Welcome to Hump Week – Week 5 - wait – what????????? Already???

The time has been flying as usual here - Looking forward to the days getting longer and warmer as well. Congratulations to all of those who participated in their events last Friday at the Zone Athletics carnival. Again our students did their best and again we have a number moving onto the Regional level which is great to see. Congratulations to all athletes who made it to regional, a list of names is in the athletics report on the back page. Another fantastic effort and we look forward to cheering you on at the Regionals!

This Thursday and Friday we will be having a number of teachers attending the “Positive Partnerships - Supporting School Aged Students on the Autism Spectrum” Workshop which is being hosted at CPS. This is a 4 day workshop (split into 2, two day workshops) which will help equip teachers for assisting those children in their class who are on the Autistic Spectrum. The program involved them producing a resource that can be used by the school to assist all students who are placed on the spectrum. In addition, they are shown skills and strategies about how to get the best out of these students and how to assist the other class members to support them as well.

Bruce Coote Principal

Education Week Special Award :

Troy Gates - Reading

Week 4 Term 3
Excellent Worker
KM: Adelaide Keating
1C: Alicia Goodlad
1H: Matthew Cook
1S: Riley Power
2G: Hollye Maddocks
3/4G: Brandon Bradley
3/4 I: Hunter Lovell
4/5T: Josh Smith
5/6N: Jade Page
5/6B: Cody McDonald

Merit Award
KM: Ella Weiley
1C: Troy Gates
1H: Brock loats
1S: Aidan Clark
2G: Charlotte Mackie
3/4G: Tilly Hollis
3/4I: Will Gregory
4/5T: Josh Ruge
5/6N: Sam Shevill
5/6B: Maddy Eakin

Maths Awards:
Dylan George, Lucy Franklin, Mitchell Lunney, Ella Sone-Strahan

**Weekly Assembly - 2:15 pm Friday**

**Week 5**
Fri 14 Aug Stage 3 Spelling Bee

**Week 6**
Thur 20 Aug Milo Cricket
Fri 21 Aug Stage 2 Spelling Bee

**Week 7**
Mon 24 Aug Start of Book Week
Fri 28 Aug Book Parade

* 6 Sept. Father’s Day - donations for raffle needed.
Parents - We are now taking enrolments for Kindergarten 2016. If you have friends or relatives in the area that want a ‘Kindy Pack’ they are available from the office.
Book Week

This is in 2 weeks. The classes are preparing displays of the books that have been short listed for prizes for book Week.

Our Book Character parade will be held on Friday 28 August 2015

Here are some website that might be of some help


If the children could dress as book characters and not TV characters that would be great.

Premiers Reading Challenge

Students Reading Record needs to be lodged on line by 21 August 2015 (11:59 pm) to complete the Challenge.

Children must read a certain number of books to complete the Challenge

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K-2 students, you can read the books on your own, read with them with someone, or someone can read them to you. Years 3-4, 5-6 students, you must read the books on your own, but someone can help you choose them.

If you need more information + the list of books that are part of the Premiers Reading Challenge please have a look online at
https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html

If kindergarten children return the included challenge log by Tuesday 18 August I will enter their books for them.

Library overdue and please return notes have been sent home. Could you return these to Mrs Roberts on your child’s Library day.

Do you have ??
Any unwanted lifestyle and/or gardening type magazines?
For example: Better Homes and Gardens, Vegie Patch, Home Beautiful, Pets etc.
If you have any magazines of this kind please send them to Ms Cairns Yr 1. Thank you.
Zone Athletics Carnival

On Friday 7th August I had the pleasure to take 29 students to the Zone Athletics Carnival. It was a great day with great competition in all areas. I would like to congratulate all our representatives as they gave their all in every event they went in. It was great to see some of the events on the track with some very close finishes including some impressive dives to the finish line.

I would like to thank all the parents for their assistance with getting the athletes to and from the carnival, it is greatly appreciated. I would especially like to thank Janette Wright for assisting me as Team Manager, without your wonderful help some students would not have made it to their events. It is great to see the support in which Cundletown Public School has from their parents.

We have some impressive athletes that will now be representing the Manning Area at Regionals. I would like to wish the following students the best of luck:

Dayna Reynolds: 13yr 100m
Makayla Manusu: Senior Girls Long Jump
Brooke Hosgood: Junior Girls 800m
Jayden Manusu: 9yrs 100m and Junior Boys 200m
Junior Girls Relay Team:

Tracy Tomlins
Coordinator