



# WELCOME TO WEEK 9 TERM 1 2021



## Principal's Message

### THEY HAVE SWUM THEIR WAY TO SYDNEY!!

Well done to **Quade Peterson, Lucy McFadyen, Sophie Kissane, Kelise Dargin & Paityn Jackson** for all making it to the State Carnival in Sydney next week! We are all so very proud of your achievement and will be cheering you all the way from Condobolin! Further acknowledgement goes to all of our athletics trying out for various sports this term. Keep an eye on Facebook for updates. Recently Will Patton and Alby Denyer made it to the final regional trials for Rugby Union in Wellington. Good luck boys! Congratulations to Rachel Grimmond who was selected in the Western Primary Girls Cricket team. She will now play in a four day State Carnival later in the year. Congratulations also to Nate Vincent who was selected in the Western PSSA Boys Basketball team, he will compete in Terrigal at the State Championships next month.

### VOLUNTARY SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS

Our school contribution remains at \$50 per student. This payment contributes towards technology subscriptions including Mathletics and Typing Tournament, art and crafts for special events e.g. Easter Hat Parade and in subsidising visiting performers. There is financial support for families who need assistance, just make an appointment to speak with myself, through the office.

### PLAY EQUIPMENT UPGRADE

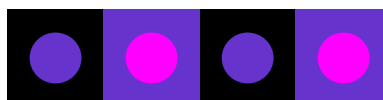
CPS has been successful in the first round of the NSW Department of Education's (DoE) Assets program, Regional Renewal Partnership. This means that the NSW DoE will fund 50% of costs for updating our play equipment. This project will commence sometime between March 2021 to June 2022.

### PBL FOCUS: Be a friend—talk positively

We are focusing on students being positive friends this week and what this looks like and sounds like. I encourage you to support our fortnightly focus by talking with your children about using positive language and what it feels like to have positive friends around you.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Jessica Neilsen



**PBL Focus—Be a Friend-Talk Positively**

## Stage 2



Miss Raylene Richards and 4/5



Miss Claire Owen 3/40



Miss Mэг Norrie 4N



Mrs Stevie Cronje and Mr Jonathon Manvell 3C/M







## School Leader Assembly

### K-6 PBL FOCUS Week 9 and 10 Talk Positively Be A Friend

At CPS, we are focusing on how students can talk positively to their peers and staff at school and how we can be a friend to others. We have been discussing the term 'bucket filler' to describe what being a friend looks, sounds and feels like.

#### A Bucket Filling Classroom and Playground



#### Looks Like

- Sharing classroom and playground equipment
- Greeting someone with a smile
- Working together
- Doing nice things to make others feel special
- Treating others with kindness and respect

#### Sounds Like

- Kind words
- Compliments
- Using manners
- Asking someone if they want to play with you

#### Feels Like

- Happy
- Safe
- Helpful
- Caring
- Supportive
- Friendly
- Polite

### Upcoming events

**Tuesdays: SaCC Playgroup at the Gym.**

**Thursdays-Swim sport yrs 3-6**

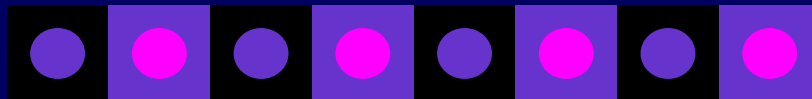
**March: Friday 26th, Red Day Mufti**

**April: 19th Staff Development Day, 20th Students return Term 2**

**May: Book Fair May 24 to 28 details to come**

## EASTER RAFFLE

Get your raffle tickets in for the chance to win awesome Easter treats



Big thanks from Kindergarten and MC classes for all the donations of the Woolworths Pots of Fun Seedlings.

We have received heaps and we cannot wait to use them!



