



Coolamon Central School Newsletter

WEEK 10 TERM 2 2022

BE RESPONSIBLE

BE RESPECTFUL

BE READY TO LEARN

TERM TWO

JULY

- 1 Playgroup @ CCS Hall
Primary Assembly

FINAL DAY TERM TWO

TERM THREE

JULY

- 18 Staff Development Day
19 Students return
25-29 Footsteps Dance K-6
27 Write a Book in a Day
28 Science & Engineering Day @ Wagga
29 Year 6 Science & Discovery Day

AUGUST

- 2 Kinder 100 Days of School
5 Secondary Assembly
12 Primary Assembly
19 Secondary Assembly
22-26 HSC Trial Exams
24 Book Week Parade K-6
26 Primary Assembly

SEPTEMBER

- 2 Secondary Assembly

from The Principal

Congratulations to Mrs Sparkes-Carroll and her team of Year 5/6 students. This is part of the community recognition statement that was read in parliament last Wednesday by Ms STEPH COOKE (Cootamundra—Minister for Emergency Services and Resilience, and Minister for Flood Recovery).



“Mr Speaker, I take this opportunity to extend a huge congratulations to eight students in years 5 and 6 from Coolamon Central School who came runner-up in the Da Vinci Decathlon hosted by the Riverina Anglican College in Wagga recently. The Da Vinci Decathlon saw Bella Bond, Aaliyah Coleman, Imogen Crocker, Reagan Crocker, Cooper Graham, Lachlan Johnstone, Denzel King and Emelia Quinn compete in 10 disciplinary subjects of engineering, mathematics, code breaking, art and poetry, science, English, ideation, creative producers, cartography, and legacy.”

All parents and carers have been sent information regarding the payment of the schools voluntary fees and compulsory high school elective fees. If you are having difficulty with the elective fees, please contact the school regarding assistance. Families that pay their school and elective fees by the end of this term, Friday 1st July, will go into a prize draw as detailed on page six of the newsletter.

As you are aware the NSW Teachers Federation voted to hold state-wide industrial action in the form of a 24-hour strike on Thursday 30th of June. While our school will be open, we will only be providing minimal supervision of students on this day.

Jorja and Pippa Clarkson, Jessica Rudder and Matthew Sladden have returned from an exciting two weeks at Stewart House in Sydney.

If you require extended leave for a vacation please contact the office for the appropriate forms prior to the event and for approval.

Again, I would like to thank all students, parents/carers and staff for their cooperation throughout this very difficult term. I hope that after a well-earned break we can all come back healthy and refreshed. School resumes on Tuesday 19th July as Monday is a pupil free Staff Development Day.

Under 16s Netball



Our under 16s Southern Zone Netball team played in Leeton on Thursday 9th June. Our first game against Balranald was tougher than the girls had expected leading to us losing the game 19-10. The girls headed into the second game against Tooleybuc with determination which saw us taking a 13-10 win. The third and final game against The Rock was our best game of the day; the girls switched into game mode and played exceptionally well together. We came away with a 15-4 win. The CCS U16s team came second overall for the day which now takes us to the next stage in Dubbo.



A big congratulations to Mrs Maddox for her NSW All Schools touch football gold medal! Mrs Maddox was a part of the coaching staff who guided NSWCHS to the gold medal earlier this month, with 8/14 players from her side being selected into the NSW team to contend at the Australian Championships. Mrs Maddox was selected into her position within the team after coaching and convening at Riverina Touch Football level.



CCS Playgroup

On Friday 1st July we will be holding our final playgroup for the term. The Hospitality students will be offering café style hot drinks to parents while their children enjoy playgroup.

Mrs White will also be available to take parents on a tour of the school while their children are in playgroup. If you would like a tour of the school at this time can you please book through the front office on 6927 3209.



School Captains Sydney Visit

School Captains Bethany Crocker and Summer Buchegger were fortunate to travel to Sydney for a Leadership Program.

The Parliament of NSW and Government House jointly provide this civics and citizenship program for Year 12 captains and student leaders from all NSW secondary schools. It gives the student leaders the opportunity to develop their knowledge of our system of government and parliamentary proceedings and meet with Members of Parliament and the Governor, Her Excellency The Honourable Margaret Beazley AO QC.

The girls were introduced to the NSW Parliament and viewed the Legislative Assembly at Parliament House before walking to Government House to enjoy lunch and a guided tour.

What a great opportunity for our leaders.



Public Speaking

These students are participants in this year's NSW Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition. We had the pleasure of listening to their prepared speeches. Which two students will be selected to compete at the state level?



Chess Club

Students have been escaping the cold weather and attending chess club. All ages and skill levels have been welcome. Students have been learning how the pieces move, playing friendly matches, learning from others and upskilling with strategies from chess.com.

Alex Raine, Josh Cork, Lenny Stone and Baxter Graham are to be recognised for their efforts in playing in the Secondary Schools Chess competition against Wagga Wagga High School. They may not have won the round, however, they represented CCS with pride. The concentration and intensity was also impressive!

