Principal's Report

I would like to welcome all of the kids back to school. They look fantastic in the new school uniform.

As the weather is getting very hot I would like to ask parents to remind our kids to wear their broad brimmed hats. The sun is very strong and can burn even in the morning play.

If you come to school, make sure you have a look at the foyer. It has had a substantial makeover. Our new school badge looks really great, as do the new colours. The new logo will be ready next week for the front of the administration building.

The children have come back refreshed and ready to learn. I have seen so many kids with work which shows they have a commitment to continuous improvement. They are really trying hard to live up to our work motto, “the next thing I do will be the best thing I do!” It is continuous small improvements which lead to deep understanding and embed a commitment to quality improvement.

Our preschool has undergone its’ assessment and review and we are pleased to say that we are meeting the National Standards in all aspects and in some we are exceeding the National Standard. I would like to congratulate our preschool staff for the dedication, commitment and passion they have shown to achieve this excellent result. Please come along for our opening ceremony and barbeque next Wednesday 15th October at 10.00am.

As we get ready to finish this year, we are looking forward to next year and planning. If you have any “big ideas” or “small ideas” you would like to see started in our school, please see Mr Noel York our P&C President (usually in the Canteen) and ask for a survey sheet. Alternatively, you may like to write them down and send them to the office. We will value your thoughts and hope to get some feedback from you.

Homework centre will be starting next week. This has been a fantastic program and the students who have been attending have had some valuable assistance with their work. If your child has not been to homework centre and is in years 3-6, they are welcome to come along. Homework centre operates on Wednesdays between the hours of 3:30pm to 5pm.

Welcome back to Casino West Mr and Mrs Campbell. The staff and kids have missed you.

And….. don’t forget to ask your kids what they learnt at school each day. This is a great way to keep in touch with their progress and shows them that you value their education.

Regards Michael Taylor, Principal.

Canteen Roster

Wednesday 8th October
Helen Lynn; Kristy Brown

Thursday 9th October
James Winter; Trista Hickling; Brittany

Friday 10th October
Megan Keogh; Noel York

Monday 13th October
Brittany; Vicki Proctor; Trista Hickling

Tuesday 14th October
Tanah Close; Brittany; Trista Hickling; Kristy Brown

Friday Special
Hot dog and Popper
$3.50

A Message From The AEO

Annual General Meeting for the AECG will be held on Tuesday 22nd October at 12.30pm at the Casino Community Centre in Walker Street. All Welcome.
School sport for Term 4 will be swimming in the morning session on Fridays commencing 17th October 2014 between 9.30 and 11.30am. Cost will be $5.00 - $3.00 pool entry/$2.00 bus fare. Students who have pool passes may use them. A note has gone home today for students.

Student Lunches
Students bringing lunches to school are asked to bring food items in reusable containers. Pull cans have sharp rims and could cut children, thank you.

SRC Award
Danielle B – “Good role model for CWPS”

Stage 2 Awards
3/4H – Talaro W
3/4H – Nikayah H
3/4H - Riley P
3/4W – Johnathan S
3/4W – Trent L
3/4W – Ty S
4/5F – Jaedan H

Stage 3 Awards
5/6M – Annie H
5/6M – Logan M
5/6M – Maleik K
5/6M – Josh L
5/6T – Angela G
5/6TC – Brianna B
4/5F – Melitah R
4/5F – Corbin W

Raffle Winners
5/6T – Cheyne A
5/6T – Nicholas S

Norta Norte Awards
Ashley A
Talara C
Shannelle C
Tyreeke S
Tarron K
Kianna A
Jon C
Tim McG

Term 4 Sport for Primary Students
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Infants K-2 Assemblies Term 4

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Homework Centre
Term 4 Week 2-Week 6
3.30pm – 5.00pm
- Homework Centre will operate this term in the library.
- Afternoon tea will be provided to students.
- Parents need to collect students at 5.00pm.
Regards Mrs Newton.

School Banking every Thursday

Southern Cross Uni-Bound Primary Program
On Friday 24th October students in Year 5 and 6 will attend a fantastic morning at Southern Cross University. This will cover the world of work and careers by offering programs that are age appropriate and curriculum enriching whilst sparking imagination and curiosity in students. Students will travel by bus on the day and there will be no cost to students.

A note will go home this week with more information.
Regards Mr Campbell.
BUY, SWAP & SELL MEET
Tools, Car parts, Motorbike parts
GIANT GARAGE SALE
You never know what you will find!
Anything Goes! Come on, Come along!
HOT FOOD & DRINKS AVAILABLE
Admission by Gold Coin Donation.
Sunday 2nd November 2014 - Gates open at 6.30am

Where: Casino West Public School Playground, 84a Hotham St, Casino

Stall Hire: $10.00 per stall -- Stall Set up: by 6.00am
To make a Booking or for more information
please contact Noel on 0413 917 552

CASINO WEST PUBLIC SCHOOL
Invites new school students enrolling for Kindergarten or Preschool in 2015 to attend Casino West Public School
3 day Orientation program on the following days.
Wednesday 22nd October 2014
Wednesday 29th October 2014
Wednesday 5th November 2014
9.00am – 11.00am

Parent Information Morning
Wednesday 22nd October 2014
9.00am – 11.00am

KINDERGARTEN AND PRESCHOOL ORIENTATION DAYS
At Casino West Public School students learn in a stimulating environment where they are encouraged to reach their full potential. Our strong academic, sporting, cultural programs and dedicated staff offer your child the best opportunities for success.

Enquiries
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