

# Hargraves Public School

*The school with a heart of gold*

28th October 2016

Phone: 6373 8524

Fax: 6373 8609

Email: [hargraves-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:hargraves-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

Website: [hargraves-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://hargraves-p.schools.nsw.edu.au)

## Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Cooking

This week the children made pizza, but no ordinary pizza. They made Leek and Silverbeet Pizza, with leeks from Miss Miles garden and Silverbeet from their vegetable garden. They made their own dough which had to be left to "prove" before rolling into rounds.



## School Photos Were Taken on Wednesday

To make a payment for school photos after photography day you can choose one of the following options:

1. Go to the website [www.theschoolphotographer.com.au](http://www.theschoolphotographer.com.au) and select the "Click her for Online Payments" button and follow the onscreen instructions.
2. Call the office on 9674 9824 and they will take your credit card payment over the phone. (Note—there is a processing fee of \$5 for phone payments)



The children enjoyed their pizza



## Music Makes the World Go Around

This term we are very fortunate to have Mrs Mary Mitchell coming to school each Wednesday. Mrs Mitchell is an experienced and talented music teacher with a wealth of knowledge and the children are enjoying their lessons with her.

The children have been learning a range of singing games to improve their listening and their rhythm. The primary students have been learning to read music and clap the rhythms as well as sight read simple pieces as they sing. This is quite a challenging activity and all the students have been trying very hard. They have also been listening to Peter and the Wolf by Sergei Prokofiev and learning which instruments represent each character in the story.

All the children are thoroughly enjoying their Wednesday music lessons.



## TERM 4, 2016 CALENDAR

WK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
4	31	1 November	2	3	4
5	7 Years 5/6 to Ilford School for a PD Day	8 Touch Football Gala Day (Years 2-6)	9 Small Schools Year 6 Orientation at Mudgee High Gallopng Gumnuts	10	11 Remembrance Day
6	14	15 P & C Meeting—2 pm	16	17 Orientation Day for Year 6 at Mudgee High School	18 <b>Healthy Lunch Box/Fruit &amp; Veg Sense Workshop</b>
7	21	22	23 Gallopng Gumnuts	24	25
8	28	29 Christmas Church Service	30	1 December	2
9	5 <i>Swimming lessons</i>	6 <i>Swimming lessons</i>	7 <i>Swimming lessons</i> Gallopng Gumnuts	8 <i>Swimming lessons</i>	9 <i>Swimming lessons</i> Nugget News Deadline
10	12 Play Night TBC	13	14 Life Skills Auction	15 <i>Family Picnic TBC</i>	16 Community Carols at the Courthouse

### Personal Development Day

The children in Years 5 and 6 will be travelling to Ilford School on Monday 7th November.

### Touch Football Gala Day

Children in Year 2—6 will be taking part in the Touch Football day on Tuesday 8th November at Glen Willow Oval in Mudgee.

### Numeracy Tips

- Talk positively about maths with your child - even if you struggled with it at school yourself. Staying positive about maths will help your child. Saying "I was bad at maths" can lower a child's own expectations of themselves at maths and can give your child an excuse not to try.
- Talk to your child about how you use maths in everyday life - while shopping, banking, budgeting, cooking, driving, and keeping score in sports games, telling the time etc.
- Help your child to see the real-life purpose for the maths they are learning at school e.g. when your child is learning fractions you could ask them:
- "How many slices will I need to cut the pizza into so that everyone has two slices?"
- "What fraction of the glass is filled with water?"
- "Can you cut up the apple to make six equal pieces?"



**The simplest way**  
to improve the health of your kids

**Come to our Healthy Lunch Box Session**



**Date:** Friday 18<sup>th</sup> November  
**Time:** 9:30 am  
**Venue:** Hargraves Public School

Eating enough fruit and veg every day can help protect your kids against diseases including some forms of cancer. This popular session run by Cancer Council NSW as part of the *Eat It To Beat It* program will give you:

- New and exciting ideas for healthy lunch boxes your kids will love
- A Show Bag including a great healthy lunch box kit and planner
- Simple ways to get the whole family eating enough fruit & veg

**Eat It To Beat It**



**HALLOWEEN disco**  
Come dressed in your spookiest costume!

**Saturday 29th October 2016**  
**5.00 pm at the Hargraves Hall**

Lucky Door prizes  
Best Dressed prizes  
Dance Spot prizes  
Chocolate Wheel

**Entry by gold coin donation**  
(Bring a bag of lollies to share)

**"Celebrate Mudgee" raffle to be drawn on the night**

**Barbecue food and drinks for sale**  
Enquiries to Helen Toop—6373 3691—Hargraves P & C

### The girls have been busy!

Fresh eggs for sale

**\$3 per dozen**



### P & C News

Village Christmas Tree—please let Tiffany Colley know of any children who may need to be added or removed from Santa's gift list. Tiffany—6373 8538  
Next meeting is Tuesday 15th November.



#### Abbie Condren

For a great week's work and being an excellent role model



#### Lochlan Shoemark

For good writing

#### Gemma Colley

For completing the Multilit program

