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Newsletter: Tuesday 21st May 2019 Week 4A - Term 2



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CCS Calendar of Events - Week 4A

May Mon 20th - Fri 24th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 10 Aspire Sydney
Tues 21st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Primary Southern Zone Rugby P&C Meeting
Wed 22nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Whole School Breakfast National Simultaneous Story Time - Town Library
Fri 24th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Primary Zone Cross Country

P&C Meetings
Third Tuesday
each month
@ 5.30pm
CCS Staff Room
Everyone Welcome

"The virtue is in the struggle not the prize"

Principal News with Mr Hughes



Our new furniture in Primary and Secondary has been installed and students are making great use of these resources. It has been great seeing students not only use these in break times but also during lesson times doing both class individual and group work activities outside.

and gain a perspective of the issues facing other schools in our region. Coolah Central School is a great school with exceptional staff that provides outstanding learning opportunities for all of our students. Our students are to be congratulated on how they strive to learn all they can, help their classmates learn and behave in a way that lets their teachers teach effectively.

Last week I had the pleasure of attending the NSW Western Region Secondary Principal's Conference. This was a great opportunity to speak with many other Principals from both Central and Secondary schools

As always I can be contacted at the school with any questions.

Deputy Principal News with Ms Parrotta



Has been an awesome week at Coolah Central School and I feel privileged to work here. The Cross Country and Colour Run on Thursday was a total success and it was so lovely to see so many students competing so well and enjoying the day. There were smiling faces everywhere.


NAPLAN has run smoothly and we have moved over to the online version with relative ease. We had a few

small technical glitches but none of the horror stories I have been hearing in the news. Miss George and Mrs Wesley oversaw its implementation and did a great job. The Skoolbag App is now being used by Coolah Central School and lots of parents have already come on-board. It is a terrific platform for getting school information out to parents and carers so if you haven't yet done so you should check it out.

Have a great week.

CCS Calendar of Events - Week 5B	
May Tues 28th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Schools Netball Cup - Primary - Dubbo Quiz Worx Puppet Show
Wed 29th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 16's Boys & Girls Touch - Dubbo
Thurs 30th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Boys & Girls Opens Touch - Dubbo
Fri 31st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Primary North West Touch

Canteen Weekly Specials




Thurs 23rd

Rissoles & Vegies

LUNCH SPECIAL

\$6



Tues 28th

Homemade Lasagne & Salad

Secondary Homework Centre

The Secondary Homework Centre will be operating at the following times in the Computer Room.

Mondays - 1.30pm to 2.00pm
Tuesdays - 1.30pm to 2.00pm
Wednesdays - 1.30pm to 2.00pm
Thursdays - 3.00pm to 5.00pm



SECONDARY SCHOOL ASSESSMENT/ASSIGNMENTS

Year 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Maths - completion of class exercises ◆ Bookwork up-to-date for all subjects ◆ Geography - Town Case Study due 10th June
Year 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Maths - Weekly Homework Booklet ◆ Bookwork up-to-date for all subjects
Year 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Maths (Green) - Weekly Homework Booklet ◆ Bookwork up-to-date for all subjects ◆ Food Technology—Food for Special Occasions, assessment checkpoints throughout term final due 11/6/2019
Year 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Maths (Green) - Weekly Homework Booklet ◆ Bookwork up-to-date for all subjects ◆ Food Technology—Food for Special Occasions, assessment checkpoints throughout term final due 11/6/2019
Year 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Advanced English – ‘Reading to Write’ folio - Discursive Task ◆ Maths - Complete class exercises ◆ Geography - SGP (ongoing; Final due 31st May) ◆ Bookwork up-to-date for all subjects ◆ SIT20416—Certificate II Kitchen Operations Term 2 Assessments, finish Cluster 2, Cluster 3 and on going Cluster 10
Year 12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Advanced English: TS Eliot Booklets—Last Day of Term ◆ PDHPE - ensuring all class work is up to date ◆ Biology— Practice exam type questions for handing in ◆ Bookwork up-to-date for all subjects ◆ IT Metals Major Project and Folio (ongoing, Due 15.8.2019) ◆ SIT20416—Certificate II Kitchen Operations Term 2 Assessments, finish Cluster 4, Cluster 5, Cluster 6 and on going Cluster 7, Cluster 10 ◆ Geography - Macquarie Marshes Fieldwork Booklet
<p>Can parents and guardians please check student diaries as there may be additional homework or teacher correspondence</p>	

Whole School Sport with Mrs Staniforth

Thank you to all students, staff, parents and community members for your efforts at Cross Country and Colour Explosion Run last Thursday. We were blessed with beautiful weather and plenty of Colour! Don't forget sponsorship forms are required to be in by 25th May so they can be sent and prizes redeemed prior to the end of term.

