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Term 2, Week 10

UNDEFEATED CHAMPIONS



Our Banksia's were victorious at this years small school soccer gala day in Wingham. Our two mixed teams, 'Mentos' and 'Skittles' played and won five games against other small schools (Coolongolook PS, Hannanvale PS, Moorland PS and two games against Mitchell Island PS's teams). The best score was a seven-nil game, and the teachers' pick for stand out player was Lillian Hughes, who played hard and also scored a beautiful goal. All Krambach students, regardless of skill in the game, played their very best and the results show it. When asking the students what the highlight of the day was, many said "The canteen!" Cooper Soper felt the best food was the bacon, sausage and egg roll, however many disagreed saying it was the awesome selection of lollies, Krispy Kreme doughnuts and iceblocks. Perhaps the additional energy from all that sugar gave them that extra edge. Congratulations to each student. An amazing effort.



IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER

Term 3

Monday 22 July
PUPIL FREE DAY!

Week 1

Tuesday 23 July
Students Return

Friday 26 July
NAIDOC Afternoon

Term 3 Planner &
Weekly Planner Sent
Home

Week 2

Thursday 1 August
Book Fair & Character
Parade

Friday 2 August
CPR Training for
Students & Families

Week 4

Monday 12 August
Lake Keepit Camp

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

KAYLA GRAY - PRINCIPAL

Another term has swept by just as quickly as the last, and we have finally hit the half way point of the year.

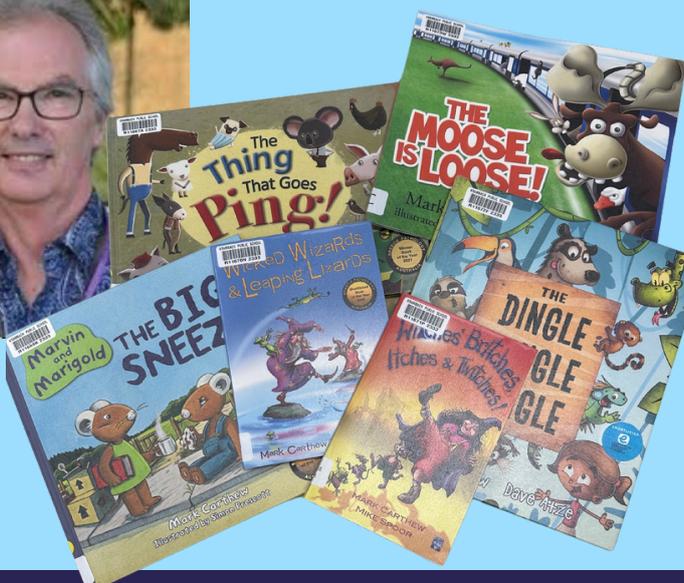
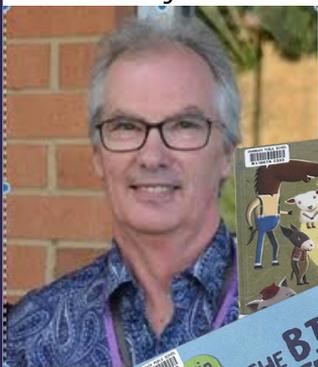
As a principal, I try to be as responsive to family, community and student voice as I can. When I ask for feedback or input, I am genuinely seeking different perspectives to ensure the school continues to meet the needs of our current students and families.

Our number one priority is our students and in a recent survey done in our last P&C meeting, it was evident that our students are also their biggest priority. Everything they do, it is to benefit the learning and educational experiences of all students. With this in mind, and with our new school plan in place, which has a big focus on improving students reading, our P&C have contributed a significant amount of money to go towards creating a new library space for our students. We are looking forward to this new space coming together next term.

Last year, the school conducted a survey around communication and the school newsletter to see what information is valued and wanted by our families. Two key things came out of the survey. Number one, families want less information, there was too much written information, and number 2, photos of students was really valued. Although we have been responsive to this feedback by reducing our newsletter to twice a term and really cutting down on the content, the short fall is families are missing out on some important information that really needs to be communicated. Because of this, we are re-introducing the 'Weekly Planner' (we are looking for a new name for it) which allows the school to celebrate things more frequently, keep families updated on important information about the school and students learning along with giving families a heads up of what is ahead the following week.

If you have any suggestions about how we can continue making our school a great place for our students, please reach out to me.

Our next newsletter will go out at the end of next term but the next weekly planner will go out on Friday of Week 1, along with the Term 3 Planner.



MARK CARTHEW

Mark Carthew, one of the authors from our visit to Mt George, has kindly sent our school a copy of each of his books!

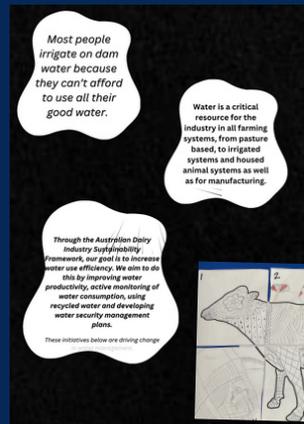
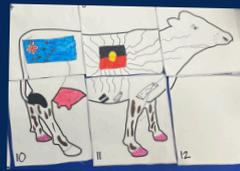
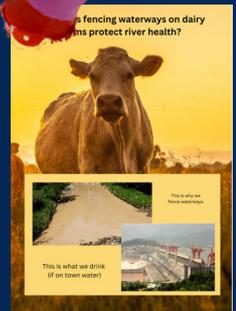
The books are suitable for a variety of ages and our students are bound to enjoy reading the stories from an author they met and spoke to themselves! What a great mentor for our aspiring Krumbach PS writers! Students will be able to borrow these books once our new library is up and running.

