



# 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

30th January, 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to a new school year. A very warm welcome is extended to our many new families.

We have many new staff who have joined us at our wonderful school. I will introduce all staff and let you know where staff will be working once the new classes have been established. For the remainder of this week students will be placed in their 2018 classes. We are hopeful to move children into their 2019 classes as soon as all new enrolments have been completed. Thank you for your patience during this time. It is important to us that we get the classes correct the first time.

The building works are progressing well. The Library building is taking shape and will be a wonderful asset to our school.

Our school swimming carnival is coming up. Please mark the date on your diary. This carnival is only for students 8 years and older this year if they can swim 50 metres or more.

Have a great week,

Leonie

— WELCOME —  
BACK TO SCHOOL

## CHPS Swimming Carnival

This year, Coffs Harbour Public School will be holding our Swimming Carnival on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February at Coffs Harbour War Memorial Pool. The annual Swimming Carnival will be for students who are 8 this year or older, and are able to **CONFIDENTLY SWIM 50m**. Notes will need to be collected from Mr Murphy or Mr Kenny and returned to the school office by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February. PSSA District Swimming will be held on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February.

Mr Murphy & Mr Kenny

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**Soccer Fun For Girls & Boys Aged 2 to 12! 8 WEEK SOCCER PROGRAM**

<b>Mite-E Soccer (2-3yo)</b> A great introduction to Soccer! Children work with their parents to learn new soccer skills and develop their motor skills! Lots of fun games in a non-competitive environment. <b>35 minute classes</b> <b>\$100 for 8 weeks</b>	<b>Pint Size Soccer (4-5yo)</b> Children take their first kicks in soccer! They'll be introduced to shooting, dribbling, goal keeping and more. Children get to play lots of fun, skill based games. Grasshoppers get introduced to the Pint Size 1v1 Big Game! <b>50 minute classes</b> <b>\$130 for 8 weeks</b>
<b>Intro to Micro (5-6yo) Micro (6-8yo)</b> The ultimate challenge for young soccer players! They'll learn the rules of the Grasshopper Soccer Big Game and develop their skills in passing, dribbling, shooting and more. <b>Intro - 60 mins \$135 for 8 weeks</b> <b>Micro - 75 mins \$140 for 8 weeks</b>	<b>Micro Plus (8-12yo)</b> This program focuses on skill development and teamwork in preparation for club soccer. Children will enjoy all the favourite soccer based games, fine tune their skills as well as play the Grasshopper Soccer Big Game! <b>75 minute classes</b> <b>\$140 for 8 weeks</b>

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## School Canteen News

- Due to current construction work being carried out, there will be no canteen this week. We will confirm via a Sentral text message early next week when the canteen is operational.
- Our new 'School Canteen' menu for 2019 will come home next week.



# Major Works Update

## Administration Building

Work is progressing well. All electrical and cabling has been done. Gyprock has been installed and work is progressing well.



## Library

External structure of scaffolding is up and work is progressing on the ramp into the library. Completion date is looking at this stage to be August 2019.



## New Classrooms

The stage from the old hall has been removed. New flooring has gone down. The ceiling is up. Work is progressing rapidly now with the anticipation date being the beginning of May.





# Coffs Harbour Public School 2019 Term 1 Calendar



Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	28/01	29/01 Staff Development Day	30/01 <b>First Day of School Year 2019</b>	31/01	01/02
2	04/02 Kindy First Day	05/02	06/02	07/02 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Yr K 2 ( 2:30pm)	08/02
3	11/02	12/02 MNC Cricket	13/02	14/02	15/02
4	18/02	19/02	20/02	21/02 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Yr K 2 ( 2:30pm)	22/02 Swimming Carnival (Ages 8+)
5	25/02 District Swimming Carnival	26/02	27/02	28/02	01/03
6	04/03 NC Cricket	05/03	06/03	07/03 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Yr K 2 ( 2:30pm)	08/03
7	11/03	12/03	13/03	14/03	15/03
8	18/03	19/03	20/03	21/03 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Yr K 2 ( 2:30pm)	22/03
9	25/03	26/03	27/03	28/03	29/03
10	01/04	02/04	03/04 Stage 3 Camp	04/04 Stage 3 Camp Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Yr K 2 ( 2:30pm)	05/04 Stage 3 Camp
11	08/04	09/04 Attendance Party	10/04	11/04 PB Assembly	12/04 Rewards Day

## News from our Parent Liaison Officer - Caitlin Mackie

Hello parents and welcome to a new school year.

I may be familiar to you already but my name is Caitlin Mackie and I am working this year in our school with parents as a Community Liaison Officer a few days a week.

This means I will be around to say hello and call you with good news. I will try to be of assistance to you in any way I can. Feel free to leave a note for me at the front office or stop me as I am walking by and ask any questions relating to how aspects of school work, where to find information or how to access other community resources.

Please know that involving yourself in your child's learning journey at school pays off in your child's results, happiness and well-being at school.

Enjoy 2019!