If any parents, grandparents or community members can spare a few hours this Friday to help out at the Zone Cross Country, please phone the front office on 6377 1101.

Good Luck to Hugh Wesley who heads to Sydney this week for State Rugby Union Trials.



**CCS Senior Debating Team
Vs
Dubbo Senior Campus.**



K-6 News

Reading Eggs!

All K-2 students will have reading eggs access and are encouraged to utilise this great tool at home! If you are finding that your student is looking for more than the activities on the original map, they could try the Eggspress Library and Story Writing Factory sections. To get into these sections; login in and choose the Reading Eggspress icon on the right hand side of the screen. Click on the 'My Lessons' section and complete the reading comprehension test so that the app can accurately and purposefully place your child into the lessons. The students can then further develop their comprehension from that level. If you have any questions or queries about the app or would like to know how it can work for you and your family, please don't hesitate to contact Mrs Simmons or Mrs Esdaile.

Congratulations to all of the students who competed in our Cross Country last Thursday. You should all feel very proud of yourselves on your fantastic effort. Well done also to everyone who participated in the Colour Run. There were lots of very colourful and excited participants at the end of this event. Thankyou to Mrs Staniforth for her organisation of the day's events and also a big thankyou to all parents, grandparents and friends who came and helped and/or supported the students on the day.

Primary Zone Cross Country is this Friday and all students who have qualified were given notes last Friday. Any parents/ friends who are able to help on a checkpoint from 11am—1.30pm, please call the front office to offer your assistance.

Last Friday Coolah hosted Zone Netball and Softball trials. Congratulations to Sienna, Tia, Gabi and Alice who were selected for North West Netball and to Brendon, Bonni and Alice who were selected for North West Softball. Notes will go out for these events this week.

Good luck to all students who will be representing Coonabarabran Zone at North West Southern Rugby Union trials this week.

This Wednesday K/1 have been invited to participate in the National Simultaneous Storytime which will be held at the Town Library. Each year Kindergarten children listen to the same story at the same time across Australia and this year we will be listening to "Macca the Alpaca".



