



Newsletter
Monday 20 May
2019
Term 2 Week 4

COONABARABRAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

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NSW STATE BASKETBALL

Last Tuesday I travelled to Maitland for the State Basketball Trials. We played Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. I represented North West, we had to play 7 games and out of the 7 games we won 2 of them. My favourite game was when we played the South Coast because they were the hardest team and it was the hardest game. We didn't make the finals but I had a great time and I made lots of new friends whilst playing Basketball. I also learnt a lot of new skills to help me become a better Basketballer.

By Dainton Kuras



Infants Athletics Carnival K-2 Friday 31 May 2019

Carnival will start at 10am and finish approx 2pm (weather permitting).

High School Oval, parking on highway not inside the grounds please.

The canteen has meal deals available.
No BBQ available.

Students who do not have parental presence will return to playground for lunch. Some seating will be available but please bring your own if you can.

Infants Athletics Carnival Lunch 31 May - All Students are welcome to order.

Name:

Class:

Meal deal is \$5.00 for either option 1 or 2.

Please tick the option & drink

Option 1: Hot Dog & Fruit Stick

Popper

Water

Option 2: Sausage Roll & Fruit stick

Popper

Water

Sauce is an extra 50 cents.

Orders need to be in/paid for by 28/5.



Stewart House Donation Drive 2019

Your donation supports the 1,700 children who attend Stewart House each year from public schools across NSW and the ACT.

“Stewart House was one of the highlights of my teenage years and I met so many people I am still friends with today. The dedicated staff that run this program are amazing.”

- Past student, Facebook review 2/10/2018

NSW Public Education's Charity of choice

Win a \$4,000 holiday to a destination of your choice

- Place a \$2 coin or equivalent in this envelope
- Complete entry details on the back
- Return to your school to be eligible for the draw

All entries must reach Stewart House by Friday 31st May 2019 in time for the draw at 12pm on this date

Stewart House Donation Drive 2019

If you would like to support the above donation drive for Stewart House could you please return the above envelopes and money by Thursday 23 May 2019 to CPS office.

CPS School Photos 29 & 30 May 2019

If you would like to purchase school photos of your child/ren please return Motage Fotos envelopes and money to CPS office as soon as possible. Envelopes for these are also available from the office.

STUDENT PHOTO PACKAGES

- \$65 DIGITAL MONTAGE Student Package ****
 - SDHC memory card of child's images
 - 6x8" Montage Enlargement
 - 8x10" Class Enlargement (not included on CD)
- \$45.00 MONTAGE Student Portrait Package ****
 - 6x8" Montage Enlargement
 - 10x8" Class Enlargement
 - 5x6" Individual Photos
- \$40.00 STANDARD Student Portrait Package ****
 - 6x8" Individual Enlargement
 - 10x8" Class Enlargement
 - 2.5x3.5" Individual Photo
 - 4" Individual Wallet
 - 2x6x4" Individual Photos
- \$30.00 BASIC Student Portrait Package ****
 - 6x8" Individual Enlargement
 - 10x8" Class Enlargement
 - 3x3" Students
 - 3x3" Family
 - 3x3" Discourt
 - 3x3" Standard Package EACH child
 - 3x3" BASIC Package EACH child

COONABARABRAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Wed 29th & Thur 30th May, 2019

Child's Name: _____

Please return your order to school before Friday, 24th May

Class: ☐ Early Birds ☐ K ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6

To avoid anyone being missed **DO NOT** make another envelope inside this one. **ONE ENVELOPE PER STUDENT**

Please return order together with correct money to your school. Cheques to be made payable to Montage Fotos.

MONTAGE FOTOS

school photography with character

Shop: 02.67.42.6616
Heather: 0427.829.521
Gayle: 0427.438.007

Shop 5 Civic Mall
147 Conadilly Street
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\$65 DIGITAL MONTAGE PACKAGE

A SDHC card of all student's images including Montage, studio and outdoor.

6"x8" Montage
SDHC card of all images
8"x10" Class (not included on SD card)

\$45.00 MONTAGE PACKAGE

A selection of different images including studio and outdoor

6"x8" Montage
4"x6" Small Wallets
8"x10" Class

\$40.00 STANDARD PACKAGE

6"x8" Large Wallets
8"x10" Class

\$30.00 BASIC PACKAGE

6"x8" 8"x10" Class

Also available...

8"x10" Class
SIBLING 6"x8"
KEYRINGS
MAGNETS
8"x10" CAPTAINS TEAMS GROUPS

WHAT'S ON AT CPS?

