

# Coolongolook Public School News

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Principal: Mr Jason Tindall

TERM 4 WEEK 3

## From the Principal's Desk

Week 3 already and what a wonderful start we are having to the term! There are a number of exciting activities happening over the next few weeks so I hope to see you at school soon.

### Day for Daniel

Last Friday, students dressed in red in support of the 'Day for Daniel' campaign. During our middle session, both classes joined in the K-2 classroom to discuss 'Stranger Danger' and how to keep safe when out and about. We hope our kids are never confronted with an uncomfortable situation but discussing preventative measures is crucial. Well done to all the students and staff on raising \$125.35 towards the Daniel Morcombe Foundation.



### Bulahdelah Show Student Night

On Wednesday night, Bulahdelah Show will once again hold its 'Student Night'. Activities will start at 6:30pm with the presentations beginning at 7:00pm. We have recently been notified that a number of our students will receive certificates in the 'Writing' and 'Art' sections. Please refer to page 3 for details.

### Grandparent's day

Thank you to the many grandparents who joined us last Friday. It was great to see the students enjoying their learning time with their nans and pops and the many smiles on faces. Thank you to Jenny Gough and Rachael Ryan for catering on behalf of the P&C Committee. A great day for all involved!



Above: Shae Coupland with her grandfather George Williams

### P and C Meeting

Our next P and C meeting will be held on Tuesday 13 November at 2pm. On the agenda will be the Coolongolook and District Memorial Hall day and end of year fundraising. Hope to see you there!

## Swim School



During Week 6 (19 -23 Nov), students will be learning to swim at Great Lakes YMCA in Forster. The group will leave school at 10am and return no later than 2.00pm each day. The cost for the week is \$60 per child, which includes transport (bus) costs and pool entry. We are hoping to have all permission notes and money returned to the school no later than Friday 9 November. If you have any concerns, please contact me at the school.

Jason Tindall  
Principal

## CALENDAR

### TERM 4 WEEK 4 (5-9 NOVEMBER)

Monday	Year 6 Hill End Excursion
Tuesday	Year 6 Hill End Excursion
Wednesday	Year 6 Hill End Excursion, Canteen
Thursday	Library, Breakfast Club
Friday	Whizzy Water Drop, Reward Afternoon

### TERM 4 WEEK 5 (12-16 NOVEMBER)

Monday	Remembrance Day
Tuesday	Assembly
Wednesday	Canteen
Thursday	Library, Breakfast Club
Friday	Reward Afternoon

### TERM 4 WEEK 6 (19-23 NOVEMBER)

Monday	School Swimming Scheme
Tuesday	School Swimming Scheme
Wednesday	School Swimming Scheme
Thursday	School Swimming Scheme
Friday	School Swimming Scheme

### UP COMING EVENTS

Ride Safe to School Day	November 29
Water Safety Program	November 29

## Assembly Awards

At our assembly on Tuesday 30 October, our students received the following awards;

### K-2 Awards

**Brooke Callaghan** – Reading Award for willingly trying tricky words during reading groups.

**Jesse Chapman** – Playground Award for always being a good friend to others.

**Isabel Griffis** – Mathemagician Award for attempting tricky math questions during groups.

**Ayva Elms**– Bookwork Award making an effort to present her bookwork neatly.

**Jacarla Murray** – Writing Award for making an effort to use interesting words during independent writing.



Above: Jacarla, Jesse Chapman, Ayva Elms, Isabel Griffis and absent Brooke Callaghan

### 3-6 Awards

**Marlee Johnson** – Bookwork Award for neat and tidy bookwork.

**Mackinley Thoroughgood** – Writing Award for an improvement in her writing.

**Jordin Cole** – Mathemagician Award for a great effort in data work.

**Jesse Cornish** – Playground Award for playing respectfully with others.

**Brodie Thoroughgood** – Reading Award for an improvement in reading.



Above: Marlee Johnson, Jesse Cornish, Brodie Thoroughgood, Jordin Cole and Mackinley Thoroughgood



## Gold Awards

Congratulations to the following students for achieving their Gold Award –Skye Brown and Myla Ede.



## Bulahdelah Show Awards

### Writing Section

- **Jesse Chapman**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place Stage 1 Writing Competition
- **Jasleen Kaur**  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place Stage 1 Writing Competition
- **Skye Brown**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place Stage 3 Writing Competition

### Art Section

- **Donovan Cornish –Walsh**  
Highly Commended Early Stage 1 Painting
- **Jayde Roberts**  
Highly Commended Stage 1 Painting
- **Mackinely Thoroughgood**  
Highly Commended Stage 2 Painting
- **Chloe Roberts**  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Stage 2 Painting
- **Shane Cornish Walsh**  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place Stage 2 Painting
- **Rahnee Cole**  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Stage 2 Painting
- **Thomas Chapman**  
Highly Commended Stage 1 Line Drawing
- **Rahnee Cole**  
1<sup>st</sup> Place Stage 3 Line Drawing
- **Rahnee Cole**  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place Stage 3 Line Drawing



## Kindergarten Orientation

On Thursday 1 November the K-2 students welcomed five new kindergarten students for 2019. It was a busy morning with stories and songs about bears. All students settled well into class routine and they particularly enjoyed playing with the sports equipment at lunchtime. We will see them again on the November 15 and 29.



