

Musica Viva's Tigramuna Performs for Haberfield Public School

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ARIA nominated, Tigramuna put on an engaging and captivating performance at Haberfield Public School on Wednesday 16th of September, 2015.

Haberfield Public School's students were delighted to attend Tigramuna's show. The students left the performance exhilarated by the quality of their music. The students were excited as the ARIA nominated group had them singing, doing actions in time to music and even getting up and dancing. Some lucky students even got to play Tigramuna's instruments.



Most of Haberfield had not heard the instruments Tigramuna's played, including the Zamponas, Bass Guitar and the Bongo drums. Some of the children were chosen to join in and play the Bongo drum with the band.

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Tigramuna has a great passion for what the group does. When asked if they liked educating children and Carlos responded, “We love teaching, we love educating children because we feel we are sharing something that has taken us a long time to learn.”



There are five members in Tigramuna who hold around 100 educational performances a year. They play South American music and most of them have Latin American backgrounds. Two of them were born in South America. Each member plays a range of unique instruments, covering most instrumental families and sings comfortably in Spanish.

They believe children should get involved with music early in their education as it will help them in other areas of their education.

Haberfield Public School's music teacher, Mr Collins White is very passionate about music as he also believes music can be beneficial in everyday life. He sees music as an important skill to teach children and for that reason he ensures the school is exposed to music from performers all over the world.

Students at Haberfield don't only participate in Musica Viva but also in other musical events such as Harmony Day and Music Count Us In. They can choose to participate in extra musical activities including; The Recorder Ensemble, The String Ensemble, Junior, Intermediate and Senior Band and Infants, Junior and Senior Choir. It's because of Mr Collins-White passion for all things musical and the magnificent performers, presented by Musica Viva that have helped create a culture of music throughout the school.