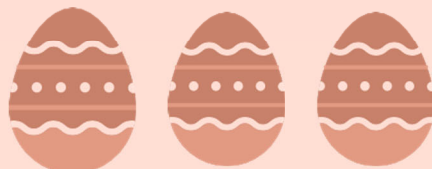
# Happy Easter



K-2 EASTER HAT PARADE  
THURSDAY 1ST APRIL  
2:15 PM START  
K-2 PARENTS WELCOME!

**All hats will be made at school!**

*Please come along to witness the fun  
and excitement of the parade. Visitors are  
reminded to sign in at the front office.  
Students will showcase their creations  
and perform a short item.*



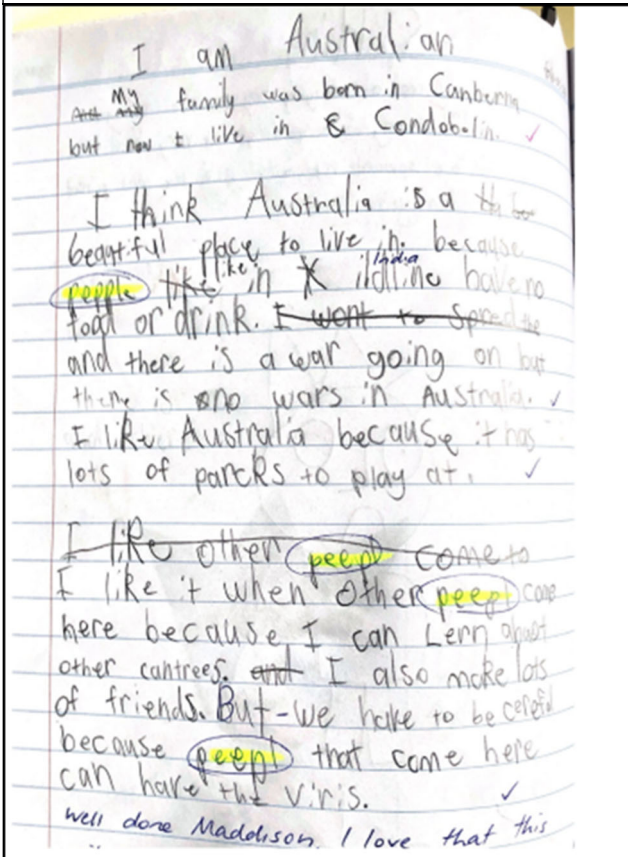
**We wish everyone a happy and safe Easter holiday!**

## Harmony Week 2021 – 'Everyone Belongs'

### *Celebrating cultural diversity in Australia*

Last week students in 2L and 2B read and discussed the story "I'm Australian Too" written by Mem Fox. This story acknowledges Aboriginal Australians as well as the heritage of different Australians, many of whom originally came from other countries.

Students were asked to write about themselves, tell what they liked about Australia and give an opinion about whether it is good to have people from other countries living in Australia. Teachers were very impressed with the writing ideas presented by students!



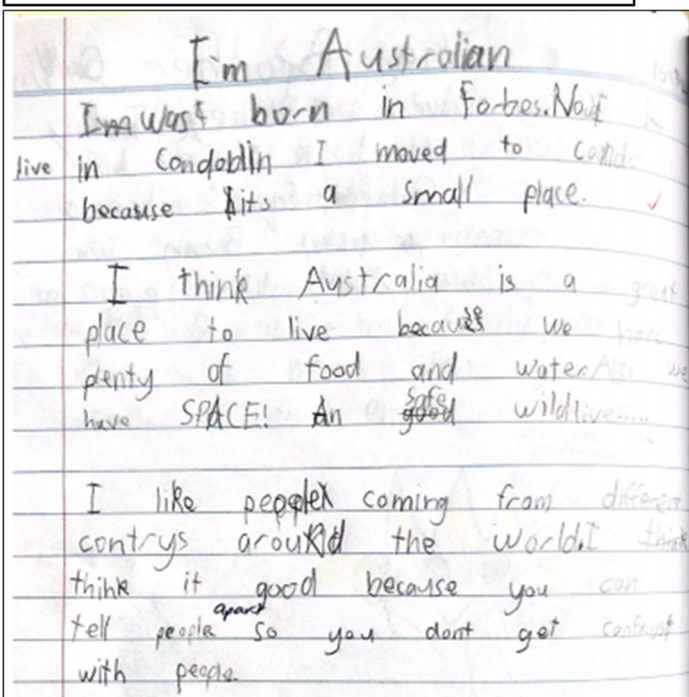
#### I Am Australian

My family was born in Canberra but now I live in Condobolin.

