

# Fire Visit



The annual Fire Brigade visit was a 2 part event. The subjects were 'The importance of having 2 exits in your plan at home in case of an emergency' and 'A working Smoke alarm'. We were told it was important to know your name, address and phone number, just in case you need to call 000 to get the Fire Brigade to come to your rescue. If the house was on fire, students also learnt to 'get down low and go, go, go'. If the fire was on their clothing, they now know to stop, drop and roll. We also had a turn at using the fire hose to see how far we could squirt the water. That was fun!



## Design Technology



The design Technology unit studied by the year 5-6 class last term involved designing a 'home for nature' at our school. They identified a need for a possum house, nesting boxes and lizard shelters. Individually or in groups they researched sizes, construction, materials to use and a 'shopping list'.

We made nesting-boxes with pre-cut pieces of pine and 9mm plywood, nailing pieces together. Ms Sullivan was pleased with her first attempt at using a circular saw on the drill to cut the holes for

the boxes.

Our next step is to 'no-more gap' them, undercoat and paint them. If anyone has leftover sample pots of exterior house paint, we would appreciate them. (Ms Sullivan has lots of

different blues). There was much discussion and laughter as students nailed pieces together.





# Tennis "Games Morning"



On the last day of term 2 students in year 2 – 6 walked to the Rotary Tennis Complex with Mrs Spruce, Mrs Tree, Ms Sorensen and Mrs Troiani to have a fun day of tennis activities with Mr Banner.



Givelda state school joined them for the afternoon. It was lovely to see Mrs Childs as she is currently their principal. It was great to see our students mingling with the other school. Friendships and fun of learning the game of tennis was the main aim of the day.



The students practiced their hitting and catching skills before getting into the mini rally games. Final game was a 'Around The World' to find out who the boy and girl 'Wimbledon Champion' of the day was.



Mr Banner had cut up fruit for the students to enjoy and also gave each student an icy cup. A fun afternoon was had by everyone and they were well behaved. They were very tired on arriving at 2:45pm back at Central School.



## NAIDOC AWARD

The 2018 NAIDOC Awards for 2018 were recently held at Brother Sports Club on Saturday 14th July.

The theme for this year was: "Because Of Her We Can".

Auntie Diana Fatiaki (pictured) won this award for Inspirational Woman Of The Year.

Congratulations on this well deserved award.