



Coffs Harbour Public School

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We acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which we live and work and we pay our respects to the Elders both past and present

7th October, 2015

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to Term 4

Welcome back. I hope you all enjoyed valuable family time during the holidays and the fantastic weather over the long weekend. The calendar for Term 4 already appears full of action packed activities.

Kindergarten Expo

Today our annual Kindergarten Expo took place in the hall. It was lovely to see so many excited children eager to start school. Thank you to Mrs Anderson and Mrs Hodgson for coordinating the expo and to our community organisations for their information stalls that were available.

Kindergarten Transition Sessions

The first kindergarten transition lesson will take place this Friday from 2pm-3pm and will continue for the next six weeks. These sessions will take place in our Kindergarten classrooms each Friday.

Mrs Buehler Returns in Week 2

Mrs Buehler will be returning next Monday. I would like to thank Mrs Duffy for her work with 2M and also Mrs Anderson and Mrs Hodgson for relieving in the K-2 Assistant Principal position. We have such a terrific team of staff, students and parents at Coffs Harbour Public School and it has been a pleasure relieving as Principal in Mrs Buehler's absence.

Have a great week,
Kellie Mellittas
Assistant Principal

Change to Fridays

"Swim and Survive" will commence for all stage 2 and stage 3 students on Friday 16th October for eight weeks. All students are expected to attend. A permission note has been sent home this week. The cost is \$4.00per week (unless your child has a season ticket).

Primary assembly will now be held at 10:30am on Fridays each fortnight commencing on 16th October.


Lunch eating time will be from 12:30 -12:45pm in order to allow stages 2 and 3 to head off to the pool at 12:45pm.

Ms Jodie Hayes
Assistant Principal

Grandparents Day

23rd October is Grandparents Day. Please let your Grandparents or a special person know to keep this day free from 9.30am to 11.00am.



|  Important Dates To Remeber | | |
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| Date | Activity | Information/ Times |
| Friday 9th ,16th 23th 30th, October | 2016 Kindergarten Orientation | Please meet Mrs Sue Davis in front of the Kindergarten Class Rooms and please sign in . |
| 16th October | Assembly CAPA | 10:30am Stage 2 and 3 11.30am Stage 1 |
| 16th October to 8th Decem- ber every Friday | Swim & Survive | 12.45pm to 2.30pm |
| 23rd October | Grandparents Day | 9.30am to 11:00 am |

P & C Meeting

Our next P & C is on Wednesday 21st October (please note it's the 3rd Wednesday this month) at 6pm in the Staff Room. We would love to have some new members. Being a P&C member is a great way to be involved in your child's schooling. Come along to a meeting and see what we are all about. If you would like any further information please contact Vicki Baldwin on 0481 056 812 or email

mrsbaldy@netspace.net.au.

We look forward to seeing you.

P&C Facebook Page

Please like our Facebook page

Coffs Harbour Public School P&C

for up-to-date information about the school and activities. <https://www.facebook.com/chpspandc>

Canteen News

A big thank you to Shelly Robertson for kindly donating a food processor to our canteen. You are the best.

Every Monday is HOT DOG DAY
If ordered on another day a substitute will be given

\$3.50 each or \$4.00 with cheese.

| Day | Volunteers Roster |
|---------------|--------------------------|
| Thurs 8th Oct | Jacqi |
| Fri 18th Sept | Jamielee and help needed |
| Mon 5th Oct | Darren |
| Tue 6th Oct | Canteen Closed |
| Wed 7th Oct | Sarah |



Let's LOOK at Lunches

*Inspiration for fresh, fast & budget friendly lunchboxes
from your local health service*

Take the challenge out of packing a healthy lunchbox thanks to a new initiative from Northern NSW Local Health District. They have created a fortnightly e-newsletter that will be delivered straight to your inbox full of lunchbox inspiration, tips, recipes, ideas and competitions. Our school encourages healthy lunchboxes so we recommend you subscribe if you haven't already. The feedback has been amazing! All you need to do is send us your first name, email address and post-code by:

Email to lookatlunches@gmail.com, or
Text to 0429 033 517, or click here You can also follow us on Instagram @lookatlunches. We look forward to sharing ideas!



Kindergarten 2016



Orientation 2015

An invitation to all parents of children starting in 2016

Any student who is eligible to commence school in 2016 is invited to attend Coffs Harbour P.S. on a regular basis. This new initiative to offer more Kindergarten Orientation opportunities will allow students to make a smooth, happy transition to Kindergarten in 2016. Parents are welcome to attend and they will be able to see, first hand the excellent educational experiences Coffs Harbour P.S. has to offer.