I think Australia is a beautiful place to live in because some people, like in India, have no food or drink and there is a war going on. But there are no wars in Australia. I like Australia because it has lots of parks to play at.

I like other people coming to Australia. I like it because I can learn about other countries. I also make lots of friends. But – we have to be careful because people that come here can have the virus.

Written By Maddison Smith Year 2B



#### I'm Australian

I was born in Forbes. Now I live in Condobolin. I moved to Condobolin because it's a small place.

I think Australia is a great place to live because we have plenty of food and water and we have SPACE! And safe wildlife.

I like people coming from different countries around the world. I think it is good because you can tell people apart so you don't get confused with people.

Written by Wentworth Lark Year 2B



## I Am Australian

My mother was born in Parkes after she went back to <sup>Warren</sup> Warren. When she grew up she had me in Dubbo and then we moved to Condobolin NSW. Now I go to Condobolin Public School.

I think Australia is a wonderful place to live because there is so much space and so much nice air. I live on a farm out of Condobolin which is my town. I love to live in <sup>Condobolin</sup> because I am so much of a fan to <sup>animal</sup> animals. I have nilly <sup>grown</sup> grown up with them.

I have <sup>noticed</sup> noticed that you should not let other people in Australia because they could have

<sup>dangerous allergy</sup> a dangerous allergy. <sup>what</sup> Do you want to know why... well if they have an <sup>allergy</sup> allergy all the people in Australia will get sick by the Snicknis.

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I have noticed that you should not let other people in Australia because they could have a dangerous allergy. Do you want to know why...well if they have an allergy, all the people in Australia will get sick by the sickness.

Written by Isabelle Tyson





# Condobolin Public School Bell Times

**9:10- School begins!**



## Checklist-

- ✓ School uniform
- ✓ Broadbrimmed school hat
- ✓ School bag
- ✓ Healthy food & a water bottle
- ✓ Learning materials
- ✓ Any notes for school



**11:10- Lunch time!**



## Checklist-

- ✓ Healthy sandwich
- ✓ Fruit
- ✓ Yoghurt
- ✓ Water



**1:35- Recess time!**



## Checklist-

- ✓ Cheese and biscuits
- ✓ Popcorn
- ✓ Fruit
- ✓ Water



**3:10- Home time!**



## Checklist-

- ✓ All clothing items
- ✓ Any notes that were handed out
- ✓ Lunch box, water bottle



## MCP Garden Club Update



### WEAR RED DAY FOR RONALD McDONALD HOUSE FRIDAY 26TH MARCH



Staff and students can **Wear Red for the Red Mufti Day on Friday 26th March** and make a gold coin donation. All donations stay local to support families who have a sick or injured child in hospital. Families are able to stay at RMH in Orange free of charge.

### Red Day Canteen Menu Friday 26th

Hot Dog \$3.00

Hot Dog & cheese \$3.50

Large Sausage Roll \$4.00

Large Pies \$5.00

Cupcake with icing \$1.50

Red frogs (5) \$1.00

Yoghurt strips (5) \$1.00

Strawberry clouds (5) \$0.50c



## MCP News

On Friday the students in MCP made delicious scone scrolls with the help of Mrs Dargan. They really enjoyed using the kitchen and filled their scrolls with strawberry jam and a sprinkling of brown sugar to help with caramelisation process. While the scrolls were cooking some students cleaned the kitchen, under supervision so they could keep their eyes on their treats. Once the scrolls were cooked each student taste tested them before they were cooled and packed up to take home to share with their families. MCP love cooking days and especially taste testing their hand made treats.



