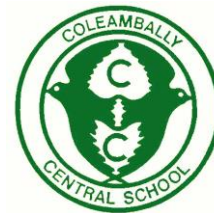




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Education

Week 5 Term 3

16th August 2016

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Coming up at Coleambally Central School Week 5 Term 3

Monday 15 th August	PBL Draw Stage 6 Biology Tutorial 3.30pm Stage 6 Textiles Tutorial 3.30pm Stage 3 Orienteering/Forest BBQ
Tuesday 16 th August	Year 7 scripture K-7 "A Swag of Tales" performance UNSW Maths Competition Guitar lessons
Wednesday 17 th August	5c challenge reward afternoon Years 5/6 and 11 Stage 6 English Tutorial 3.30pm
Thursday 18 th August	Primary Landcare
Friday 19 th August	Primary Assembly 2.25pm Year 3 Chess Griffith Year 12 Cake stall recess/lunch

Week 6 Term 3

Monday 22 nd August	PBL Draw Stage 6 Biology Tutorial 3.30pm Stage 6 Textiles Tutorial 3.30pm Kinder Information Evening 5.30pm
Tuesday 23 rd August	Year 7 scripture Guitar lessons
Wednesday 24 th August	Kinder Orientation afternoon 12.30pm Stage 6 PDHPE Tutorial 3.30pm CHS Rugby League Finals Dubbo
Thursday 25 th August	Primary Landcare CHS Rugby League Finals Dubbo
Friday 26 th August	CHS Rugby League Finals Dubbo

Tyh Principals Report

This week began with a great start with Mr Watts and Mrs Doherty leading the Years 4, 5 and 6 Orienteering Day on Monday. I was fortunate enough to participate in this exciting learning program and saw first-hand how well our primary school students put their Maths hats on to navigate through some pretty interesting challenges. Thanks to Mr Watts for organising this event and all the parents who assisted, and of course, well done to all our students who engaged so positively in the activities during the day's events.

Riverina Sporting Success

In week 4, 12 students qualified to represent Coleambally Central School and the South West Zone at the Riverina Athletics Carnival. Well done to all the competing students, they performed extremely well, with many only narrowly missing the medals. Congratulations and best wishes to the following students who have qualified to represent Riverina at the CHS State Athletics Championships at Sydney Olympic Park in September after finishing first or second in their event:

Carissa Bellato	2 nd U14's 400m
Phoebe White	1 st U14's High Jump
Emma Dunbar	1 st Opens 1500m, 2 nd 800m and 2 nd 400m
Joshua Fattore	1 st Opens 100m, 1 st 200m
Thomas Mannes	2 nd Opens Long Jump

Miss Simpson on leave

Miss Bec Simpson our Visual Arts teacher will be on leave for the remainder of the year as of this week. Mrs Kyle Rossato and Mrs Avril Pomare, both trained in Visual Arts will be taking over from Miss Simpson.

New Stage 5 Year Advisor

Mrs Mackie will take over the Stage 5 Year advisor position in place of Miss Simpson starting Monday 15th August. Mrs Mackie has much to offer in this new role and will be a wonderful leader for our Year 9 and 10 students. Congratulations Mrs Mackie.

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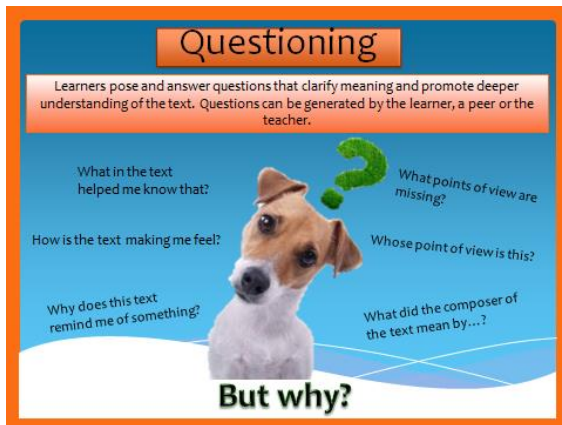
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Questioning

Our Literacy focus continues this week with the essential skill of Questioning being promoted across classes. Good readers ask questions before, during and after they have read a text. Sometimes the question may not be answered by the text at all and we have to find another source of information to help with our comprehension of the text or topic.

Asking and answering questions helps us look for information, which builds understanding.



Trial HSC Timetable and Examinations

Stage 6 students did receive their Trial Higher School Certificate examination time table on Monday. Spare copies are available from the office.

Trial HSC examinations will take place from Monday 29th – Wednesday 31st August. If a student is absent on the day then procedures, as outlined in the Stage 6 Assessment Schedule, should be followed.

This is a critical time for our Stage 6 students who should be revising and preparing and practicing examination style responses. Being well prepared is never a disadvantage.

HSC Tutorials

HSC tutorials continue this week. Just a reminder to students that Biology and Textiles and Designs tutorials are on this Monday and English tutorials continue Wednesday.

