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Coming up at Coleambally Central School
Week 3 Term 3
Monday 27th July
Education Week/Book fair
Tuesday 28th July
K-6 Education week activities
12.30pm
English Competition
Wednesday 29th July
Year 7-12 Parent/Teacher Interviews
Trent Barrett Leeton
Year 7 Scripture
Thursday 30th July
Maths Competition
Peer Support
Friday 31st July
Primary Assembly 12.45pm
Kindergarten
CHS Regional Athletics Albury
HSC English study day
Planet Ark tree day 1.30-2.10pm

Week 4 Term 3
Monday 3rd August
Year 10 Biodiversity Excursion
Tuesday 4th August
Primary Chess Griffith
Wednesday 5th August
Peer Support
Stage 6 Food TechTutorial
Thursday 6th August
Year 7 Scripture
Stage 6 Chemistry Tutorial
Friday 7th August
PSSA Zone Athletics Griffith
Jeans for Genes day

Principals Report
This week students in Years 7-12 and their parents will have the opportunity to meet with teachers across all subjects to discuss their progress over the last semester. A booking sheet has been sent home with students last week and appointments are available in 10 minutes time slots from 3.50pm to 6.30 pm on the night. This is a fantastic opportunity to touch base with our teachers so please come along. Appointments are still available for Wednesday 29th July. This is also an very useful opportunity for those students in Years 8, 10 and 11 to have further discussions with their teachers about specific subjects they are considering for 2016 and beyond.

Coleambally Central School celebrates Education Week
Public Schools NSW Tuesday 28 July 2015.
This Tuesday our K-6 students will be sharing their achievements with parents and relatives as we all join in ‘Celebrating Local Heroes’ for Education Week 2015. Our day will begin at 12:30pm with a warm school welcome on the lawns outside the Primary classrooms, followed by a sausage sizzle lunch. Once students and parents have had the opportunity to eat lunch, parents will be invited into classrooms to view their child’s learning journey. Our students are very proud of their achievements, as we are as a school, and it is a wonderful opportunity to be involved in this process. Our well-resourced library will also be open during our lunchtime session for students and parents to view and order any books on offer for this year’s Book Fair. Mrs Mansell, our librarian, will have many interesting books on display for purchasing. The day will finish with a Trivia afternoon in the hall. Parents are most welcome to stay and be part of a team to battle it out for Top Trivia Team 2015. I will be accompanying our School Captains, Alicia Hudson, Chloe Lafsly, Sally Foster and Maddie Rainbird to Finley High School on Wednesday 29th August, as part of our local school network Education Week celebrations. Vicki Kempton, Director, Public School NSW Deniliquin network, will oversee proceedings on this very special occasion.

Celebrating
LOCAL HEROES
EDUCATION WEEK 2015
WHO ARE THEY?
DO YOU KNOW ANY HEROES?
Coleambally Central School
Welcome you to K-6 Education Week
Celebration Thursday 30th July

RESPONSIBLE
SAFE
RESPECTFUL
Stage 5 and 6 Subject Selections due date: Friday August 7th 2015
The time is drawing nearer for students to have their subject selections for 2016 submitted. The closing date is Friday 7th August. Please feel free to hand them into the office or Mrs Crelley beforehand if you have made your mind up.

Have a fantastic week.

Meagan Crelley
Principal

Primary News

Assembly Awards

Kinder
Nag Kaigala  Welcome to CCS
Cloey Kook  Huge effort during reading groups
Max Patterson  Taking great pride in all his learning

Year 1
Marli Simoes  100% effort in all learning areas
Lucy Bolton  Excellent progress in story writing
Declan McKinnon  Enthusiastic attitude towards learning

Year 2
Elise Munro  Fantastic work in reading
Pia Fattore  Outstanding work in spelling
Hunter Roberts  Quick computations in maths
Ned Harris  Quick computations in maths
Archie Boag  Sub Junior Cross Country champion

