



NEWS BULLETIN

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Wednesday 24 August
AECG Meeting 11.00 am
High School

Friday 26 August
Staff Development Day
Pupil Free Day

Tuesday 30 August
School Photos

Wednesday 31 August
Meet the Staff Evening
High School for Year 6

Friday 2 September
Western Region Athletics
1P Formal Assembly

Monday 5 September
P & C Meeting 7.00 pm

Tuesday 6 September
Stage 1 Public Speaking
1.00 pm

Tuesday 13 December
Presentation Day

Allergy AAA School

this means that children,
parents, carers and visitors are
asked **NOT TO WEAR**
anything scented as we have
children with severe allergies
in our school.

Please: NO nuts
(including nutella)

SCHOOL BANKING

MONDAYS



Our congratulations go to the forty students who participated in the school Spelling Bee last Friday. To identify two students from each stage to represent our school in the Regional Spelling Bee, students in Stage 2 progressed through six rounds and Stage 3 students worked through ten rounds of spelling.

The school champions in each stage of the Spelling Bee were Gemma O'Bryan and Emma Buckland. Joining them at Dubbo for the Regional rounds are Yasmine Dargin and Mikaylah Sallows, both of whom came second in their respective events. We wish them well at the next level.

NAPLAN Reports

The National Assessment Program: Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) reports to parents were distributed last week. If your child participated in NAPLAN testing and you have not received a report, please contact the school.

Pupil Free Day on Friday

The staff development day for our school for Term 3 is this Friday – Show Day. This is a pupil free day at our school.

School Photos

School photos will be taken next Tuesday, 30 August. Students are expected to be in full school uniform, with hair neatly done. All students will have their photograph taken, even if a package is not ordered.

Envelopes need to be returned as soon as possible. Family envelopes are available through the front office.

AECG Meeting

The next Aboriginal Education Consultative Group (AECG) meeting will be held this Wednesday, 24 August at Condobolin High School from 11.00 am. We would love to see any interested parents, carers and community come along to this meeting.

P&C Meeting

The next P&C meeting will be held in the school library on Monday, 5 September from 7.00 pm. All parents are welcome to attend. Results of the uniform survey will be discussed.



Kalub & Billie (6R)
Sophie (V Captain)
Blake & Elly (2B)

Week 5
Attendance Award

Deb Nay
Principal



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CANTEEN NEWS

Specials:

Wednesday: Flame Grilled Chicken or Spicy Chicken Burger \$5.00

Thursday: Meatball Subway or Sweet Chilli Chicken Sub \$5.00

Slam Special: Slam + chips + poppa \$5.00 (Chicken/Hawaiian/Beef)

If you are able to help in the school canteen, please see Cee. There have been a number of days lately when there has been no one to help in the canteen. This makes it very hard to get orders made on time.

Stage 1 Public Speaking Reminder

Year 1 and Year 2 students have been invited to participate in a mini Public Speaking Event, as an extra curricula activity. Children who would like to participate, are invited to prepare and rehearse a one minute speech around **one** of the following topics –

My Pet

My Favourite Book

My Family

When I Grow Up



Speeches are to be prepared and practiced at home but Ms Horvat will be available to help students during some lunch and recess breaks. Please send a copy of the speech as a work-in-progress, with your child to school if he/she would like some help with it.

Friends and family will be able to come along and listen to students present their speeches in front of an audience in our school hall on **Tuesday 6th of September, 2016 at 1:00 pm.**



Bronze Awards



Tips for Reading with a Child

**Reread your child's favourite books whenever asked.
This helps your child to memorise words and language
patterns one of the first steps to learning to read!**

Brought to you by Born to Read Condobolin Committee



Tips for Reading with a Child

**Books can travel - take a book for your child wherever
you go - the doctor, shopping, a car trip and on holidays**

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Silver Awards



Gold Awards



Platinum Awards

Year 6 Peer Support

Reflections



I hate peer support but in a good way. At first you are shy and embarrassed and as you go on you get attached to your group. I wish it would go on longer. Jarrood

When peer support started I didn't feel brave but now I feel braver to talk to other people. I feel that I have a connection with my peer students and I made more friends during peer support training. When I walk into the kinder room I can feel the happiness of the kids and that makes me feel happy. I will miss my peer support students and Mondays will never feel the same. Emily

I had a good time in the 8 weeks in 2B but then it was all over. Mark

I had fun with the kids in peer support and I had fun in the 8 weeks. I want to do peer support again. I can't believe it's all over. 3F is like one of the best groups I ever had. It was the best time ever in peer support. Ezekiel

What I liked about peer support is that the kids were so amazing. I liked to teach them and to have fun with them. Thank you to Miss Olivia and Miss Shipway for helping me. Kaiden

We have been having so much fun, the students have been the best. I will miss everyone I have made friends with in 2B. Kalub

What I liked about peer support was being able to teach 3K students. Leah

I mostly liked that everybody had fun and so did the leaders. I didn't like it if students missed out. Walter.

