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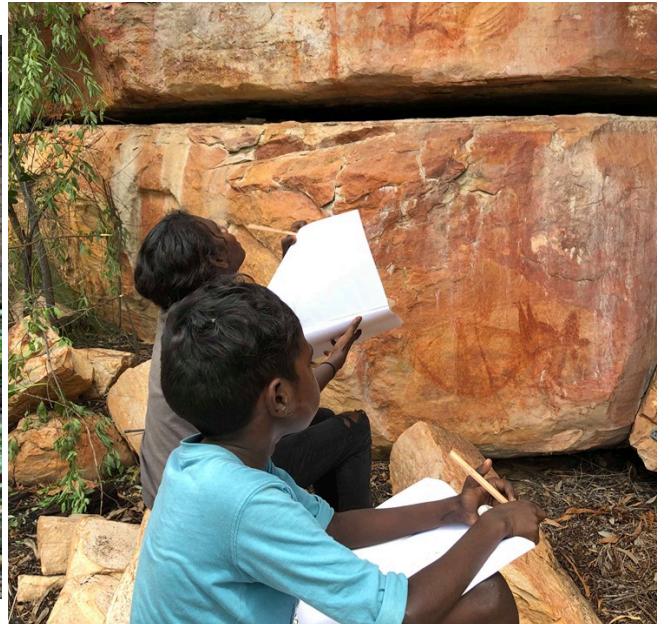
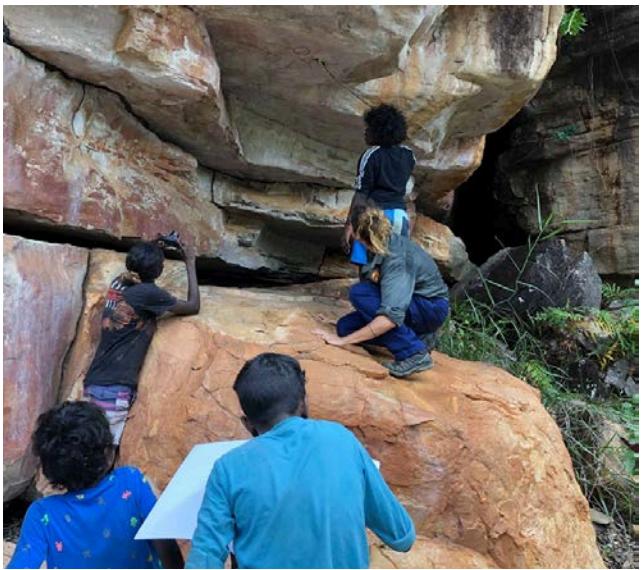
Week 8 Term Two

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Learning on Country.

Students learnt about bim on country from Serina. They also worked with the daluk rangers and Claudia to record the bim site to help protect it for future generations and recorded the bim into their cultural learning books.



in the Classroom..



Finding insects in Science



and around the Community!

Kunwinjku Language Workshop in Kabulwarnamyo.

Recently Bininj and Balanda from Warddeken Land Management and Nawarddeken Academy enjoyed learning kunwok together with the support of Steven Bird (CDU Linguist). We learned Kunwinjku and English by doing activities together like cooking food and changing tyres. We also used our phones to record kunwok which we can play back later. Steven showed us how to use an App on a tablet to take a photo and add Kunwinjku or English. We were encouraged to find time each week to practise language, record new words and phrases, find a partner and keep learning together. There will be another workshop after school holidays.



Thankyou Penny

Thankyou Penny for teaching at Nawarddeken Academy while Julie and Amber joined in the Kunwinjku Language Workshop and worked on reports. The students enjoyed the photos, videos and natural items that Penny brought up from the Coorong as part of their learning about Storm Boy.



Welcome Tahnee

It has been great to have Tahnee join us at Nawarddeken Academy. The students have enjoyed working with Tahnee one on one and in small groups.

Congratulations to our hardworking students!



Well done to our award winners!!



Reggina helping Miles and Richard present their Camera Trapping procedure at assembly.

Storm Boy

We have been learning about Storm Boy. We have been looking at the setting (where the story happened) and the characters (who the story is about).

Andrick and Miles built the Coorong and the humpy that Storm Boy and his dad lived in.

Miles added cockle shells to the Coorong. These came with Penny from the real Coorong in South Australia.

Miles and some of the characters the students made for the Stop Motion movie they made on the ipads.

We learnt about the Ngarrindjeri people who are the traditional owners of the Coorong. Molly is looking at some Ngarrindjeri weaving, which is done with reeds.



The students came up with their own Storm Boy story and then made it into a movie.

Storm Boy

By Nawarddeken Students

Fingerbone bill was an Aboriginal man and the traditional owner of the Coorong. Hide-Away Tom was Storm Boys dad. His wife died and he lived with Storm Boy at the Coorong. Storm boy liked to walk along 90 mile beach and look at the beautiful birds in the sanctuary. Fingerbone bill showed storm boy 3 baby pelicans that were all alone and he took them home to look after them. Storm boy fed Mr Ponder, Mr Proud and Mr Percival fish everyday.

