



# COOLAH CENTRAL SCHOOL

Heart of the community ... Key to the world



## Newsletter:

**Tuesday 19th March 2019**  
**Week 8B - Term 1**

**150**  
YEARS

*Serving the Coolah Community*

1868-2018

### School Information

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#### Principal:

Winston Hughes

#### Relieving Deputy Principal:

Melissa Parrotta

#### Head Teachers:

Linda Milford  
Evelyn George

#### Assistant Principals:

Megan Wesley  
Kate Simmons

#### School Administration Manager:

Lenore Curtis

### Parents & Citizens Association

#### President:

Andrew Thomas

#### Vice President:

Kathy Rindfleish

#### Secretary:

Allison Mudford

#### Treasurer:

Lucinda Miller

P&C Meetings  
Third Tuesday  
each month  
@ 6.30pm  
CCS Staff Room

## BUSY START TO 2019 AT CCS



### CCS Calendar of Events - Week 8B

<b>Mon 18th</b>	♦ Secondary North West Rugby Trials
<b>Tues 19th</b>	♦ P&C Annual General Meeting
<b>Wed 20th</b>	♦ Moorambilla Workshop - Secondary ♦ Secondary Winter Trials - Gunnedah
<b>Thurs 21st</b>	♦ Moorambilla Workshop - Primary ♦ Peachy/Richardson Cup - Dunedoo
<b>Fri 22nd</b>	♦ Primary Zone Rugby League - Coona

*"The virtue is in the struggle not the prize"*





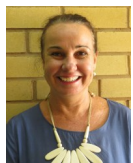
As the term progresses we are in the position of finalising our staffing arrangements. Congratulations to Ms Melissa Parrotta who has been successful in the merit selection process and has accepted the position of Deputy Principal of Coolah Central School. Ms Parrotta comes to us with extensive experience as a Primary teacher, special education teacher and librarian and has had Relieving Deputy Principal experience in multiple schools. She will be an asset to the school and community.

Mr Michael Beohm joins us as Hospitality Teacher. Mr Beohm has extensive industry and teaching experience. Thankyou to Miss Erin Bush who has been relieving in the position. Miss Bush will remain at Coolah Central School this year supporting students who require extra support with tutoring and will also cover classes for absent staff.

It was great to see so many parents and caregivers at the parent/teacher night last week. Especially rewarding was the feedback we received from parents with students who had opted-in to the Self Select classes for Stage 5 English and Mathematics. These student have made a commitment to their learning and are producing fantastic results, They are to be congratulated for their efforts. Opportunities for other students to make similar commitments to working at their best and joining these classes are available in Week 1 of each term. Students will need to work with their current Mathematics and/or English teacher who will help them to complete their applications.

As always I can be contacted at the school should you have any enquiries.

## Relieving Deputy Principal News with Ms Parrotta



Week 8 – I can't believe it the term is flying by. This week the P and C will hold their AGM followed by their normal monthly meeting. The P and C is an excellent way to play an active part in your student's education and they make a real difference to the opportunities that can be offered by the school. The P and C is a great way to

meet other parents and is a friendly supportive group. We understand that people are really busy and meetings are run in a timely manner. We would love to see some more people come along and get involved. Meetings are held the third Tuesday of each month at 6.30 in the school staffroom. I hope to see you there.

### CCS Calendar of Events - Week 9A

<b>March Tues 26th</b>	◆ Primary Zone Soccer ◆ School Photos
<b>Fri 29th</b>	◆ White Card Training ◆ Primary Zone Rugby League



Will, Ben & Noah, three of a team of students who represented CCS at Inverell Under 15's Touch Football last Friday.



Years 11 & 12 Sydney University Biology Day.

# K-6 News

Swimming for sport will continue each Friday while the weather is warm, so please keep sending swimmers, towel and sunscreen and pool entry money for those who do not have a season ticket.