MCP are spending time in the garden weeding and some of the students really enjoying digging for worms. We are preparing the ground for our winter vegetables.





## News From SaCC.

SaCC Playgroup - this week we will be decorating Easter Hats in preparation for our Easter Play-group next week where there will be face painting and a visit from a special visitor. Lego Club



Lego Club. Infants every Wednesday during lunch time, Primary every Friday during lunch time



Little Bang Discovery club with Kindergarten



Mini Movers for term 1 finished last Friday with a great last session with Trisha at the Willowbend Sports Centre



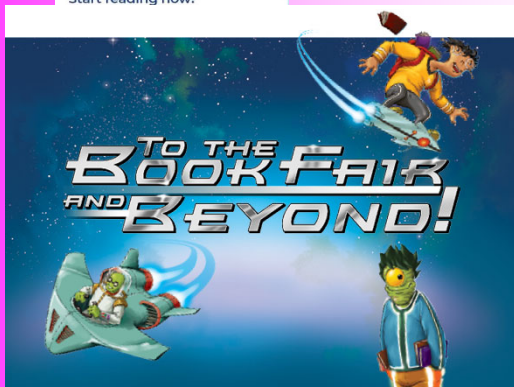
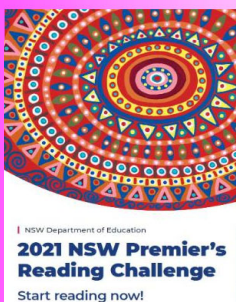
4/5R had fun with a  
google classroom task  
building the solar system



## Library News

Keep up with the great PRC Reading everyone, remember we've the August deadline to beat.

The search is on for missing library books, be a book detective and leave no couch unturned., Mrs King has great prizes for the best sleuthing recoveries.



**BOOK FAIR is coming 24-28 May**

# March 2021

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

Sun

1	2	3	4	5 <i>Student leadership Assembly</i>	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 <i>WPSSA Swim Carnival Dubbo</i>	13	14
15	16	17 <i>Book Club Due</i>	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26 <i>Red Mufti Day</i>	27	28
29	30	31	APRIL 1 <i>Easter Hat Parade</i>	School Holidays Start <i>Good Friday</i>		



# HEALTHY TIPS FOR HEALTHY FAMILIES



TURN OFF  
THE SCREEN  
AND GET  
ACTIVE EACH  
DAY

EAT MORE  
FRUIT & VEG

CHOOSE  
HEALTHY  
SNACK  
OPTIONS

GET  
INVOLVED IN  
ACTIVE  
TRAVEL

CHOOSE  
HEALTHY,  
EVERYDAY  
OPTIONS  
AT THE  
CANTEEN



MAKE WATER  
YOUR DRINK

## CHOOSE HEALTHY SNACK OPTIONS

Healthy snacks in between main meals help kids meet their daily nutritional needs. Make sure the lunch box is filled with healthy fruit and veg snacks, as well as providing these at home on the weekends and in school holidays!



## MAKE WATER YOUR DRINK



Drinking water is the best way to quench your thirst. Even better, it doesn't come with all the sugar and kilojoules found in fruit juice drinks, soft drinks and sports drinks. Make sure children have access to a water bottle at all times to ensure they stay hydrated and focused!

## TURN OFF THE SCREEN AND GET ACTIVE EACH DAY

For children 6-12 years, no more than 2 hours per day of screen time is recommended. Spending too much time using or watching small screens can mean being less active and choosing unhealthy snacks....turn it off and get active after school!



### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION VISIT:

**Live Life Well @ School** <https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/health/primaryschools>

**Healthy School Canteens** <https://healthyschoolcanteens.nsw.gov.au>

**Healthy Lunch Box ideas** <https://healthylunchbox.com.au>