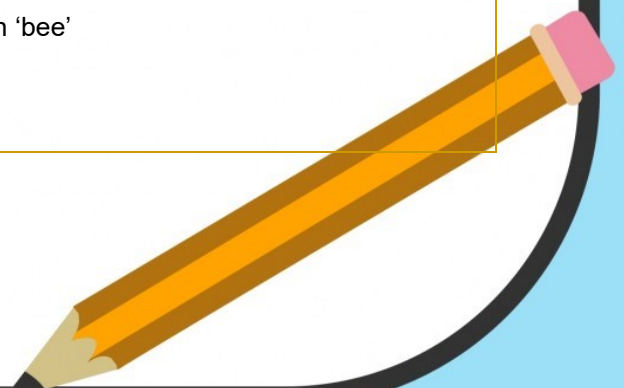
 *Music with Mr Ross' Class*



K-6 News

Homework and Assignments Due

Kindergarten/ Year 1	Homework Home reading Spelling	<p><u>Kindergarten</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Homework– unit 12 ◆ Home Reading– daily. As the readers are becoming more difficult, the children will now need to keep the same reader for two nights and we will change readers each Monday and Wednesday. ◆ Sight words– please write out the weekly sight words each night and learn. Don't forget to keep revising Term 1's sight words regularly as well. <p>◆ <u>Year 1</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Homework book– unit 13 ◆ Home Reading-daily ◆ Spelling-please write out the weekly words each night and learn.
Year 1/2	Homework Contract Spelling Home Readers	<p>Students are to complete homework contract 13 this week.</p> <p>Students are to write their words out each night in their homework spelling books.</p> <p>Students are to read each night and fill in their reading logs. Students can bring these in when they have reached the milestones to receive their reading certificates.</p>
Year 3	Spelling Homework Reading	<p>* Spelling sound this week is 'l' lizard and 'll' bell.</p> <p>* Contract 13 and is due by Friday.</p> <p>* Please read every night and remember to complete your nightly Home Reading Log and return it when you have reached your milestone.</p>
Year 4	Homework Spelling: Reading:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contract 15 Due Friday • 'l' as in 'lizard' and 'll' as in 'bell' • Please remember to read for 15-20 minutes each night.
Year 5/6O	Homework Spelling words 20 minutes of reading	<p>Contract 14 Spelling focus 'ee' as in 'bee'</p> <p>Daily</p>
Year 5/6W	Homework Spelling 20 minutes reading	<p>Contract 14 Spelling focus 'ee' as in 'bee' Daily</p> <p>Mrs Wesley will be on leave from Monday 20/5/19—Thursday 30/5/19</p>
Learning & Support	Homework Spelling words 15-20 minutes of reading	<p>Contract 14 Spelling focus 'ee' as in 'bee'</p> <p>Daily</p>



Year 12 Geography Macquarie Marshes Excursion



 **St Lawrence's Primary School Coonabarabran**

2019 HORSE SPORTS

**Thursday & Friday
29 & 30 August 2019**

**TWO DAY, SCHOOL HORSE SPORTS EVENT
KINDERGARTEN - YEAR 12**

Coonabarabran Showground
(Cheap Camping Available)

Events

- Cross Country
- Stockhorse
- Sporting
- Show Jumping
- Dressage
- School Team Events
- mpdraft & MORE

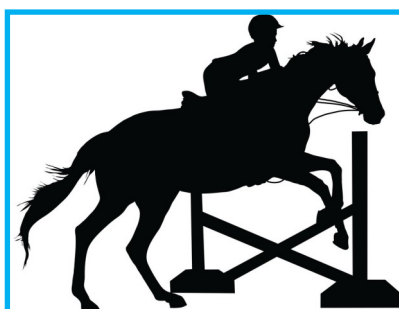
LOADS OF PRIZES

For more info:
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St Lawrence Primary School Coonabarabran Horse Sports 2019 Thursday 29th & Friday 30th August

St Lawrence Horse Sports will be held over two days on Thursday 29th and Friday 30th August 2019 at the Coonabarabran Showground.

This event is for students Kindergarten to Year 12. If you are interested in attending Please see Mrs Kerrie McMaster at the School Office to put your name down.

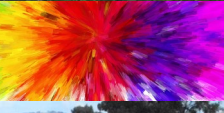


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How to Install The Skoolbag App

Instructions for parents installing Skoolbag.



For Apple Users

1. From your iPhone/iPad, click on the "Download on the App Store" button above or open the Apple App Store and search for "SkoolBag"
2. Download the free SkoolBag app
3. Opening the app, and add your school(s) and you're ready to go!

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1. From your Android device, ensure you have an account in the Google Play Store
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Secondary PBL Raffle Winners

Rosemarie Yr 8 - HSIE
Skyla Yr 8 - HSIE
Lachlan Yr 7 - Maths
Charlotte Yr 9 - Maths

Students receive a \$5.00 voucher to spend at the School Canteen.



Shop

Earn one sticker for every \$10* spent at Woolworths.

- ◆ Every student received a sticker book today.
- ◆ Between 1st May and 25th June 2019, collect as many stickers as you can.
- ◆ Stick them on the sticker sheets and bring them into the office. If you don't have a sticker book, you can always drop your stickers into the Earn and Learn box at the front office.



It's back!

Help make a difference for your local school or ELC



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School RUN4FUN COLOUR EXPLOSION

What an awesome day we had at the school Run4Fun Colour Explosion. Thank you to each and every one of you who supported the fundraiser - we couldn't have done it without you.

Now the exciting part - ordering your prizes. Students who raised \$10 or more will be entitled to a prize. You can mix and match your prizes if you raised \$20 or more. Please refer to page eight (8) of your Sponsorship Form for more details.

You have two options to order your prizes - either by completing and returning the back page of the Sponsorship Form to the Front Office or login or create a Profile Page at www.myprofilepage.com.au. You have 7 days from 25th May to order your prize.

The sooner we finalise the prize order the sooner the students will receive their prizes. Thanks again for your support.

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