This Thursday Mrs McMaster and Mrs O'Neill are taking a large number of students to Dunedoo for the David Peachey/Russell Richardson Rugby League Shield. Good luck to all students who are competing in this event. Please ensure all students are sent with a hat, sunscreen and extra water bottles, as it is going to be a hot day.

A huge congratulations to all students who attended the Terry McGoldrick Rugby 7's Carnival in Coonabarabran last week. Everyone showed such great sportsmanship and teamwork and we all had a fabulous day. Our Under 10's side dominated the non-competitive side and won all their games, putting them into the finals. With a draw in the finals, they were awarded the Terry McGoldrick Trophy for the Under 10's. The Under 12's side ended up 2nd in their pool and they were narrowly defeated in the finals. The Under 12's side will travel to Tamworth on the 11th of April for the Regional Rugby 7's final. A huge thanks to our coaches on the day; Nathan (Snow) Burgess, Hugh Wesley and Chris Kearney and a big thank you to all the parents and carers that helped to transport the kids over to Coona and cheered us on during the day.

Some date clashes that can not be avoided are as follows:

Thursday 21st March - David Peachey and Russell Richardson Gala Day is on the same day as Moorambilla Workshops.

Tuesday 26th March - School Photos are on the same day Primary Southern Zone Soccer. If you did not receive a photo note, please see the Front Office. Unfortunately these events are organised by outside agencies and their schedules are set.



**WWI History Performance**



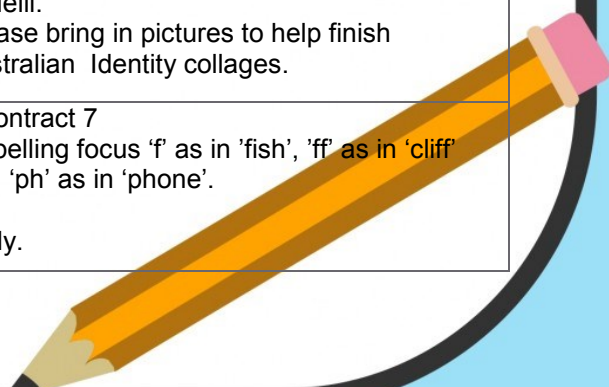
**Primary Rugby 7's Coonabarabran**



# K-6 News

## Homework and Assignments Due

Kindergarten/ Year 1	Homework Home reading Spelling	<p><b><u>Kindergarten</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>♦ Homework– unit 6</li> <li>♦ Home Reading– please practise reader daily and return each day.</li> <li>♦ Sight words– please have a go at writing out these words each night..</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Year 1</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>♦ Homework book– unit 7</li> <li>♦ Home Reading– please encourage your child to read each day for about 10 minutes (or more)</li> <li>♦ Spelling- please practise daily.</li> </ul>
Year 1/2	Homework Contract  Spelling  Home Readers	<p>Students are to complete homework contract 7 this week.</p> <p>Students are to write their words out each night.</p> <p>Students are to read each night and fill in there reading log.</p>
Year 3	Spelling  Homework Reading	<p>* Spelling sound this week is 'o' orange, and 'a' watch.</p> <p>* Contract 7.</p> <p>* Please read every night and remember to complete you nightly Home Reading Log and return it when you have reached your milestone.</p>
Year 4	<b>Homework</b>  <b>Spelling:</b> Please practice your words at home during the week. <b>Reading:</b> Please return Home Reading Log when you have reached your milestone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contract 8 Due Friday. Sound this week is 'f' fish, 'ff' cliff and 'ph' phone.</li> <li>• Please remember to read for 15-20 minutes each night.</li> </ul>
Year 5/6O	Homework Spelling words  5-20 minutes of reading  Year 5 Geography  Year 6 History	<p>* Contract 7</p> <p>Spelling focus 'f' as in 'fish', 'ff' as in 'cliff' and 'ph' as in 'phone'.</p> <p>Daily</p> <p>Research task is due April 3rd. Any questions please feel free to contact Mrs O'Neill.</p> <p>Please bring in pictures to help finish Australian Identity collages.</p>
Year 5/6W	Homework Spelling  20 minutes reading Year 5 Geography  Year 6 History	<p>* Contract 7</p> <p>* Spelling focus 'f' as in 'fish', 'ff' as in 'cliff' and 'ph' as in 'phone'.</p> <p>Daily</p> <p>Research task is due April 3rd. Any questions please feel free to contact Mrs O'Neill.</p> <p>Please bring in pictures to help finish Australian Identity collages.</p>
Learning & Support	Homework Spelling words  15-20 minutes of reading	<p>* Contract 7</p> <p>* Spelling focus 'f' as in 'fish', 'ff' as in 'cliff' and 'ph' as in 'phone'.</p> <p>Daily.</p>