COWY Mc COWFACE

SOON TO ARRIVE ON SCHOOL GROUNDS FOR ALL TO SEE!

The Banksias have been busy learning all about how milk gets from 'Grass to Glass'.

After completing several projects based on the history of dairy farming, future technologies and sustainability practices, students used their knowledge to create designs for Cowy. Using a combination of ideas from several designs, students are now nearly finished painting Cowy Mc Cow Face!



SCHOOL SCOOP



THE BEST TERM EVER!

Bubble day, Slime day, Wheels week, Soft toy week, Picnic week, Movie afternoons, Public holiday hehehe, Graffiti the school week, Just dance, Music week, Fidget toy week, Remote control week, Loom band and bead week, OODIE day, Mufti day, 2 minute noodle day, School social and BYOD days. These are all of the fun things we get to do in our lunchtimes during the term. The activities in our term planner gives students something different to do during breaks. They don't have to get involved but it's there if they want to. Mrs Gray gets students to come up with things they want to see in the planner and she always throws extra surprises in there for us. The planner is something everyone really looks forward to getting at the start of each term.

If we did not have a term planner school would be BOR-INGGGGG!!!

Reporters Skye & Chloe



TELLING OUR OWN STORY THROUGH ABORIGINAL ART

Earlier this term, two Aboriginal women came to our school to work with our stage 3 Aboriginal students. They shared a story with us then asked us to paint a picture about the story. Then we had to create our own artwork about our own childhood. Liam painted grubs and honey ants, Aaden painted flathead, muscles, stingrays and a starfish and Olivia painted turtles and dolphins. We continued working on our art with Mrs Durbin and entered it into a competition. If we made it, our artwork would be published in a book. We have just found out that all 3 of our artworks made it and they will all be published. We are heading to Coffs Harbour next term for the release.

Reporters Aaden & Liam



*“Our art made it
and it's going to
get published in
a book.”*

SCHOOL SCOOP

BEING KOALA SMART



Anne, the lady from our local council, visited our school to run a Koala Smart workshop with our class. She taught us about maps and how maps are used to show people areas that are safe and unsafe for koalas. It was really interesting. She brought in a real dead koala that was stuffed. Its fur was real but not its eyes.



Anne also taught us about how to keep koalas safe. She showed us where koalas lived around us on an App. The App was really cool and its one way the council monitors koalas in our local area.



Reporters Moo & Elina

THE FUN DOESN'T STOP ONCE SCHOOL FINISHES

Finally, OOSH has started and more and more students are starting to come. At OOSH we get to do all sorts of fun activities with Mrs Orchard like art and craft, science experiments, we play outside and there is even a Nintendo Switch. Mrs Orchard makes it so much fun by having different themed weeks. For example we have minecraft week, bunny week, ocean week and so much more. Mrs Orchard even makes us yummy afternoon snacks and gets involved in the activities with us while we wait for our parents to arrive. We would go every day if we could.

“We even got to have a pillow fight with Mrs Orchard. It was so much fun!”

Reporters Ayla & Lillian



SCHOOL SCOOP

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER



I get home from School, Dad! The Social is on this afternoon, can we go? Asked Huxley. Of course! Replied Dad. Meanwhile, Lucas is already in the car driving there. He arrived at 5:00pm, we arrived at 5:20pm.



When we got there, a game of soccer was being played. Huxley + Lucas joined in, after that, dinner was ready!! Sausage sandwiches, and poppers. Lucky dinner, right? After everyone finished, Huxley announced a game of Spotlight. Everyone went CRAZY!!!



Finally, around 7:00pm everyone settled down and people started to leave. I'll never forget my first ever School Social. It was amazing and everyone had so much fun. I wonder when the next one is on?



Reporters Huxley & Lucas

SPEAKING 4 THE PLANET

This term we entered a creative arts competition through the local council. The theme was Koalas.

On the day 9 kids from our school attended the competition. Tully, Simmy, Ayla, Liam, Huxley, Skye, Chloe, Paige and Olivia. Huxley was the MC, so he introduced the competitors. Mount George, Bungwahl were the other 2 schools involved. After we voted for the artworks on display, the winner was announced. It was Skye! Then we did our performance and we won too! At lunch we ate so much food, it was delicious. We all had a really good time.



Reporters Simmy & Tully



SCHOOL SCOOP

LEARNING 2 BE LEADERS

As we were walking in, we saw a camo tank parked out the front of the venue. It was fake, but it was impressive. When we walked into the RSL at Forster we all thought it was huge. We could see the bar, the casino section, a shop at the front entrance, restaurants and pool tables. We didn't realise it was so big.

We had to walk up some stairs to get to the GRIP Leadership conference room. It had lots of chairs set up for students and a big stage. There were about 200 students on the day. It was very loud.

Throughout the day we had to fill out these booklets about leadership. They had tons of fun activities for us to do to help us learn about leadership and to help us become better leaders. We all had a really good time.



Reporters Cooper, Peter & Oskar

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The athletics carnival, which was held in Tuncurry was so much fun. There were activities going everywhere and it was really busy. We were broken up into age groups with Bungwahl, Barrington, Coolongolook and Stratford. In our groups we rotated around and participated in all the different activities. We did ball games, a parachute game, running events, the relay, shot put and long jump. Everyone had a really good time.

Huxley, Lucas, Summer and Mia Moo made it to zone in 100m sprint. Simmy made it in the 800m and the 1500m run, Liam in high jump and Cooper in shot put. The zone athletics carnival is on next term.

Reporter Olivia



*Congrats
Bentley for
Age
Champion*