Year 3
Chloe Evans  Beautiful handwriting and neat book work
Logan Smith  Being a good sport during fitness games
Madeline Perkins  Sharing ideas and contributing to group discussions

Year 4
Mason Diggs  Improved effort in spelling
Eloise Jay  Always showing motivation and self-direction in all areas
Sam Davie  Being a wonderful helper

Year 5/6
Charlotte Young  Displaying genuine enjoyment in reading
Jordan Mannes  Starting and completing tasks quickly
Sally Evans  Demonstrating a renewed sense of pride in all areas

Mathletics awards

Tayla DeMamiel
Georgie Tooth  Hayden Payne

Police and Health Talks
K-6 would like to thank Community Nurse Monica Whelan and Constable Janelle Lynch for coming to CCS to speak to us about health and safety. We all learnt a lot of important things.

Secondary News

Year 9 Assessment – Task 3 – Chemical Reactions
You will undertake a practical test to examine skills learnt during the Chemistry topic. You should revise your notes from the chemistry topic, especially the practicals that we did in class.
Date: 12th August 2015 (Wednesday week 3, during class)
Duration: 50 minutes
Weighting: 10%
Topic: Chemistry
Equipment required: Blue/black pen, pencil, eraser, calculator, ruler.

CHS Regional Athletics
Good luck to the following students who will be competing at the CHS Riverina athletics this Friday in Albury. Tiana Cadorin, Jessica Bellato, Emma Dunbar, Angela Rainbird, Hannah Clarke, Thomas Fattore, Jai Coe, Harry Tooth, Michael Connor, Tom Mannes, Makayla Johnson, Tessa Evans, Jack Cullen and Ayden Conlan.

Jane Strachan

University of Technology
Congratulations to Krystal Birmingham and Allira Campbell who were selected to attend the University of Technology Sydney's (UTS) school holiday program. UTS paid for all travel, accommodation, meals and activities for the participants. The girls were selected from students Australia wide. They enjoyed the opportunity to meet other Aboriginal students and to see what Uni has to offer.
Another successful Work Experience program saw our 27 Year 10 students get out and about and try their hands at life in the workforce. Well done!

Work Experience 2015

Working at Cypress View Lodge was a good experience, I got to see how the residents lived, the things they did and their daily routine. They enjoyed having me there, helping them with their painting, drawing etc. One of the ladies even painted me a canvas and wrote me a poem. It was very eye opening.

Cassidy Gilbert

Working at the day care in Griffith was a real eye opener. Although I did enjoy it, I don’t think I would pursue child care as my future career. The workers there were lovely and the children were nice and I had a really good time.

Tessa Evans

I worked at the Yambil Street Vet in Griffith. I watched five operations. I helped desex a joey and a cat.

Krystal Birmingham

At Leeton Hospital I had a lot of fun and enjoyed myself. I helped old people, showered, looked after pregnant ladies and attended the critical care unit. I had lots of fun.

Annie Blackett
Working at Altina was a really good experience. I got to see how it ran behind the scenes. I had a lot of fun and really enjoyed myself. Playing with the animals was the best part.

Tom Mannes

Working at Darlington Point public school was a great experience. I helped in both kindergarten and year 1 / 2 with anything. They were well behaved and a pleasure to be around.

Molly Young

Whole School News

Book Fair
The library is holding a Carnival Book Fair during Education Week (July 27-31) during lunchtime. Students have the option to purchase books and stationary, with a percentage of the sales going toward the purchase of library resources. Parents are welcome to come to the library for a look at any time during school hours. Hope to see you there!

Danica Mansell
Librarian

Planet Ark
This Friday students have the opportunity to participate in Planet Ark’s Schools Tree Day. Students K-12 are welcome to join in caring for our school. The action will take place at lunchtime. Mrs Tooth will be leading the activities. All interested students can meet under the primary COLA. Students will receive a certificate from Planet Ark.

