

CAWDOR PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Week 2, Term 4 2019

21 October 2019

P & C MEETING

TODAY

3.20PM IN THE ECHIDNAS CLASSROOM ALL WELCOME



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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Welcome back to Term 4 and what a huge term it is going to be.

The Stage 3 students will be attending the postponed Jervis Bay Marine Camp excursion and Stage 2 will be attending Woogelmai camp and there will be a lot of other opportunities for the students' achievements to be celebrated.

I am appealing to parents and caregivers to help us out concerning the safety of our students in 2 major areas.

: we are unable to heat food up or add hot water to foods such as instant noodles. We have had many instances where children are bringing up their food to be heated. Small containers which retain heated food can be purchased at reasonable cost at Big W/KMart etc. It is a Work, Health and Safety ruling that we are unable to heat children's food.

: please exercise extreme caution when using the Church carpark. Mrs Hillier and I have witnessed some cars travelling in a manner which exceeds what is safe. We have had to put up extra star pickets so the children are kept safe due to some parents parking in front of the church door.

We have until the 25th October to complete the "Tell Them From Me" survey. Can I please ask families who have not completed it to do so by this date. It gives us valuable information and feedback and helps me to direct the school in a positive direction.

To complete the survey, log on to

www.tellthemfromme.com/cawdorps.

The survey is 100% private and anonymous, and I look forward to your responses.

Yours in Education

Leanne Patterson

P & C News

We had a fantastic day at the **Bunnings BBQ** where we cooked around 1000 sausages and raised approx \$1500!!

A huge thank you to our helpers on the day and for the donations which were sent in.





Our Colour Fun Run is happening next week on Friday 1 November, so keep getting your sponsors organised—there are GREAT prizes for everyone who raises \$10 or more. If you need another Sponsorship Form booklet please see Mrs Hillier in the office.

The Fun Run afternoon will begin at 1pm with a sausage sizzle/poppa juice lunch combo available at \$3 each—there is no need to pre-order.



After lunch the colour fun begins. There will be various powder stations throughout the course for those students who would like to be sprayed with colour powder, students who DO NOT want to be sprayed will run in the NO COLOUR races.

Please note: Students travelling home by bus will need to bring a change of clothes or something to sit on in the bus so as not to mark the bus seats.

Rachelle Parker, President P&C

Cobbitty Village Markets

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Cobbitty Village Market is a vibrant well-known country-style craft market that has been run by local community volunteers since May 1982. It provides **quality unique crafts and produce**, drawing large crowds of visitors from local and wider Sydney/NSW areas. As a non-profit organization, the market also functions as an important local fundraiser, typically raising \$40-50,000 each year that is distributed to local community groups, charities, and the disadvantaged.

The markets are held on **Cobbitty Public School grounds** on the **first Saturday of each month** except for January and February, and are **open to the public from 8am-1pm**. There are a large variety of stalls providing predominantly homemade art and craft, delicious foods and beverages to take home or eat at the market; some of which are provided by local groups including Lion's club, School P&C, and Scouts, for their own fund-raising. There is also entertainment, including local bands and groups. There is parking for 1,000 cars behind the school/along Cobbitty Road. **We warmly welcome** all visitors to our market, and encourage anyone **interested in joining our volunteer market committee** to contact us.

ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK THURSDAY 2PM: POSSUMS

SAFETY IN THE CARPARK

Please remember to always:

- Keep speed limit to 20 km/h
- Reverse park
- Parents of students K-2 are asked to collect their children at the school gate

STUDENT RECESS & LUNCH

Please do not send food to school with your child for recess or lunch that requires staff to heat/prepare. For Health and Safety reasons we are unable to microwave foods or prepare foods that require boiling water to be added.

Thank you for your understanding of this important health issue.

CANTEEN NEWS

OPEN MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY
DURING TERMS 1 AND 4
FOR RECESS AND LUNCH ORDERS, COLD
DRINKS AND ICE BLOCKS

PLEASE NOTE:

FRIDAY LUNCH ORDERS: SANDWICHES ONLY

COUNTDOWN TO KINDER

Orientation Day:

Thursday 24 October 11am—1pm

Class Visits:

Thursday 31 October 9-11am Thursday 7 November 9-11am Thursday 14 November 9-11am



ATTACHMENTS:

- Classroom Buzz
- Term 4 Calendar
- Rotary Christmas Carols—Choir EOI
- Jervis Bay excursion years 5 and 6

Our school's policy is

"No hat, play in the shade."

Please ensure that your child wears their **school hat** each day. As protection from the sun, students without hats will be asked to play under the COLA at recess and lunch time.

Please encourage your child to wear the school hat. New hats can be purchased from the Uniform Shop on Monday mornings or from the school office at any time.

> Brimhats—\$12 Cawdor cap—\$ 18

Star Students

Congratulations to the recipients of the following awards:

Values:

Possums— Alexis

Wallabies— Natasha

Echidnas— Mataya

Koalas— Andrew



Writer's Award:

Victor (Possums class)

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DATES TO REMEMBER



Week 2

Mon 21 Oct Responsible Pet Program K-2

Thu 24 Oct Kinder Orientation 11am

2.00pm Assembly: Possums class

Fri 25 Oct World Teachers Day 2019

Week 3

Wed 30 Oct Sporting Schools: Orienteering K-2

Thu 31 Oct Kinder Transition 9—11am

Fri 1 Nov Colour Fun Run

Week 4

Wed 6 Nov **9am Assembly**: Wallabies class

Thu 7 Nov Kinder Transition 9—11am