



Casino West
PUBLIC SCHOOL

WE ARE WALKING IN OUR ELDERS FOOTSTEPS ON BUNDJALUNG COUNTRY, NURTURING AND EDUCATING OUR JARJUMS TO ACHIEVE THEIR FUTURE DREAMING.



Week 9 Term 1

Monday 20 March 2023

<https://casinowest-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

3/4S Historians!

Events calendar

Monday 20 March

Year 3/4 Dance Group 11.30am

Introduction to Casino High School Information Night
at Casino High 5.30pm - 7.00pm

Tuesday 21 March

1/2W and 2C Gracemere Excursion

Wednesday 23 March

Book Club Orders Due

Year 5/6 Dance Group 11.30am

Thursday 24 March

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Friday 25 March

Harmony Day Assembly 10.00am

Families welcome

Unit Overview "Country and Place"

In this unit, students learn about the importance of Country/Place to Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Peoples who belong to a local area. 3/4S students have been investigating key questions and as a result have interviewed a number of people at our school to find answers. Take a look at what we found out.....



Which Country is your school community on?
Gullabal (Casino)

If you can, listen to an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander person from your area talk about their Country. Ask them the questions from question 2 or come up with some of your own.

Name: <u>Tania close (Payton) Walker</u>	
What is your country called?	What are two things you learn about your country?
<u>Gullabal (Casino)</u>	1. It's on Bundjalung Country
<u>Wollabal (Tabulam)</u>	2. It's used to be swamp area
<u>Githabal (Mulimulij)</u>	
How did you learn about your country?	How do you feel about your country?
<u>By my mum and dad and grandmother</u>	<u>It's a beautiful country to live in and raise my children and grandchildren</u>

Dear parents, carers and community members,

Welcome to week 9 after a very hot week. Students have been extremely responsible wearing their hats in the playground and staying hydrated.

It is wonderful to see so many students achieving silver for being safe, responsible and respectful learners at Casino West Public School. Well done also to students who have now achieved bronze last week. We look forward to seeing how many students achieve GOLD by the end of term! Keep up the good work.

This week classes 1/2W and 2C will be attending an excursion to Gracemere Farm as part of their Living Things unit. We hope they have a great time learning about the farm and its animals. KR and K/1S will attend the excursion on Monday 27 March.

On Friday we will be having a Harmony Day Assembly at school in the hall. The assembly will start at 10:00am and will showcase the work classes have been doing on their chosen country.

Don't forget to put in your Easter lunch order for Thursday 6 April. The canteen has some lovely meal specials for our Easter Hat Parade Day.

Congratulations to all students and their families who received an excellence certificate for attendance. We hope you enjoyed your little gift and your child enjoyed the canteen voucher. Our attendance this term has been quite strong, regular attendance for all students is very important. Please let us know if your child is to be absent from school for any reason.

Have a great week!

Lesley Mills

Principal

NSW Department of Education

Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to...



Learn



Make friends



Build skills through fun

education.nsw.gov.au



Platty says
"At Casino West we always honour each other
and show great respect."



If you can, listen to an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander person from your area talk about their Country. Ask them the questions from question 2 or come up with some of your own.

Name: Zoe

What is your Country called: Wadjigal

born: Lismore

widjigal country

home: Casinogullibul

How did you learn about your country?