He was sad when they had to go away. Mr Percival came back and was Storm Boy's best friend!

Literacy

Narrative Writing

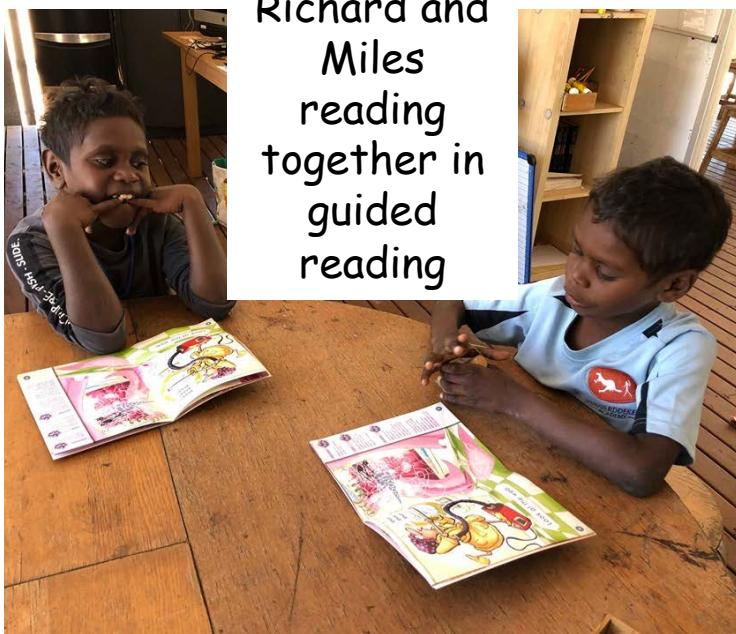
The Kangaroo Got Lost

Written by Reggina Namarnyilk

Mother kangaroo went for a walk with her baby. The hunter came to look for a kangaroo. Then he saw her and shot her. The mother died. The baby kangaroo ran away. He felt sad and he got lost. Then two little girls found the little kangaroo. They took him home and looked after him.



Guided Reading



Richard and Miles reading together in guided reading



Richard, Miles and Andrlick doing a guided reading activity with Tahnee.

Miles, Reggina and Andrlick with the masks they made to act out the story 'Quick Quack Quentin'.



Djari, Miles and Richard working hard on their spelling

Sight Word Fishing Fun!





Science

Nawarddeken students have been enjoying Science inside and outside the classroom.

We joined Bianca to help her with her leaf litter survey. We learnt about how important it is to follow the same process each time and record the information into tables.

Back at school the older students have been focussing on plants, fruits, flowers, pollination and pollinators. The younger students have been learning about insects and minibeasts (animals without bones). They have been finding minibeasts around the school and using what they have learnt to classify the bugs.

Reggina sharing her diagram of a flower.

Miles, Djari and Richard sharing their diagrams of insects.



Numeracy

Hot Water Donkey Survey

The weather is getting colder so students went around the community to find out how many houses had hot water donkeys so they could have hot showers.

They surveyed each house and recorded their information as they went.

Hot Water Donkey



Thanks to the survey we can now order in hot water donkeys so that people can have hot showers when it is cold.

Hot Water Donkeys in Kabulwarnamyo	
Have hot water donkeys	6
No hot water donkey	5
Shared bathroom or no answer	6