# Congratulations!

**Secondary PBL  
Raffle Winners**

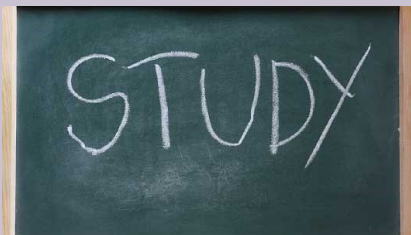
Stephanie Yr 12 - HSIE  
Madeline Yr 8 - LOTE  
Georgie Yr 8 - LOTE  
Jyeson Yr 7 - Maths

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

## 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**



**School Photos**  
**Tuesday 26th March**  
**Week 9**



## Canteen Weekly Specials




**Thurs 21st**

**Creamy  
Chicken Pasta**

**LUNCH  
SPECIAL**

**\$6**



**Tues 26th**

**Lasagne  
&  
Pop Top**



## LUNCH WALLETS

Reusable Lunch Order Bags!!



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**BINDING COLOURS  
AVAILABLE**

- \*Blue
- \*Pink
- \*Green
- \*Red
- \*Yellow
- \*Grey
- \*Purple
- \*Orange (Allergy Alert)

**PRICE:**  
**\$10**

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## SECONDARY SCHOOL ASSESSMENT/ASSIGNMENTS

<b>Year 7</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Maths - completion of class exercises</li> <li>◆ English - Weekly Homework Sheets (Due Mondays)</li> <li>◆ English - Film Techniques Test (Mon 1st April)</li> </ul>
<b>Year 8</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ History - Viking Shield Assessment (Due Week 10)</li> <li>◆ History - Homework Sheet (Due Mon/Week 9)</li> <li>◆ English - Novel study - Essay (Due 2/4) &amp; All chapter exercises up to date</li> <li>◆ Maths - Weekly Homework Booklet</li> <li>◆ Maths assignment due 5.4.2019</li> </ul>
<b>Year 9</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Maths (Green) - Weekly Homework Booklet</li> <li>◆ Maths (Green) assignment due 4.4.2019</li> <li>◆ English (Green) - Poetry Test (2/4) &amp; Revision of Language Features</li> <li>◆ English (Red) - Poetry Test 25/3</li> </ul>
<b>Year 10</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Maths (Green) - Weekly Homework Booklet</li> <li>◆ Maths (Green) assignment due 4.4.2019</li> <li>◆ English (Green) - Poetry Test (2/4) &amp; Revision of Language Features</li> <li>◆ English (Red)-Poetry Test 25/3</li> <li>◆ Science - Topic Test (Due 8th April)</li> <li>◆ Geography - Investigative Study Due 2nd April</li> </ul>
<b>Year 11</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Advanced English – ‘Reading to Write’ Assessment Task Due Week 10</li> <li>◆ Advanced English - Exercises on effective speeches</li> <li>◆ Maths - Complete class exercises</li> <li>◆ PDHPE - Assessment Task—Due 26th March 2019</li> <li>◆ Geography - SGP (ongoing; Final due 31st May)</li> <li>◆ English Studies – Work Report Due 29/3</li> </ul>
<b>Year 12</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ All class work to be up-to-date</li> <li>◆ Modern History: Assessment Task Due: 25th March 2019</li> <li>◆ Modern History - All booklets up-to-date</li> <li>◆ Advanced English: Review</li> <li>◆ Standard English - Mod. A Assessment Due 22/3</li> <li>◆ PDHPE - ensuring class work up to date.</li> <li>◆ Geography - Great Barrier Reef Case Study Due 21st March</li> </ul>
<b>Can parents and guardians please check students diaries as there may be additional homework or teacher correspondence</b>	