A shout out to Wyatt Mitcherson and Declan Johnstone who consistently help out and mentor primary students when they need a hand.





Pay your 2022 School Contributions and Elective Fees and WIN

Your Family School fees were recently sent by mail. While the course fee for your child's scholastic year is voluntary, elective fees are compulsory and are used to buy consumables for these subjects.

If you are experiencing difficulty paying your elective fees please contact the school.

Preferred payment options include Eftpos via the front office or via the \$ Make a Payment tab on the school website. Please pay your contributions as soon as possible to allow the school to continue with important educational programs in 2022.

Families who pay their fees by the end of Week 10, Friday 1st July, will go into a draw to win one of the following eight Voucher prizes from local businesses.

\$100	Foodworks
\$100	Coolamon Butchery
\$50	Rustic Pantry
\$50	Station Collective
\$50	Coolamon Perk
\$50	Coolamon Newsagency
\$50	Steel Supplies
\$50	Coolamon Pharmacy

GOOD LUCK !

From the Office

Just a friendly reminder that all online parent portal payments, cash and Eftpos payments be made at least **two business days** before any event.

Include the receipt number on your child's permission note if you are paying via the school website online portal. This must be included unless prior arrangements have been made with the office. Please be aware that notes without receipt numbers will not be accepted and will be handed back to your child.

Notes involving payment will have a "Final date for Payment", which will take into account the time needed for office staff to process all payments.

If you have any difficulties with payments, please contact our Principal Mr John Beer or the Administration/Business Manager Mrs Cath Roberts on 69273209.

NSW Premier's Debating Challenge

On Tuesday 7th June, the two Coolamon debate teams, Lightning and Thunder, travelled to Leeton with Miss Barker to contest the first round of the Years 5 & 6 Premier's Debating Challenge. The first team, CCS Thunder, comprising of Fletcher Wilson, Aaliyah Coleman, Annabelle Cork and Lachlan Johnstone, won both of their debates against Parkview and Leeton Public School.

The topic of the first debate was *That parents should have their Year 6 children babysit younger siblings*. The topic of the second debate was *That parents should only let kids have screentime if they're watching with friends and family*. The team performed well and remain undefeated in the competition.

The second team, CCS Lightning, comprising of Sarah Dyason, Matilda Munro, Imogen Crocker, Olive Walker and Joseph Dillon won one of their two debates. The first topic was *That schools should give Year 5 & 6 students a weekly test about what has been in the news*, followed by *That schools should teach Year 5 & 6 students life skills like cooking, cleaning, sewing and how to fix things*.

Students were lucky enough to have Anthony Davey as their adjudicator for all their debates (Head of Debating and Public Speaking Support in NSW). Students received constructive feedback and had the opportunity to develop skills for rebuttals and how to structure their arguments. On the way home, students were treated to some lollies and chocolates for all their efforts. We are looking forward to hearing the final results of the round.





'LINKS TO SUPPORT'

Family Workers in Schools are here to provide greater access to service in your local community. **Family Workers in Schools** aim to assist families to link into various support services which may include;

- Housing and accommodation
- Financial assistance
- Parenting
- Drug and alcohol support
- Domestic violence
- Youth support
- Health
- Counselling and mediation
- Mental health
- Cultural support
- Health and wellbeing

CCS will host Louise - Family Worker on Mondays between 9am – 3pm.

If you would like to get in contact with Louise phone 0408 401 783 or 1300 307 897, visit the school or drop into the office located at 36-40 Gurwood St Wagga Wagga.



Relationships Australia Canberra and Region Inc acknowledges the Traditional Owners of country throughout Australia and their continuing connection to land sea and community. We pay our respect to them and their cultures and to the Elders both past and present.

School Age- Tennis Comp

22nd July-25th September 2022(Third Term)

Fridays-3.30-5.30pm

REDGRAVE PARK TENNIS CLUB COOLAMON

\$5 PER CHILD-AFTERNOON TEA PROVIDED

REQUIREMENT- PLAYERS NEED TO BE ABLE TO SERVE, VOLLEY AND SCORE

REGISTRATION- wenali@gmail.com OR PHONE 0431518356



Open Day 2022

Your story begins here!

At Open Day, you'll be inspired by our academics, explore our industry-standard facilities and chat to current students about what Charles Sturt is really like.

Albury-Wodonga	Sunday 21 August
Bathurst	Sunday 28 August
Dubbo	Sunday 11 September
Orange	Sunday 4 September
Port Macquarie	Sunday 7 August
Wagga Wagga	Sunday 14 August



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→ csu.edu.au/openday

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Coolamon Shire Council

2 pages
of fun!