• stories
• family
• Elders
• cultural events.
• Art

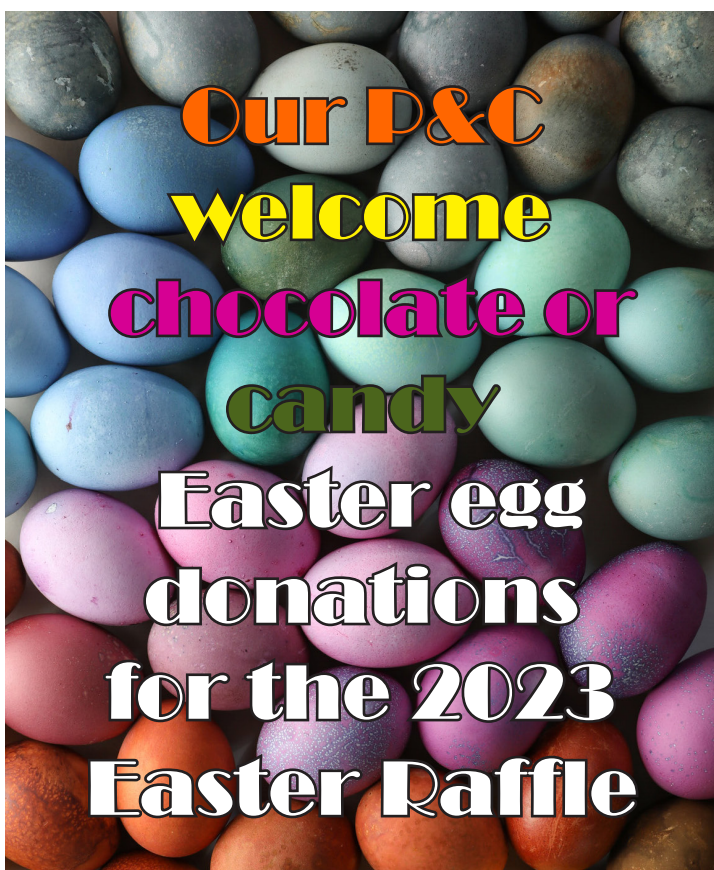
What are two things you learned about your Country?

How connected I am to the land, stories about the old days and how things were.

How do you feel about your country?

It is my safe place I call home

Another 3/4S Historian!



**Join our P&C
in 2023**

Donna Goldthorpe - P&C President

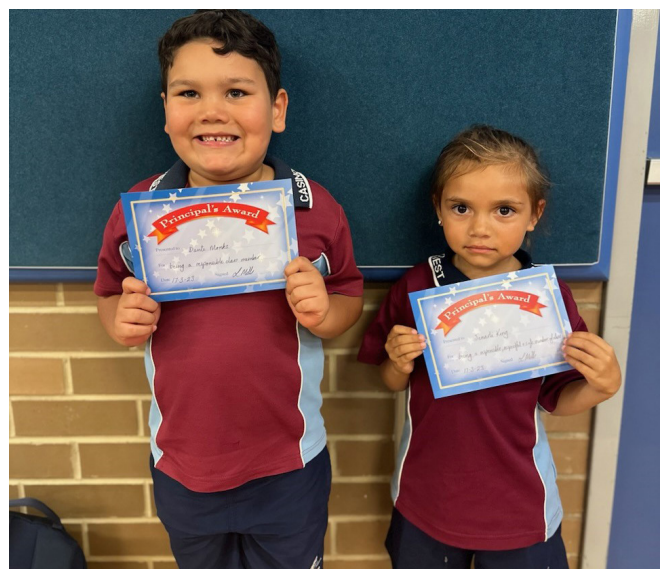
Julie Ewart - Vice President

Renea Scott - Treasurer

Felice Perkins - Secretary

Infants Assembly Term 1 Week 8

Class	Star of the Class	Sports Star
KR	Dakoda M	Skylar J
K/1S	Deklyn F	Alma D
1/2W	Estelle T	Josiah A
2C	Bodhi B-L	Sue D-A
	Merit Awards	Reason
KR	Maci B	<i>Focused</i>
KR	Mylz Mc	<i>Helpful</i>
K/1S	Jessie C	<i>Improved confidence in writing</i>
K/1S	Kyrie C	<i>Great blending skills</i>
1/2W	Sophia M	<i>Writing</i>
1/2W	Kyra V	<i>Beginning to blend</i>
2C	Douglas C	<i>Reading</i>
2C	Zak N	<i>Reading</i>
	Principals Award	Reason
KR	Jenarli K	<i>Respectful, responsible and safe</i>
K/1S	Dante M	<i>Being a responsible class member</i>
1/2W	Dharius T	<i>Wanting to be at school and be a learner</i>
2C	Peyton C	<i>Blending phonemes together to work out tricky words when reading</i>
	Birthdays	
Jett H 1/2W	Peter P KR	Zayarah R-H K/1S
Playground Draw \$2 canteen voucher		'Best Behaviour at Assembly' Class Award
Malekai M 2C	Max M KR	KR



From the library desk

Students are enjoying visiting the library for work and relaxation. The library provides a safe and friendly environment. It is also a cool place to be, especially on hot days.

Playing the piano, quietly of course, is a popular activity. Some students are engaging with a keyboard for the very first time!

Just a reminder about class library days. This is an ideal time to bring in library bags so books can be borrowed to take home.