TAFE NSW Dunedoo is seeking expressions of interest to run a Statement of Attainment in Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA) course and a Statement of Attainment in Responsible Conduct of Gambling (RCG) course in Semester 1, 2019.

Held on separate days, the RSA course is a 1 day course costing \$165 and the RCG course is a 1 day course costing \$130.

These courses are a great local opportunity, particularly for some school students who have recently turned 18 or are turning 18 shortly and are looking to enter the workforce. School students can attend these particular courses at TAFE NSW Dunedoo as they are a commercial delivery.

For more information or to register your interest, please phone 02 6370 3300.

If you have any queries or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Amy Large

TAFE Services Coordinator

West Region – Customer and Stakeholder Relations

T 02 6370 3301 | M 0437 044 156 | F 02 6370 3303







**POPCORN**

by the

**PARK!**

A Family Movie evening will be held to support Jamiejon Leeson reaching Hong Kong in May and Korea in July. Jam will represent Australia playing Bocca and has been long listed for 2020 Paralympics in Tokyo.

*Leadville Hall*

*Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> March, 2019*

*Entry is \$10 per family.*

*Movie commences 7.30pm*

**Popcorn**

**Raffles**

**Popcorn**

**Ice blocks**

**Popcorn**

**Prizes**

**BBQ**

*commences 6.30pm*

*Adults may BYOG*

*Feel free to bring your own chair, blanket, pillow.*

*Oh and don't forget there will be **POPCORN***

**100 club**

**Popcorn**

**Lollies**

**Popcorn**

**Drinks**

**Popcorn**



COOLAH CENTRAL SCHOOL



1868 ~ 2018  
150th Anniversary



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity	Product	Cost	Reduced Prices	TOTAL
	Ties	<del>\$15.00</del>	\$7.50	
	Polo Shirt - (Circle Size and Colour)	<del>\$25.00</del>	\$12.50	
	X-small / S / M / L / XL / XXL			
	Red / White/ Black/ Navy / Bottle Green			
	Mug	<del>\$10.00</del>	\$5.00	
	Beer Glass	<del>\$10.00</del>	\$5.00	
	Wine Glass	<del>\$10.00</del>	\$5.00	
	Pen	<del>\$4.00</del>	\$2.00	
	Stubby Holder	<del>\$8.00</del>	\$4.00	
	Cap	<del>\$15.00</del>	\$7.50	
		TOTAL \$		

Available now from Coolah Central School

# COOLAH CENTRAL SCHOOL P & C ASSOCIATION

The P & C association is a group of volunteers from the parent body and wider community of the school who work together in supporting the school.

Money is raised by using the coffee van and attending catering events such as Zone & Regional Cross Country's, Music Festivals, Rodeo's, Campdraft's and other local events. The committee is always looking at new ways of raising money and all ideas are most welcome.

Over previous years the committee has raised money to subsidise the purchase of school textbooks and book packs, school extra-curricular activities such as school intensive swimming program, school excursions and some school infrastructure like play equipment and sports facilities. Over the years, this amount has been a total of more than \$66,000.

Our AGM is held in March of each school year. During the year, the P & C meets every third Tuesday of the month in the school term. The meetings are held in the school staffroom. All parents and citizens are encouraged to attend. However, you must be a financial member of the P & C to be able to vote at any meetings. Meeting times and dates are notified through the school newsletter.

Our current membership fee is \$2.00.

