Plantmania: Cooking & Gardening Program

The grade 1/2 and Prep classes have been delightful to work with on Wednesday mornings in the kitchen and garden. These sessions really let us see the results of our Bounce Back program in action. Students have to be willing to try new things, take risks, work together and cooperate. When they do this the results are there for all to see, and the successes are many. We have been so pleased with the increasing number of parent volunteers joining us each week. This has resulted in fantastic group ratios and a great working atmosphere in both areas. The students love celebrating their efforts in a 'restaurant' set-up. The gathering space has been a wonderful addition to the outside school environment. Once again the fire-pits were an exciting and stimulating way to cook our damper & baked potatoes. It was gratifying to see students enjoy these activities in a safe, responsible manner.

Coming up: 3/4 classes will choose their own menu on Wednesday mornings, for the rest this term. Thursday’s bread-making sessions have been very well attended. The numbers of students and range of ages allow wonderful cross-age opportunities. The way students work/relate co-operatively on many levels, has been a delight to witness. Breakfast Club occurs on Tuesday & Thursdays. The kitchen continues to be a warm, welcoming place for students wanting to start the day in a pleasant way.

Next big Event: Winter Solstice Celebration. Thanks so much for your support, Kay & the Grubbies team.