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CONDOBOLIN PUBLIC SCHOOL

NEWS BULLETIN

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday 20 May: Zone Cross Country

Walk Safely to School Day

Thursday 2 June: Mufti Day

Wednesday 15 June: School Disco

Assemblies:

May 20 - S3P June 3 - Kinder Green June 17 - S1L July 1 - S1R

P & C CLOTHING POOL

Please note: Clothing Pool is only open MONDAY Mornings from 8.00 to 8.30 am

School Jackets Sunglasses \$40.00 \$10.00

Second hand clothing at low prices.

Jo Tominlinson



MONDAYS



Principal's Report

At Condobolin we are Strong Smart and Proud

Variety Bash

Our school oval was filled with weird, wonderful and colourful cars yesterday morning as the 2011 Newcastle Variety Bash started their journey. The vintage of vehicles ranged from 1957 to 1974, and many of the drivers came dressed in costume for a sumptuous breakfast prepared by the P&C. Thank you to the many parents and staff who assisted.

Variety Bash is a children's charity. They have kindly donated money towards the purchase of Board Maker software and a range of laptop computers for student use. We are very grateful for this donation.

Before heading off to class, all students were treated to a brief magic show. The world's skinniest magician, Super Hubert, kept the students enthralled with his performance.

Welcome

This week two Third Year Student Teachers joined the staff. Miss Noonan will be working with the students in S1R and Miss Cain is working with S3P. Both ladies will be here for the next five weeks. We welcome them to our school and look forward to them working as part of our team.

Bus Passes

At the end of last week, a brief note was sent home reminding parents that students catching the town bus require a bus pass. Students without a bus pass will not be allowed on the bus.

If you need to apply for a pass, the appropriate forms can be collected from the office.

Attendance

Currently our attendance rate is at 90.2%. As the weather cools and a variety of 'bugs' are passed about, we find that there is an increase in the number of students away, and therefore a fall in our attendance rate.

Please ensure that if your child is absent from school that a note is sent, or phone call is made to explain this as soon as possible.

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Donations

Our thanks go to Lodge Condobolin for their kind donation of \$100 to the school. A second donation of \$100 was made to the Born To Read program.

Head Start

We are well under way with our Head Start program for this year. These happy students are settling very quickly into school routines.

Sporting Commitments

Today, a number of our students have been competing in the annual Peachy Richardson Cup, playing rugby league. This is a mixed competition with teams being fielded for Stage 2 and Stage 3.

Our girls' netball team will be playing the first game for the season on Thursday. We wish them all the best.

Students will be travelling to Forbes on Friday to compete in the Zone Cross Country. As the weather is rather cool, please ensure that students have warm clothing to wear before and after running. They will need to be wearing their sports uniform with appropriate running shoes for competition. Notes for this should have been returned. Mrs King will be in attendance.

Walk Safely to School Day

This Friday is Walk Safely to School Day to promote active kids are healthy kids.

Deb Nay

Principal









CANTEEN NEWS



Ring Deb 6895 2703 Canteen Roster

Wee	k 4	Week	5		Week	6		Weel	k 7	
Mon	16/5 Lizzie Keen	Mon	23/5	Vicki Parker	Mon	30/5	Lucy Nash	Mon	6/6	HELP NEEDED
Tues	17/5 Michelle Whiley	Tues	24/5	Sandi Berry	Tues	31/5	Jenny Kiss	Tues	7/6	Allison Miles
Wed	18/5 Colleen O'Bryan	Wed	25/5	Heather Press	Wed	1/6	Cristina Chamen	Wed	8/6	Deb Manwaring
Thu	19/5 HELP NEEDED	Thur	26/5	Nat McDonald	Thur	2/6	Colleen O'Bryan	Thur	9/6	Nat McDonald
Fri	20/5 Clare Merritt	Fri	27/5	Clare Merritt	Fri	3/6	Cecilia Whippy	Fri	10/6	Cecilia Whippy



Monday:Pasta Twirl (Meat & Pasta)\$3.50Wednesday:Hamburger (lettuce, tomato, beetroot & cheese)\$4.00Friday:Chicken Chilli Wrap\$4.00

Frozen iceblocks and slushies will stop being sold at the canteen 10 minutes prior to the bell.



