



**There will be NO  
assemblies this  
week due to PAN**



## Zone Discus Record Broken

Congratulations to Siarne Davis for breaking the Senior Girl Discus record at the Zone Athletics Carnival. Siarne threw a distance of 27.47m.

**Coonabarabran Public School Years 3 - 6  
Presents**

## Night at the Museum

**Students will take you on a  
magical trip around the Museum**

**Thursday  
6th September 2018  
Coonabarabran High School Hall**

**6.30 Start**

**\$10 adult**

**\$5 High School Student**

**This week's PBL Value is ...**

**SAFE**

**At CPS we:**

- \* Are in the right place at the right time.
- \* Keep hands, feet and objects to ourselves.
- \* Are sun safe, wear a hat.
- \* Use equipment safely.
- \* Move safely around the school.

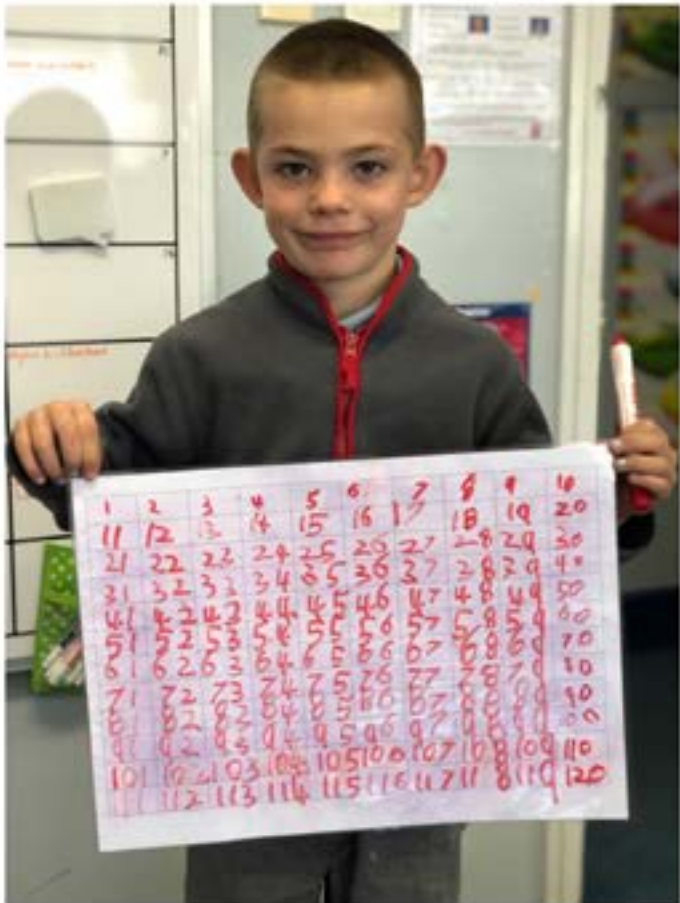




# Students enjoying Maths in Infants



Jackson, Tye and Jasper showing their number skills in Year One.



### What's on at CPS?

Thurs 6th Sept:

Performing Arts Night

Mon - Thurs 10 - 13 Sept:

Stage 3 English concepts

Fri 21st Sept:

NW Athletics Carnival

Wed 26th Sept:

Teddy Bears Picnic - Kindy

### P & C News

If you would like to donate cakes and slices for the Performing Arts Night on Wednesday, could you please deliver to the High School Canteen as you arrive in the evening. Many thanks

Don't forget the P & C have this wonderful raffle still on offer. It will be drawn later in the term at the Primary Performing Arts Night. Tickets are on sale at both chemists in town, Sallie Turners computer shop, Tastebuds, Klipperz and the Poplars motel. Don't miss this wonderful chance for 'Beach Getaway'!!

COONABARABRAN PUBLIC SCHOOL - P&C ASSOCIATION - FUNDRAISER

BEACHFRONT

HOLIDAY

PLUS \$200 BIG BANANA VOUCHER

Drawn - Performing Arts Night - 20/09/2018 - 10pm

Notifications via CPS Facebook & School Stream App

4 NIGHTS

VALUED up to \$3000

PANDANUS BEACH HOUSE

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2ND PRIZE \$100 GIFT VOUCHER - ASM MECHANICAL

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### Sista Speak Excursion

On Tuesday 28th August Coonabarabran Public and Coonabarabran High Schools commenced the Sista Speak program for 2018 with a day trip to the Warrumbungle National Park.