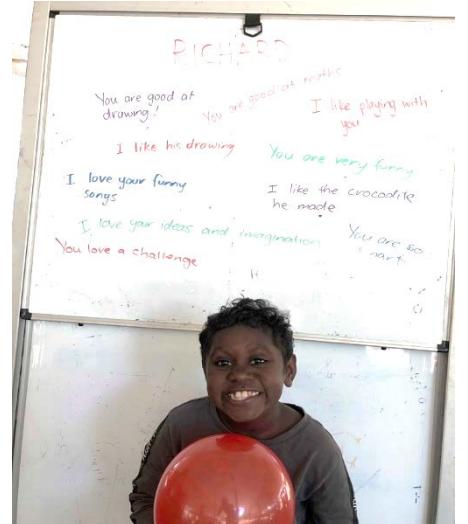
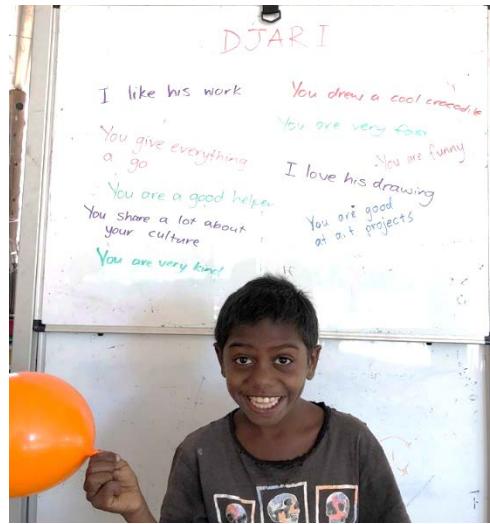
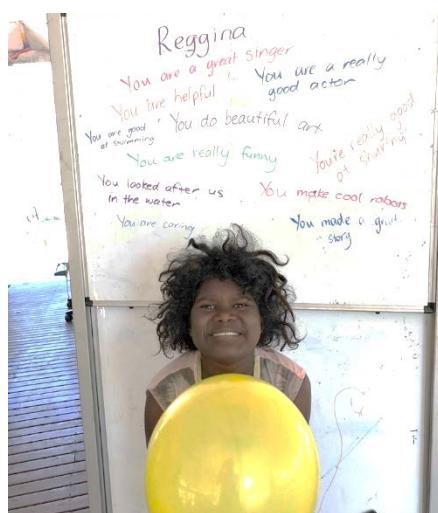
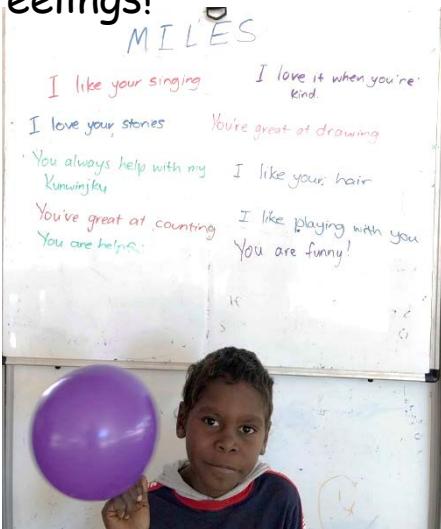
Bush Medicines Health

Molly, Jamie, Karen and Emma shared with the students about bush medicines that they had collected with Adam. They showed the students a natural soap, bush medicine to treat flu and mankung to treat sores.



School Value - caring

Students acted out ways to be caring to others. One way to be caring is to think about our words and say things that will make people feel good about themselves. What we say to others can make them feel strong and proud inside, or can make them feel small and sad. Students shared what they appreciated about each other. They filled each other, their balloons and our school with strong, proud and happy feelings!



Fun times at Early Learning



Upcoming events at Nawarddeken Academy..

Babbarra Printing and Sewing Worksho

Where: Nawarddeken Academy Kabulwarnamyo

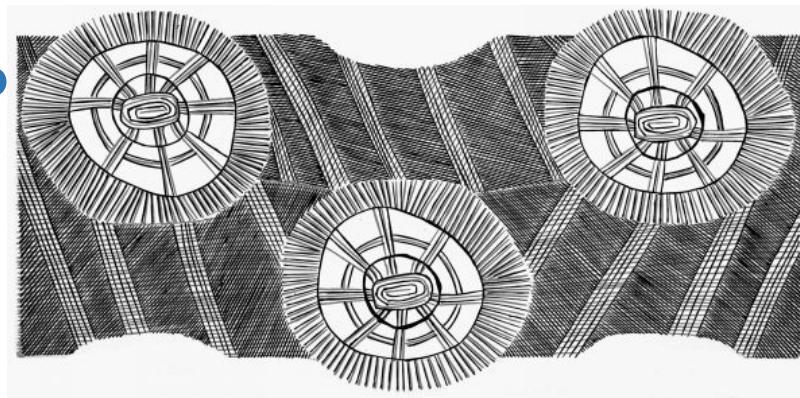
When: 20th -22nd June

All Daluk and Wurdurd welcome. Morning tea provided. Bring your own lunch and dinner.

Let us know if you are attending: ring or email

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Marebu Pandanus Mats: Deborah Wurrkidj

Annual Bush Walk and Culture Camp

The annual Bushwalk will be from Millerreleerre to Kulgnuki on the 16th to the 22nd of July. Cultural camp will be held on the 16th-17th of July at Millerreleerre.



Darwin Excursion

Students of Nawarddeken Academy are invited to join us on an excursion to Darwin. We will be leaving Kabulwarnamyo on the 22nd of July and returning via Gunbalanya on the 28th of July. Activities include visit to Parliament House, Michael Long AFL Centre, Mindil Beach Markets, Museum and Art Gallery, Milkwood Steiner School, Leanyer Water Park and Darwin Show.



Proposed Melbourne Trip

We are looking at the possibility of a trip to Melbourne in Term 3 for students of Nawarddeken Academy. Please contact Julie or Amber if you are interested.



VETS in Kabulwarnamyo!

Liz and Rick, and Cam will be in **Kabulwarnamyo**
Friday June 28th



(Same time as Nawarddeken Academy Board meeting)

Please bring your dog to see us if he/she needs an operation

Phone Liz 0410687722

