



# Coonabarabran Public School Newsletter - Term 1, Week 5, 2021

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PBL Focus: making sure we keep toilets/wash sheds tidy.

## NRL STARS TALK TO GPS

On Wednesday last week years 3-6 had a very special visit from 4 people in the NRL: Alex Prout, Simon Hartas, David Gower (Paramatta Eels) and Kezie Apps (Illawarra Dragons) who gave a great, engaging talk to students about resilience, support networks, and gratitude.

They spoke about who their support networks are in the NRL and then made us think about who our support networks are in our own lives and who gets us through the highs and lows, which are all part of life. They encouraged us to reach out for help whenever we need support and said that it's okay to ask for help.

We watched some videos which showed NRL players talking about what they are grateful for, and then we all thought about what gratitude is and how it can really be good to practice gratitude in our daily lives.



## Coming up at Coonabarabran Public School

**Tuesdays**

**Fridays**

Tuesday 2nd - Thursday 4th of March

Wednesday 24th March

Thursday 25th March

**STAGE 2** Swimming for sport town pool

**STAGE 3** Swimming for sport town pool

Montage School Photos

McGoldrick Cup

Grandparents Day (virtual experience)



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### A Minute with Mrs Meier

Welcome to Week 5 everyone.

On Friday we wished a group of CPS students good luck as they competed in the Zone Swimming Carnival in Coolah.

Now that everyone is settled into the 2021 school year please remember that parents and carers are not permitted onto school grounds. This is due to COVID restrictions. If you are coming to school for any reason you must enter through the Front Office, and check in using the COVID app. Thank you for your patience and understanding with these rules.

Our school photos are happening in Week 6, students are to wear full summer uniform for these photos, which are taking place on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next week.

## Canteen feature meal:

House crumbed chicken and air fried chips \$5.50

**Eat healthy at CPS canteen**



**Congratulations to our CPS students who qualified for the Zone Swimming Carnival, held in Coolah on Friday the 19th of February.**

**Dollarmites School Banking is returning on Friday's at school. Bring your banking books and please give them to:**

**Mrs. Nixon for Infants**

**Mrs. Angela Newton for Primary**

**If you would like to commence School Banking you can visit your local Commonwealth Bank branch to pick up a Dollarmites Banking book.**



SAVE THE DATE!

**THURSDAY 25TH MARCH**

**Grandparents Day will go ahead as a "virtual experience" due to our COVID restrictions. More information to follow closer to the date.**



**NEWS**

The first P&C meeting is **TONIGHT** in the school Staff Room at 6pm.

New parents and carers, as well as existing parents, are welcome to come along!





# Stage 1 Stars of the week



KE	Annabele Milligan	Being a friendly and caring class member
KC	Edith Dakic	Being absolutely delightful every minute of every day!
1R	Arjay Niass-Gall	Trying his best in all tasks and showing enthusiasm in learning
1/2T	Lewis Brown	Being a wonderful member of 1/2 Kookaburras
2M	Nyah Walker	Always following the PBL values



**CPS School photos**  
**Tuesday 2nd,**  
**Wednesday 3rd and**  
**Thursday 4th of March**

**This year MONTAGE FOTOS have moved to online ordering. Families may choose to *either* order online or pay with cash.**

**See details for each option on the MONTAGE envelope that has been sent home with your child.**

**All envelopes containing cash payment should be returned to your child's classroom teacher by no later than Monday MARCH 1st.**

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# NRL TALK PHOTOS





# Stage 1 Assembly Awards



KC Gilaas (Galahs)	Dani Bartlett Jarvis Webster Edith Dakic Emma Paul Billie Burton	Trying hard to follow instructions Having wonderful pencil grip Being Star of the Week in KC Star of Week 3 Being kind and responsible at school
KE Bigibilas (Echidnas)	Sophie Romans Beau Watton Lachlan Player Eva Ford Harvey Harris	Star of Week 4 Trying really hard to write his letters Contributing to classroom discussion Consistently completing set tasks with enthusiasm Following CPS rules in the classroom and playground
1R Mudhay (Possums)	Cash Britton  Thomas McMillan Shania Byrne	For insightful contributions to number talks and knowledge on factors of 10 Being a masterful mathematician, recalling maths facts Being a safe, respectful student who tries hard
1/2T Gugurrgaagaa (Kookaburras)	Samuel Paul Audrey Rouse Sophie Cox Ivana Stanton Addison Bartlett	Excellent sentence writing Excellent sentence writing Always trying her hardest Star of Week 3 Being a respectful member of our school
2M Dhinawans (Emus)	Will Birtles Mia Bowman Peter Murphy Jacob Cook Nyah Walker	For his mathematical thinking Fantastic reading at home and school Wonderful effort in class Fantastic reading in reading groups Always following our PBL values