Winter School Holiday Program 2022

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Regional
NSW



Week 1

Tuesday, 5th July

PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP

Intro to DSLR Camera. Students get hands-on experience with a photographic Treasure Hunt



10am - 12pm - Morning Session
primary kids 8-12 years
Free
Bookings essential 6927 2492

PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP

Hands on intro to DSLR photography & creative lighting. Students get hands-on experience with digital SLR cameras & a pic to take home.



1pm - 4pm - Afternoon Session
ages 12 - 25 years
Free
Bookings essential 6927 2492

Wednesday, 6th July

CREATE FRUIT ANIMALS

10:30am
\$5.00 per person
@ Coolamon Library
Bookings essential
6927 2492



Thursday, 7th July

CRAZY FACE BISCUITS

10:30am
\$5.00 per person
@ Coolamon Library
Bookings essential
6927 2492



Friday 8th July



NAIDOC PAINTING WORKSHOP

Celebrate Naidoc Week - Create your own masterpiece - painting bush animal tracks.

Cost is FREE, 2.00pm - 4.00pm @UTDS
Ages 8 - 25 years

Bookings phone Anna - 0412533171

Week 2

Monday 11th July

EARRING & HAIRCLIP WORKSHOP

Make your own pair of earrings and matching clip



10.30am - 12.30pm
cost FREE
phone Anna - 0412533171

Tuesday 12th July

FREEROAM THEATRE IMPROV AND ACTING WORKSHOP

Join Freeroam in this fun & interactive workshop, Ages 8 years +

10.00am - 4.00pm
Light lunch provided

Bookings essential - 69272492

Wednesday 13th July

PET ROCKS

Make your own Pet Rocks

Cost \$5.00, 10.30am

Primary aged



Bookings essential - 69272492

Thursday 14th July

POM POM POCKET PALS

Create your own Pom Pom Pals

10.30am, cost \$5.00

Primary aged



Bookings essential - 69272492

Friday 15th July

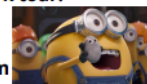
JOIN US AT THE MOVIES AND ZOO EXCURSION - ITS FREE

Watch the new movie "Minions: The Rise of Gru", visiting Forum6 Cinemas, then enjoy a picnic lunch at the Botanical Gardens followed by a Zoo and Aviary Park tour.

Ages 8 and over - to book phone the Coolamon Library - 69272492.

Lunch provided - bring snacks for movies or own money. Bookings Essential

Bus will leave from the Library 9.15am, arriving back at approx 3.30pm



Community News

Coolamon Town Library

Storytime 2022

Our next Storytime will be held this Friday, 1st July @ 10.30am – theme “Caterpillar to Butterfly”. Come and join us – new families are most welcome. Please note Storytime will not be held during the school holidays.

School Holiday Program

The Library is offering lots of activities for children over the school holidays. Some of the workshops include: Photography workshop, crazy face biscuits, Naidoc Painting workshop and a Movie and Zoo excursion to Wagga. The program can be found on our Library facebook page, on the council website or at the Library. For Further information phone the Library – 69272492.

Save Power Kits

Save Power Kits are available to borrow for free from the Coolamon Library. The Save Power Kits can show you what appliances are using the most power in your home. It also gives easy steps you can take to save money, power and reduce your impact on the environment.

Baby Bounce

Our next Baby Bounce will take place Thursday, 30th June @ 10.30am. Baby Bounce is a 30 minute early literacy program designed to help very young children to explore language. This is done by everyone joining in and learning an array of simple stories, rhymes and songs.

Delivery Services

Our home delivery service is still available - the library will deliver every Friday morning. Please contact the Library for further details – 69272492.



WOMEN'S HEALTH NURSE

IS VISITING
COOLAMON

Thursday 7th JULY 2022

Coolamon Community Health Centre



Art by Natalie William and Commissioned for the MLHD Women's Health Nurses

ALL WOMEN WELCOME

To make an appointment

PLEASE RING Centralised Intake Service on
1800 654 324



RSA & RCG COURSES

SITHFAB002 Provide responsible service of alcohol (RSA)
SATURDAY 9th JULY 2022

Looking for work in a bar, pub or club? Then, you will need an RSA.

This one day course will teach you the knowledge and regulations about alcohol consumption within NSW and the responsible practices that must be undertaken wherever alcohol is sold or served.

SITHGAM001 Provide responsible gambling services (RCG)
SUNDAY 10th JULY 2022

Looking for work where there are gaming machines? Or do your work duties involve gaming machines? You will need RCG training.

In this one day course, you will learn the skills and knowledge required to work within a venue where there are gaming machines. Topics within this course include, problem gambling, gambling laws and much more.

Fee is fully sponsored by Coolamon Shire Council for young people who reside in the Coolamon Shire aged up to 25 years of age

Courses are held at Coolamon Sport & Recreational Club
9:30am to 4:30pm

Upon successful completion of either RSA or RCG, you will receive a nationally recognised accreditation and Liquor and Gaming NSW Competency Card (valid in NSW for 5 years).

ENQUIRE TODAY!
Call 1800 000 212 or visit our office at 96 Murray Street, Wagga Wagga



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