



Diary Dates:

Report Cards Home - Monday 7/12/15

Congewai Playgroup - Thursday 10/12/15
9:15-11am

Carols at Congewai - Friday 11/12/15

End of Year Celebration at Hunter Valley Zoo -

Tuesday 15/12/15 9:30am – lunch

School Presentation Day - Wednesday 16/12/15
commencing at 9:30am and finishing with morning
tea

Last day for students– 16/12/15

Welcome to Week 10 of term 4.

This is our last full week of school as the term comes to a close for another year. We'll be practising our skills in all curriculum areas as a finish off for the year, completing lots of writing, working on art projects and practicing for our end of year celebrations and School Presentation Day.

We're busily preparing for our Carols at Congewai this week and are looking forward to all the fun of Friday evening. The jumping castle and maze are booked, our fake tattoos are ready to apply, the coloured hairspray is available and our yummy treats are being baked this week, all ready for our community to enjoy!

Our children are getting quite excited about singing with others in the choir and we all can't wait to hear our parent's sing. Don't forget to come and listen to Jules and William Crighton sing through the evening and accompany our choir. We're certainly lucky to have such talent in our parent community.

Last week we sent home a parent survey which indicates how our school is going in many aspects of business. This survey is based on the School Excellence Framework and is a framework on which schools will be operating within from now on. We'd appreciate your honesty in completing the survey, as this gives us a clear indication on directions needed for the future. Please send all surveys back in by this Friday.

Next week is the last week of the school year with students finishing school next Wednesday, the 16th December.

On next Tuesday our students will be travelling to the Hunter Valley Zoo for their end of year celebration. Please let us know if you are taking your child/children to the zoo yourself, as children who are not with parents will travel in teacher's vehicles and we need to plan who will travel with whom. Please return notes this Friday along with medical information forms.

Our school's Presentation Day is next Wednesday, 16th December. This commences at 9:30am in our refurbished school hall and will finish with morning tea in the classrooms. Our family members are more than welcome to join us to recognise the fantastic year we've all had.

Until next week,

Donna Stackman



**ALL
WELCOME**

Congewai Public School

Thursday 26 November & 10 December

LAST DAY FOR THIS YEAR

Thursday December 10th 9:15—11am

News from the classroom:

Notes due back -

- ◇ Homework survey for parents
- ◇ School survey - due on Friday please
- ◇ Hunter Valley Zoo notes End of Year excursion - due on Friday please

Speaking and Listening topic: Free choice

English and Maths: skills practice

Friday - Library: All library books back please

Canteen: Last canteen for the year!

Choir: We're busily practicing our choir songs, please let us practice at home, along with our Presentation Day song.

Helpers needed for Carols at Congewai. Please see if you can assist for the night or a short time, as this is one of the biggest fund raisers for our year.



Don't forget...Head Check Friday!

On Friday afternoons, check kids hair, give it a good going over because the crawlies do like to hide, and treat if necessary.



Please bring all hamper donations
in by Thursday