Mon 6 May	NW Rugby League Trials Tamworth
Tues 7 May	Peachy/Richardson Rugby/Netball Coonamble
7-8 May	State Basketball Boys Maitland
8-10 May	Leadership Camp
Thurs 9 May	Zone Rugby/Touch Trials
Fri 10 May	Mothers Day Stall
14-16 May	NAPLAN
Fri 17 May	National Walk Safely to School Day
Fri 17 May	Zone Netball Coolah
Mon 20 May	Musica Viva - March of the Fire Ants
Mon 20 May	Scripture performance - 2.20pm
21-22 May	Gamilaraay Camp - Lake Keepit
Tues 21 May	NW Southern Rugby Trials
21-23 May	PSSA Girls soccer Lismore
Fri 24 May	Zone Cross Country - Coolah
Mon 27 May	National Sorry Day
29-30 May	School Photos
Fri 31 May	K-2 Carnival



Coona High School Vintage Wardrobe Sale

On Saturday 25 May, Year 12 will be hosting a vintage wardrobe sale to raise money for their formal. There will be a variety of clothing available including casual everyday clothing, awesome vintage gear, and brands like RB Sellars, Wittner, Drizabone and Topshop. The Coonabarabran High School hall will be open from 10am-12 noon. Come and fill a bag for \$5 and support our Year 12 Students!



Infant's Tabloid Afternoon Information

The infant's tabloid afternoon has changed to Wednesday 22nd May from 1.40-3pm. Students can wear their sports colours on the day. These are:

- Comets – Blue
- Satellites – Red
- Asteroids – Yellow
- Meteorites – Green


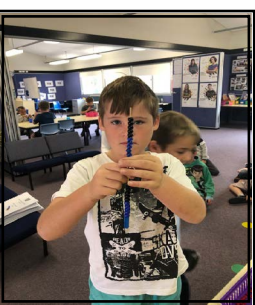
Family and friends are most welcome to come along and cheer the kids on for the afternoon.

2C Make Bead Kebabs!!!

What is a bead kebab you ask? Well.....I spent Friday morning working with 2C and the Year 1 students from K/1G, we each made a bead kebab out of kebab sticks of course and pony beads in two colours. The kebabs have 20 beads on them using two colours in increments of 5. These can easily be made at home if you are looking for some craft that has lots of mathematics involved!

Once the kebabs were made we played Tug-of-War which is played in pairs with a 1-6 dice. Each player starts with 10 beads on the kebab and as you roll the dice you get to take that number off the other player, it goes this way until one player wins all the beads. We also played 'Show me' using the ten frame flash cards! The beads are set out to encourage students to relate other numbers to the landmark numbers of 5 and 10 and to help move students from counting things by 1's to trusting the numbers and being confident to move 6 beads because they know 6 is made up of 5 and 1 more. We will be keeping the bead kebabs at school to explore more mathematical tasks.

Lucy Evans

MUSICA VIVA PHOTOS





Cross Country Information

The Zone Cross Country is on FRIDAY 24th May at Coolah. It will be held at the Golf Course with access and parking at the sports ground.



Program:	Walk Course	10.30 am
	8/9year Boys	11.15 am
	8/9year Girls	11.30 am
	10 yrs Boys	11.45 am
	10 yrs Girls	12.00 noon
	11 yrs Boys	12.15 pm
	11 yrs Girls	12.30 pm
	12/13 Boys	12.45 pm
	12/13 Girls	1.00 pm

These times are only approximate.