5c Reward Challenge

This Wednesday afternoon, our winning 5c challenge classes will enjoy their reward from this P&C fundraiser. Congratulations to Years 5/6 and 11 for their excellent contribution and the P&C for their continued fundraising efforts to support our school.

Stage 5 and Stage 6 Subject Selections

Stage 5 and Stage 6 subject selection forms were due into the office last Friday. If you have not submitted your selections then please do so immediately. The sooner student choices are collated we can confirm which subjects will run in 2017 and determine if students need to make alternative subject selections.

Please contact Mrs Crelley or Mr Maddern if you have any questions regarding subject selections.

A Swag of Tales Tuesday 16th August

Participating K-7 students will enjoy A Swag of Tales performance which leads students through a bit of history starting in England with a convict court case and covers the voyage to Australia, early settlement, the Gold Rush, Bushrangers, Squatters and the age of the Swagman.

Year 12 Cake Stall

On Friday 19th August Year 12 will be holding a cake stall fundraiser during both recess and lunch. Please support our students and purchase some delicious cakes.

Vietnam 2017

A reminder to parents and students participating in the Vietnam Excursion that instalment 2 is due by next Friday 26th August. Also please ensure all necessary documentation is provided to Mrs Crelley or the office as soon as possible if you have not already.

Thankyou

Meagan Crelley
Principal

COLEAMBALLY

CENTRAL SCHOOL

2017 Kindergarten Parents

Parent Information Session

Monday 22nd August 2016

5.30pm – 6.30pm

in the School Library

2017 Kindergarten Students

Orientation Afternoon

Tuesday 23rd August 2016

12.30pm – 3.00pm

in the Kindergarten room

PBL News



Congratulations go to Jack Cullen, Bryce Rogers, Laura Mannes and Millie Rossato our PBL winners for Monday.

Secondary News

Career News

Wiseman's Organics Traineeship on offer. Send resume to Gina Wiseman
Wiseman's Organics
23 Kingfisher Avenue Coleambally NSW 2707
Or call Gina Wiseman for further details on 02 6954 4339

Year 12

UAC (Universities Admission Centre) applications now open on line applications close 30th September. Fee \$41. ATAR results released by UAC, the day after HSC results released, Friday 16th December. Your UAC pin will be posted home after you register online. For participating SRS institutions see: <http://www.uac.edu.au/rsr/>
It is really worthwhile applying for SRS or Early Entry. Some institutions give unconditional entry based on your marks so far and interview. See CSU, UOW, WSU, Uni of Canberra.

•Western Sydney University – Early offer program
<http://www.westernsydney.edu.au/informationabout/bonuspoints/earlyoffer>

Year 10 Work Experience

A reminder that Student Placement Records and accompanying paperwork are due to Mrs Munro this week. It is Department of Education policy that students complete their paperwork and necessary safety learning before being allowed to go on work experience.

Apprenticeship

Automotive Parts Interpreter Cummins, Leeton
Send Letter and Resume to admin@getset.org.au or post to
GetSet Group Training Services
PO Box 161
Leeton NSW 2705
Applications close Wednesday 24 August 2016.
For further enquiries please contact
Frank Valenzisi 0447 538 700

Whole School News

Premiers Reading Challenge

Premier's Reading Challenge Deadline looms!

The Premier's Reading Challenge wraps up on Friday, August 19th.

Make sure your reading records are up to date in order to qualify for a certificate.

Students in Years 3-9 must read at least 15 books from the PRC list plus 5 own choice books to qualify. You can access the challenge through the Student Portal.

If you prefer to manually write your list, the paperwork is available from the library.

School Photos

Our school photos will be taken on Thursday the 1st September 2016.

For the convenience of our school community, school photos can be ordered and paid for online using a secure online platform. Orders placed online DO NOT require an envelope, cash/cheques or paperwork returned to school. Envelope Orders: photos can also be purchased in the traditional manner using an envelope, with cash/cheque enclosed.

The preference of our school is that orders and payments be made online, as this reduces the administration and associated security issues related to the return of cash and envelopes on photo day.

To place your order visit www.advancedlife.com.au and enter the code- [J59 ZAS RKT]. This code can also be found printed on your envelope. Please be aware that-

1. Sibling/Family Photos can be ordered online or via envelope. To ensure a smoothly run photo day, online orders for Sibling/Family Photos will be cut off at 12.00 a.m. the night before our photo day to allow a list of students that require Sibling/Family Photographs taken to be compiled. Sibling photos can still be ordered after the online cut-off date by collecting an envelope from the office and returning the envelope on photo day with your payment enclosed.

2. All online orders should be placed on or before our day of photography.

3. The online code above may also be used to order sports and other group photos.

Please do not return photo envelopes until photo day 1st September. Family photo envelopes are available at the office and photos will be taken at lunch time.

Community Announcements

Romeo and Juliet

Morundah Bush Entertainment Committee Incorporated Presents Romeo and Juliet, the eternal love story, on Saturday 17th September, 7.30pm at the Paradise Palladium Theatre Browley Street Morundah. Tickets available 6959 7417 after 11am, adults \$50 and children under 15 \$25.