



# Coonabarabran Public School Newsletter - Term 2, Week 8, 2020

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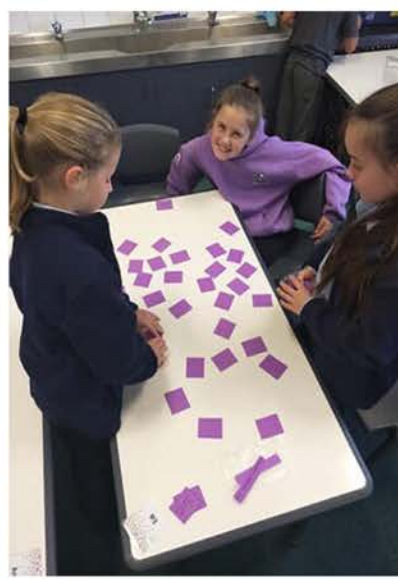
Monday 15 June 2020

**PBL Focus: Move safely around the school.**

## 4H - Maples

4H Maples have been very busy returning to work, creating tropical birds, working with patterns, algebra and multiplicative thinking.

Keep up the amazing work Mrs Hain and 4H.



### Coming up at Coonabarabran Public School

Tuesday 9 June to Friday 26 June - Online applications open for Opportunity Class.

Wednesday 16 September - Opportunity Class test date.



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**A Minute with Mrs Meier**



I have had another wonderful week here at Coonabarabran Public School. I have visited many classrooms and watched while students are learning how to use the iPads for learning. Mrs Evans has worked with Stage 1,

teaching the students the very basic of skills. These are then reinforced back in their own classrooms throughout the day. It is wonderful to see so many students and staff embracing technology.

Mr Lowe has been busy during Music teaching students the basic skills of recorder playing. Students are being taught that the left hand needs to be at the top, which sometimes causes a little confusion in the beginning. I went in and showed some classes how I can play the National Anthem on the recorder. This has inspired many to learn.

Teachers are busy collecting assessment data from students to complete the Semester 1 reports. Due to COVID-19, this year's Semester 1 report will look different. It will have English and Mathematics indicators as well as the other Key Learning Areas. There will only be a general comment included this semester. Reports will be sent home at the end of July.



**Canteen News**

**This Week's Special**

Pumpkin Soup  
with  
bakery bread roll

**\$4.00**

**Please note: Canteen only available Tuesday to Friday until further notice.**



Donations of reasonable quality secondhand school clothes are very welcome.

If your child has outgrown any uniform items, especially jumpers in the colder weather, our school will put your donation to good use.

Bubblers at school are currently 'off limits'.

Please remember to provide your child with a drink bottle each day.

Drink bottles can be refilled with water at school.



Respectful  
Safe  
Aim for Excellence

# Stage 1 Stars of the Week



Kinder Eucalypts - Skye Pearson  
For her positive attitude to all learning tasks.

K/1 Tulips - Johann Rickert  
Always trying hard with challenging tasks.

1M Sunflowers - Will Weatherall  
Always challenging himself during class activities.

2C Chrysanthemums - Kelly Jamieson  
Always being co-operative and willing to have a go.

2M Shamrocks - Jacob Bartlett  
Giving 100% to all tasks.





## 5/6 Protea's

5/6 Protea's have been learning about various literary devices with a focus on personification this week.

Here are some samples of their amazing writing:

The volcano awoke from a deep sleep, firstly snoring and groaning then exploding molten madness.

### By Andrew Gordon

The volcano was sound asleep when all of a sudden a huge earthquake rumbled through the valley. BOOM! BANG! Shaking furiously, like a million elephants hitting the Earth, she roared with anger. "Who dares?" She asked, coughing up a huge cloud of toxic smoke, bleeding out molten lava, destroying everything. She threw rocks miles away and sneezed out huge objects. This went on for days until she finally went back to sleep.

### By Macey Harris

The volcano had been sleeping for years but was abruptly woken by a rude rumble. He woke up and was very angry. He roared and started throwing rocks. He was getting so angry, he sneezed out hot lava and started to explode. He was coughing furiously because of all the smoke.

### By Reegan Watters

The volcano was very old and when people woke him up, he was very angry. He roared and roared and then started sneezing and coughing. He had a bad cold and the other mountain gave him some medicine and he never roared again.

