



Coonabarabran Public School

Newsletter Term 4 - Week 11

Quality, affordable education for all students

17th December 2014

- ★ Try something new
- ★ Being myself
- ★ Answer questions
- ★ Think success!



Darcy Clifton named North West Sportsperson of the Year and Most Outstanding Athlete

Congratulations to Darcy Clifton who last Tuesday was named North West Sportsperson of the Year and The Most Outstanding Athlete at a presentation lunch in Tamworth. This culminates a fantastic year for Darcy. Well done and congratulations!

Awards Night 2014

On Monday night our school presented awards to our academic and sports achievers for 2014.

Congratulations to all students who were rewarded for their efforts throughout the year and we celebrate your achievements.



Wishing everyone a very Merry Christmas, a Happy New Year and a safe and restful holiday!

We farewell some staff members who are moving to new towns and new jobs and we wish them all the best for their futures. We will miss them at Coonabarabran Public School!

We will also welcome new staff members in 2015 and we look forward to their arrival at school in February.

Students will resume on Wednesday 4th February 2015. New enrolments in Kindergarten will commence school on Monday 9th February 2015.

Have a safe holiday everyone! We'll see you in 2015!



We're on the Web!

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Confidence

This week's key to success is ...

Willoughby's Weekly Words

My final congratulations for the year goes to all those who won awards at Monday night's Awards Night and to Darcy Clifton who last Tuesday was named as North West Sportsman of the Year and Most Outstanding Primary Athlete for North West N.S.W.

I would like to wish everyone a very merry Christmas and prosperous New Year.

We'll see you in February 2015.

P&C News

The P&C will host a **Twilight Bowls Competition** on **Saturday 14th February 2015** as their first fundraiser of the year.

Come along, bring your family and friends, and join in the fun!

- * Starting time 5.00pm
 - * 14 ends
 - * Teams of 3 players
 - * \$10 per player
 - * Lots of prizes to be won
 - * Sausage sizzle
- * Team Nomination entries to Surf, Work & Street or Coonabarabran Bowling Club

Contact: Venessa Houley - 6842 3391
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The P&C wishes all students, their families and staff a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

We also wish everyone a safe and happy holiday to return refreshed and invigorated for 2015.

We say a fond farewell to staff who are leaving our school this year and wish each of you the best and brightest future.



Merry Christmas!

Sallie Turner
President

Coonabarabran Public School P&C Committee

School Uniform Donations

If you have school uniforms in reasonable condition, particularly **small childrens clothing**, that you would like to donate to the school, we would very much appreciate it.

The uniforms we seek are not part of the Uniform Shop. They are kept on hand for children who need a change of clothing whilst at school.



Canteen News

The 'Colours of Summer' colouring competition will close on Thursday morning at 9:00am. Please return your entry to the canteen to be in the running for prizes.

The Canteen Sandwich Loyalty Card has now been completed. Return all your loyalty card by Thursday at 9:00am to receive your free sandwich.



Classes in 2015

Student classes for 2015 will be finalised on Thursday 5th February.

BACK TO SCHOOL

What's on at CPS?

Thurs 18 Dec:	Students last day of school
Fri 19 Dec:	Staff last day of school
Tues 3 Feb:	Staff resume Term 1, 2015
Wed 4 Feb:	Students resume Term 1, 2015

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'Twas A Mutiny!

On Friday our school was overrun by a gang of pirates and mermaids who made their way inland from the wild oceans of the southern seas to hold our school to ransom for the sale of Jelly Cups!

The pirates were fearful and the mermaids beautiful! Even Blackbeard the Pirate was here with his telescope and another had his trusty parrot squarkin' on his shoulder!

"A fundraisin' venture for t' Red Cross!" they said. "A .50c sovereign!" they said. Everyone enjoyed the jelly cups they purchased from the bandits who had a grand time going from classroom to classroom, disrupting our usually quiet classrooms and students with their fearsome manner and costume!

The doubloons raised by the braggarts and bandits was \$47.20 and was given to Mrs Mack who received it on behalf of the Red Cross organisation in Coonabarabran.

Well done to the pirates and mermaids from KH & KSI



On Thursday night we said a fond farewell to our Year 6 class of 2014.

We celebrated their final year at Primary School with a picnic tea on the lawns at school and then followed with a social with everyone from Years 3 - 6.

All of the school wish the outgoing Year 6 all the best for their high school years!