Thank you and we look forward to your support over your child/children's school years here at Coolah Central School.

Please tear off the form below and return to the school front office or an executive of the P & C Committee.

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## Coolah Central School P & C Association

**Binnia Street, COOLAH NSW 2843**

Phone: 6377 1101 Fax: 6377 1004

*President: Andrew Thomas*  
*Treasurer: Lucinda Miller*

*Secretary: Ali Mudford*  
*Vice President: Kathy Rindfleish*

### Membership Form

Please complete the details below and hand it to the front office or a member of the executive of the P & C along with your membership fee.

Name:.....

Address:.....

Phone:.....

.....

Membership Fee \$2.00 (cash only – please note this is P&C and not school related)

Thank you for becoming a member of Coolah Central School  
P & C Association.







# Coolah Central School School Canteen Menu

Term 1 – 2019

## Sandwiches/Rolls/Wraps/Bowls

(Sandwich \$4.50, Wrap \$4.50)

|                                                                              |        |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Chicken, Lettuce, Beetroot, Carrot, Tomato, Cheese<br>Cucumber & Mayo        |        |
| Ham, Lettuce, Beetroot, Carrot, Tomato, Cheese<br>Cucumber & Mayo            |        |
| Salad – Lettuce, Beetroot, Carrot, Tomato, Cheese<br>Cucumber & Mayo         |        |
| Chicken Tender Wrap Cheese & Lettuce                                         |        |
| Salad Bowl - Lettuce, Beetroot, Carrot,<br>Tomato, Cucumber, Cheese, Egg     | \$5.50 |
| Small Salad Cup - Lettuce, Beetroot,<br>Carrot, Tomato, Cucumber, Cheese     | \$2.00 |
| Meat/Salad Bowl - Lettuce, Beetroot, Egg<br>Carrot, Tomato, Cucumber, Cheese | \$6.00 |
| Egg Lettuce Sandwich                                                         | \$3.50 |
| Ham/Chicken/Corn Beef                                                        | \$3.00 |
| Turkey Cheese Avocado                                                        | \$3.00 |
| Egg                                                                          | \$3.00 |
| Vegemite                                                                     | \$2.00 |
| Cheese/Tomato                                                                | \$3.00 |
| (Extra fillings \$.30c) (Dressing \$.50c) (Toasted)                          |        |

## Hot Foods

|                                                             |        |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Chicken Wedges (2 per serve)                                | \$1.50 |
| Chicken Tenders/Sweet Chilli                                | \$2.00 |
| Pies                                                        | \$3.50 |
| Mini Pies                                                   | \$2.00 |
| Sausage Rolls                                               | \$3.00 |
| Beef Lasagne                                                | \$5.00 |
| Soup of the Day (Mon, Wed, Fri)<br>(Served with Bread Roll) | \$4.00 |
| (Chicken/Plain Salt free) (Sauce \$.30c)                    |        |

## Lunch Special

**Tuesday & Thursday**

Keep an eye out in the school's newsletter every

Tuesday for details

## Drinks

|                |     |        |
|----------------|-----|--------|
| Milkshake      | med | \$2.00 |
|                | lge | \$3.00 |
| Flavoured Milk | sml | \$2.00 |
|                | lge | \$3.50 |
| Fruit Juice    | sml | \$2.00 |
|                | lge | \$3.50 |
| Slush Puppie   |     | \$2.00 |
| Water          |     | \$2.00 |
| Cans           |     | \$2.50 |
| Poppers        |     | \$1.50 |
| Hot Chocolate  |     | \$2.00 |



## Snacks

|                                                                 |        |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Pikelets (Freshly made, 2 per serve)<br>(Toppings extra \$1.00) | \$1.00 |
| Potato Chips/JJ'S Chicken                                       | \$1.50 |
| Muffins (Freshly made)                                          | \$2.00 |
| Fruit Salad Bowl                                                | \$4.00 |
| Small Fruit Salad Cup                                           | \$2.00 |
| Frozen Yoghurt                                                  | \$2.00 |
| Calippo                                                         | \$1.00 |
| Paddlepops                                                      | \$1.50 |
| Paddlepop Twists                                                | \$1.00 |
| Yoghurt Frogs                                                   | .20c   |
| Ovaltines                                                       | \$1.00 |
| Popcorn                                                         | .50c   |