Wednesday - 3/4N, Pre School, 5/6W, 2C, 5/6K

Thursday - K/6R, K/6M, 3/4S, K/6S

Friday - K/1S, 1/2W, KR, K-6H



**Book Club Issue 2 is due this
Wednesday!**

**Taking enrolments
for 2024 NOW!!!**

*We'd love for you to join us
Drop in or call*

02 6662 8995

02 6662 1916



Little Jarjums Preschool
Casino West Public School

**Attendance Reward
Week 8 Term 1 2023**

KR 90%

Well done!

**Canteen Award
Week 8 Term 1 2023**

Tyga Mc in KR
Max C in K/6M

Well done!

**Different teacher,
same respect**

Jayden G-T in 1/2W

Tanesha R in 3/4S

Congratulations!

Each week students are drawn from the special golden box. Students then pick a prize from Mrs Mills' special prize box.

Word
of the
Week

*Walla Walla
means Magpie*

Phrase
of the
Week

*Boogle Joogum
means Good night*

**Easter Hat Parade
9.45am
Thursday 6 April**

**P&C Raffle Tickets for sale
\$1.00 each
(Please return
by Wednesday 5 April)**



HARMONY DAY

Celebrations Friday 24 March

Harmony Week is the celebration that recognises our diversity and brings together Australians from all different backgrounds. It's about inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone.

**Harmony Day Assembly
10.00 am Friday 24 March
Casino West Public School Hall**

*All classes will be presenting a short item.
All parents, carers and community members are most welcome to attend.*



Class	Country	Colour
Preschool	Brazil	Blue, green, black and white
K/6S	Mexico	Green, white and red
K/6M	Australia	Red, white, blue, green and gold
K/6R	Ireland	Green, white and orange
K/6H	Japan	Red and white
KR	Italy	Red, green and white
K/1S	Greece	Blue and white
1/2W	Oman	Red, white and green
2C	Canada	Red and white
3/4N	France	Blue, red and white
3/4S	New Zealand	Black and white
5/6K	Spain	Red and yellow
5/6W	Syria	Red, white, black and green

Principal Award

“Achieving 10 stars” Well done!

Fletcher S	Daniel P-C	Raeleigh R
Lilith P	Josiah A	Jett H
Max C	Brooklyn T	Cohen M
Tyler M		



Our value this week is

HONOUR

- **Honour** means doing what you believe to be right and being confident that you have done what is right. It is the quality of knowing and doing what is morally right.
- To **honour** someone means to treat them or regard them with special attention and to show a high amount of respect.
- At Casino West we **honour** each other in every direction - teacher to teacher, teacher to student, student to teacher, teacher to parent, child to parent.

Honour, when done right is like a tree with many branches. A tree flourishing and bursting with life. May we always be people who honour one another?

Silver Award Term 1 2023

***Congratulations for being safe, responsible and respectful learners
at Casino West Public School***

Maci B	Zakaya B	Amiri C
Ariana C	Sahalia H-C	Skylar J
Dakoda M	Zahli R	Hadlee S
Blade B	Lucian B	Tyga Mc
Mylz Mc	Peter P	Azariah W
James A	Kyrie C	Deklyn F
Kasey P	Kaylan T	Shytaya B-R
Brooklyn D	Aliera G	Zayarah R-H
Bella W	Jake C	Hunter H
Oliver M	Dante M	Jacob Y
Emmaleikah B-O	Suzanne D-A	Charlotte G
Hope H	Oceana M	Saskia M
Bodhi B-L	Kobe C	Peyton C
Zekheil H	Zakariya N	Jarli P
Leroy R	Flynn S	Fletcher S
Willow W	Sophia M	Lilith P
Brooklyn T	Taner B	Jett H
Dharius T	Azzalea A	Summer H-C
Scarlett M	Estelle T	Shakya-Leigh V
Josiah A	Jayden G-T	Kianna A
Safiyah N	Emmy S	Kaydan C
Koby D	Hunter G	Cooper G
Laureek R	Laria C	Makayla G
Correen Mc	Belicia T	Abraham C
Jamaul D	Matt H	Hunter H-C
Rayne A-S	Lameaha B	Emily S
Kaliah T	Levi C	James G
Connor Y	Addison B	Payton C
Tamesha R	Lakayshia W-H	Lincoln B-S
Jesse F	Kirsty D	Imogen H
Chayellah B	Shae P	Teeanna R
Scarlett S	Isabella S	Cory Mc
Zandyr S	Jesse S	Frederick W
Sharna C	Tahlia D	Crystal G
Leanna H	Kiarni O	Isabella P
Koby C	Matthew F	Kaige P
Les R	Summer A	Jyharla C
Glenda D	Dakota F	Kiarli F
Khloe F	Juliearna R	Aidan C
Emanuel W	Serina A	Jaylinda G-T
Alkira R	Shontahla T	Jayson Mc
Koby O	Benjamin S	Nahum H
Nicholas G	Spencer H-C	Kade J
Ivy-Jean B	Charlotte B	Shannon A
Khylian B-H	Jason R	Cohen M
Nathan S	Izaac B	Maxwell C
Tyler M	Cooper C	Dylan H
Riley Mc	Kate C	Jerahl B

