

# CAWDOR PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Week 6, Term 4 2019

18 November 2019



### FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

**Dear Parents and Carers** 

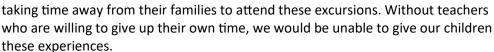
We have some very exciting news.

We have 2 new permanent teachers who have been appointed to our school. We are so lucky to have Ashley Forbes and Lisa Lewit appointed permanently, starting in 2020. Our staffing has now been set and I am now in the process of organising our classes for next year.

Stage 3 are off to Jervis Bay Marine Studies Camp this week. Tuesday they are in the pool and on Wednesday they travel to Jervis Bay where they set up camp and snorkel in the waters around Jervis Bay. I have been on this camp numerous times and it is an adventure and experience that the students will treasure forever. The students will return to school on Thursday before 3.00pm.

We also have Stage 2 off on an overnight excursion to Woogelmai. There they will study the wildlife of the local area and participate in some fun outdoor activities.

I would like to pass on a huge thank you to Mrs Sitkowski, Mrs Kidd and Mrs Lewit who are



You may have noticed that things are happening in the Possums classroom. The back wall is currently being replaced and the class should be back in by the end of

At times it is necessary to make **changes to the term calendar**. There have been several changes to the Term 4 calendar, please keep up-to-date by reading the calendar updates published on the back of every newsletter.

And finally, a thank you to the Cawdor Community from our Year 6 students. Your support for their fundraising ventures has been outstanding. Today we have a fun "Bubbles Day". On the day of the Fun Sports Day, they will be selling cakes.

Yours in Education

next week.

Leanne Patterson

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### Fun Sports day

The Fun Sports day will be held on Wednesday 27 November, starting at 1.00pm. All students are asked to wear colours of their sports house (Rosellas: green and white; Robins: red and white; Magpies: black and white). The children could also bring streamers, mascots and banners to support their house. Hats are essential.

1.00pm LUNCH

1.30pm Opening ceremony

March past

House chant competition

Age races + parents race

Boat races

Presentation to winning house





Parents and pre-schoolers are welcome to come along from 1.00pm to cheer on the children during the events and to have lunch with the children. There will also be a race for preschoolers.

Families wishing to order lunch from the canteen please put orders into the canteen before 9am. The Year 6 students will be selling cakes (from 50c) and softdrinks (\$1) as part of their fundraising activities.

### YEAR 6 STUDENTS AND PARENTS

Camden High School Orientation Day is on **Tuesday 3 December** for year 6 students enrolled at Camden High School in 2020 and their parents. Full details were sent home via your child in the Camden High School Information Packs.

#### 2019 PRESENTATION NIGHT

Date: Thursday 12 December

Time: Students need to arrive at 6.15 pm ready to start at

6.30 pm sharp

Venue: Camden High School gymnasium

Students' Dress: Smart casual (no thongs please)

Agenda: Speeches and presentation of Awards

Performance by Kindergarten

Supper (Families of students in Yrs 3-6 are asked to bring a plate of food

for supper)

The Presentation Night is a celebration of all the achievements in 2019. It is an occasion where we recognise each child's progress and contributions to the school so we encourage all children and their families to attend. We hope you are able to join us.

The P&C are having a sausage sizzle dinner, commencing at 6pm. Attached is a PRE-ORDER FORM to assist with catering.





The following positions are filled by nominations and vote each year:

President
Two Vice Presidents
Secretary
Treasurer P&C and Canteen
Canteen Managing Supervisor
Canteen Assistant Supervisor
Canteen rostering clerk
Canteen purchasing clerk

Canteen supervisors (both Managing and Assistant) may also take on the position of rostering clerk and purchasing clerk.

The AGM will be Monday 2 December, when all these positions will become vacant. Our outgoing Committee will be on hand to give you details of what the position entails. Please consider nominating for one of the positions—we have had wonderful support of our past P&C Committee members.

### YEAR 6 FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES

The year 6 students have planned some activities to raise money for their end of year gift to the school.

Wednesday 27 November—Cake Day Friday 13 December—Lunchtime Fair

### Wollondilly North Rotary Christmas Carols Night

Remember to send in your note if your child/children will be able to take part in the Rotary Christmas Carols choir on Friday 13 December, 2019. Children have begun learning the songs.



LAST DAY FOR STUDENT BANKING THURSDAY 12 DECEMBER

### Library News

# Last day for borrowing THURSDAY 28 NOVEMBER

**NOW IS THE TIME TO SEARCH FOR ALL LIBRARY BOOKS** so look under beds, in toyboxes, and everywhere that books like to hide and get them back to school as soon as possible.

# All books to be returned by THURSDAY 5 DECEMBER



#### ATTACHMENTS:

- P&C Presentation Night BBQ preorder form
- P&C AGM nomination form
- Primary Music Institute students note

## 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 New bucket hat \$11 Cawdor cap—\$ 18 LIMITED STOCK

### **Star Students**

Congratulations to the recipients of the following awards:

#### Values:

Possums— Heath

Wallabies— Jonty

Echidnas— Gus

Koalas— Drew



#### Writer's Award:

Sydney, Year 3

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# DATES TO REMEMBER



Week 6

Mon 18 Nov 9am Assembly: Echidnas

Year 6 fundraiser—Bubble Day

Tue 19—Thu 21 Nov Years 5 and 6 Jervis Bay excursion Thu 21-Fri 22 Nov

Years 3 and 4 Wooglemai excursion



Week 7

Tue 26 Nov 12.30pm Combined Scripture

Wed 27 Nov Sports Fun Day and Year 6 fundraising—Cake Day

Week 8

Mon 2 Dec P&C Meeting and AGM 3.20pm Tue 3 Dec High School Orientation Day Wed 4 Dec 9.00am Assembly: Koalas

Thu 5 Dec Year 6 Farewell

Fri 6 Dec Rotary Christmas Concert