

Duranbah Public School

A quality education in a caring environment

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Week 1 Term 3 - Edition 11

Friday 22nd July 2022

Principal's Report

Welcome back everyone. Hopefully everyone has had the opportunity over the break to reconnect with yourselves and your families.

Staff Development Day

On Monday's Staff Development Day, we had the privilege of working closely with Amy Hall from Banksia Support Services who is an Advanced Specialist Behaviour Support Practitioner. We learned about the Neurobiology of Trauma and how best to cater for the needs of students with additional needs.

Parent Teacher Interviews

Next week, all parents have been offered the chance to formally sit and discuss the progress and achievements of their child. At this stage most have taken this opportunity, however if parents are yet to do this, they can contact the office directly to make an appointment.

NAIDOC Day

On Thursday our school celebrated NAIDOC week. Our students had a fantastic time learning about Aboriginal culture and celebrating the achievements of our First Nations People. Activities included a trip to Tropical Fruit World to learn about local indigenous Flora and how these were utilised by Aboriginal people, workshops with Aunty D, who taught us local language dialects, NAIDOC art activities and activities to learn about Aboriginal culture. The students really enjoyed the opportunity and learned a great deal. Thanks to Ms Humes and Ms Schumacher for organising this experience for us.

Music Trivia Night

Tomorrow night (Saturday) our P&C is hosting this year's Music Trivia Night at the Kingscliff Bowling Club. There are plenty of great prizes and a whole lot of fun is guaranteed for everyone who comes along.

Pyjama Day

Today our SRC organised a 'pyjama day' for all students. Students wore their PJ's to school for a gold coin donation to raise funds for the Pyjama Foundation who support kids in care. They had lots of fun with the activities coordinated by our SRC leaders, and really enjoyed the afternoon movie with popcorn. Thanks to Ms K and the SRC for putting this together for our students.

District Athletics

Next Thursday Ms Kirk will accompany 12 of our students to the District Athletics carnival at Kingscliff. These athletes qualified at our Small School's Carnival at the end of term 2. We wish them luck and know that they will do their absolute best.

Stokers Siding Youth Music Showcase

In the first weekend of the holidays, Mr Eisenburg organised for two groups of our students to participate in a showcase at Stokers Siding. It was great to see these guys on stage performing for everyone. They did really well and had a great time. Thanks to Mr Eisenburg for organising this experience for our students.

Hopefully everyone has a great weekend

Jason

Principal



Mark Your Calendar

Term 3

22 July	Pyjama MUFTI Day
23 July	Trivia night
28 July	District Athletics Carnival
29 July	Passion Projects Begins
3 August	Disco at Kingscliff Hall
3 August	Healthy Harold
4 August	P&C AGM 1pm Tropical Fruit World
14 August	P&C Paint n Sip at Duranbah PS
Sept	FNC Dance at Twin Towns (TBC)

YOUNG TALENT SHOW

Congratulations to those students who performed at the inaugural 15 Minutes of Fame concert for young musical artists at Stokers Siding on July 3. Ably coached and supported at the event by Mr Eizenberg, they sang and played beautifully. It's not easy to get up on stage to perform, so well done to our students, we are very proud of you!



SUSTAINABILITY



Our students returned to school this week to discover a bumper crop of produce in our gardens! The beds were brimming with spinach, lettuce, rocket and radishes. The kids have been eagerly checking the carrots, which are not quite ready, snacking on young celery and spring onions, and we can't wait to see some broccoli and cauliflower pop up their heads. This week, 2-3K harvested and bagged the greens, which were sold out at school pick-up, while K-1M and 4-5-6E together sprayed our fruit trees against pests using a white oil we made using a simple solution of cooking oil and dish detergent diluted in a little water. Let's hope it helps our trees flourish! Our chooks have been very busy laying eggs, but not always in their coop! We found 10 eggs under a tree, but our students checked each and every one for freshness in a bowl of water before they were sold. Our garden beds will need re-planting soon, so why not talk to your kids about what they would like to grow at school and perhaps bring in some seeds, seedlings or cuttings? Our bread-bag recycling drive continues so please bring in your unused bread bags and drop in the collection bins on the verandah and in the office. The program closes in the next month, so any and all bread bags will be gratefully received.



HARDSHIP FUNDING

FOR FLOOD EFFECTED FAMILIES

The Minister for Education and Early Learning announced that \$500 Education Hardship Fund will be made available for every NSW public school student in the 7 identified local government area (LGAs) affected by the recent floods in the Northern Rivers region.

The funds will be transferred to schools over the coming weeks and are to be expended by the end of 2023. Parents and carers can nominate to use funds for:

- * excursions, camps and incursions
- * school-organised formals
- * competition fees
- * subject fees
- * uniforms including: school uniforms (from school-run or P&C uniform shops), end of school year jerseys, senior shirt
- * calculators
- * in-school tutoring such as music tutors
- * sport participation including weekly sport or carnivals
- * school photos
- * family costs incurred with involvement in school theatre or musical performances
- * ongoing weekly co-curricular programs such as dance or gymnastics programs.

Please contact the school to advise how you would like to use your \$500. These funds cannot be given as cash payments to families.

PASSION PROJECTS

BEGIN WK 2 TERM 3

We are still seeking Volunteers to assist with our Passion Projects Program. Can you volunteer one hour of your time on a Friday for 3 or 6 weeks? We are looking for family and community members to share their personal interests and to work actively with our students to further develop their skills and interests. The Passion Projects will run on Weeks 2, 3, 4, 6,7 and 8 of Term 3.

