



Hello, Kids,

And how are we all once again! It's certainly getting close to Christmas now, isn't it?

This month you will see we have included several new features, a simple crossword puzzle and some riddles, which I hope you will like.

If you can think of anything else you would like included in *Dawn*, please write and let me know.

I was very proud to-day to get a letter from the Headmaster of the Moree High School, praising the conduct and attitude of some of his aboriginal students.

He referred in particular to Brenda Haines, Jeanette Binge, Shirley Briggs, Percy Suey, Barry Johnson and Bob Stanley.



Nanima school children won these awards at Wellington Show. They included seven firsts, eleven seconds, eleven thirds and three highly commended. They were for wood-work, writing, art, needlework, and basket weaving

It is really wonderful to hear such high praise of our youngsters who are determined to give themselves a higher education and so be prepared to take their proper places in the modern world of commerce. Next month we will publish a photograph of these six youngsters.

I have had a note from three girls, Bertha Brown, Muriel Landsborough, and Alma Landsborough, all of Sutherland Waters, Tingha, asking if I could find some penfriends between 17 and 19 years of age for them.



Marian and Marlene Stewart, of Nanima

These girls are interested in swimming, rock'n roll and horseriding. How about some letters for them, kids!

I have noticed some of my young aboriginal friends in Sydney lately looking for jobs, but they appeared to have overlooked a most important thing—*cleanliness*.

If you go looking for a job you must be sure that you are clean, that your shoes are polished, your hair neatly done, and boys should wear a collar and tie and a coat.

Employers are very fussy about these things, and you have no chance of getting a job if you are not clean and tidy. Please remember this, will you, kids?

Next month we will have a very special issue of *Dawn* for you, but I guess that's about all for now.

So until then,

Your Sincere Pal,