 Principal’s Message

Congratulations to all the Year 4, 5 and 6 students who participated in the PSSA Trials. Each student representing our school displayed courage, determination, skill, sportsman ship and true Coorabell Public School spirit.

Thank you Mrs Cottrill for organising the Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary excursion for Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 this Wednesday. And also for the wonderful job you are doing with Dolphins this year especially considering the class changes that particularly impacted on the Dolphins. Mrs Cottrill’s teaching skills and expertise allowed these changes to proceed with minimal upheaval.

Thank you Lisa and Michelle for the delicious Hamburgers last Friday.

Thank you to the parents for your ongoing support and consideration on what has proven to be a challenging start to the school year.

 Important Dates

March   Sat  23   Meet and Greet BBQ
       Tues  26   Turtles Parent info day at 3.30pm changed from April 9
       Fri  29   Good Friday Holiday
April  Mon  1   Easter Holiday
       Tues  2   Normal School Day
       Wed  3   Yr 5/6 Drama/Music at G P S
       Thur  4   Yr 5/6 Drama/Music at G P S
May   Sat  18   Billycart Derby in Bangalow

 CLASS CAMEO - Lizards

What a flying start to the year the Lizards have had – perhaps we should call ourselves The Wise Owls? We’ve embraced our literacy and numeracy sessions and have produced some wonderful pieces entitled “My Family Is Special” and “An Important Event in my Life”.

The Lizards are wonderful “mathemagicians” and never cease to amaze us all with their knowledge of number and shapes. We love our “Hey Now Kids” skip counting song which will be coming to an assembly near you very soon! Everyone is thoroughly enjoying our daily adventure into magical worlds as we read from The Big Book of Tashi. Class Dojo is another big favourite as is BrainGym. Our “Wombat Wobble” performance was a great success too!

Keep it up Lizards!
Harmony Day

This Thursday, 21st March is Harmony Day. The SRC have organised a fun dress-up day. Children can come dressed in a costume from another country or dressed in the colours of another country, eg. red, white and blue for France; yellow and red for Spain.

We would like all children to bring a gold coin donation and the money raised will go to the Red Cross for their work both here and internationally.

Happy Harmony Day! ~ Student Rep Council

My First Year

There has been some confusion when the My First Year lift out will be in the paper. The date is Monday 25th March 2013 and it will be a lift out for all the Kindy class photos from across the region inside The Northern Star.

Assembly Awards

Possums: Harry for great listening skills and being ready to learn; Harena for always being on task and willing to learn.

Lizards: Jesua for a great improvement in handwriting; Luis for writing an impressive exposition

Eagles: Matilda for her creativity and performance; Jude for his diligence and application

Dolphins: Lily for an outstanding classroom attribute.

Turtles: Bella for her mature and diligent approach to school; Matthew for his outstanding attitude towards all educational tasks.

SRC Awards ~ INTEGRITY

Lizards: Hope  Dolphins: Amika  Turtles: Eve

Protest Banners

Eagles children have been learning about persuasive text. They created protest banners to show their desire for more yummy Friday school lunches.

Here they are with Lisa and Michelle who heard their cries and came to the rescue this week.

PARENT ACTION SYMBOL

Parents - this symbol is an easy way to identify what you need to action this week.

Meet & Greet

On Saturday 23rd March 2013 we are having a Sausage Sizzle BBQ at the Coorabell Hall commencing at 3 pm.

This afternoon is to welcome back our parent community and also new parents, students and staff to Coorabell P S.

The school will provide some entertainment in the form of Singing, Dancing, Poetry and an Art Display.

We would like all students to be involved and look forward to seeing you all there on the day.

It would be greatly appreciated if parents could bake a cake to bring along.

Billycart Derby

The Bangalow Billycart Derby is coming up on the 18th May if you and your child are interested in entering a cart this year please contact Mr Coghlan at the school before 28th March.

Outside School Hours Care

Outside School Hours Care is being conducted at Bangalow P S. If you are interested in this service please contact the co-ordinator Sian on 66871683 and call into the Coorabell School office to pick up the information sheet which has the days, times and fees.
P & C LUNCHES - ROSTER

P & C LUNCHES - Cost $4.00 per lunch

Many thanks to our lunch mums and dads for volunteering their time on our lunch roster. Only one space left this term. Please put your name on the roster below if you can help on this Friday and return to school. Thanks

All expenses are reimbursed by the P&C. Just remember to keep all your receipts. Lunch suggestions: burritos/veg and meat, pizzas, soups, nori rolls, pasta dishes, lasagna, sausage rolls/cheese and spinach rolls, sausage sizzles......or try something new! Try to provide a meat/vegetarian alternative.

Lunches need to be ready at 1.00pm. The Possums will be served first at this time with the rest to follow from 1.05pm.

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LUNCH ORDER ~ Friday March 22

P & C Lunches this week will be hosted by Anna Edgely & Erin McMaster Cost of Lunch is still $4.00 which includes a fruit sorbet treat. Please have money & order handed into the classroom notes/ money box by Wednesday morning.

............. Ham and Pineapple or ............Vegetarian Pizza plus a healthy treat

Name................................................................................................................. Class ................. Enclosed $ ..................