### By Archie Rutter

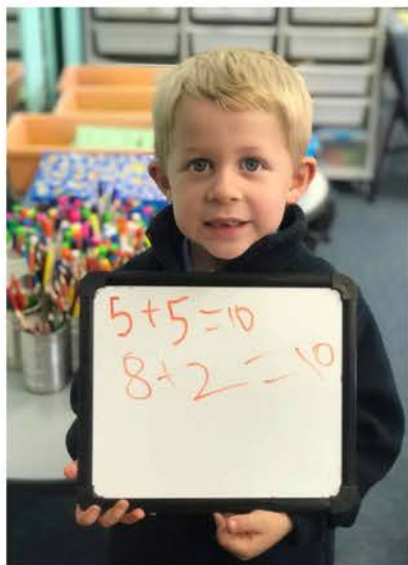




## Kindergarten Eucalypts

Kindergarten Eucalypts have been working very hard with their numeracy, working with patterns and friends of 10.

We are very proud of their efforts. Keep it up Eucalypts!







# Year 1 Sunflowers



Year 1 Sunflowers have been learning about coding in Science this term. Students have been learning to follow a set of directions or algorithms and create their own algorithms. Students were very excited to test this out on a Bee-Bot robot. A lot of fun was had by all.





## 5/6K Protea's Assembly

On Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> June, 5/6 Proteas held a class assembly. Chloe had been missing assemblies and had a great idea to hold a class one!

Mrs Kearney addressed the class assembly and acknowledged how hard times have been recently and emphasised how great it was to have everyone back at school and settling in.

Each student in the class gave out an award to their fellow class member who they had seen doing the right thing and being a respectful, kind member of class. A huge congratulations to Levi Heywood for taking home six awards. Mrs Kearney thought he might have needed a taxi to get home!

A special mention to Lakiah Chatfield for receiving the Sportsmanship award from Mr Willoughby and Makai Davis for receiving the PBL award for being a safe, respectful member of the Proteas.

Torr was awarded the best class member of the assembly. Torr sat quietly for the whole assembly and was very respectful to everyone!

Congratulations Proteas and I can't wait to return for next week's assembly.

Mr Nixon



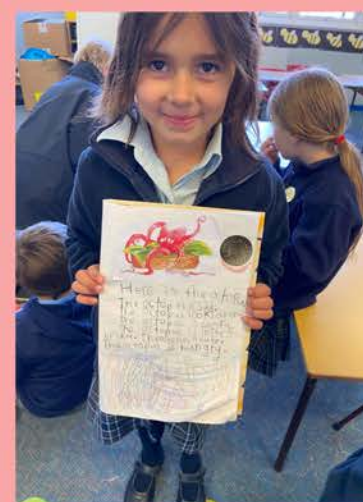
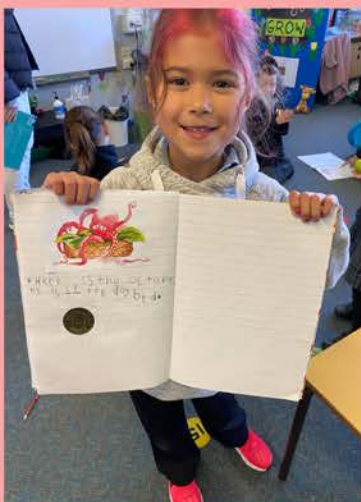
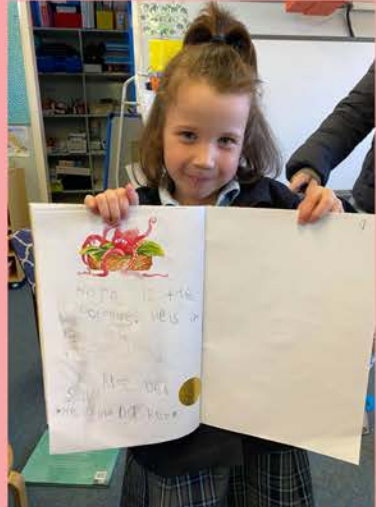
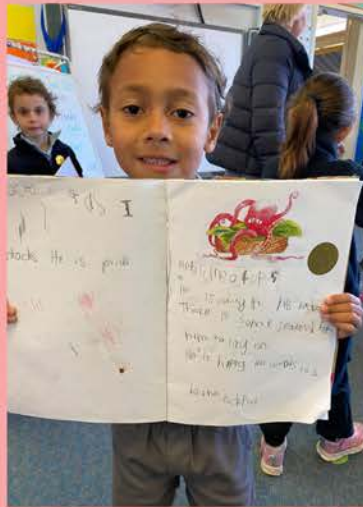
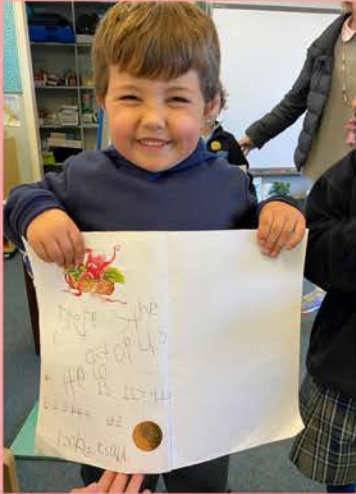


## K/1G

This week K/1G have been lucky enough to have Mrs Evans doing some writing lessons.