Above: Natalie Roberts enjoying colouring in with her sister Jayde



Above: Xavier playing with the blocks

## P&C News

We hope everyone enjoyed 'Day for Daniel' and 'Grandparents Day' last Friday. It was wonderful to see all of the Grandparents, carers and helpers come along and enjoy time with the kids. Thank you everyone for coming and thank you all who helped out on the day. 'Day for Daniel' raised \$125.35.

Our donation to the 'Drought Angels' has come to an amazing total of \$2000, with the P&C adding a final contribution of \$255.30, to bring us to this total. We hope this money will help assist many farmers during these tough times.

Chocolate boxes have been distributed to those who are participating in this fundraising event, with goody boxes being on back order and expected to arrive next week. Thank you all who are participating, we appreciate your support. Any unsold chocolates and all monies are due back into the office by November 23.

Our next P&C meeting will be on November 13, at 2pm in the school office. At this meeting we will also be joined by Matt Maculloch, a Yoga/Tai Chi instructor. Matt will be discussing and answering any questions regarding the students' possible participation in Yoga/Tai Chi classes within the school, in the near future. All parents/carers are encouraged to come along if they would like to know more, or have any questions/concerns regarding students participating in this activity.

Emily Griffis  
Vice President

## School Hats

Reminder to all parents/carers and students that the school hat policy is NO HAT NO PLAY. We are encouraging all students to check every morning that they have their hats in their bags ready for the day. At playtime, if students have forgotten their hat they need to play in the shaded area. Please ensure your child's name is clearly marked with their name in permanent marker.



## World Teacher Day

# Happy World Teachers' Day!

Coolongolook staff celebrated World Teachers Day during our Grandparents Day celebrations. Thank you to all our teaching staff for the wonderful job you do!



## External Notification

### Bulahdelah Show Society

#### Are you entering in the pavilions at the Bulahdelah Show?

The Bulahdelah Show Society is proud to announce the introduction of online Pavilion registration and entry.

Stroud Show has been using this software package for 10 years with great success, and Bulahdelah Show Society is now excited to bring the Pavilions section of the show into the digital era.

Online registration and entry will provide an entrant with a summary of all their entries and a total cost due, you will also be able to print out your own tags and secure them to your entries, then simply drop off your entries along with your fee as per usual. Online registration and entry is now open

A step by step guide can be found on the Bulahdelah Show society website along with pavilion schedules and a link to register. Go to [www.bulahdelahshowsociety.org.au](http://www.bulahdelahshowsociety.org.au) Flyers will be available where you collect your schedule.

Please do not be deterred if you are not computer literate or you cannot access a computer with a printer, you can still enter as usual. We will be able to register you and complete your entries when you drop in your entries.

There is an updated schedule available on the website as the under 18's and children's sections required re-numbering to accommodate the new system. There have been no changes to the actual classes, they are all still there but with different numbering. If you are under 18, a child or parent and plan to enter into the Pavilion sections, please visit the website to find your new section or class number. Section 9 Children's has been split into three separate sections:

- Section 9 - Preschool
- Section 10 - Kindergarten grades 1&2
- Section 11 - School years 3-6.

Under 18's entries remain in their retrospective sections, however they now have their own class numbers within the section and are still entered and judged separately.

As the new system rolls in we anticipate some small time delays and will be accepting entries for the children's sections from 7:30am on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> November this year. However the process will be quicker if entrants arrive with their own entry form and items pre labelled with the printable tags, as you will be able to "skip the queue" so to speak.

The software system will streamline the stewards' jobs, allowing them more time to display the entries. It also has valuable capacity to analyse results, print certificates and allocate prize money.

The new system will bring the Bulahdelah Show up to the same standards as other local shows in the area and into the 21<sup>st</sup> century. In the future it is expected we will use this system to manage other sections of the Show.

# OPEN DAY



**To celebrate the opening of  
our new BBQ area**



## Coolongolook & District Memorial Hall



\* DATE: Sun 25th Nov 2018 ~ 10am to 2pm

- ◆ Morning Tea & Sausage Sizzle available by the local School.
- ◆ Memorabilia on Display of our Local Soldiers, Community History & local school photos from the past.
- ◆ Coolongolook Public School display.
- ◆ Sewing Group display with items for sale.
- ◆ Mini Stalls.



**~ Come one, Come all.....to Coolongolook Hall ~**

- ◇ Hall available for Hire for Events such as Weddings, Parties, Funerals & Meetings.
- ◇ Current Events held here—Anzac Celebrations, Sewing Group, Play Group, School Events, Landcare Catering, Family Reunions & Social Community events.
- ◇ For more information phone Neryl 0402123446