



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 August 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fantastic term we have had. There are so many events and accomplishments to highlight and share.

Congratulations to our school's AFL team who have come 5th in the state. On their recent trip to the state titles, they won 2 games and lost 2 games. Mr Easey, their coach, was delighted with the way they played, their sportsmanship and determination. Congratulations again.

Last week was our NAIDOC week and what a terrific week it was. Every day there was an exciting event and the students learnt a lot about Aboriginal culture, had new and enriching experiences, tried new bush tucker foods and listened to some wonderful stories. Thank you to our committee who organised another very successful week.

On Monday this week, our school held our first ever Colour Run. What a sight it was! The smiles and pure joy had by students, staff and parents was fantastic. Thanks to Mr Kenny and Ms Charlotte for organising this event.

This week we are celebrating Education Week. Today we held our open day and welcomed all parents and visitors into the school to share in the learning journey of our students. We are very proud of the great work being done by our students and it

is a thrill to share it with our families. We held a book fair and a bread making stall. It was another day to be very proud of our school.

Next week, we farewell our school counsellor Mr Wayne Murphy as he starts the next chapter of his life - retirement. Wayne has been a caring, dedicated and valued staff member. On behalf of the whole school community I would like to thank Wayne for his great contributions to the students both past and present at CHPS.

Next week we say farewell and good luck to Ms Fauve Hadaway who has been successful in gaining permanent employment at Nana Glen Public School. Fauve has been a dynamic, kind and conscientious teacher and we will all miss her and wish her the best.

We are very fortunate in being able to welcome a new permanent staff member to take Fauve's class - Mrs Laura Vines. Laura is very excited to take up this position and we look forward to working with her.

We also welcome the many new families who have started with us this term. We hope you and your family enjoy being members of our school community.

Have a great fortnight,
Leonie

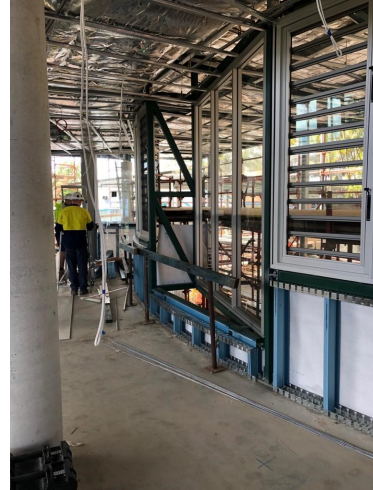


The Book Fair was very popular this morning

Update on Major Works:

Library:

- Concrete poured around the ramp area
- Internal walls and ceilings are sheeted
- Doors and windows in
- Solar panels installed





Multicultural Day

On Wednesday 4th September from 11.45am through to 1:45pm CHPS will be recognising and celebrating the many cultures that attend our school. A Multicultural Day is a wonderful way to support our students and acknowledge the richness and diversity of the different cultures that make up our school. It is also a great opportunity to appreciate everything we have in common such as a safe place to grow up and learn, good friends and a positive future. Parents and community members are invited to attend this event. There will be more information to come in the following newsletters about the activities on the day.

Parent and Community News

It's been a whirlwind!

We started with a well-attended Athletics Carnival and it was great to see so many parents there.

Last week was NAIDOC Week and there were so many fantastic learning and sharing experiences for our children and community. Thank you to parents who attended the assembly on Monday and contributed throughout the week. It provided an opportunity for us all to learn about bush tucker, storytelling, dance, learning our new house names and seeing our students shine.

This week has been the fun of Education Week. How good was the Colour Run! We were so happy to have parents run and get just as colourful as their children. Photos are on our Facebook page of the parents as well as children. We appreciated the efforts that were made with fundraising and the amount raised was so impressive!

By the time you read this newsletter our Open Day for Education Week will have finished. A special school assembly, a book fair, open classrooms and a bread stall and display of bread cooking. We hope that you had some time to attend and enjoy being a part of your child's educational story here at Coffs Harbour Public School.

Assembly on Thursday 8th of this week:

3/4M will be on at 2pm and

2E will be at 2.30.

We are also holding an assembly next week- Assembly on Thursday 15th August:

2pm Performance by 3/4H

2:30pm Performance by 2F

We enjoy seeing you here at school and we are looking for volunteers for the Father's Day Stall to be held on Tuesday 26th August and Wednesday 27th August. If you are available please contact me via the Front Office.

Hope you find the newsletter informative! It is a busy time of year and there are lots of photos to see!

