



**Hymba
Yumba**
Listening and Learning Place



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NAIDOC

Jun
28
Fri

28 Jun 2019
10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Invitation

HYMBA YUMBA
Independent School
NAIDOC Celebration
Voice, Treaty, Truth

Friday 28th June,
10:00am

Awards Ceremony

Dancing
Stalls

Singing
Traditional Games
Activities

RSVP: Wednesday 26th June on 3381 8134 for catering purposes.

Invitation created by Shontel

School Event

ThinkUKnow - Internet Safety - Information sessions for Families

Jul
31
Wed

31 Jul 2019
1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

School Event

Principal - Michelle Campbell

Garumba Bigi jarjums and families,

Welcome to our very first E-newsletter.

One of my priorities this year was to improve the school facilities. So far we have air conditioned every learning space. This has seen a significant improvement in our jarjums learning and participation in their lessons as they no longer have to swelter through the heat or listen to the noise from the busy road outside their classroom windows. We have also successfully obtained a grant to fund our new shade area, which now allows our jarjums a safe and cool area to eat their lunch. We have also erected glass on the balconies for extra safety so the teachers can now use them as break out teaching spaces with their jarjums. You may have also noticed the new paintings and seating around the school. Finally, we are also hoping to upgrade our jarjum laptops this year.

We have also renewed the school uniform, as per jarjum requests. The new school shirts are made from a cooler material and we have dropped the price to \$30. We are currently consulting with the jarjums on a design for jumpers, shorts and hats. It has been really lovely to see the jarjums wanting to be involved in the process. Watch this space.

This term we have engaged in a partnership with an external organisation called HealthWise. This organisation is providing the school with a psychologist for 5 days per fortnight to assist with supporting our jarjums. I would like to welcome Miss

Sam and Mr Brad to the school. We are very thankful for their support and time. If you are interested in your jarjum participating in this service, please see administration for permission forms.

Hymba Yumba is a part of the Greater Springfield Learning Coalition, which is made up of 11 schools (primary & secondary, State and private) in the Springfield area. So far this year, our school captains attended the official opening where they spoke in front of their peers and represented Hymba proudly and confidently. Also, 3 of our year 6 jarjums and their teacher Miss Jody participated in a group activity which showcased to the students that if all the schools worked together as a team, then they could achieve the end result. Once again, our jarjums represented the school well. We are currently working hard on our activities/performances that will be showcased at a "Festival of Learning" week that will be held during term 4.



Deputy Principal - Erin McDonald

Garumba Bigi everyone,

We have had such a busy semester 1 for 2019.

We had some visits from the Brisbane Lions for our year 4 to 6's and Queensland Cricket ran their 'Junior Blaster' program during Jarjie Time with our Preps to year 3.

Our Preps appeared in the QT for 'My First Year' photo and we had 10 year 11 & 12's jarjums receive a QATSIF scholarship at the USQ ceremony.

We are still working in partnership with USQ as we are able to utilise some of their speciality areas in particular the dance studio for Dance and Drama. Kambu Health are continuing to deliver their service for our jarjums and families to get their annual Health Checks.

We also had some special guests including Mr Vern Hopkins who has shared experiences and stories with our Junior Bandjits as well as been our guest of honour for HYIS ANZAC Ceremony.

I would like to also mention the return of Trmain Maybanks. Trmain graduated year 12 in 2013 and has returned as a student teacher where she completed 4 weeks of practical experience in year 6.

Our NAIDOC celebration is on Friday 28th June, so look out for the flyer and we hope you can come.

Thanking you

Miss Erin McDonald

Playgroup has started at Hymba Yumba. The group meet in the community room on Fridays from 9 am – 11am. Please come and join the fun!!! For further information please call the office.

Deputy Principal - Stephanie Walsh

Garumba Bigi Families,

Our first semester in 2019 has been full of the joy of learning.

It is my pleasure to welcome some new members of staff to the school. Mr Blade, Miss Gertie, Mr Jarrod and Mr Andrew have all settled in well. Sadly we say farewell to Miss Vide and thank her for all of her hard work over the last four years and at the end of term 2 we see Miss Erin J take maternity leave. We wish Erin the very best for her new adventure! In term 3 we welcome back Miss Emma Pitman and Miss Jess Chesterfield. We are all very excited to have them working with us again.