We offer homemade, tasty, nutritious meals and snacks in accordance with NSW Healthy Schools Canteen Strategy 2017. Recipes, suppliers and methods are available on request. All feedback and suggestions are welcome. Come and see us or email [coolahcentralschoolpandc@gmail.com](mailto:coolahcentralschoolpandc@gmail.com)

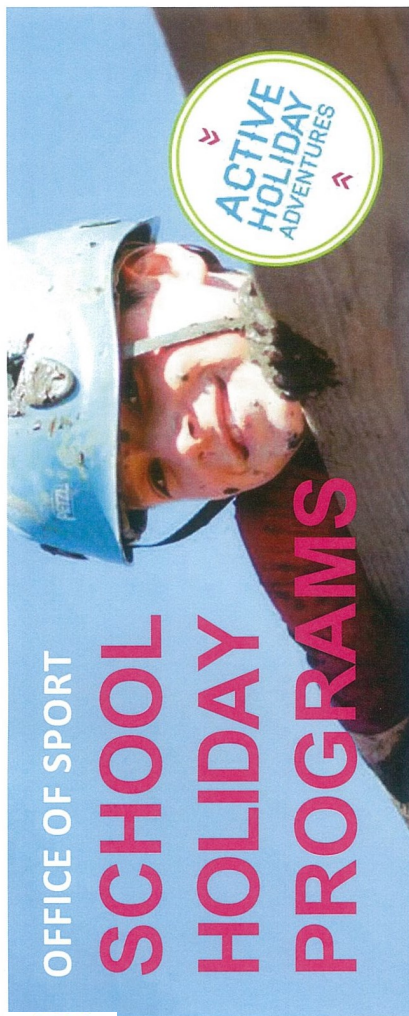




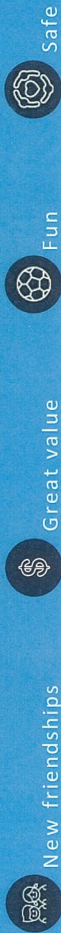


OFFICE OF SPORT

# SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS



Have an active holiday adventure at our exciting Lake Keepit residential camp these Autumn 2019 school holidays!



## BOOKINGS NOW OPEN!

For the best holiday fun, our popular residential camps get the kids outdoors, learning new skills and making new friends. Our residential programs include:

- 24 hour supervision
- Instructor led activities
- Accommodation
- Meals

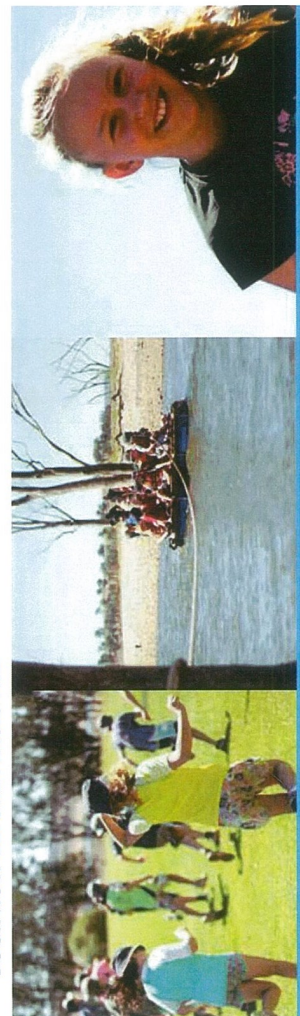
DON'T MISS OUT  
BOOK NOW BEFORE PLACES FILL

Lake Keepit  
residential program  
for Autumn 2019

**ADVENTURER**

15 – 18 April

Cost: \$262



For further information phone the Office of Sport on 13 13 02 or book online at [sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au/schoolholidays](http://sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au/schoolholidays)