In Term 4, every Friday, for 7 weeks, between **2.00pm and 3.00pm** students can come along to the Kindergarten rooms to experience a range of activities and have the opportunity to become familiar with the school, the teachers and other students. Parents are very welcome to attend, ask questions, or learn a few activities and games to support student learning at home, if they wish.

If you would like to make the most of this exciting opportunity please contact Sue Davis, the school's Instructional Leader, on 66523355.

New Kindergarten Orientation Dates.

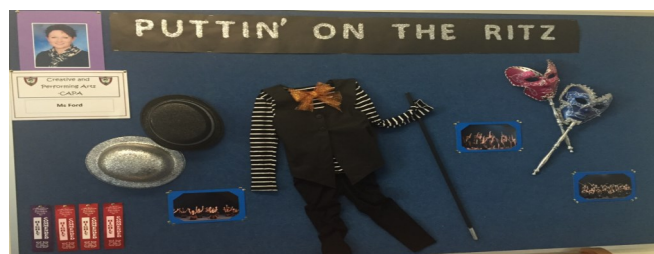


This is your opportunity to come and experience the exciting things on offer at Coffs Harbour P.S.

Dates and Times:

- Friday, 9th October 2.00-3.00pm
- Friday, 16th October 2.00-3.00pm
- Friday, 23rd October 2.00-3.00pm
- Friday, 30th October 2.00-3.00pm
- Friday, 6th November 2.00-3.00pm
- Friday, 13th November 2.00-3.00pm
- Friday, 20th November 2.00-3.00pm

Parents and students are welcome to attend on any, or all of the above days.



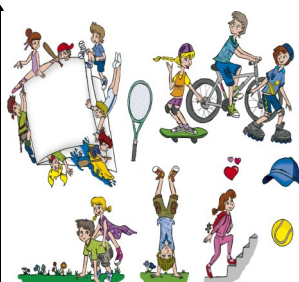
Students Awards

Bronze Awards K-2 - Logan H, (KM)

Mathlete's Of the Week - Marli C. 3/4 0

Well done!

| Class | Student of the Week | Excellence | Safety | Responsible | Respectful |
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| KB | Alyssa-Ivy A | Tiyrone P | Dahwun A | Mahnaz R | Lava M |
| KC | Mohamed I | Kaitlyn K | Makaylah M | | Aliza Y |
| KM | Edgar D-M | Alex M | Marial C | Blake R | Tyrhanie P |
| 1AM | Joshua F | Sharon I | Isabella S | Melody T | Drew S |
| 1L | Harry B | Kelly D | Summer Mc | Bella B | Matilda F |
| 1M | Sharlarra C | Artiea Y | Patrick S | Logan H | Calab L-S |
| 2M | Tunwah A | Daniel C | Haeree W | Kaipo L | Reen A |
| 2P | Brayden K | Lila A | Samaneh K | Tobi A | Harmony T |
| 2L | Ciara F | Charlize D | Juaan P | Monique R | Nevaeh K K |
| 3/4M | Harper T | Miesha A | Eligh D | Rogue S | Louie G |
| 3/4K | Saif A | Bailey H | Mahrukh B | Preston F | Madison R |
| 3/4O | Kingston L | William D | Asha I | Marli C | Caleb D |
| 4/5M | Sam E | Honorine I | Nyuon G | Aimen S | Chloe M |
| 5/6M | Lachlan M | Kiarna M | Deepak S | Rylie H | Jai R-Q |
| 5/6B | Malakai T | Sandrine N | Yafet T | Jace D | Boe M |
| 5/6H | Hayley F | Josh T | Krista T | Josci D | Indi S |
| 3/6C | Talah D | Perry D | Evan O | Shannan J | Harley C |
| 3/6S | Cobie M | Kasey J | | | |
| 2/6B | Jamie B | | | | |
| K-2H | | | Tylah G | | Isabella L |



Everyone who had 85% or more attendance went into a draw and the winners were :

Monamed I
& Cooper F

winning a \$20.00 gift voucher for Amart Allsports.

Cancer Council NSW SunSmart Snippet

The simplest way

...to be SunSmart in spring.

Did you know that during spring you need to protect your skin from the sun every day?

In most parts of NSW, the UV level is 3 or above during spring. This means that even on cooler days, you need to protect your skin in five ways: slip on sun-safe clothing; slop on SPF30+ or higher, broad-spectrum, water-resistant sunscreen; slap on a broad-brim hat; seek shade; and slide on sunglasses.

Slip Slop Slap Seek Slide

Protect yourself in five ways from skin cancer

How do you know if the UV level is 3 or above in your area?

Download the SunSmart app! The app provides recommended sun protection times, a calculator to check if you're using enough sunscreen, and a tracker to find out if you're getting enough UV exposure to help with your vitamin D levels.

To help keep your kids safe in the sun, check your school's SunSmart status by heading to www.sunsmartnsw.com.au

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