

STEM LAB NEWS

Term 2 3rd edition



Centre for Coastal Management

Year 4 Coastal protection Workshop.....

Year 4 students were challenged to build a beach using kinetic sand as part of a workshop with **Maggie Muurmans** from the **Griffith University Centre for Coastal Management**. The students learnt about the importance of dune formation and the role that coastal vegetation plays in providing protection for the fauna that live there as well as from seasonal storm surges.



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Year 2 students enjoyed a visit from "Bug Ed" this week which was organised by their class teachers. They were given the opportunity to handle some live specimens of unique Australian insects. Entomologist Dr Leeane Heslin, (Lani) shared her knowledge with the students as they gathered more interesting facts from the life cycles of insects to knowing about the huge variety of ants in our environment. Each student received an activity bag including a live mealworm, insect collecting equipment, an activity booklet and an insect craft activity to take away with them.



Coming soon.....



Mudgeeraba Creek State School

2017 SCHOOL SCIENCE COMPETITION

Date Claimers:

Term 2

Week 9: Science competition booklets handed out.

Week 10:

Monday 19/6 -Science project display in STEM lab

Wednesday 21/6- Science comp information session 9-10am
(Refer to information website/Facebook next week for more info)

Term 3

Week 4:

Monday 31/7- Science projects due to class teachers
-JUDGING (Year 6 excepted due to Canberra trip)

Week 5:

Monday 7/8- Year 6 Science projects due to class teachers.
-JUDGING

Week 6:

Monday 14/8- School Science Presentation Assembly and
Open Day in the performance centre

