

Cultural exchange at Winanga-Li



CEO of Shenhua Australia Holdings, Mr Wang Ningbo, enjoyed meeting youngsters for storytime at Winanga-Li Aboriginal Child and Family Centre last week.



CEO of Shenhua Australia Holdings, Mr Wang Ningbo, left, presenting a pack of books to Winanga-Li Aboriginal Child and Family Centre manager, Wayne Griffiths. Also pictured are Early Learning Director Leanne Pryor, Shenhua Community Liaison Officer, Debbie Watson, and Shenhua Human Resources Manager Gerry McDonald.

AN inter-cultural program started three months ago at Winanga-li Aboriginal Child and Family Centre has been a great success, with staff from Shenhua Watermark Coal taking part in the inaugural Shenhua Hour.

The company initiative is aimed at promoting active staff involvement with the local community.

Last Friday, CEO of Shenhua Australia Holdings, Mr Wang Ningbo,

visited the centre to present a collection of Chinese fairytale books written in English for the children to enjoy.

Mr Wang said staff who had already visited the centre thoroughly enjoyed their time there and were every impressed with what they found.

"The centre is a great example of what is being done in Gunnedah to give children, especially Aboriginal

children, the best possible start in life – and Shenhua is proud to be part of that effort," he said.

"So it is with great pleasure that I present these books to the staff and children to enrich their cultural experience in their early learning years."

Centre manager Wayne Griffiths said he was delighted to welcome Shenhua staff to the centre and receive such a meaningful gift.