The girls participated in a range of activities with Ange Bunner and our AEO's Laurel Kuras and Alison Stanton around self-esteem, confidence building and the importance of working together as a team.

The girls thoroughly enjoyed walking the Gould's Circuit including Febar Tor and Macha Tor. A fantastic day was had by all and we would like to thank Ange Bunner and Wes Leedham for facilitating this wonderful day. We look forward to implementing this program during terms 3 and 4.



## Tournament of Minds

On Saturday 25th August, three teams from Coonabarabran Public School competed in the Tournament of Minds competition at Armidale.

The teams competed in their own specialisation of Social Science, Language Literature and Arts challenges. All teams performed exceptionally well, showing great team work and creative thinking. The Language Literature team was awarded Honours, which is a great achievement.

All students and families have shown great commitment to the ToM competition by attending training at weekends and in school during recess and lurch. It is this dedication to learning that shows CPS students have an enthusiasm and commitment worthy of notice.

A big Thank You to those parents and families that travelled to Armidale to support our students and school, it was greatly appreciated. Thank you to Mr Lowe, Miss Peterson and Mrs Marsh for assisting the teams.





# Chess Team success in Gunnedah



On Wednesday, August 22, we had students represent our school at the NSW Junior Chess League One-Day Tournament at Gunnedah Public School. Nine students (sorted into three teams) attended and played against students from other schools like Gunnedah PS, Gunnedah South, Moree, St Xaviers (Gunnedah), Carinya Christian (Gunnedah), Spring Ridge and St Lawrences (Coona).

Out of twenty one teams, our teams placed well on the day. Due to the number of teams, it is nearly impossible to play every other team, so the organisers use the Swiss Perfect scoring system to rank teams. Each round, teams are paired with another of similar score and as the day progresses, there is a clear spread of abilities. After playing seven rounds, our teams placed well. Our C team, consisting of Katie Richards, Josie Campton and Toby Robbins, ranked fifteenth; our B team (Jack Foster, Austin Alberts and Western Peck) placed equal seventh. Our A team, made up of Isaac Menz, Matthew Evans and Dustyn Owers, ranked second overall on the day, playing against challenging teams from Gunnedah South and Spring Ridge, who ranked third and first respectively.

Special mention to Matthew and Toby, who are both in Year 2 and have promising futures in Chess ahead of them.

I wish to thank the parents who assisted with transport on the day, especially to Mrs Marianne Foster, who took extra students. We may be holding another Chess tournament at our school in the near future. More information later.



Our school chess club meets most Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday lunchtimes, but is on hold until PAN is over.



## Personal Best Award

### Kelly Jamieson

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

Kelly is a quiet and hardworking member of kindergarten, who always displays a positive attitude towards her learning.

Kelly works well in her small group and completes her work to the best of her ability.

She shows great persistence and resilience never complaining or giving up when work is challenging and she is learning to step outside her comfort zone when participating in whole class activities.

Kelly is a kind and generous friend always sharing and playing nicely, she always uses kind words and is inclusive of others.

It has been a great pleasure to watch Kelly's self-confidence grow and to assist her with her learning.

**Congratulations Kelly on receiving your Personal Best!**



## Personal Best Award

### Izaak Row

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

Izaak is a mature and responsible member of 5/6P.

He is a kind and caring student who treats everyone with respect, as he displays the school values constantly. He has an open and honest personality which sees him being respected by those around him. Izaak is a diligent worker who always works to the best of his abilities and takes pride in his work. He has set himself several personal goals to improve his skills which he is constantly working towards.

Izaak always displays persistence when working on challenging tasks. He can work productively in both independent and group situations. He is inquisitive and uses this to make creative and interesting pieces of work, especially when based around areas of interest.

Izaak has developed into a delightful student who is commitment to learning. He strives to achieve his personal best in all areas and is very deserving of this award.



## Personal Best Award

### Tommy Mills

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

Tommy is a thoughtful and respectful class member who always strives to do his best.

He displays confidence in the classroom especially in math and takes pride in his work.

Tommy is an organised learner who listens to instructions and completes set tasks with a minimum of fuss.

He can often be seen offering assistance and encouragement to others both inside and outside of the classroom.

Tommy has a cheerful smile and is a great friend to everyone in kindergarten.

He is an excellent role model consistently showing our school values of being a safe and respectful learner who aims for excellence.

