

Coonabarabran Public School



Newsletter

Friday 4 August 2017
Term 3, Week 3



Assembly

Thursday

10th August

Early Stage 1 & Stage 1

1.40pm

Stage 2 & Stage 3

2.20pm



Primary Athletics Carnival



Congratulations to our Age Champions:

Junior Boy - Jacob Baker

Junior Girl - Camilla Rankin

11yr Boy - Jacob Thompson

11yr Girl - Emma West-Kuras

Senior Boy - Nash Walker

Senior Girl - Eliza Walker

Full report inside the newsletter

State Basketball Carnival for Landon

Last Week, Landon Ashby traveled to Goulburn and represented the North West in Basketball.

He played 7 games over the week, winning one game. The competition was fierce but enjoyable. Landon made some good mates over the week.

Landon would like to thank his Mum for allowing him this opportunity.



This week's PBL Value is ...



Respectful

- * Care for the school environment
- * Actively participate in all activities
- * Follow Instructions
- * Treat others the way we wish to be treated
- * Respect other people's property
- * Listen well, speak politely
- * Get along with others

Meier's Magic Minute

I have had a lovely week being visited by students who are aiming for excellence. Thank you to all of the students who are trying their best to produce quality work.

Whole school PBL reward, Out Of Uniform Day, will be Wednesday 9th August. This is the first reward this term for reaching a level in our new PBL Rocket. Congratulations to everyone for their hard work in receiving tokens.

On Thursday at 1.30pm, Coonabarabran Public will be hosting the local AECH meeting in the staffroom. Members of the local schools and agencies will be in attendance and wish to invite interested community members to come along. Afternoon tea will be provided.

Just a reminder that students should not be at school prior to 8.30am as there are no teachers on duty.

Have a wonderful weekend.



Woolworth's Earn & Learn stickers started this week.

Collect your stickers and place in the Coonabarabran Public School bins at Woolworths or in the office area at school.

What's on at CPS?

Thurs 10 Aug:	Stage Assembly
Fri 11 Aug:	Zone Athletics Carnival
Mon 14 Aug:	Chess Competition - Tamworth
Tues 15 Aug:	UNSW Maths Competition 5/6P Student Led Conferences
Fri 17 Aug:	Whole School Assembly
Mon 21 - Fri 25 Aug:	Book Week
Mon 21 - Tues 29 Aug:	Life Education Van

Missing school leaves gaps in your education

SCHOOL HOURS

Please be aware the school **DOES NOT** open until 8.30am.

There will be **NO** supervision of students until 8.30am.

Library News

The Bookclub orders closed today. We are looking forward to the delivery soon.

Remember books make great presents and the school receives points for every order sent.

**INFANTS PERFORMING
ARTS NIGHT
THURSDAY
14TH SEPTEMBER**

save
the
date

**PBL REWARD
OUT OF UNIFORM
DAY
WEDNESDAY**

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Personal Best Award

Sierra Collins

has received the Personal Best Award
for the following reasons ...

Sierra is a kind and caring member of 1M. She consistently displays the schools values in everything that she does.

Sierra is a caring friend, who always makes sure everyone around her is safe and happy. She is always helping the teachers and doing tasks not expected of her.

Sierra always tries her best in class and gives everything 100% of her effort. It is lovely to see her come to school every day with a smile on her face and ready to learn.

**Congratulations Sierra, on achieving your
'Personal Best'.**



Personal Best Award

Rachel Dicks

has received the Personal Best Award
for the following reasons ...

Rachel is a student who aims for excellence in all that she does. She listens well in all class sessions and is kind and considerate towards others in the classroom and in the playground.

Rachel is a well-respected member of the class who is helpful towards her peers and staff within the school. She always wears her uniform with pride and applies herself consistently in all areas of her learning.

Rachel's cheerful personality and contributions in class are well valued by all members of the class and make her more than deserving of receiving her Personal Best award.

A fantastic achievement Rachel!



Personal Best Award

Stavro Karanicolas

has received the Personal Best Award
for the following reasons ...

Stavro is a well manner, polite young man who takes pride in what he does and is constantly working towards his personal best. He demonstrates a high level of respect towards all and has a caring nature towards his fellow peers.

He has a passion for writing and will take any opportunity he can to express himself through comic pictures.

He is a role model to our schools All Settings Matrix, as he displays himself as a respectful, safe student who is always aiming for excellence.

He strives to achieve his personal best in all areas and is very deserving of this award.



Personal Best Award

Brianna Jackson

has received the Personal Best Award
for the following reasons ...

Brianna is a mature and responsible member of 4T. She is a kind and caring friend and always treats her peers and teachers with respect and is deserving of her personal best award.

Brianna displays lovely manners at all times. She is always organised and manages her time well to complete all tasks given. She is a diligent worker who always works to the best of her ability and takes pride in her work.

