

COORANBONG PUBLIC SCHOOL 'COOEE'

INNOVATION OPPORTUNITY EXCELLENCE

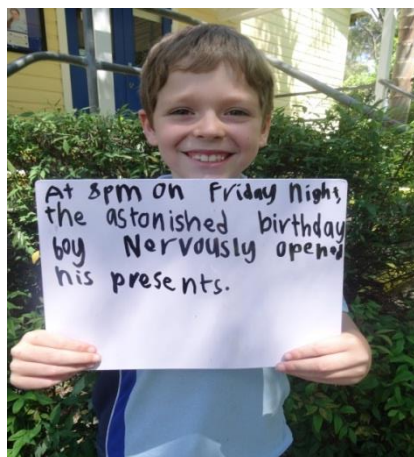
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Term 4 - Week 6
17th November, 2016

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<u>Important Dates to Remember</u>		<u>Due date for final payment</u>
Thurs 17 Nov	WSLA P&C 6.30pm	
Mon 21 Nov	Swimming School	Wed 16 Nov
Mon 21 Nov	MHS Extended Transition (Selected Students)	
Wed 23 Nov	MHS Enrichment Challenge (Selected Students)	
Fri 25 Nov	155 th Tree Planting	
Tues 6 Dec	Presentation Day	
Wed 7 Dec	Yr6 Farwell	
Thurs 8 Dec	MHS Yr6 Transition (All Yr6)	
Fri 9 Dec	Reports go home	
	Sports Presentation Day	
Thurs 15 Dec	Picnic Day Myuna Bay	Fri 9 Dec
Fri 16 Dec	Last Day of Term 4	



Look at Jordan's amazing sentence.
Great work Jordan

Kindy Transition



From the Principal's Desk

Welcome back Mrs Butler.
Mrs Butler returns from her long service leave this Friday so I would like to take this opportunity to thank students, parents and staff for all their support and patience whilst I was Relieving Principal during her absence. I really enjoyed being able to "pop in" to all the classes during this time and was excited to see all the great work and awesome learning taking place throughout our school. We really have a wonderful bunch of children and a caring, dedicated team of teachers here at Cooranbong Public School. Well done everyone, you all work together to make our school "the best school in Cooranbong".

With lots of excited children and buddies our final Kindergarten Transition session for this year was held this week. Activities started with our buddies joining us for some stories and a walk around our beautiful school. Then a group of buddies stayed to help make colourful party hats and paper chains. Mrs Tukua and I would like to congratulate all the buddies for being so helpful and caring. The session concluded with the children sharing a wonderful selection of party food.



A big thank you to all the parents and carers for supplying the yummy party food.



Well done Mrs Tukua for another fabulous transition program. We are all looking forward to having our new Kindies join us next year. If you have any questions around this please do not hesitate to contact us on 49771122. If you know of any other students who would like to enrol in our school next year, please let us know.

Safety First

Our Car Parking Area.

A reminder to all our families that the parking area at the front car park can become quite a congested spot at the end of the day. There is an alternative parking area off Matthew Valley Rd, at the back of the school. Some families

choose to park along the streets near the carpark and walk up to meet their children. Children are walked down to this area by a teacher at the end of the day. Please help to keep our children safe.

Thanking you,
Kerrie Hamilton (Relieving Principal)

WSLA & P&C Meeting

Our next combined WSLA P&C meeting will be held at Morisset Public School on Thursday 17 November. The WSLA is undertaking a brand new initiative in the area of students wellbeing, encompassing respect, safety and engagement. As part of this initiative Parents will be presented with information about Positive Behaviour For Learning (PBL). We highly recommend your attendance at this meeting. If you have any further questions or comments please contact Leoni Butler or Kylie Eves.

Year 6 Debating Team

Last Thursday our Year 6 Debating Team competed in the WSLA Challenge at Morisset High School. Our team presented some strong arguments which were difficult for other teams to rebut. James Tevaga did an amazing job filling in at the last minute for Millie, and our Year 6 debaters did really well supporting James in his first competitive debating experience. Bonnells Bay won the challenge for the second year in a row with three extremely impressive debates. Congratulations James, Cooper, Trinitee and Jessica you did Cooranbong Public School proud!

Kylie Eves

Pre-Order Wristbands for our Fete

DONT FORGET WRISTBANDS ARE ON SALE UNTIL THE 21/11 FOR \$20 EACH FOR THE FIRST CHILD THEN \$15 FOR EACH FOLLOWING CHILD. FORMS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE OFFICE OR CONTACT KAY FERNANCE ON 0432275275 OR bill68kay@gmail.com

Canteen News

ROSTER FOR WEEK 7:

Tuesday - Danielle and Sue B.
Wednesday - Sarah
Thursday - Paula and Jo
Friday - Sharnee and Erin

Thank you to all our volunteers for giving up their time to help in our canteen.

Canteen Mondays only:

Tropical Burger Beef or Chicken
Bacon, Pineapple, Lettuce, Chesse & Mayo
\$4.00
Start this Monday 21.11.16

Swim School

Children who have enrolled and paid will start swimming lessons on Monday 21st November. Remember to use your organisation skill and bring your swimmers, towel, goggles, sun screen, plastic bag and a great big smile because we are sure to have lots of fun while learning to swim.

Special Awards

Last week was a big week for brothers Joshua & Jake as Joshua received an award for making positive choices and his younger brother received his special reading Recovery award. Well done boys.



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Specialist Sport

Last week our specialist sport program began. This program provides all our students from Kindergarten to Year Six with the opportunity to develop new skills. Thank you Mrs Walandow for organising this for us to enjoy.

News Flash

A big thank you to our hard working P&C who have donated a significant amount of money to the school so that we can purchase a new Combox for 1/2F. 1/2F and Mrs Floyd cannot wait to use this amazing interactive board.



Child Protection

Child Protection lessons have begun for all this week. This is a mandatory requirement for all students. If you have any concerns or do not want your child to participate please contact your childs class teacher as soon as possible.

Mrs Brown (Organising Teacher)