Caitlin Mackie

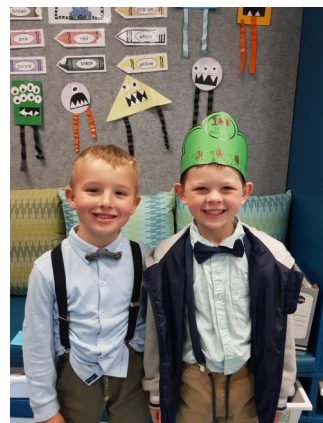
Community Liaison Officer

**Kindergarten
Registration**

*Enrolling
Now!*

Can you believe we are already starting planning for next year's Kindergarten enrolments! We are working on our transition/orientation plan and will have dates out to prospective families soon. In the meantime, any parent wishing to enrol their child into Kindergarten for 2020 are urged to collect an enrolment pack. If you know of any families wishing to enrol, please pass this information onto them. Orientation Days will be in November.

100 Days of Kindergarten!



Paul Kelly Cup State Final

Congratulations to our amazing Paul Kelly Cup AFL team who came 5th in NSW/ACT. Playing at the GWS Giants Stadium was an awesome experience for our team. We played Dudley PS in our first game where we were defeated 35 to 12. Then we played last year's winners Knox Grammar School and were defeated 33 to 6. Our next game was against Central Coast Adventist School which we won 29 to 19. Then we played Canberra Marist Brothers and won 26 to 9. This was a fantastic achievement. The boys had a wonderful time and an experience of a lifetime. With 1000 schools participating and coming 5th overall. WOW what an effort! I would like to thank Mark who drove the bus to get us there, Jodie and all the helpers who made this trip possible and to all the businesses who supported our family fun day namely Oceania Aviation, AFL NSW/ACT, Thrifty and all those who generously donated to our raffle prizes. I cannot thank you enough. To the boys in the team I commend you on your efforts, behaviour and sportsmanship. You did Coffs Harbour Public School proud and made me the proudest coach in the world.

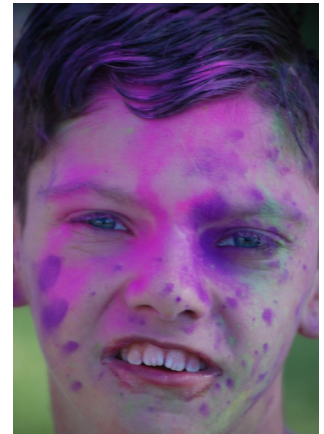
Mr Simon Easey

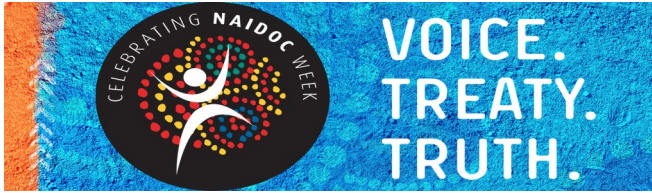




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THE COLOR RUN

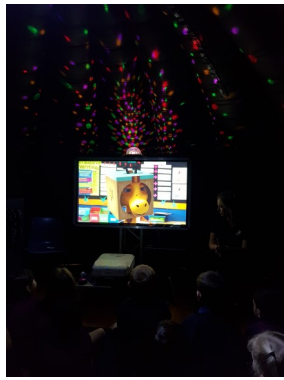




NAIDOC Week Celebrations!



Thank you to all of our special guests and presenters who visited our school during the week.



Our visit from Healthy Harold in week 1 was a success! Students enjoyed learning about healthy life choices and being a great friend sitting inside the pop-up dome classroom –KJS

Congratulations to Poppy and Daniel

Congratulations to Poppy and Daniel who competed in State Cross Country last week. Poppy finished 33rd out of 80 competitors in the 8/9 years girls - 2000m. Daniel Craig finished 54th out of 75 competitors in the 11 years boys - 3000m. Well done to both students!



On Monday last week the CHP's debating team, consisting of Daniel, Bianca, Emily, Alyssa, Artie and



Matilda put their debating skills to the test against Toormina Public School. Prior to the debate we learnt important debating techniques from a High School debating school student named Ellena. She taught us strategies to improve our wording, tips to put up a strong debating argument and reinforced good debating structure. The debating topic against Toormina was 'All schools should ban all exercise classes'. We were the affirmative, so we had to argue in agreement with this topic. It was hard but we had a lot of good ideas. It was an extremely close debate but we pulled through and claimed the win. We have learnt so much from this debate and are really looking forward to the next one.

Written by Bianca

Congratulations to the winner of the Raffle that was drawn last Friday. Thank you to everyone who brought tickets! Money raised went to support our boys' AFL Teams go to Pottsville and Sydney!