2.	DISTANCE:	JUNIOR (8 - 10 YRS)	2 kms
		SENIOR (11 - 12/13 YRS)	3 kms

3. RECORDING:

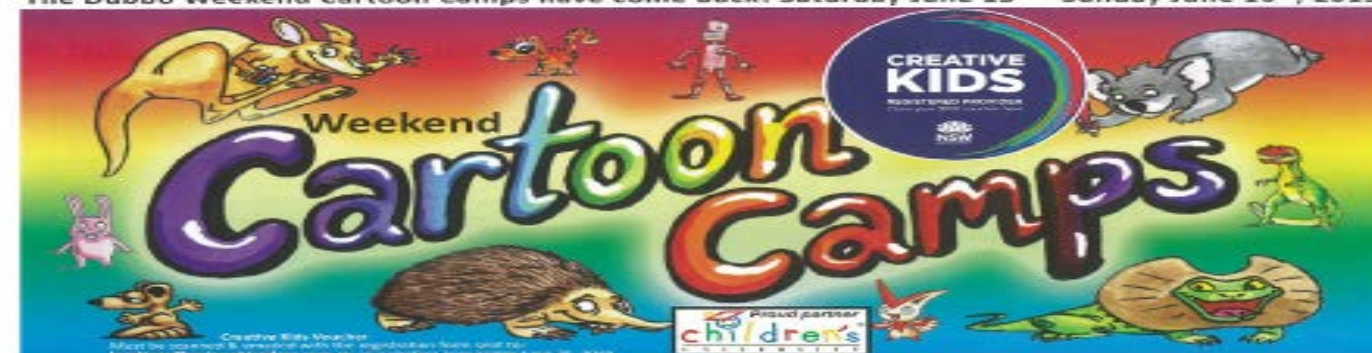
- As each runner **finishes** the course he/she will be given a place card.
- The runner gives this card to the Ms Newton

4.	CANTEEN:	Available on the day at venue
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N.B.: A District Team comprising the first six (6) placegetters in each race will be chosen to qualify for the Regional Cross Country to be held at Mullaley on Friday 14th June 2019.



The Dubbo Weekend Cartoon Camps have come back! Saturday June 15th - Sunday June 16th, 2019



Danny & Joel Cohen (father & son) present
Dubbo Weekend Cartoon Workshops
Saturday June 15th - Sunday June 16th, 2019

Class 1: Saturday 10am - 2pm

- Theme: Hawaiian. Wear anything colourful & tropical. Prizes for the best dressed.
- Draw: Beginners cartooning Part 1.
- Draw: A 3D beach tropical landscape.
- Draw: Marvel™ characters including Groot™.
- Science show: Mad Professor Kuffieblah is back!
- Play: The exciting game "Charge".
- Enjoy: Tropical fruit mocktails.
- Make: A squishy & play the fun squishy game.
- Coral reef: Draw life under the sea.
- Draw: Animated fruit & vegetables.
- Play: Balloon Kingdom skirmish / rob the nest.
- Challenge: Make a tower with marshmallows & spaghetti.
- Challenge: Boys vs girls "floss" dance-off for prizes.

Note: Children can bring their scooters on Saturday if they want to.

Class 2: Saturday 2pm - 6pm

- Theme: Messy clothes & hair. Prizes for the 'worst' dressed.
- Kids on wheels: Bring in your scooters.
- Draw: Beginners cartooning Part 2.
- Draw: Popular farm animals.
- Enjoy: Delicious rainbow biscuits.
- Treasure hunt: Find the treasure in the park.
- Slime: Make fun green gooey oobleck slime!
- Play: The shaving cream battle if you want to!
- Competition: Build a creative structure using straws.
- Draw African animals: A giraffe, meerkat & an elephant.
- Play: Harry Potter™, Pokémon™ & Star Wars™ trivia for prizes.
- Play: The lie detector game for prizes. Who is telling the truth?
- Pokémon™: Draw popular characters & find the Pokémon hidden in the local park.

Class 3: Saturday night 6pm - 9pm

- Theme: Dress in dark clothes for murder in the dark.
- Play: The candy grab game.
- Draw: Cute manga animals.
- Draw: Mario™, Sonic™ & Yoshi™.
- Play: Sock wrestling.
- Play: Space jump.
- Design a baseball cap: We'll supply the caps.
- Nerf gun battle: Bring in your nerf guns for a fun battle.
- Play: Murder in the dark! An exciting game with balloons.

Class 4: Sunday 10am - 2pm
Market Day - best class!

- Theme: Computer Games. Prizes for the best gaming costumes.
- T-Shirt Art: Design a T-Shirt. We will supply the T-Shirts.
- Draw: Beginners cartooning Part 3.
- Draw: Anime & Manga.
- Draw: Famous robots.
- Draw: 3D dinosaurs.
- Flour battle: Join in the fun flour fight if you want to.
- Waterbattle: Weather permitting & if you want to. Bring a watergun & change of clothes.
- Kingdom Markets: It's important that everyone needs to prepare a shop for Market Day. Make cookies, sell old toys, books, etc... the children buy & sell from each other using Kingdom money they have earned over the weekend. We will also give the children \$500 Kingdom dollars to spend.
- Greatest Showman™ Talent Show: Perform if you want to - singing, dancing, gymnastics, comedy, acting, etc... prizes for best acts. Children are the judges!

No phone booking enquiries only: 9am - 5pm (EST)
Calls outside of these times will be returned the following day.