Brianna participates well in all activities whether in the classroom or playground. Brianna is very deserving of this award.

**Congratulations on receiving your
Personal Best Brianna.**



Life Education Van

I give permission for my child _____ of
class _____ to participate in the Life Education Van.

I understand the classes will be visiting the van at different times
between the dates Monday 21st August and Tuesday 29th August.

I have enclosed \$5 for my child to attend the Life Education Van.

Signed: _____

Date: _____



STRIVE TO ACHIEVE

Paul Clarke

has received the Strive to Achieve Award for the following reasons ...

Paul is a kind and happy class member who has a big smile on his face every day. He applies enormous effort in all he does and takes on board feedback to continually improve his work. He is a caring and loyal friend and is sensitive to the needs and feelings of others.

Paul shows respect to all staff members and often makes their day more interesting with his funny stories. He displays enthusiasm towards learning tasks and actively involves himself in class discussions and group activities.

Paul set himself a personal goal to receive his Strive to Achieve this year and he has consistently applied himself diligently to all set tasks, all year, and is a very worthy recipient.

Congratulations Paul on achieving your goal and thank you for your efforts.



AIMING FOR EXCELLENCE

Tyson Heywood

has received the Aiming for Excellence Award for the following reasons ...

Tyson is a mature and responsible student who is a very deserving recipient of his Aiming for Excellence.

He consistently models the safe and respectful behaviours that are expected at Coonabarabran Public School.

In the classroom he is a committed individual that is determined to improve in all aspects of his learning.

He always employs his class time well and applies himself to everything that he does. His self-motivation and enthusiasm for learning are an encouragement to everyone around him.

He is a wonderful class member and we are very lucky to have him as a part of 5/6H.

Congratulations Tyson!



AIMING FOR EXCELLENCE

Tully Andrews

has received the Aiming for Excellence Award for the following reasons ...

Tully has been an encouragement to other students in class and in the school. She takes interest in their wellbeing, befriending those who are feeling down and needing some positive attention. Tully gets along with all her class mates and models the qualities of a good friend - being trustworthy, respectful, safe and honourable.

Tully is perky and shares her enjoyment of school and learning. She tries to complete and submit her work on time and seeks help when needed. She persists at set tasks and follows instructions all the time. Tully also participates in many extra-curricular activities, having the confidence to 'give something a go'.

It's a pleasure and privilege to congratulate you on receiving your Aiming for Excellence award. May you aim for excellence in all that you do, growing in knowledge and wisdom, and sharing all you have learned with those around you!

Congratulations, Tully!

Shooting Star Awards



The following students have received their 'Shooting Star' award for the most Shooting Star tokens in their class for week 3, Term 3.

KH	Reece Gray
KA	Adele Nguyen
1R	Luke Foster
1M	Russell Rumbel
1/2I	Grace Roberts
2S	Linjarra West
3M	Max Foster
3R	Keaton Watton
4L	Jake Deshon
4T	Lucy Fleming
5/6P	Stavro Karanicolas
5/6H	Tyson Heywood
5/6K	Piper Walker
5/6L	Megan Hain
K-6MH	Sean Holder



Early Stage 1, Stage 1, Stage 2 & Stage 3 Assembly Awards



EARLY STAGE 1	
Tye Stewart	Being a wonderful helper and a kind friend.
Alera Park	Beautiful handwriting.
Jackson Player	Huge improvement in writing.
Evellin Bartlett	Writing neater sentences.
STAGE 1	
Maggie Willis	Excellent writing about 'Wabi Sabi'
Lachlan Turner	A great start to Term 3
Izzi Evans	An excellent poem on 'Wabi Sabi'
Dhayn Percival	Excellent writing about Ziba.
Torr Howgate	Wonderful writing about Ziba.
Ashlee Goard	Aiming for excellence in all her work.
Ciara Armstrong	For great writing about kites.
Elara Jenner	For always being a kind and caring class member.
Raymond Gall	For always trying his best.
Angus Young	Active participation in reading groups.
Deakin Milgate	Quick recall of number facts including friends of 10.
STAGE 2	
Sophie Karanicolas	Improved attendance and getting to school on time.
Kayne Hanney	Settling in to CPS beautifully.
Jacob Hasson	Trying his best during reading groups.
Jake Deshon	PBL FOCUS Always treating others with respect.
Layla Dickinson	Excellent work when writing sentences.
Keaton Watton	Being a fabulous member of 3R.
Joshua Rankin	Fabulous reading.
Tom Lawson	PBL FOCUS Always showing respect and treating others kindly.
Lily Burton-Turner	Being an awesome classmate, who shows respect to everyone.
Brooklyn Stewart	Being confident with her multiplications in maths.
Dainton Kuras	Being confident with his multiplications in maths.
STAGE 3	
Ella Hanney	For becoming a valuable member of 5/6H.
Chris Frazer	For being focussed on completing his task.
Josie Strong	PBL FOCUS For always being respectful and helping out.
Bailey Quetcher	For working independently and maintaining focus during maths.
Skye Williams	For a great start on her imaginative text on 'The Fantastic Flying' Books by Morris Lessmore.
Alirah Watton	PBL FOCUS For always being a respectful dedicated student.
Western Waterhouse-Peck	For being a great ambassador of CPS, whilst on tour with Moorambilla.
Dylan Varty	Beautiful artwork.
Dakota Dumas	Improved effort in all areas of learning.
Morgan Ryan	Participating more in class discussions.
Keizer Wood	Improved work attitude in class.
Rhys Parkinson	Fantastic writing and moving up in writing clusters.
Alirah Watton	Participating with interest in maths lessons.
Sam Bowman	PBL FOCUS Showing respect and following school values.

