



Term 2 Week 9

June 24 2019



WELCOME

What a fantastic day it was on Wednesday! Feedback from teachers, parents and students indicated that everyone had a wonderful day at the Small School's Athletics carnival at the Coramba Sportsground. I am very proud of all our students who displayed excellent behaviour and good sportsmanship on this day. Congratulations go to Oliver, Billy, Charlie, Charli, Poppi-Anna, Jonah, Mitchell, Ashlee, Lexus and Sienna who were successful and will attend the Orara Valley Athletics carnival on Tuesday 6th August. Good luck everyone. Thank you to the parents who supplied the photos of the day.

Teachers are busy putting the final touches on student's reports ready to be sent home on Tuesday 2nd July. Please note that students who are absent during this week will have their reports sent home in the mail unless alternate arrangements are made. Please ensure we have your current mailing address on our file. On Thursday 4th July we will be holding a sausage sizzle breakfast. An order form will be sent home this week. Following the breakfast is our end of Term 2 Assembly. Please join us to celebrate our student's achievements.

We have left the best until last with our NAIDOC Excursion being held on Friday 5th July. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students and parents to share in a great day out and to learn more about the Aboriginal culture and history. If your child did not receive an orange expression of interest and you did not receive an invitation to this event, please call the office, we will ensure you receive them.

That brings our term to a close. I would like to wish all our students and their families a very safe and happy time together over the holiday period. Monday 22nd July is a Staff Development Day, with students commencing back on Tuesday 23rd July.

Positive Behaviour Learning

Last week's focus for Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) was celebrating achievement. Students had the opportunity to celebrate achievement at the Athletics carnival and to demonstrate the expectations of this focus area. This week's focus is on using equipment appropriately. Students receive Bamay (Possum) awards for exhibiting the expectations of the focus area.



WHAT'S HAPPENING IN K-2

K-2 loved the Athletics Carnival last week and couldn't wait to write about their experiences.

Here are a selection of the stories written by some of the students

Seb: We had a tug of war and we won. We played popcorn with the parachute.

Makenna: I met two new friends at the carnival. We played lots of games and we went under the parachute.

Ezra: I went to the sports carnival and I did tug of war. We did a mushroom with the parachute.

Mackenzie: Yesterday Eva's mum took me to the carnival and it was excellent because I did a race. I came 4th place! I also did shotput and it was fantastic. Lucy also came 4th in her race. I said good job to everyone.

Eva: Yesterday I went to the sports carnival. I went in the sack races and my sack was green with the number 4 on it.

Eloise: I went to the carnival. I did parachute games and I went to the canteen.

John: Yesterday we went to the Coramba Sports Carnival. I came 4th in my race. I also met two new friends. One of them is Seb's cousin Carter who goes to Coramba School. I also saw my friend Jack. My leg got tied up with Jesse's for a 3 legged race and we came 1st! We did water races and we played under the parachute. We also played tug of war and Upper Orara won. Yay!

Jesse: On Wednesday I won a race and after the race we played games and we had tug of war and Upper Orara won. After the tug of war we did the parachute and bag races.







Athletics Carnival





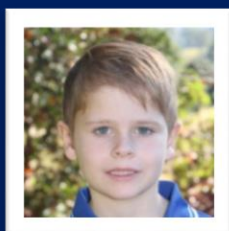
STUDENTS OF WEEK 9

Cooper (Yr K-2) Poppi-Anna (Yr 3-6)

Cooper receives his award for
“Working so hard to improve his work”

Poppi-Anna receives her award for “working
collaboratively:

Congratulations Cooper and Poppi-Anna!



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Coffs Harbour – Monday July 8th

Port Macquarie – Tuesday July 9th

Taree – Wednesday July 10th

All sessions 10am-3pm

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Calendar of Events

Term Two/ Term Three

JUNE

25 Orara Valley Athletics Carnival (Stadium Drive)

JULY

4 BBQ Breakfast and End of Term Assembly

22 Staff Development Day

23 Students return to school for Term 3