

TEAM FOUR

Wow, has this term gone fast, in fact the whole year has gone very fast! The old saying "time flies when you're having fun" really is true.

This term, we have taken on some pretty challenging tasks and in true 5/6 G form, have excelled in all that we did!

Here is a brief run-down of what we have covered already this term.



SCIENCE

We have covered a unit called Sailing, Sinking, Soaring which gave us the opportunity to do some science experiments!! Some of the experiments included:

What is buoyancy?

What floats and what sinks?

What dissolves in water and what doesn't?

What is a loopy plane?



This Term, we have been completing Exposition text writing. An exposition is a text that is written to persuade others into joining your point of view, however, the catch is, we needed to have supporting evidence, so we all had to take on the role of being a detective/lawyer to ensure we had hard evidence. We covered topics such as:

Should Halloween be celebrated in Australia?

Should the school canteen sell energy drinks?

Should students be allowed to have mobile phones at schools?

Should students have to do homework?

Should school uniforms be banned?

Here is the Link to the website that we have been using to help us with the structure <http://www.writingfun.com/writingfun2010.html>

SPORT



This term for sport, we have been doing a variety of things...we recently tried Pilates (thanks Miss Green!) which was very hard, but we couldn't figure out if our stomach muscles were sore from laughing or the actual exercises!

Next we tried meditation...relaxation for the mind and body. At first we all found it hard to just lie still, but pretty soon most of felt like we were floating and felt very relaxed.

Next is dancing, we are getting jiggy with it and enjoy this activity, especially free style!

Other activities we have done is Miss Green's football game, which is like a war against each other and you have to protect the football, we have also done oz tag, t-ball and continuous cricket.



CONGRATULATIONS

Vanessa Jager

North Lakes Toukley Rotary Award



MESSAGE

My first year at Wadalba has been a very special journey, and it has been great to see 5/6G develop both academically as well as socially. I am very grateful to all the parents for their continued support throughout the year. It makes a huge difference when parents are on the same page and have the same high expectations of their children as we do at Wadalba!

Year 6, wow, high school next year! You are all going to do a fabulous job up there, through the gates. Mrs Allan and I will be keeping a close check on you all with your teachers about how you are going, so continue to reach for the stars; you all know that you can!

Remember....

Don't make excuses, make improvements, always try your best and most of all always have fun!!!

Have a happy and safe break, and all the best for your bright futures!