During the semester our jarjums have enjoyed a number of excursions. Year 11/12 visited Nudgee Beach for their Science in Practice field trip. The year 7 Jarjums the Nyanda Cultural excursion at Nudgee and a group of 11/12 jarjums learnt about the construction industry whilst attending a trip organised by Lendlease.

CSIRO continue to partner with us and help our teachers embed indigenous knowledge into their science lessons. Year 5 were very successful this term working on the 'What's cooking' investigation. They investigated concepts such as conduction, radiation and convection through studying the cooking method of a Kup Murri.

As term 2 draws to an end, assessments are underway. I would like to take the opportunity to wish all the jarjums the very best of luck with their assessments and I look forward to reading some glowing reports.

Kind regards

Stephanie Walsh

DP Curriculum, Teaching and Learning

Year 7 Excursion with Nyanda Cultural Tours

The year 7 Jarjums were fortunate enough to attend the Nyanda Cultural excursion at Nudgee. They were treated to Bush tucker, learning cultural knowledge about country and language, as well as trying their hand at boomerang and spear throwing.



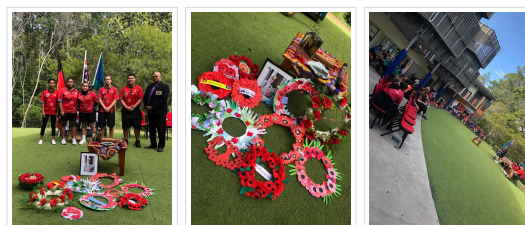
Super Rugby Qld Reds Indigenous Round

Hymba Yumba jarjums from years 5-9 were invited to participate at the Super Rugby Qld Reds Indigenous round Saturday 1st June.

As part of the invitation, Hymba Yumba jarjums and the Acacia Ridge Murri School had to form a players tunnels for both the Qld Reds and Argentina Jaguares.

Half time the jarjums versed each other in a friendly match.

Post match the jarjums had the opportunity to run water for the Qld Reds players.



Smoking Ceremony cleansing the Year ahead

Hymba Yumba Independent School started the School year off with a smoking Ceremony done by Gregory Duncan.

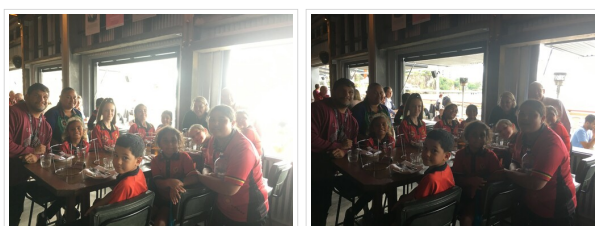


Singing Group

Singing group did a great performance at the Lendlease Statewide forum on Wednesday 15th May at the Howard Smith Wharves, Kangaroo Point.

Hymba Yumba did the Acknowledgement to Country and the Anthem to tie in with the Year of Indigenous Languages.

Jarjums did a spectacular performance in front of 120 people.



Year 11 & 12 Springfield Rise Display Village Excursion

The year 11 and 12 Hymba Yumba jarjies were invited along to the lendlease Springfield Rise display village to have a 'behind the scenes' tour of the running of a large build site. The jarjies were able to speak to a number of professionals in a variety of roles from site managers and town planners, to business managers and sales representatives. The professionals shared their experiences and answered questions from the jarjums about their roles and pathways after school, giving the jarjies information to help them make decisions about their own future pathways.

ANZAC Day Ceremony

On 25th April, Miss Erin, Ethan and Leilani attend the dawn service for 2019 at Robelle in Springfield.

Thank you to Ethan and Leilani for laying a wreath on behalf of Hymba Yumba Independent School to honour all that have served for our country and those that serve today.



On Wednesday 24th April Hymba Yumba staff and jarjums paid their respects to servicemen and women who have paid the ultimate price for the freedom that we have today. Mr Vern Hopkins who serviced in Vietnam was our guest of honour.

