



Assemblies Thursday

22 February

Early Stage 1 & Stage 1
1.40pm

Stage 2 & Stage 3
2.20pm



SWIMMING CARNIVAL



What a fantastic day we had on Friday at our school swimming carnival. All children from 3-6 (and those from year 2 who can swim the lap and are turning 8 this year) started our day with a march from the school to the pool. This was a very close competition with all houses dressed in their house colours and chanting loudly to support their house. The carnival program changed a little this year with many opportunities for all our kids to get wet and participate in novelty events which put a smile on everyone's face watching our kids have fun in the water. Formed stroke races saw some great efforts from our kids and we will be sending 48 students to the next level of competition. This is the zone carnival and it will be held in Binnaway on Wednesday 21st. We all wish these competitors the very best of luck.

The overall carnival scores were very close this year, however, Meteorites came out winners on the day. Well done to all those meteorites who helped their house on the day. Also well done to everyone for contributing to the spirit trophy. This took into consideration the house presentation, war cries, novelty events and cheering on the day and Satellites were winners of this trophy.

A big congratulation goes to our age champions who were: Junior Champions, Chelsea Rossler and Jai Ashby, 11 year Champions Elsie Kearney and Cooper McGlashan and Senior Champions Kayla Smith, Keizer Wood and Oliver O'Neill.

Meier's Magic Minute

Welcome to Week 4 of Term 1. We have had a great start to the year so far. It was lovely to see parents and grandparents attend our Meet and Greet last week. I hope you all found this valuable to meet your child's teacher and to look in the classrooms.

Congratulations to everyone for a fabulous day at the swimming carnival on Friday. All of the students participated with pride and represented their house. Well done to those students who are now going away to the Binnaway Swimming Carnival on Wednesday. Good luck.

Tonight the P&C AGM is on in the staffroom at 6pm. It would be really nice to have some new families involved this year so come along and become a member of our P&C.

MESSAGES FROM OFFICE

IF YOU NEED TO CHANGE YOUR DAILY ROUTINE PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL NO LATER THAN 2.30PM, AS THE OFFICE DOES BECOME QUITE BUSY AND IT IS SOMETIMES HARD TO GET MESSAGES TO STUDENTS ON TIME.

P & C News

Please join us at the AGM meeting **Tonight, Monday 19 February, 6pm in the staff room.**

All parents and carers are welcome to attend.

What's on at CPS?

Mon 19th Feb:	P & C AGM 6pm
Wed 21st Feb:	Zone Swimming Carnival Binnaway
Thurs 22nd Feb:	Stage Assemblies
Thurs 1st March:	Whole School Assembly
Mon 5th March:	NW Swimming Armidale
Mon 5th March:	Early BirDs commences
Tues 6th March:	Early BirDs commences

SPORT

Sport for Stage 2 and Stage 3 will be swimming for Term 1.

Please be organised and remember to bring your swimmers, towels, \$3 and a hat to school.

Kindy, Yr 1 & Yr 2 - Sport Day Friday
Stage 2 - Sport Day TUESDAY
Stage 3 - Sport Day FRIDAY

School Gate Times

The school gates will be locked from 9.10am and will be unlocked at 2.50pm every afternoon.

If you need to collect your child during these times, you will need to go to the office and sign your child out of the school.

Missing school leaves gaps in your education



Coonabarabran Public School

We are currently taking enrolments for our Early Bird Program.

Commences on

Monday 5th March & Tuesday 6th March
9am til 11.30 am for Term 1

We will be following the Early Years Learning Framework. There will be a curriculum followed each week in preparation for school readiness.

Contact the school on 68421 771 for any enquiries or to arrange your child's enrolment



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- * IF YOU PREFER TO HAVE A HARD COPY OF THE NEWSLETTER PLEASE LET US KNOW WHAT CLASS YOUR CHILD IS IN AND WE CAN SEND ONE HOME.
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For more information

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P: 6842 2923 or 0428 920 374

E: lfox@samaritans.org.au





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Drop In Centre
 Years 5 - 6 students
 3 - 5.30pm
 High School students
 4pm - 7pm



HOUSE CAPTAINS & VICE CAPTAINS 2018



Breakfast Program



The School Breakfast program will run again this year. We will provide toast with vegemite and honey for students from 8.30 til 8.50 am every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. If you would like to volunteer to help please contact the school office on 6842 1771.

Aboriginal Art Display

Coonabarabran Public School are the proud owners of one of our local Aboriginal Artists displays. Brett Ashby hopes we are happy with the artwork display and that we receive much enjoyment from its presence.

Brett says, "It means a lot to me in having my initial design exhibited at my old school in the community I grew up and belong to, and on my traditional country."




Swimming Carnival



TERM 1, 2018 CALENDAR



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	Jan 29	Jan 30	Jan 31	Feb 1	Feb 2
2	Feb 5 Staff Return	Feb 6 Students return	Feb 7 Kindergarten Start	Feb 8 NRL, visit ☐	Feb 9
3	Feb 12	Feb 13	Feb 14	Feb 15 Swimming carnival ☐	Feb 16
4	Feb 19	Feb 20	Feb 21 Zone Swimming Carnival - Binnaway	Feb 22	Feb 23
5	Feb 26 Zone Tennis Coolah	Feb 27	Feb 28	Mar 1	Mar 2
6	Mar 5 NW Swimming - Armidale Early Birds Commences	Mar 6 Early Birds Commences	Mar 7	Mar 8 Zone Basketball, Soccer - Cooma	Mar 9
7	Mar 12	Mar 13 Terry McGoldrick Cup	Mar 14	Mar 15	Mar 16
8	Mar 19 Moornalla Try Outs ☐	Mar 20	Mar 21	Mar 22	Mar 23
9	Mar 26	Mar 27	Mar 28	Mar 29 Good Friday	Mar 30
10	Apr 2 Easter Monday	Apr 3	Apr 4	Apr 5	Apr 6
11	Apr 9	Apr 10	Apr 11 State Swimming	Apr 12 Grandparents Day State Swimming	Apr 13

Coonabarabran Pony Club

Good Luck to
all our riders at
our local
shows.

Lucy Evans
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Kindergarten,
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More info: 6842 2783

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