



# Hargraves Public School

*The school with a heart of gold*

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## Presentation Evening

The children have been busy practising their dancing and singing in preparation for their Presentation Evening.

Children will need a black shirt and black shorts or trousers.

If you have nothing suitable at home please let us know as soon as possible.

All children return to school on Wednesday  
28th January 2015

*Goodbye to our Year 6 children who are heading off to high school next year.*

*Enjoy the next chapter in your life, work hard, always do your best and remember everything you learnt at Hargraves PS.*

Please bring a plate for supper

## Swimming Lessons

The children have had a great week at swimming, learning new skills and improving in their confidence and style. The water has been warm and the weather perfect for swimming!

A huge THANK YOU, THANK YOU to parents who helped with lessons and transport. We couldn't have done it without you.



Next year we will be swimming from Thursday 29th January to Wednesday 4th February. As swimming will commence on the second day back from holidays a permission note is attached to this newsletter.

## TERM 4, 2014 CALENDAR



WK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
10	8	9	10 Playgroup Christmas Party Galloping Gumnuts	11 Christmas Church service 10am	12 Presentation Evening Nugget News deadline
11	15 Life Skills Auction	16 Family Picnic	17	18	19

## TERM 1, 2015 CALENDAR

WK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	26	27	28 <b>ALL children return to school</b>	29 Swimming	30 Swimming
2	2 February Swimming	3 Swimming	4 Swimming	5	6

**P & C News**—A note asking for help with this year's Family picnic which will be held on Tuesday 16th December is attached to this newsletter.



**A Christmas Church Service** will be held next Thursday 11th December at 10am in St Stephens church (this is the little church across the road from the school.)

The service will be conducted by Father David from the Anglican Church in Mudgee.

All parents/carers are invited to attend.

If you DO NOT want your child to attend, please let Mrs Rae know.

### Pleasures of free play

Allowing free time for children to play on their own, making up games and activities, can help kids to be comfortable in their own company, teach them how to cope with boredom and, importantly, foster their imagination.

Under scheduling your child: <http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/benefits-of-underscheduling-your-child>



### HARGRAVES VILLAGE CHRISTMAS TREE



Come and join us on  
**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2014**  
starting at 5pm at the Recreation Ground.  
There will be a barbeque, chocolate wheels & raffle.  
Everyone is welcome for a wonderful evening

*Santa will be arriving at 7pm  
Barbeque from 5pm*

Steak & sausage sandwiches  
& soft drink available

Enquiries - Kim Bastow 6373 8264

Every effort has been made to contact all local families with children aged from 0 to Year 6. Please let all your friends know to check if their children are on Santa's gift list at the shop

### Student of the Week

**Kirsty Carrall**

For an improved attitude towards  
school work



**Siobhan Bastow**

For being the "Addition Queen"  
of Stage 3



**Tyler Miller**

For working hard on Christmas  
algorithms