CROSS COUNTRY

The School's Cross Country was held Wednesday 4th May on the school grounds. All the school was involved in the cross country which wound through the school grounds. Participation and behaviour was excellent from all students. Those students who qualified for zone compete at Forbes for zone. A Big THANK YOU to all parents who came to be marshals on the course. We would not have been able to hold this event without your help.

	Under 8's Girls:	Under 8's Boys:	8/9 Girls:	8/9 Boys:
1.	Chyanne Goolagong	Michael Stanley	Alissa Coe	Ollie Harding
2.	Marissa Hoskins	Toby Harding	Aurella White	Ben Marshall
3.	Sophie Jones	Calvin Nelson	Anika Wrigley	Aiden Matheson
4.	Tahlia Haworth	Jake Day	Molly Stubberfield	Brenton Jones
5.	Tijonay Newman	Codie Petty	Laura Waller	Jarryd Walmsley
	10 year Girls:	10 year Boys:	11 year Girls:	11 year Boys:
1.	Takira Charles	Raymond Towney	Jessica Day	Matt Staniforth
2.	Chloe White	Oliver Stubberfield	Madeleine Waller	David White
3.	Tiffiney Dodds	Jack Wald	Zoe Dargin	Michael Parker
4.	Esther Weatherall	Kaidin Holmes	Taelarra Dalton	William Press

12/13 Girls:

5. Kyeasha Dalton

- 1. Casey Wheeler
- 2. Nataya Brandy
- 3. Alynta McKellar
- 4. Eliza Packham
- 5. Sharnea Dalton

12/13 Boys:

- 1. Dylan Armstrong
- 2. Jack Snape
- 3. Kenny Dodds
- 4. Denis Spathis



Jack May





Rachel Keating





Drew Walton



. Harness the Possibilities for Young People with Developmental Disability

Family Advocacy is excited to announce a new initiative that aims to support families in which there is a child or young person with developmental disability (0-18 years) to establish community connections, develop networks and have skills and ideas to direct any necessary supports. *Resourcing Families* assists families with information, ideas and strategies for having a clear, positive vision and pursuing the good life for people with disability.

Resourcing Families is coming to Condobolin

Join us for an information session on Tuesday the 7th of June

10.00 AM – 12.00 PM <u>or</u>

7.00 - 9.00 PM

At the <u>Condobolin RSL Club</u>, 20 McDonnell St, Condobolin, Ph: 6895 2113

Families and professionals welcome

The 2 hour session will provide information about positive vision, valued roles, community connections, circles of support and self directed supports. All of which can release potential and build an inclusive life for a young person with developmental disability.. Information sessions are free.

If you are interested to attend an information session or want further information, than please contact me at emma@resourcingfamilies.org.au or 1800 774 764 (free call).

To know more about *Resourcing Families*, please take a look at our website. You will find a lot of articles, resources and personal stories that we hope will prove helpful and inspiring: http://www.resourcingfamilies.org.au/

Kind regards,

Emma Baxter Advocacy Project Officer Resourcing Families (02) 9869 7753



University of NSW Competitions Years 3-6

Each year the University of NSW conducts International Competitions in various subjects. These competitions are a great way for your child to experience doing external tests in a very structured way. The results are analysed and you receive information on areas that your child did well in and areas that need to be developed. It is a valuable learning opportunity.

The competitions are listed below along with their costs and the dates that the money has to be at school. You can enter any number of competitions. You can pay for them all at once or pay for each one as the due date approaches. Please consider entering your child as they are an interesting and useful experience.

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Mrs McDonald

Competition	Closing Date	Cost	Tick if entering
English	28 th June	\$7	
Mathematics	28 th June	\$7	

Name:	 	Class:	

FRIDAY ASSEMBLY ROSTER 2011

Date	Class	Teacher
Term 2		
20 th May *	S3P	Miss Porter
3 rd June	Kinder Green	Miss Mulder
17 th June	S1L	Miss Langley
1 st July *	S1R	Miss Richards
Term 3		
29 th July	S1O	Mr O'Leary
12 th August *	S3H	Miss Christie
9 th September	S3T	Mr Taylor
23 rd September *	Circus	Miss Downs
Term 4		
21 st October	Kinder Blue	Miss Murray
4 th November *	SIS	Miss Seagrott
18 th November	Stage 1 Dance Group	Miss Murray
2 nd December *	Stage 2 Dance Group	Miss Murray

* At these assemblies we will hand out Bronze, Silver and Gold Awards.

All assemblies are in the school hall at 1.00 pm.

