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

13th November 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a week it's been. Our hearts and thoughts have gone out to the many families in our country who have suffered the devastating bushfires. The fires have affected many people in our local community too. Many of our staff have been impacted by these fires and it has been such a worrying time.

I would like to thank our Rural Bushfire brigades and those from interstate who have worked so tirelessly to ensure that our homes are safe. I would also like to thank Jo Conway, one of our SLSOs who has been a volunteer firefighter. She has checked in with me each day to let me know of the areas her team has been working in and the devastation the fires have caused. Thanks Jo for the great community service you provide during these difficult times.



Remembrance Day Wreath

Our thoughts are with our local school communities and in particular Nymboida, Glenreagh and Nana Glen schools. It is hard to imagine the fear of losing your home or school. We will make sure that these schools in particular are given support from our school for any resources they may need.

At this time of the year we start to look at our 2020 planning. Student leader's speeches will be held this Friday and I wish all students who are putting themselves forward the best of luck with their speeches. It takes a huge amount of bravery to stand in front of 470 students and many teachers and staff and talk about what difference you can make to our school.

Have a great fortnight,

Leonie



The Library is looking great



Update on Major Works: Term 4 Week 5

Library:

- Internals completed
- Professional clean to be done
- Landscaping underway
- Turf laying is underway



























Music Count Us In 2019. Coffs Harbour Public School joined in across Australia today to sing "We are" as part of a national live broadcast.





Freezing Friday Fundraiser

Coffs Harbour Public School will be holding Freezing Friday Fundraiser every Friday to fundraise for Ozharvest.

All money raised from our Fundraiser will go directly back to Ozharvest so we can help them continue the support they provide to young Australians in helping them meet their educational and nutritional needs.

As part of our fundraiser this term, every Friday at lunch we will be holding an Icey Pole Stall where students can purchase an Icey pole to enjoy.

50c FOR HALF AN ICEY POLE

\$1 FOR A WHOLE ICEY POLE

SRC Representatives

Asthma Awareness

Does your child have asthma?

Is your child's teacher aware of this?

Have you provided the school with a current Asthma Action Plan?

If your child has asthma please go to your local doctor and provide the school with a current Asthma Action Plan and Ventolin to help manage your child's health condition while they are at school. It is a NSW Department of Education requirement that they are updated every 12 months. Last week Stage 2 & 3 had a visit from Molly Taylor from Subura Do Rally Team who spoke to the students about Motorsports, road safety and striving to achieve personal goals.



friendly Reminder Reminder: The 2020 Gymnastics expression of interest notes are due back by this Friday please.

The Nyanggan tutoring program

Here are some pictures of this weeks program. This week the students had a choice to participate in weaving, beading, or artwork during our tutoring program.





Student of the Week - Term 3 Week 3

Student of the Week certificates are awarded to students who demonstrate behaviour consistent with our school expectations of Excellence, Safety, Respect and Responsibility

Class	Name	Presented for:	Class	Name	Presented for:		
KG	Claire	A great start at Coffs Harbour PS	3/4B	Lava	Great reasoning during number talks		
KW	Lekaiya	Working hard learning to read and learning new words	5D	Mesera	Delivering an inspiring leadership speech		
KJS	Toran	Great work in number talks	5K	Tiana	A beautiful presentation on her role model		
1B	Daniel	Always giving 100% to all his work	6H	Jai	Consistent effort across all Key Learning Areas		
1D	Trust	His effort in reading and writing	5/6B	Don	Excellent behaviour in class		
1M	Balogun	Being a kind and caring friend	6L	Tain	Outstanding problem solving and persistence in STEM		
2N	Eliette	A fantastic effort in her swimming lessons	2/6L	Alexis	Amazing effort in her numeracy tasks		
2F	Gerome	Being an incredible role model at intensive swimming	2/6CR	Bryce	Fabulous behaviour and effort at swim- ming		
3/4SW	Bryce	His enthusiasm during Science	K/1B	Adrian	Fantastic work during literacy		
3/4H	Marol	Excellent work in Mathematics	K/6M	Zoe	Fantastic work during literacy		
3/4M	Richard	A fantastic first week at CHPS					