Student of the Week - Term 3 Week 1

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	Nell	Excellent effort with reading	3/4SW	Savannah	Always being ready to learn
KM	Wyatt	Staying on task during literacy activities	3/4M	Nadyar	Using and explaining his efficient math strategies
KW	Isiah	Always listening to her teacher	3/4B	Sarina	Awesome book work!
KJS	Esther	Being a kind friend	5D	Angelo	Consistent effort in all learning areas
1B	Dlgash	Great re-telling of a fairy-tale	5K	Summer	Excellent recount writing
1D	Zade	Trying hard in all KLA areas	5/6B	Kylandos	Being a kind, helpful and thoughtful person
1M	Emily	A great start to term 3!	6H	Ian	Helping to maintain a tidy classroom
2N	Seth	Wonderful effort in his writing	3/6F	Breanna	Settling in well into your new class
2F	Ethan	An incredible start to term 3!	K/6M	Acaisha	Making good choices in her learning



Friendly Reminder

Please check your child's jumpers and jackets at home to make sure they didn't pick up another child's by accident. If this has happened please return it to the front office so that we can return it to the student. Thank you for your assistance.

School Banking is on Tuesdays! It's not too late to join up for School Banking.

If you would like to know more about School Banking, please ask for a 2019 School Banking program information pack from the school office or visit your local Commonwealth Bank.





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2019 Term 3 Calendar - Updated



Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	05/08 AFL Paul Kelly Cup in Sydney SRC Colour Run 1pm-3pm	06/08 AFL Paul Kelly Cup in Sydney Premiers Spelling Bee (Hall) 2-3pm Stage 2	07/08 Open Day & Book Fair 8.30am - lunch Cooking Bread stall 11.30-12.30pm Premiers Spelling Bee (Hall) 2-3pm Stage 3	08/08 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Performance by 3/4M Yr K 2F (2:30pm) Performance by 2E	09/08 District Athletics
	Education Week				
4	12/08	13/08	14/08 Aboriginal Dance Workshop	15/08 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Performance by 3/4H Yr K 2 (2:30pm) Performance by 2F	16/08 Winter Sports Carnival
	Book Week				
5	19/08 School Spelling Bee Finals this week	20/08	21/08	22/08 Book Parade 2.30-3pm	23/08 MNC Athletics
	Book Week				
6	26/08	27/08 Father's Day Stall	28/08	29/08 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Performance by 3/4B Yr K 2 (2:30pm) Performance by 2N	30/08
	Stage 2 Great Aussie Bush Camp (Yr 3&4)				
7	02/09	03/09	04/09 Multicultural Day Student Leadership Day	05/09	06/09
8	09/09	10/09 Gumbaynggirr language & culture camp Years 5 & 6	11/09	12/09 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Performance by 3/4SW Yr K 2 (2:30pm) Performance by 1B	13/09 NC Athletics
	Sailors with Disabilities				
9	16/09	17/09	18/09	19/09	20/09
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10	23/09	24/09 Attendance Party School Photos PB Assembly 2:00pm - 3:00pm	25/09	26/09 Assembly Yr 3 - 6 (2pm) Performance by 5K Yr K 2 (2:30pm) Performance by 1D	27/09 Rewards Day ES1 & S1 Disco & Minute to win it St2 & St3 Rotating activities

Good Luck to all our District Athletics competitors who will be competing on Friday.
Also a reminder to make sure you have paid for the winter sports carnival by Tuesday next week
Thanks - Mr Murphy

Camp Creative Scholarships Now Open

The 2020 Camp Creative scholarship program is now open for kids and teens aged five to eighteen, living in the Coffs City, Nambucca and Bellingen Shires.

The scholarships offer an opportunity to participate in a week of fun learning in the creative and performing arts. They'll get five full days of creativity across a range of course options, including music, visual art, singing, drama, dance, craft and more!

Camp Creative runs January 13 -17 2020 in the beautiful town of Bellingen. There are over eighty-two courses, with thirteen just for kids and teens, and many adult courses open to teens aged 14+.

Campers can develop their painting skills, play guitar or woodwind, discover their inner actor, release their singing voice, shimmy in a Bollywood dance or get hands on with a hammer and chisel - and so much more!

Scholarship recipients will receive a full day youth course. This includes entry to a week of free concerts and events, with a highlight performance by internationally acclaimed concert pianist David Helfgott.

Some courses have some additional costs for materials, which are not included in the scholarship.

Applications close 5.00 pm, Friday 23 August 2019.

To apply, get an application form from your school or download an application form from www.campcreative.com.au/apply/scholarships

For more information, contact Camp Coordinators Rob & Michelle Stockton at info@campcreative.com.au or phone 02 6655 9326.

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