



Chandler Chatter

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Calendar of Events 2024

Term 4

5th November—
Beach 2 Bush @
Chandler PS

7th November—
Leaders Lunch @
Rafters (School Leaders
Only)

14th November—
12.30pm Swimming
Lesson @ UNE

16th November—
LEGO League Comp @
Port Macquarie

11th December—
Presentation Night

Weekly events-

Wednesday— 9am –
10am Music with Mrs
Mackson

Thursday—Swimming
Lessons @ Sport UNE,
12.30-2pm:
14.11, 21.11, 28.11,
05.12, 12.12, 18.12

Friday
2pm—3pm PAWS Up
(01.11, 29.11, 13.12)

Term 4 Week 3

Friday 1st November 2024

Principals Report

Dear Parents/Carers and
Community Members,

Well done to all Chandler students for their fantastic participation in the recent New England Sings event. A big thank you to Mrs Mackson for her work with the children to prepare them for this event. Incredibly the students learnt 8 songs and it was quite remarkable to watch them and hundreds of primary school students perform to a sold-out audience. A big thank you also to parents who assisted by bringing their children to the performance on Sunday.

On Wednesday Stage 3 students attended the Far Out Science day with Mr. Jones. Following is a report on the excursion written by the Stage 3 students.

Next week we will have a visit from the Beach to Bush team. Students will engage in lessons

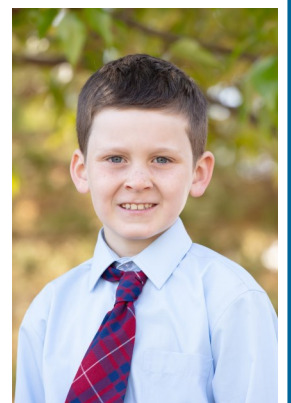
involving water safety and gain a better understanding of beach safety and types of dangers they need to avoid. Also, next week I will transport the 4 student leaders - Kimi, Peyton, Toby and Rikki to Rafters restaurant to share lunch with other leaders in primary schools. We will hear from the new local member Brendan Moylan and explore how to be an effective leader.

Time is ticking away, and students are working so hard to be ready for the First LEGO League competition. A big thank you to parents for their flexibility and allowing us the extra time after school on Mondays.

Linda Frizell
Principal

Super Student—

Congratulation to Rory Frizell who is our Super Student. Rory has worked hard all year and has made improvements in all areas. He continues to surprise the teachers with his mathematics thinking and he looks forward to science and STEM lessons.



New England Sings!

We would like to congratulate all of our students on their outstanding performance at New England Sings! on Sunday 27th October. Primary School students came together from across the region to perform eight songs to a strong audience of over 1,100 people. The incredible community spirit in supporting the students was visible to see.

The amount of organisation that goes into this event is tremendous and we would like to thanks the New England Conservatorium of Music for organising such a fantastic event for the students. It was a wonderful weekend of singing and music!

A digital video of the concert (Cost \$15) can be purchased through <https://www.trybooking.com/events/1269001/sessions/5003713/sections/2489288/tickets>



Far Out Science!

On the 30th of October Stage 3 went to Far Out Science at the UNE - with Mr. Jones. Our first activity was Chemistry. In Chemistry scientists blew up balloons by putting different gases inside them. We watched experts use liquid nitrogen to freeze different objects including balloons, tennis balls and flowers. The flower smashed to pieces, the balloon shrunk and expanded again back to its normal size and the tennis ball didn't bounce.

Secondly, we studied chicken eggs. How they grow, what they are made out of and differences in each egg.

After we learned about eggs we did Palaeontology, we measured a sheep skull, fox skull and kangaroo skull. We used a special ruler to measure the skulls.

Next we did animal tracking, we used a radar to track a number of turtle shells that were hidden around the UNE grounds. We had to write down the location and description about where the turtle shell was found. We filled out a quiz where you could win a speaker, headphones, plasma ball or LEGO! Unfortunately none of us won any prizes.

We learned a lot and had a blast!!!

Written by Kimi, Peyton, Mel, Rikki & Toby



Leader's Lunch

Chandler Public School Student Leaders will attend a Leaders Lunch with MP Brendan Moylan and the other Snowgums School Leaders next Thursday. Students will travel with Mrs Frizell to Rafters in Guyra where they will enjoy a scrumptious lunch and celebrate their successes in Leadership.

Beach 2 Bush

Next week we will have NSW Lifesaving visit us to deliver a lesson on Beach Safety. This is an important reminder to students of how to look after their safety at the beach, coming into summer.

Parents can find information and resources of how to keep safe at the beach online at www.beachsafetyhub.org.au



LEGO League Competition—Port Macquarie



TWO weeks to go! Students are making good progress in all areas of the competition, and while we have a little way to go, things are certainly shaping up! The amount of work the students are putting into the innovation project and robot game is inspiring.

With two weeks left until we travel to Port Macquarie, every minute counts. Ashley has contacted parents regarding some extra time on Saturday 9th November so students can ensure they are fully prepared for the competition.

We look forward to reporting on the competition in week 7's newsletter.



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Community Events



**Christmas
in the mall**

Beardy Street Mall, Armidale
Friday 29 November
4:30pm - 8:30pm

ARMIDALE
Regional Council

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SAVE THE DATE!
FRIDAY 8 NOVEMBER 4PM-8PM

TWILIGHT MARKET @NEGS

FOOD | MARKET STALLS | DRINKS | MUSIC | ENTERTAINMENT



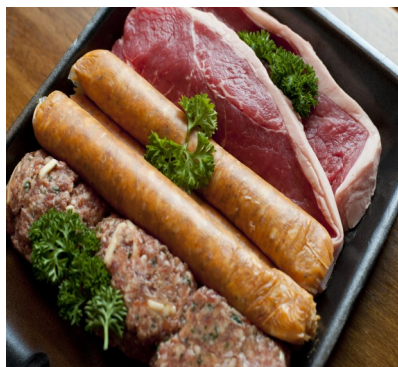
**BLACK GULLY
FESTIVAL 2024**



art
music
community
environment

9TH NOVEMBER
BLACK GULLY (BEHIND NERAM)

Upcoming Chandler P&C Events



Raffles @ Ebor Pub

14th November @ 7.30pm
12th December @ 7.30pm