The students were all highly motivated and created some fantastic pieces of writing!

We were lucky to also have Mrs Meier visit with her special gold stickers. Thank you to both Mrs Evans and Mrs Meier for visiting our class.





EARLY STAGE 1	
Harper Oakes	Grasping numeracy concepts and helping others.
Kaide Galvin	Being a caring and friendly class mate.
Thomas McMillan	Star of the Week Term 2 Week 6.
Henry Kelly	Star of the Week Term 2 Week 7.
Patricia Ruttley-Higgins	Working really hard in writing.
Cassius Cohen-Bragg	Working hard in writing lessons.
STAGE 1	
Aria Kershaw	Always being a kind and caring class member.
Peter Murphy	Always being ready to learn.
Dylan Towney-White	Always coming to school happy and ready to learn.
Luka Kuras	Showing resilience in all areas of your school work.
William Weatherall	Excellent paragraph writing.
Mia Bowman	Always being helpful in the classroom.
Kelly Jamieson	Being cooperative and having a go.
Harry White	Great spelling results.
Lyla McKernan	Great work with money.
Maliyah Mason	Great spelling results.
Jenson Willis	Reading fluently during reading groups.
Emma Murnane	Descriptive writing.
Luke Rutland	Trying hard to sound words out.
Phoebe Holder	Always trying hard.

## WORD SEARCH CROSSWORD

Name that color



RED  
BLACK  
PINK  
BLUE  
ORANGE  
YELLOW  
GREEN  
BROWN



## School Uniform

'At Coonabarabran Public School we wear our uniform with pride.'

Thank you to the students who wear their full winter uniform.  
We encourage all students to wear the full school uniform including black shoes.

Please note - North West apparel can only be worn on Fridays.  
They are not part of the uniform on Monday through to Thursday.

The school daily uniform draw will recommence on Tuesday 9th June. This involves a draw every morning in both the K-2 and 3-6 where every student in our school has their name a barrel and if their name is drawn out and they are in full uniform they win a \$2 voucher to use at our canteen.

Good luck and lets wear our uniform with pride!

### Girls Winter Uniform

Grey and blue tartan pinafore with belt, or,  
Navy slacks (not blue jeans or track suit pants).  
Powder blue long sleeved blouse or powder blue skivvy.

Navy blue or navy stockings

Black covered-in shoes.

Navy school sweater (with printed crest).

Navy parka or navy blue windcheater style zippered jacket.

### Boys Winter Uniform

Grey trousers.

Powder blue long sleeved shirt or powder blue skivvy.

Grey socks.

Black covered-in shoes.

Navy school jumper (with printed crest).

Navy parka or navy blue windcheater style zippered jacket.





**Do you have any LEGO and PUZZLES  
that you are not using anymore?**

**If you do and you would like to donate it to  
Conabarabran Public School, we would love to have it!**



**We will take care of the cleaning!**

**Donations can be dropped at the front office.**

**All donations will be greatly appreciated.**



**Coonabarabran  
Public School now has  
Instagram. To follow us  
on Instagram, our  
username is:  
coonapublic**



NSW Department of Education

Is your child starting Year 5 next year? If you think they might be a good fit for an opportunity class, check out the 2021 application process.

Applications open Tuesday 9 June: <https://bit.ly/2XQTGPd>



## **Year 2 Shamrocks**



Year 2 Shamrocks have been looking at Anthony Brownes books. Anthony likes to hide animals in his pictures.

Today the Shamrocks had to find five objects hidden in the picture. We are challenging you at home to see what objects you can see in the below picture.





# Coonabarabran Pony Club



**Next Rally**  
**Sunday 5 July 2020**  
**Start 9:30am**

**Sarah Mahon**  
**Mobile: 0413 344 745**

## Coonabarabran Town Bus Service

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**Phone: 0439 833 832**

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