## Stage 2 and Stage 3 Assembly Awards

K-6 D Yabbies	Camilla Antaw Kerry Chatfield Sean Holder Alex Atkinson	Excellent effort in English Excellent effort in Maths PBL: Always being an organised learner Sportsmanship Award
3/4G Yurrandaali (Goannas)	Chance Robbins Ray Rumbel Kurt Murnane Elijah Walden:	Working well with his Banjo Paterson research. Trying hard to follow the classroom rules. Always trying his best with work tasks Always following the school PBL values.
3/4K Bilba (Bilbies)	Ruby Mahon Tommy Mills Reedan Vallette Maddie Hartberg	Always following instructions Working hard and always being on task A fantastic biography on Banjo Patterson A fantastic start to Year 3
3/4N Burrugarbuu (Magpies)	Anika Bowmaker Ryan Young	Her excellent story writing for English Excellent effort applied to all tasks
5/6K Bandaarr (Kangaroos)	Rachel Staniforth Torr Howgate Emily White  Kieran Miller	For settling in beautifully to 5/6K For a brilliant start to the year in 5/6K PBL: Being a great role model of safe, respectful behaviour and always having something nice to say Sportsmanship Award
5/6F Marayn (Dingos)	Levi Adams Ciara Martin Edi Rouse Archie Matthews	Showing a deep understanding of place values and factors Always persevering with difficult tasks PBL: being a respectful student and a great role model Sportsmanship Award
5/6I Bilay (Parrots)	Anna Strong Sienna Murphy Thomas Aylett Toby Robbins	Being a motivated learner in Maths Working extra hard in English PBL: being a safe, respectful learner who aims for excellence Sportsmanship Award
5/6N Wiibidi (Geckos)	Callum Wark Kyanna Cox Ellen Mills Mikaela Wright	Great work in Maths and helping others Great work in Maths PBL: Being safe, respectful and aiming for excellence Sportsmanship Award





# Kindergarten Gilaas Class Focus



What a wonderful Start to School.

The 2034 school leavers in KC Gilaas have had a wonderful start to their school life. Each morning we start our day with 10 minutes on the equipment, where we strengthen our gross motor skills and socialise with our peers.

Then it is off to the class room for some hard work and games. We are achieving great heights with our sounds and even know a few sight words. We have been learning to write and recognise numbers to 20 and becoming highly accomplished counters specializing in counting backwards. We are learning all about the school's PBL values including learning to be respectful, safe and kind. We practice this at every opportunity.

The best part of the day is a bit of free play at the end when we get to play with the fantastic busy box that Mr McMillian made especially for us. The favourite part of the busy box is the safe and he promised he has left a surprise in there for when we crack the code next week.

Mrs. Clifton.







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### Snacks

Pizza Muffin.....	\$1.80c
Garlic Bread.....	\$0.50c
Scroll.....	\$1.00
Popcorn.....	\$1.00
Seasonal FRUIT.....	\$1.00
Crackers and Cheese.....	\$2.00
Veggie Sticks and Dip.....	\$2.00
CPS Wrap.....	\$2.00

### Sandwiches - (made on fresh bakery bread)

Vegemite, Jam or Honey.....	\$2.50
Cheese or Ham.....	\$3.50
Salad, with Cheese and Ham or Chicken.....	\$5.00

### Toasties

Cheese.....	\$4.00
Ham and Cheese.....	\$4.50

### Burgers

Cheesy Mate: Beef, cheese, sauce.....	\$4.50
Beef Burger with the LOT.....	\$5.50
Angry Bird: Flame grilled chicken, lettuce, cheese and mayo.....	\$5.50

### Hot Food

Macaroni and Cheese.....	\$4.00
Twista Bolognaise.....	\$5.00
TACO Chicken Roll.....	\$5.50
Chicken and Chips.....	\$5.50
Bakery Pie.....	\$5.00
Bakery Sausage Roll.....	\$3.00
Sauce.....	\$0.50

### Wraps

Sweet Chilli Chicken: sweet chilli chicken tender, lettuce and mayo.....	\$4.50
Ham or Chicken, lettuce and cheese.....	\$4.50

### Good Mood Meals

Roast Vege Salad *gf: season vegetables roasted with feta cheese and garlic mustard dressing.....	\$6.00
Chicken Coconut Curry served with Quinoa *gf.....	\$6.00
Caesar Salad with boiled egg.....	\$6.00

### Drinks

Water.....	\$1.50
Fruit Juice popper.....	\$2.00
Flavoured Milk.....	\$3.00
Slush Puppie.....	\$3.00

### Ice Blocks 2<sup>nd</sup> half lunch only

Frozen Juice cup.....	\$0.50c
Fruit stick.....	\$1.00
TNT.....	\$1.50
Paddle Pop.....	\$2.20

TERM 1 CANTEN MEAL IDEALS  
ALL meals are made by canteen staff

<b>MONDAY</b> <b>FRIED RICE</b> 	<b>TUESDAY</b> <b>CHEESE TOASTIE</b> 	<b>WEDNESDAY</b> <b>MACARONI AND CHEESE</b> 
<b>THURSDAY</b> <b>SMALL BOLGONAISE</b> 	<b>FRIDAY</b> <b>2 x PIZZA MUFFIN</b> 	<b>MEAL DEAL includes:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bottle of Water or Fruit Juice popper</li> <li>And a Choice of ONE of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>APPLE</li> <li>ORANGE</li> <li>FROZEN FRUIT CUP ICE BLOCK</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <b>\$6</b>



# Coonabarabran Pony Club



**PREPARING FOR  
BINNAWAY SHOW  
SATURDAY THE 27TH**

**FEB**

**Sarah Mahon  
Mobile: 0413 344 745**

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