Trying and learning new things – we help to build your child's self-esteem by encouraging them to try new activities such as, circus skills, yoga, talent shows, ball sports and calisthenics

Development Skills – to help build your child's communication and social de-



involvement activities

velopment skills, we also

offer co-operation and community in-

FREE FAMILY FUN DAY

Come & try some of the Northern Territory's premier off-the-beach sporting and recreational options!

Sea, Sand & Play Day

Saturday 3rd June 2017
Lake Alexander / East Point Beach
9am - 3pm

2017 Beach week
JUNE 3RD - 9TH

come & try activities
food & drink stalls
prizes in the Flag Dash

www.beachweek.com.au www.facebook.com/2017beachweek



Ludmilla Primary School 50th Birthday Celebration

★★★★★

Past and present staff, students, families and the Ludmilla community are invited to a family celebration day

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Join in the fun and take a trip back to your old school days at Ludmilla Primary

Fun activities for all the family
Food and drink available

Saturday 17th of June
10:00am - 1:00pm

Guided Tours
And Much More
A Petting Zoo
Circus
Jumping Castle
Face Painting

A GREAT Community Event



LUDMILLA CREEK TO THE SEA

Environment • Community • Lifestyle

- What:** A COMMUNITY DAY - "What's happening in the Bush near you?"
- When:** Sunday 4th June 2017, 4:30pm till sunset
- Highlight:** Bushwalks and talks - mangroves, birds, marine life, weeds & native plants
- Where:** Nemarluk Drive Ludmilla - (opposite No 48.)
- What to bring:** Sun protection, chairs and drinks
- Contact us:** via email - ludmillacreek@gmail.com



Complimentary BBQ, water and soft drinks

Encourage your friends & neighbours to come along too. This is a social event providing the whole community with an opportunity to meet, learn and say hello. Everyone is welcome!

 Ludmilla Creek Landcare Group would like to acknowledge the kind support of Territory Natural Resource Management (TNRM) with funding from the Australian Government's National Landcare Programme