

DAY 2—3rd Jan

Tribal Drums

Treasure Clue #2.

Cryptic Clue:

The square root of 26244

Could lead you to so much more

If you shine like the big light

A century will see you right!!

Almost as hot today. The Seniors attacked Mount Barney at 0820 hrs with 14 taking the challenge . . . and then there was 12 . . . then 10 . . . then 8. . . Those 8 climbed and climbed and the water poured out of us faster than we could put it in. By the time we had reached Barney Saddle, we only had enough water for the return journey. Reluctantly, we turned back but not before seeing our goal of East Peak so near, yet so far. We would have had to walk a granite valley that would be like a furnace to reach. It was too dangerous. We descended four times the speed of ascent. Our parched bodies only cooled by a trickle of water at Cronin Creek. We staggered into Yellow Pinch, legs trembling from the descent to hear that Australia were all out for 554 and South Africa 4-57. Yipee!!!
Alan Victor



The Seniors who set out on the climb of Mount Barney.



Those that made it.



In the morning, I went water skiing and it is not as easy as it looks. You had to hold a rope with your arms straight, feet together and gradually stand up. It is important to keep your legs bent whilst water skiing, otherwise, you'll just fall forward.

I mean imagine doing that! I had three attempts at doing it. Every time I tried, I just slipped out of the skis. Hopefully, I'll do better next time.

Tamora Harkness

We thank those whose skills in carving the Christmas turkey were so useful in the much more difficult job of carving the New year ice cream.

Anon—Garry Allen

A little story of interest. Have you heard it??

Once upon a time there was a middle.

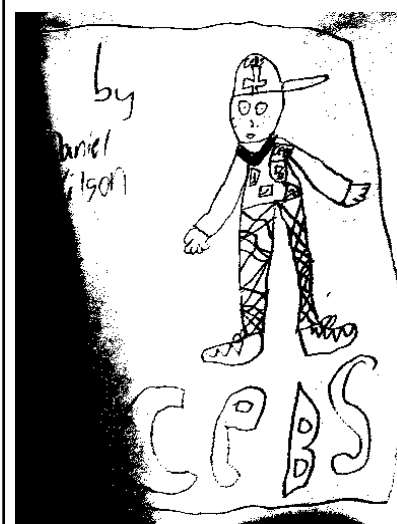
The End. From Hugh & YnYr

Get Well! To Trent from *Daniel*

We are green and we are proud. We'll survive so sing it loud.

From *Green . . . We rule!*

The W.A. flag was seen flying at half-mast! Why? *Anon*



To Tribal Drums—Today was cool. How do you make a tissue dance? A. Put a boogie in it. What did Pikachu say when he sneezed. A. Pik-achuuuuuuuuu! What did the cookie go to the hospital? A. Because he was feeling crummy.

How do you get a pikachu in a bus. A. pok'emon.

From *Toby Foster*

Today was cool. When we wnet canoeing Toby got scared and started crying but in the ned he got in the shallow end. It was mad.

From *The Gwyla*

To Red—We are going to kick your can.

From *Green*

On Thursday we went to Mt Barney and had a swim there—*Ashley Newton*