Casino High School

MONDAY MARCH 20th, 2023 5:30-7pm
INTRODUCTION TO CASINO HIGH SCHOOL OPEN NIGHT

Casino High School aims to enhance the development of our students as confident and creative individuals equipping them to become informed citizens and lifelong learners. All students have the opportunity to achieve excellence and succeed through our broad curriculum.

OUR COMPREHENSIVE CURRICULUM INCLUDES:

- Extensive range of elective courses
- Successful Agricultural Show Team
- Talented Athletes Program
- Successful sporting teams participating in Zone, Regional and State competitions
- Wide range of Vocational Education courses
- School-Based Traineeships with links to local businesses
- Student support and tutoring

ENROLMENTS FOR 2024 ARE NOW OPEN
Please see our school website and Facebook page for further information.

90 Queensland Road, Casino NSW 2470 | Ph: 02 6662 3077 | Website: casino-h.schools.nsw.gov.au

Circle of Security® PARENTING SERIES

Jumbunna Community Preschool & Early Intervention Centre

At times all parents feel lost or without a clue about what our child might need from us. Imagine what it might feel like if you were able to make sense of what your child was really asking from you.

The Circle of Security® Parenting™ program is based on decades of research about how secure parent-child relationships can be supported and strengthened.

dates: 2023 - Wednesdays 17th May
24th May
31st May
7th June

times: 9-11am

place: Casino RSM Club

facilitator: Wendy Ferguson

Cost is FREE and course places are limited.
Morning Tea Provided.

Phone or email us to book your place TODAY
call 6662 2866 or email wferguson@jumbunna.com.au

Super Science Circus Show is coming!!!! Wednesday 29 March



Many tracks, one road, sustaining community.
Northern Rivers Community Gateway

AUTUMN VACATION CLUB

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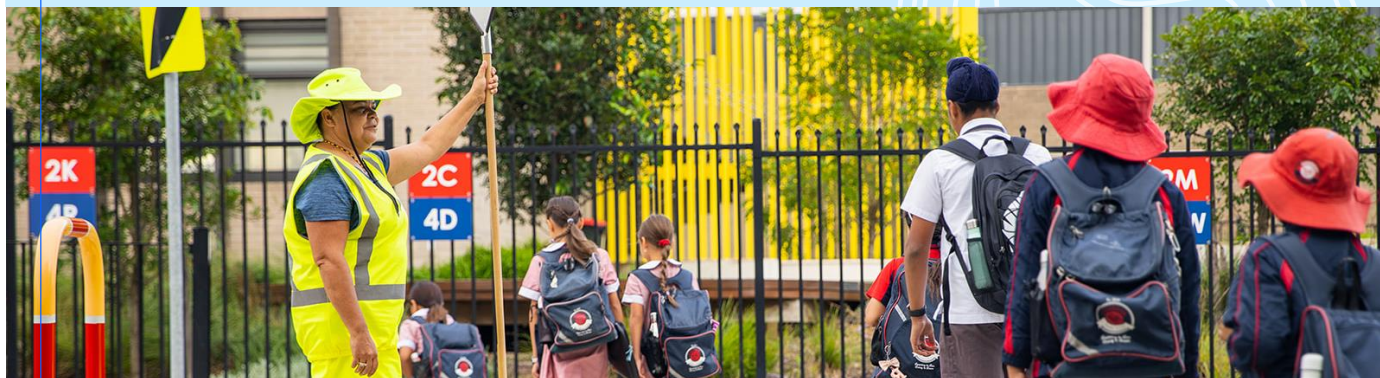
Rainbow Region Kids VACATION CLUB
is taking bookings for The APRIL 2023 SCHOOL
HOLIDAYS in ALSTONVILLE, CASINO, KYOGLE,
LISMORE, OCEAN SHORES and WOLLONGBAR!