# AGM

Annual General Meeting



Dear Parents, Carers, School Staff & Citizens

**Tuesday 19th March is the AGM for Coolah Central School P and C**

(Parents and Citizen's Association)

6.30pm

Coolah Central School

Last year was a fantastic year for this committee, having achieved some great improvements for our school and organised many community events. These events that raise money for our school cannot be organised and run without amazing parents. Parents who give up a little and a lot of their time to grow our school community. We would love to see you join our small committee and contribute to our school. **Joining the P&C is a great way to get involved in your school community, keep up-to-date with what's happening at the school, contribute to your child's education and make new friends.**

The P&C Association is a group of volunteers working together to improve the facilities and opportunities available at Coolah Central School sc. By participating in the P&C, you are supporting the school community. In return, you will be supported by the school community to learn new skills and take on new responsibilities. Our meetings run on the 3rd Tuesday of each month.

*The AGM will run immediately before the March 2019 general meeting*

**ALL positions are declared vacant.**

The positions are:

- President
- Vice-President
- Secretary
- Treasurer



Please note that the P&C DO NOT have any involvement in the operation of the school.

**Our role is to build community and raise monies for items needed by our school.**

**2019 Membership is now due**

**We look forward to seeing you at our AGM on the 19th March 2019**

6.30pm





**WHERE:**

**COOLAH  
CENTRAL  
SCHOOL**

**WHEN:**

**TUESDAY 26<sup>TH</sup>  
MARCH  
1:00PM-3:00PM**

**FREE PARENT SESSION  
HOW CAN WE HELP  
OUR KIDS WITH BIG  
EMOTIONS AND  
SURVIVE?**

**The Getting on Track in Time (Got-It!) Team invites parents  
to the second information session held at Coolah Central  
School.**

**This session outlines tips for all parents to build their child's  
social, emotional and interaction skills.**

**ALL COOLAH CENTRAL SCHOOL PARENTS  
ARE VERY WELCOME!!!**

**IF YOU HAVE  
ANY  
QUESTIONS,  
PLEASE**

**CONTACT THE  
GOT IT TEAM ON  
63698067 OR  
SCHOOL ON  
636771101**





# Quirindi Horse Sports

## Expressions of Interest

Quirindi Horse Sports will be held on Friday 24th May 2019. Entry forms will be available in two weeks time. If you are interested in attending this event please see Mrs McMaster at the School office to put your name down. You must be turning eight this year to be eligible to compete.

**Note: This date clashes with Primary Zone Cross Country.**

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photography & print specialists

Coolah Central School

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE TAKEN ON:  
**Tuesday 26 March 2019**

ORDER NOW go to [www.advancedlife.com.au](http://www.advancedlife.com.au) and enter the code  
**4WN 99Z L66**

Dear Parents,

School photographs are scheduled to be taken by **advancedlife**. Whilst an envelope and flyer will be distributed shortly, if possible it is our preference that ordering be completed online to reduce administration and potential security issues related to the return of cash and envelopes on photo day.

Orders for packages and sibling photographs can be placed securely online at [www.advancedlife.com.au](http://www.advancedlife.com.au) using our school's unique 9 digit **advancedorder** code. Portrait and group package orders are due by photography day.

Should you wish to purchase a sibling photograph online, the order must be placed no later than the day before photography day. Sibling photographs will only be taken if an order has been placed.

Should you have any queries concerning school photographs or online ordering, please direct them via email to [enquiries@advancedlife.com.au](mailto:enquiries@advancedlife.com.au)



## Australian History Competition

### Year 7 - Year 12

Fee: \$6.00 per student

Entries Close: 1st April 2019

Sitting Date: 5th June 2019

Name:.....

Year:.....

Total enclosed:.....

Parent/Guardian's Signature.....

Date:.....