Throughout the day we got to explore a million dollar show home, Springfield Central's new sporting complex that is under construction, and a 3D diagram of the current and future development plans for Springfield. The day ended with the jarjums taking the role of a town planner and working in small groups to plan their very own park. The staff at lendlease were very impressed with the jarjies suggestions, participation, and behaviour during this activity and throughout the entire day. It was a fantastic learning experience, and the jarjies thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to get real world knowledge in a hands on environment.



Year 9 Drama Excursion

Year nine attended a Drama excursion to QPAC to learn how productions are made. We toured the wardrobe, backstage, through all of the theatres and learnt about lighting.



Yuggera (Yellow) 323

Ugarapul (Blue) 216



Other School Matters

What Sort of Start is Your Child Getting?

Just a little bit late doesn't seem much but.....

He/She is only missing just....	That equals....	Which is.....	and over 13 years of schooling that's...
10 minutes per day	50 minutes per week	Nearly 1.5 weeks per year	Nearly <u>Half a year</u>
20 minutes per day	1 hour 40 mins per week	Over 2.5 Weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 year</u>
Half an hour per day	Half a day per week	4 Weeks per Year	Nearly <u>1 and a Half years</u>
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 Weeks per year	Over <u>2 and a Half years</u>

Did you know your child's best learning time is the start of the school day?

That's when every minute counts the most!!

Athletics Carnival

Congrats to Jagera house for taking out the Winning House Trophy

Also congratulations to the following Athletics Age Champions

Junior School

10yrs Girls Moharine Macumboy

10yrs Boys Logan Hannah

11yrs Girls D'Asjah Thompson

11yrs Boys Luke Munt and Asher Olsen

12yrs Girls Neileen Bekue

12ys Boys Sean Fitzpatrick

Senior School

12yrs Girls Naveah Thompson

12ys Boys Lyric Ruska

13yrs Girls Izara Bonner

13ys Boys Carlin Renouf

14yrs Girls Alexzandra Lee

14ys Boys Ezra Szoke

15yrs Girls Joniqua Cedric

15ys Boys Daequan Jones

16yrs Girls Sade Baxter

16yrs Boys Nehemiah Coulahan

17+yrs Girls Alearah Jones

17+yrs Boys Sean McNelliey

House Champion

Jagera (Red) 474

Metro South Health

Is it time for your children to have a dental check-up?

Dental appointments are available now.
Come and visit us at one of our family dental clinics.

Simply call **1300 300 850** to book an appointment for a **FREE** dental check-up.

Free children's dental care is available from Metro South Oral Health for:

- all children aged 4 to grade 10 who are eligible for Medicare
- children aged 2-17 years who are eligible for the Child Dental Benefits Schedule, and
- children whose parents have a current Centrelink Card, Healthcare or Pension Card.


For more information on Metro South Oral Health Services
www.health.qld.gov.au/metrosouth/oralhealth



Metro South Oral Health Service



Holiday Activities



For Primary School Age Children

Gailes Community House, 30 Karina St, Gailes

- Morning Tea and Lunch Provided -

Monday 1st July 2019
(10am - 1pm)
Movie Day - Bring a pillow & blanket



Wednesday 3rd July 2019
(10am - 1pm)
Sushi Rock n Roll Cooking Party

Monday 8th July 2019
(10am - 1pm)
Gailes' Got Talent Show - Parents welcome to join us at 12.30pm for the show!

Wednesday 10th July 2019
(10am - 1pm)
Just Jump Trampoline Park/Play Centre - Drop off and pick up is from Just Jump, 235 Smiths Rd Redbank Q 4301

Call us on **3879 3004** to book in!
Limited Numbers!

This program is proudly funded by:

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RECORD

TWO-PART WORKSHOP FOR BEGINNERS

Are you a High School aged **Ipswich** Resident Interested in Home Recording?

JULY 8th & 9th 2019

10am - 4pm

TALL POPPY STUDIOS
3/629 Toohey Rd
Salisbury QLD 4107

ALL SELECTED PARTICIPANTS WILL RECIEVE A HOME RECORDING PACK UPON COMPLETION OF PROGRAM!

Register your interest at simon@bemac.org.au