Student of the Week - Term 3 Week 4							
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Class	Name	Presented for:	Class	Name	Presented for:		
KG	Aran	A great start at CHPS	3/4M	Mason	Providing peers with thoughtful feedback		
KM	Divan	Being a helpful class member	5D	Roni	Creative contributions to creative writing		
KW	Khairya	Being an amazing class member	5/6B	Don	Being a total star!		
KJS	Hizna	Seeking feedback for improvement	6H	Van	A focused week in 6H		
2N	Sabrine	An excellent effort in her persuasive writing	6L	Daniel	Taking on feedback when writing		
2F	Sam	Showing respect to peers during discussions	2/6L	Omega	Working hard on her fine motor in numeracy		
3/4SW	Shekina	Working hard to improve her writing	3/6F	Aaron	Trying really hard during maths		
3/4H	Selma	Excellent sentence writing	2/6CR	Ruby	Excellent reading and typing in Literacy		









Kindergarten 2020 Transition







Recently at CHPS some students from Years 2-6 participated in the School Swimming and Water Safety program. It is a fantastic opportunity for our students to learn new water safety skills and further develop their swimming skills. The teachers were proud of all students and the massive improvement they made over 10 days!

Parent and Community News

Hi Parents

This has been quite a week! Our school has been very good at following protocols to keep children safe with fires around the area in changing times and supporting parent decisions about their children.

We need parents to register for the Cooking Class that will be held with Miss Nagham on Thursday 21st November. This class is for parents, carers and family to learn to cook some delicious Middle Eastern Food. Miss Nagham is a fantastic cook and we are going to love it! Please fill in the note and communicate to the office if you are coming. There is a cost of \$8 for food and bring a container to bring any leftovers home.

We will also run another class on Thursday 5th December. How about we do the "12 salads of Christmas"? I need volunteers to make their salad at school so please get a message to me via the Front Office. Salad is a perfect summer food and there are so many different kinds out there. Wild Rice and Cranberry or even Marshmallow! If we could get 10 volunteers that would be fantastic.

Kindergarten Orientation 2020 has been a wonderful opportunity to meet our new parents. We hope you are enjoying feeling a part of Coffs Harbour Public School.

As we get closer to the end of the year we also start planning for the new one! We are able to use the Canteen area and make it into a Parent and Community Space so we are looking at how we will use that space. Coffee available for parents and decorating, maybe a new mural, having information available for parents and families?- all ideas are listened to. This will be available for all parents and carers and Nagham, Rima, Dallas and I will be brainstorming ways to use it. Watch this space!

Our older students will be running a Mini-Fete for the school and have asked for donations of items to sell on the day. If you have clean items that could be sold please bring them into school. There will be a cake stall held during the Mine Fete so you can bring cake, slices etc. in on Wed 4th December to support the Year 6 fundraising for a gift to the school.

Hope to see you at Assembly or around the school.

Thanks

Caitlin Mackie- Community Liaison Officer



Coffs Harbour Public School 2019 Term 4 Calendar



	POFFS HARBOUR	
sday	Friday	

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5	11/11	12/11 Special Ed TAFE	13/11	14/11	15/11 Kindergarten Transition 3 9.15am-10.30am School Banking Leader speeches 12-1.15pm
6	18/11	19/11 Coffs Harbour High School EALD Transition Day Special Ed TAFE	20/11	21/11 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Performance by 6K & 6H Yr K 2 (2:30pm) Performance by KM	22/11 Kindergarten Transition 4 9.15am-10.30am School Banking SRC Fundraising Event Freezing Friday
7	25/11	Orara High School EALD Orientation Day 10am-1pm Special Ed TAFE	27/11	28/11	29/11 SRE concert in the hall 9am-11.45am School Banking
8	02/12	03/12 High School Orientation	04/12 Mini-Fete 11:30 - 1:00pm	05/12 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Performance by 2/6L & 2/6C Yr K 2 (2:30pm) Performance by KJS & KG	06/12 School Banking
9	09/12 Reports come home	10/12 OZ Harvest Presentation	11/12 Leader's Lunch	12/12 PB Assembly 2-3pm	13/12 School Banking
10	16/12 Presentation Day	17/12 Attendance Party Year 6 Graduation	18/12 Rewards Day Last day of school for students	19/12 Staff Development Day No School for students	20/12



Year 2 swimming awards

Thinking of applying for a government selective high school for Year 7 in 2021?

You must apply online at:

education.nsw.gov.au/publicschools/selective-high-schoolsand-opportunity-classes/year-7