I liked seeing the kids happy and having fun. I liked how they were with us and how I was sad when we said goodbye. Mackenzie

Having a break from the normal school work and having fun. Ian

The things I most enjoyed was being able to be like a teacher and teaching the wonderful students. Kiara

I enjoyed seeing kids being happy. Mrs Bartlett, Thank you for letting me into your class to teach your students. They were very well behaved. Toby

I most liked that we had fun and I was able to help others. Taylisha

The things I mostly enjoyed were making the kids laugh. I am sad that there is no peer support. Savannah

I mostly liked how we had a lot of fun and they listened to me and I was doing all of the talking. Chyanne

I like peer support because my class was so much fun. I enjoyed leading a class and know that if I got stuck on anything Mrs King would help me. Sophie

I liked meeting the children and getting to know them better. I used to just know them as people at my school but now I know them as friends. I also got to know Kaiden my Co-Leader better. I have learnt many skills from peer support. Thank you Mrs Packham and Mrs Bartlett. Billie

I really liked peer support this term and will be looking forward to doing it next term thank you Mrs Packham for this term. Jamall

I liked playing games, reaching the kids and having fun. Anonymous

I liked the fun sessions and helping others. Anonymous





CONDOBOLIN PUBLIC SCHOOL

Condobolin Public School has one position available for a
Personalised Learning Support (Norta Norta) Tutor

Personalised Learning Support Tutors will:

- Provide support to targeted Aboriginal students to improve their literacy and/or numeracy achievements.
- Assist students to develop skills and understandings that enable them to independently participate in class activities.
- Work closely with the teacher to ensure the tuition provided is relevant to their learning needs.
- Maintain a structured timetable in negotiation with teachers to ensure all eligible students receive tutor support.
- Keep a record to communicate observations and information about each student to the class teacher.
- Assist teachers as requested to communicate and provide feedback to parents, caregivers and community members.
- Attend, where possible, professional learning activities to develop effective strategies in providing tutorial support to Aboriginal students.

Suitable Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander people have priority for employment, other applicants are encouraged to apply.

Applicants will need to have an approved Working with Children Check and complete a Prohibited Employment Declaration.

Employment will be for up to 12 weeks, 5 days a week on a part time/casual basis or its equivalent.

Pay Rate: \$31.87 per hour

Applicants are asked to submit their application addressing the above criteria and CV with at least two referees to:

Ms Deborah Nay
Principal
Condobolin Public School
Molong Street, Condobolin NSW 2877

Applications close 24 August 2016

**KIDS CAN JOIN THE FUN AND
LEARN TO PLAY CRICKET**
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Condobolin Junior Cricket

Junior – Year 3 to Year 6

Secondary – Year 7 to Year 12

Milo Cricket – Kindergarten to Year 2

JUNIOR / SECONDARY CRICKET

- For both girls and boys
- Fun, Social and Competitive
- Played Saturday mornings, 8.30am
- Training offered with your team during the week
- Equipment not needed



MILO in2CRICKET



- For both girls and boys
- Great fun, safe and kids learn basic cricket skills and is for kids of all abilities
- Develops fundamental movement skills
- All equipment supplied
- Saturday mornings for 1 – 1.5hrs
- Kids receive a bonus players pack upon registration

Registration this year you will be able to register online or at the Registration Days at the Sports Club Friday 9th and Friday 16th September 3pm to 4.30pm.

More details to follow after the 19th August in relation to costs and how to register online.

Cricket will commence Saturday 15th October 2016.

Further Information: Condobolin Junior Cricket Facebook Page is up dated regularly or

Contact: President: Gavin Stuckey 0429 952 502

Secretary: Elizabeth Keen 0409 893 982

Seminars for Parents and Educators

Condobolin 19th September 2016

SPEECH-LANGUAGE-READING-SPELLING



ABOUT THE PRESENTER

Karen Trengove - Speech Pathologist

Karen is the founder of Learn2Communicate and has over 20 years of speech pathology experience. She is passionate about helping educators support children to develop speech, language and literacy skills. Karen has presented widely at state and national conferences and is also the author of three resource kits designed specifically for Australian early childhood educators available at www.learn2communicate.com.au



ABOUT THE SEMINARS

Learning to communicate is the most important skill we will develop in our lifetimes. Children can become Effective Communicators (EYLF Outcome 5) only if Speech Pathologists, Parents and Educators work in partnership to nurture children's speech and language skills.

Seminar 1 PRESCHOOL 9:30-12:00 will cover the 'Red Flags' for identifying speech, language and communication difficulties. Karen will also share her '10 Tips for Talking' with participants guaranteed to boost speech and language development in all young children. Activities to help children with speech difficulties and building reading readiness in preschool aged children will also be addressed in this seminar.

Seminar 2 SCHOOL 1:00 - 5:00 will provide parents and educators with a step by step approach to implement a synthetic phonics approach for reading and spelling in the early years. This approach will enhance rather than replace any existing programmes used in your school (K-2) and is based upon developing clear speech and then building solid phonological awareness and effective oral language skills for all students. Reading and spelling can then be taught in a planned, purposeful and developmentally appropriate sequence.

Limited Numbers first in best dressed.

RSVP by the 12th of September.

Contact Kate Maloney: 0417511954

PARTICIPANTS WILL RECIEVE

- * Instruction in how to use the technique of 'Cued Articulation' to help children develop specific speech sounds
- * Screening tools to Identify speech and language difficulties
- * Demonstrated '10 Tips for Talking' language facilitation techniques
- * A clear framework for developing emergent and early literacy skills
- * Option to attend either seminar or both!

BOTH SEMINARS SUITABLE FOR:

Parent and Educators of children aged
3-8 years