Mrs Munro

Science week Poster Competition
Create a poster for Coleambally Central School Science week fair. Theme: Making Waves: The Science of Light Include on the poster; National Science week, Coleambally Central School, Science week fair. 14th August @ Coleambally Community Hall 9.30am – 2.30pm school students. 2.30pm – 4.30pm community members welcome. Prize: iTunes Voucher Due 27th July 2015 to Mr APTED

Canteen News
Soup special for Monday- Sweet corn and chicken.

Community Announcements

Riverina Vintage Machinery Field
P&C will be catering on these two days on 8th/9th August. We will be providing hot dogs, soups, sandwiches, cakes/slices/muffins/scones, tea and coffee. If you could assist in anyway by donating some time to serve on the stall or by making sandwiches or by making slice/cake/muffins or soup on either day it would be greatly appreciated. With the heavy commitments many families have to various sports that weekend, we will be most grateful for any assistance you can give us.

Please contact Penny Sheppard on 6954 9157 or ppshop@bigpond.com if you can help in any way on either day. Donations of cakes/slice/muffins can be left at the school office on Friday, 7th August.

Auskick and Net Set Go
Auskick and Net Set Go will finish this Friday 31st July. A presentation day for Auskick and Nebball, Net Set Go and South west juniors is yet to be announced. Please note this date will be announced in the Newsletter in the near future.

Coleambally Tennis Club
AGM – Dinner meeting Tuesday 11th August 2015 At the Brolga Hotel From 7pm.all new, old and current Members welcome for more information contact Colleen Mader 0428 531 876

Fusion
Fusion Day Trip on Saturday August 15th - Register and pay in full by August 7th for the Early bird price of $80. (Includes transport, food, toboggan, snow boots and pants and snow park entry). After the 7th price increases to $90. - bring a friend get $10 off your cost. Contact Marg Fletcher on 0428544018. Paperwork at Tuckshop or the School Office - please leave Permission Sheet and Money in an envelope at the school office.

Bendigo Bank School Banking
Don’t forget Coleambally Community Bank is once again doing school banking. The Bendigo Staff will pick up the students banking every Wednesday at 11am from the school office and return the bank books to school once the transaction has been completed. Every time a student sends in school banking they will go into the monthly draw to win a football or netball. If your child does not currently have a Bendigo Bank account don’t hesitate to drop into the Coleambally Community Bank and speak to one of our friendly staff to open an account. If you have any questions regarding school banking please don’t hesitate to contact the bank on 69 544192.

CFNC
Coleambally football netball club will be hosting a preliminary final for south west juniors on Sunday 9th August. Volunteers are needed for canteen, football and netball duties if you are able to help please contact: Monica 0427 326 885 or Danny 0427 548 545 or Kim 0428 541 514

Commonwealth Bank School banking
Remember school banking is Tuesday’s.
On Tuesday the 21st Kinder through to year 6 had a visit from Janelle Lynch, the police school liaison officer. Janelle spoke to us about safety, at school and safety after school.

Amber and Lilly in handcuffs
Community Nurse Monica Whelan visited our school on Wednesday 22nd August. She taught us what we need to do when we feel sick, how to use a stethoscope, how to find our pulse and she tested Mrs Tooth’s blood pressure and sugar levels. Kindergarten loved having Monica visit our classroom and talk about her role in the community.

By Kindergarten

Jai checking his heart

The Hum of the Hive – A poem about year 5/6

If you get too close to old room 6 you’ll hear the hum of the hive. The place where shouts and shrieks abound, you’ll know that you’ve arrived.

And if you should walk through the door and see the busy bees

There are some that’ll make you cranky and some that make you pleased.

For talking loud and walking round and shouting across the room

Any classroom visitor would most definitely assume These beasts that dwell within the class need nailing to the floor And why their poor, poor teacher keeps coming back for more.

Well, let me tell you something, and it might make you laugh To know that tired and worn out teacher loves this noisy class Like all that came before them and after when they’re gone He’ll remember every one of them…… Nah! ….. Joking….. I’m having you on.