ATHLETICS

Number One oval was a hive of activity on Friday 28th July as staff set up for the annual athletics carnival and then competitors arrived for the annual primary athletics carnival.

Events began shortly after 9:00 with the boys competing in long jump, shot put and discus, while the girls competed in their track events beginning with the 200m, followed by age races and then the gruelling 800m.

This year high jumps were completed at school during the week so while the boys were finishing their field events the girls were able to take part in some fun activities like sack races and egg and spoon races.

Soon after the boys returned and the girls were able to compete in their field events while the boys completed their track events. This was followed by some ball games which included tunnel and captain ball as well as unders and overs.

At the end of the day winners were announced. The winning team this year was Asteroids, followed by Satellites, Meteorites and Comets. The spirit trophy for participation and sportsmanship was won by Meteorites.

Carnivals such as this are a team effort and apart from the staff and the P and C, many community members, including Rotary, helped to make the day a great success. We are also grateful for the assistance from the high school for supplying some helpers and the council for preparing the grounds. A really great team effort!



WELL DONE

The Primary Basketball Competition begins Monday 7th August. Teams will participate in 15 minute games every Monday. Games are spread across recess and lunch with each team participating in one game a week. Games will continue in to early Term 4.



Budding Scientists Display their Skills

Many of our students performed most creditably in this year's U.N.S.W International Science Competition held last term. With thousands of entries from across N.S.W. competition was fierce for those involved.

Star achievers from our school included Fred Kearney and Shafin Salim who received Merit Certificates, Max Foster, Tom Lawson, Camilla Rankin, Jolyon Somervale, Alex Letts and Rhys Parkinson who received Credit Certificates and Declan Eshman who received a Distinction Certificate for their efforts.

Congratulations to all of you but especially Declan whose results placed him in the top 10% of entrants from his section of the competition.



spelling bee

It's that time of year again when primary students have the opportunity to demonstrate their prowess as extraordinary spellers. Big words, short words, multisyllabic mega-words (and seemingly easy words too!).

Wednesday, 9 August. Stage 3 round after recess (11:40am) and Stage 2 after lunch (1:40pm), in the school hall. Each class in grades 3-6 will enter FIVE students to compete in our school spelling bee, with the top two winners from each stage going on to represent our school at the Premiers Spelling Bee challenge held later this term. Teachers may hold in-class spelling competitions to select their representatives. Parents are welcome to attend on the Wednesday.

ZONE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

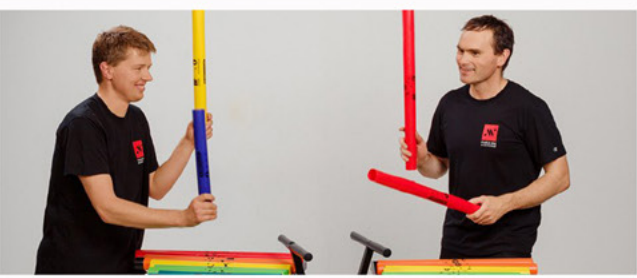
The Zone Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday 11th August. The carnival will start at 9.30am, students can come to school first and travel down to the oval by bus.

Students are to wear full Sports uniform. The canteen will be in operation. Children will return to school by bus in time for country buses.

If your child places 1st or 2nd and meets the qualifying criteria for North West, they will travel to Tamworth on the 1st September.



THE RHYTHM WORKS



The Rhythm Works are a dynamic, funky percussion duo who are masters at coaxing out the musician that lurks within us all. In this high energy, interactive show, students are introduced to simple, readily available software that quickly enables them to loop a basic rhythm track, add layers of complexity with tuned and un-tuned percussion, and create a vocal line to sit on top. Original music is shaped within the show, and with it, a sense of joy, confidence and empowerment. The best part is the experience can easily be re-created back in the home or classroom.

WEDNESDAY 9TH AUGUST 2017 **\$5 per student**

I give permission for my child _____ to attend The Rhythm Works performance.

Signed _____ Date: _____

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