Enquiries: (02) 9343 0833
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www.illustrating-man.com.au
Mail: Suite 2, 29 Newland Street, Bondi Junction 2022



Policy for the Use of Mobile Devices in School

Rationale

At Coonabarabran Public School we acknowledge the issues associated with the use of mobile devices in school. These include:

- Health concerns for young children using mobile devices excessively
- The possibility of expensive devices being lost or stolen
- Safe storage of devices during the school day
- Inappropriate use of devices.

For these reasons we discourage students from bringing mobile devices to school. If students have a legitimate reason to phone home during the day, office staff will assist them to contact their parents. In case of emergencies parents can contact their children via the school office.

However, on occasions parents may feel their child needs to carry a mobile device for security reasons travelling to and from school. Before allowing their child to bring a mobile device to school parents should consider the following:

- Where will the student keep the device for safe keeping during the day?
- Where will the student keep the device while playing/sport?
- How will you control your child's use of the device?

Policy Statement

The following rules apply to students who bring mobile devices to school:

- Students bringing mobile devices to school do so at their own risk – the school does not accept any responsibility for any loss or damage to mobile devices.
- The name of the student, parental permission note and the student's mobile device number must be registered with the office.
- Parents must notify the classroom teacher that their child has permission to have the device at school via a note signed by the parent/carer.
- If no note is provided, the Principal or delegate has the right to confiscate the device and parents will be notified.
- The device is the responsibility of the student at all times unless parents request in writing that the device be stored in the school safe during the day. (In this case it is the student's responsibility to take the device to the office before school and collect it immediately after the bell is rung at 3.00 pm.)
- Devices are NOT to be on during school time.
- Parents must counsel their child on the inappropriate use of mobile devices.
- The use of mobile device cameras or videos is NOT permitted at school.
- Mobile devices will be confiscated if students are found to have used it inappropriately.
- The principal or delegate will contact the student's parent/carer to discuss the student's use of the device.

Inappropriate Use of Mobile Devices

Generally a mobile device will be used inappropriately if it:

- Disrupts or is likely to disrupt the learning environment or interfere with the operation of the school, or
- Threatens or is likely to threaten the safety or wellbeing of any person, or
- Is in breach of the law.

Inappropriate use of a mobile device includes:

- Students using their device to bully, intimidate or otherwise harass other people through any SMS or text message, photographic, video or other data transfer system available on the device.

If students use mobile devices inappropriately the principal and school reserves the right to take action. Depending on the circumstances, action may include any of the following:

- Banning student from bringing the mobile device to school;
- Confiscating mobile devices from individual students;
- Requiring students to hand in their mobile devices to designated school staff at the beginning of the school day for collection when students go home;
- Applying student disciplinary provisions.

Related Technology

The procedures applying to the inappropriate use and security of mobile devices, apply equally to the inappropriate use of all other portable computer games, iPads, iPods and similar devices. The school strongly encourages parents not to allow these items to be brought to school.

Introduction and Reinforcement of Mobile Device Policy

- Teachers will discuss this policy with their class.
- When inappropriate use is detected it will be dealt with in terms of the policy, thereby reinforcing the policy.
- The community will be made aware of the policy via P&C Meetings, the school newsletter, School Stream App and will be available on the school website.

Updating of DEC Policy and Procedures

In 2011 the Department of Education and Training (now Department of Education and Community, DEC) updated the department's policy and procedures, *Suspension and Expulsion of School Students*.

The rationale underpinning the changes is driven by the rise of social networking sites and increasing sophistication of mobile devices which has meant that bullying and harassment related to school may continue outside of school hours or off the school site.

The policy states that the school discipline code, and therefore the *Suspension and Expulsion of School Students – Procedures* have applications outside of school hours where there is a clear and close relationship between the behaviour of students and the school.

As a result of these changes students may also be suspended for the inappropriate use of mobile devices regardless of when or where the offence occurred.

Cyberbullying

Cyberbullying will be managed through the school's Anti bullying policy. In some cases disciplinary action or reporting to the NSW Police Force and the School Safety and Response Hotline will be necessary if a crime has been committed.

Bruce Robinson
Principal

Coonabarabran Pony Club

Next Rally
9am Sunday
26 May 2019

Lucy Evans
ph: 6842 3636
mob: 0488 422 171

Coonabarabran Town Bus Service

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Kindergarten,
Year 1 & Year 2

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Primary students have conditions applied
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More info: 6842 2783



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