Thank you to all parents and caregivers who have supported us in educating children during 2012. We have also appreciated the work of Willy Carbine in teaching our children landscape painting techniques. Thank you to Lavinia and Kate who have done an amazing job supporting children and their families throughout the year. Their work is valued immensely by the whole school community.

All parents have received their children’s report and learning portfolio last Friday. We hope that you have found the reports and supporting evidence useful in understanding what has been learnt during 2012. I am thrilled with the students’ results as all improved in their reading and spelling scores this year.

As 2012 comes to a close I would like to acknowledge the year 7 students who are graduating from primary school – Tyra, Zaneeta, Shanara, Jacinta, Kia, Lane and Kalam. We celebrated their primary schooling last Friday at the year 7 dinner. All looked resplendent as they shared a delicious meal of lasagne, chicken and salad and yummy cheesecake with berries prepared by Diane and her helpers. On Monday evening, students were congratulated at their graduation and presented with a special award to recognize their success in their learning. Congratulations and a big thank you for all that you have contributed to Kirton Point Primary School. I wish you every success in the future and look forward to attending your year 12 graduation in five years time!! Good luck and enjoy your high school years.

Happy Holidays

Heather

We wish you all a very Merry Christmas and happy holiday. Keep safe! We look forward to working with you and your children in 2013.

Congratulations Kia, Zaneeta, Kalam, Shanara, Lane, Jacinta & Tyra on your achievements at Kirton Point. We wish you all the very best in your next learning journey at High School.
This term students from rooms 3, 20, 23, 24 & 26, have been investigating why the land is so special to Aboriginal people. They have explored the meaning of bush tucker, the roles of the traditional Aboriginal hunters and gatherers in collecting the bush tucker and the tools used. We have learnt about different types of Aboriginal artwork and the regions from where they originate. X-Ray art has been the main focus and the students created their own X-Ray fish. Lessons also included popular local artist Willie Carbine teaching the students, step by step, how to create a landscape painting.

Room 6 students have been working hard on their X–Ray fish project and we hope to display this at some local business.

Kate Hynes (AET)