**Congratulations on receiving your Personal Best Tommy!**



## Personal Best Award

### Amelia Rayner

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

Amelia is a helpful, polite and friendly class member. This term she has made a huge improvement to listen to instructions and complete her work to a high standard.

She works well with others when completing group activities and is always willing to help those who may need extra support.

Amelia is sure to use persistence when working on a task that she finds challenging. Her efforts this term have made her very deserving of her personal best.

**Congratulations, Amelia!**





## STRIVE TO ACHIEVE

### Shae Darko

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

Shae is a caring, positive and polite member of 3/4G. Shae is always willing to try all tasks she is given and completes them with confidence and perseverance. She does not hesitate to ask for assistance if she needs it and is always willing to help out her peers when she can.

Shae demonstrates an eagerness and dedication to her learning and always comes to school Aiming for Excellence. Shae has developed great confidence with classroom tasks, relationships with peers and staff, and interactions with others over the school year and should be congratulated for her efforts!

**Well done, Shae, on receiving your Strive to Achieve!**



## STRIVE TO ACHIEVE

### Ciara Martin

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

Ciara is such a hardworking student who demonstrates a positive attitude with her teachers and peers. She shows kindness to others and is always willing to assist when she sees someone in need.

She is a diligent, respectful and hardworking student. Her hard work and kindness are just some of the characteristics that make her a great student at Coonabarabran Public School.

**Congratulations Ciara on achieving your Strive to Achieve!**

# 3/4H



We have been extremely busy preparing our dance and costume accessories for PAN along with keeping up with our school work.

In English we have been building on our Super 6 Comprehension strategies and in particular looking at how images in visual texts can influence the story and our understanding of it. We have also been looking at the text, *Starry, Starry Night* and using strategies that the author uses to make her writing interesting. No more boring sentences in 3/4H!



## AIMING FOR EXCELLENCE

### Shae Boyd

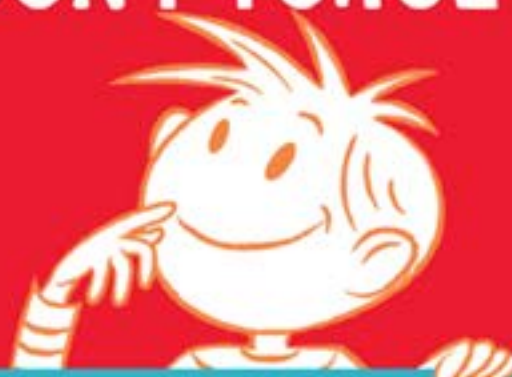
has received the Aiming for Excellence Award for the following reasons ...

Shae is such a model student in the school! She follows all teacher instructions straight away and leads by example. She always tries to produce quality work in class that is neat, displaying the pride she has in her learning. She acts responsibly in all areas of her schooling - from getting along with other students, persisting at class work for sustained periods of time, showing confidence when involved in tasks that may be new or unfamiliar and she gives her best to try and succeed in all that she does.

As a school student leader, Shae fulfils her duties willingly with distinction. She has also represented the school in a number of events - musical, sporting, athletic and academic - showing her desire to succeed. Through hardships, she has managed to keep her composure and is learning ways to be more resilient.

Shae is a person who shows respect to all, modelling the values we expect at this school. Thank you for being a pleasure to teach, Shae. We hope you continue to aim to do your best.

# DON'T FORGET!



**SCHOLASTIC**  
**Book Club**  
orders are due:

**Friday 14th September**



For Science we have been looking at night and day and anticipating an incursion with Ms Burton in Week 9 to view the sun through the Solar Telescope. For Art in particular we have been looking at famous artists from history and using other mediums such as wool to learn to weave and make interesting patterns.

3/4H can't wait for next Thursday to show you what we have been learning in dance and our interpretation of Medieval History with a modern twist. Thank you to all of the wonderful parents who have offered assistance!

Mrs Bonnie Hain



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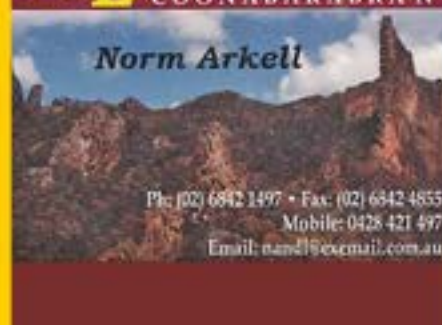
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