It has been a very busy first term at Campsie Public School!

Here is some of what we have been learning about:

Kindergarten have learnt to read and write…

…and learnt about shapes and measuring and computers…

…and speaking & listening and singing & dancing and making art…

and had special lessons from our Speech & Occupational Therapists.
**Sport News**
This year we sent our largest team EVER to the **Zone Swimming Carnival**. The students had an amazing day and did the school proud with their efforts. Special congratulations to Ashley and Seojin who qualified for the Regional Carnival!

**Easter Raffle**
Thank you to all the families and friends of the school who again supported our annual Easter Raffle by donating chocolate and purchasing tickets. All money raised goes toward providing resources for students to support their learning at school.

**Harmony Day**
This year our P&C and SRC again co-hosted a Harmony Day Breakfast and Art Show. The morning was a spectacular demonstration of how Campsie Public School embodies the spirit of harmony every day! Students from every class completed artworks depicting their understanding of what harmony is, with 2 artworks from each class chosen as finalists. Linda Burney MP, Esta Paschalidis (Canterbury Council) and local artist Hyun Ah Kim, judged the art show and were very impressed by the quality of the art and the students’ understanding of the concept of Harmony Day.

**ANZAC Day**
Campsie students created posters to commemorate ANZAC Day that were submitted to a competition. Our captains, Zahraa & Nathan, will attend a dinner at Campsie RSL next term, where the posters will be displayed.

Zahraa and Nathan will also be reading a poem at the Dawn Service on Anzac Day in Anzac Park, Campsie. Students and families are welcome to attend the service, beginning at 6:45am.

Our school will hold its own assembly on Thursday 23rd April at 10am. Parents are welcome to attend.

Our school **Cross Country Carnival** was a great event. Congratulations to everyone who competed, and good luck to the students who qualified for the Zone Carnival on May 8th.

Seven Campsie students trialled for the combined Wiley Park/Western Suburbs Rugby League Team, with 2 students, Sioeli and Hamid, being selected to play in the Regional Carnival. Sioeli went on to be selected in the Sydney East Rugby League Team to compete in the State Carnival!
Literacy and numeracy learning is linked together: students study a book and explore mathematical concepts.

Students research, create, experiment and learn: after researching “time”, students used a compass and the sundials they created to work out the time!

Students demonstrated their understanding of landforms and physical phenomenon by creating & demonstrating a working model.

And they design and make an environmentally friendly dwelling.

Students learn about safety on the internet, including verifying reliable sources of information, keeping your details private and avoiding cyber-bullying.

Then they applied their new-found knowledge to research, design and create their own communication devices.

Students learnt about their local environment including playgrounds. Then they learnt about playgrounds around the world in their language classes. They were able to identify the similarities and differences of environments in differed parts of the world.

Swimming Scheme
This year’s swimming scheme was another great success, despite the weather’s best attempts to put a dampener on events!

Students from Year 2 to Year 6 participated in daily swimming and water safety lessons. This is an excellent program and we would like to congratulate all students who participated. Keep up the good work and keep practicing your swimming!
ANZAC DAY
Join us to honour our service men & women
SATURDAY 25 APRIL 2015 - 7AM
Please assemble on the corner of Beamish & Evaline Streets Campsie by 6.45am for the March. Service will be held at the strongpost in ANZAC Mall.
FREE Sausage sizzle in ANZAC Park after the service

ANZAC DAY
FAMILY FUN DAY
IN ANZAC PARK FROM 8AM TO 12PM
• GIANT SLIDE
• JUMPING CASTLES
• TEACUP RIDE
• DODGEM CARS
• PETTING ZOO
• PONY RIDES
• SAUSAGE SIZZLE

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