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Be a road safety hero for school kids, caregivers, and school staff.



Be a second set of eyes for local motorists at busy times.



Earn an income and still have time to live your life to the fullest.



Permanent part-time roles available
Casino West Public School - 83234

Does this sound like you?

- Willing to work outdoors in all weather conditions.
- Able to communicate with different groups and give clear instructions.
- Community-minded.
- Friendly and positive manner.

Days and hours

- 20 hours each fortnight.
- Shifts are between 8:45 am - 9:45 am and 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm.
- Work Monday to Friday during school terms.

Apply today

Applications close Wednesday 22nd March 2023

Visit jobs.transport.nsw.gov.au and search for **Reference Number: 83234** or search 'School Crossing Supervisors' for a full list of vacancies or scan the QR code to apply.

For further information, contact Sandhini Chaudhary

E: sandhini.chaudhary@transport.nsw.gov.au

P: 0466 343 704

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Easter Package

Thursday 6 April 2023

Please select a package below, tick your preferred drink and return with payment by Tuesday 4 April 2023



Student Name: _____ Class _____

Total Cost Enclosed: _____

Package 1 - \$3.50

- ☐ Hot Cross Bun
☐ Flavoured Milk or ☐ Chill J
☐ Fruit

Package 2 - \$5.00

- ☐ Egg & Lettuce Sandwich
☐ Flavoured Milk or ☐ Chill J
☐ Hot Cross Bun

Package 3 - \$8.00

- ☐ Chicken Burger/ Chicken & Salad
(Flame Grilled Breast)
☐ Flavoured Milk or ☐ Chill J
☐ Hot Cross Bun

Package 4 - \$8.00

- ☐ Fish Burger/ Fish & Salad
(Barramundi)
☐ Flavoured Milk or ☐ Chill J
☐ Hot Cross Bun



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(Barramundi)
☐ Flavoured Milk or ☐ Chill J
☐ Hot Cross Bun

WHAT'S ON

Term 1 - 2023	
Monday 20 March	Year 3/4 Dance Group 11.30am
Tuesday 21 March	1/2W and 2C Gracemere Excursion
Wednesday 22 March	Book Club Orders due Year 5/6 Dance Group 11.30am
Friday 24 March	Harmony Day
Monday 27 March	KR and K/1S Gracemere Excursion
Tuesday 28 March	Primary Assembly 2.40pm
Wednesday 29 March	The Super Science Circus Show Performance Scholastic Easter Book Fair Preview for students
Thursday 30 March	Scholastic Easter Book Fair Preview for students
Friday 31 March	Scholastic Easter Book Fair Preview for students Infants Assembly 1.00pm
Monday 3 April	Books in Homes Presentation
Wednesday 5 April	Scholastic Easter Book Fair sales
Thursday 6 April	Easter Hat Parade Scholastic Easter Book Fair sales Final Day of term

Term 2 - 2023	
Monday 24 April	Staff Development Day
Tuesday 25 April	ANZAC Day
Wednesday 26 April	Students return
Wednesday 10 May	Mothers Day Stall 2.20pm - 3.00pm
Thursday 11 May	School Photos Mothers Day Stall 2.20pm - 3.00pm
Friday 12 May	Mother's Day Stall 2.20pm - 3.00pm

Term 3 - 2023	
Monday 17 July	Staff return
Tuesday 18 July	Students return
Thursday 10 August	Casino West Art Show Family Show 2.20-3.20pm Formal Opening 5.30pm (Adult event)

Primary Assembly Term 1

In Hall	Week 2	Week 4	Week 6	Week 8	Week 10
2.40pm	Tues -	Tues 14 Feb	Tues 28 Feb	Tues 14 Mar	Tues 28 Mar

Infants Assembly Term 1

In Hall	Week 2	Week 4	Week 6	Week 8	Week 10
1.00pm	Friday -	Friday 17 Feb	-	Friday 17 Mar	Friday 31 Mar



Tuesday 18 April
Casino RSM Club
from 3pm
FREE!!! Register via the link:

https://www.stickytickets.com.au/xki7p/magic_and_circus.aspx



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on the pulse
connect
to CLASS DOJO