Our students have indicated that they would like to further develop their knowledge and skills in the following areas:

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| <i>Animal care</i> | <i>Gymnastics</i> | <i>Dancing</i> |
| <i>Art/craft</i> | <i>Modelling / department</i> | <i>Cooking</i> |
| <i>Bush survival</i> | <i>Photography</i> | <i>Science</i> |

If you have a personal interest that isn't listed that you would like to share with our students, please let us know. Volunteers are no longer required to be COVID-19 Vaccinated from the beginning of week 3 term 3.

Also if you would like to come along and help please let us know.

IMPORTANT DETAILS

Starting 29 July at 1:30 - 2:30pm.

Email: Breanna.Schumacher1@det.nsw.edu.au

Phone: 02 6677 7221

Breanna Schumacher (Teacher)

Eggs \$3.00



Help us turn BREAD BAGS into SCHOOL* PLAY EQUIPMENT

COLLECTIONS CLOSING SOON!

Our school* is taking part in the Wonder Recycling Rewards campaign this term.

Help us collect bread bags so we can earn points to redeem on new RHSports equipment.

It's simple! All you need to do is keep your empty bread bags and send them to school* with your kids! We will then place them in Wonder's pink collection box and post them off to be recycled. The more we collect the more points our school* earns!

Collections close 9th September.

Tip for collecting:
Use one empty bread bag to collect a bunch of other bags.

Did you know?
We can now collect our bread bags over the holidays!

BRING IN YOUR BAGS BEFORE SEPT 9TH!

*Includes early learning centres and pre-schools.

Tag @wonder.australia #wonderrecyclingrewards to share all your recycling champion stories!

POETRY HIGH TEA

2/3K loved their Poetry High tea Party last term. They shared poems then enjoyed a delicious high tea prepared by Miss Tomlinson. Thank you Miss Tomlinson!



GYMNASTIC FUN

Gymnastics is Fantastic!
So much fun and many giggles during gymnastics.
Thanks Dream Gymnastics for coming to our school.



NEW SOFTFALL

At the end of term 2 we received new soft fall for our play equipment. All the kids are enjoying playing outdoors again.



Awards

Week 10 - Jasmine, Hunter, Knox Grace, Summer, Hugo



P&C News

P&C AGM is being held 1:30pm on Thursday 4 August at Tropical Fruit World.

All positions on the committee will become vacant. This is a wonderful opportunity for new members to step into these roles.

If anyone has any questions please email or call Kathy - Phone: 0405 521 966 or Email: kathy-roc77@gmail.com

Save the date: We are going to hold a Paint n Sip afternoon on Sunday 14 August at Duranbah Public School. More information to come out closer to the date.

P&C Disco

Time to get your PARTY PANTS on!!!

It's been a few years since Duranbah Primary School hosted a disco and this year we have decided to make it a little bit fancy!

Where – Kingscliff Community Hall

When – Wednesday 3rd August

Time – 5:30 – 7pm

Cost - \$10 (cash only)

Prizes on the night and a popper on arrival.

We want to make this disco all about the Duranbah Crew and are asking if only children who attend the school participate in the disco.

Please add your child's favourite song with the permission slip that has been sent home.



THE PEOPLE'S PANTRY
CASUARINA
 thepeoplespantry.com.au

Click-and-collect shopping that supports local producers & Duranbah Public School

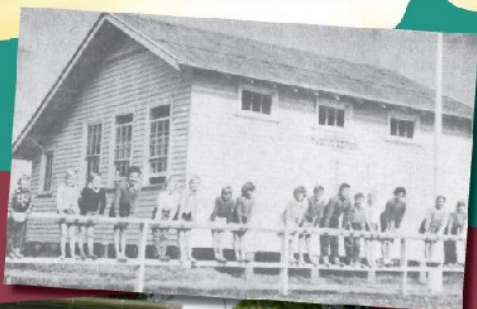
Shop online Wednesday from 3 pm to Sunday 10 pm

Pick up Tuesday
3 - 5 pm
Casuarina Hockey Club

Carool Centenary
PUBLIC SCHOOL

The Carool Public School community invites you to celebrate 100 years of public education at Carool.

7TH AUGUST 2022
10 - 2PM @ CAROOL PS
WITH FORMAL PROCEEDINGS AT I.I.A.M.



Remembering the past, showcasing our present and looking forward to the future of our small rural school.

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Parking is available at Bilambil Sports Club.

A free shuttle bus will operate from Bilambil to Carool throughout the day.

DURANBAH PUBLIC SCHOOL
MUSIC TRIVIA NIGHT 2022

Come along for a fun filled night to help raise funds for our new outdoor play equipment and a courtesy bus is available

Kingscliff Beach Bowling Club in the function room
Saturday 23rd July 2022 from 7 - 10 pm

6 PEOPLE PER TABLE \$15 PER PERSON
MEALS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE FROM BISTRO

Get dressed up as your favourite musician!
Best dressed prizes, raffles, auctions and trivia.
For tickets phone 02 6677 7221.
Grown ups only.

Wednesday Canteen

We still require volunteer cooks for the following dates:

Wednesday 2 AUG

Wednesday 17 AUG

Wednesday 7 SEPT

Please contact the school office if you are able to assist on any of these dates.

Ph: 02 6677 7221

Thank you

FRIDAY SUSHI MENU



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| CHICKEN TERIYAKI | SALMON AVOCADO |
| TUNA AVOCADO | INARI |
| AVOCADO | PRAWN TEMPURA |
| CHICKEN AVOCADO | TUNA |
| TUNA CUCUMBER | VEGETABLE TEMPURA |
| SALAD | PRAWN SWEET CHILLI |
| CHICKEN KARAGE | |

Cost - \$2.20 per piece

Student name in envelope with money to office by Thursday.