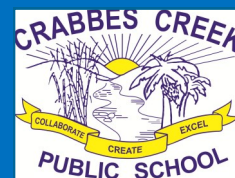


Crabbes Creek Public School Newsletter

Friday 11 November 2022
Term 4 Week 5



Principals Message

It was wonderful to see the students of Crabbes Creek PS engaging in the water safety program and make such quick progress. Learning to swim is an important life skill. It promotes a healthy, active lifestyle and allows the children to enjoy the many wonderful leisure activity our spectacular part of the world has to offer.

A huge congratulations to our P&C and the disco sub committee who organised a wonderful evening of Halloween fun for the children. The raffle was also a great success. Everyone who attended reported having a fantastic time. This week I met with Mr Simpson, who will be teaching music one day a week next year. Our initial planning involves Mr Simpson not only working with the children but with upskilling the staff in integrating music into daily routines. Our overarching aim is to enhance a positive culture of music at Crabbes Creek PS.

It has been thrilling to see the excitement and smiling faces of next year's Kinder students each Wednesday. It has also been great to see the enthusiasm and boundless excitement the children in Miss Brock's class have when their new friends come to visit. Next Wednesday is the final Kinder Orientation but we can't wait to welcome them on their first day of school next year.

The Kinder building has been successfully raised, the concrete sub floor poured, and the new steel footings are being put in place. We were excited to see the painters in the library this week. On Tuesday of next week, I will attend the progress meeting where there will be many updates.

Brev Belleville

Dates to Remember

November

Week 7

Wed 23rd—Pirate Day

December

Week 8

Thurs 1st—P&C Meeting
3pm

Week 9

Ballina Pool Party

Week 10—

Thurs 15th - Presentation
Day.

Fri 16th Dec

Last day for students

Week 11

Monday 19th & Tuesday
20th SDD

Kinder Orientation

Wk. – 3 Wed 26th Oct

Wk. – 4 Wed 2nd Nov

Wk. – 5 Wed 9th Nov

Wk. – 6 Wed 16th Nov

2023

**Students return -Tuesday
31st January 2023**

Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...

they miss weeks per year

and years over their school life

1 day per fortnight
(M T W T F)
= **4** weeks
= Over **1** year missed

1 day per week
(M T W T F)
= **8** weeks
= Over **2.5** years missed

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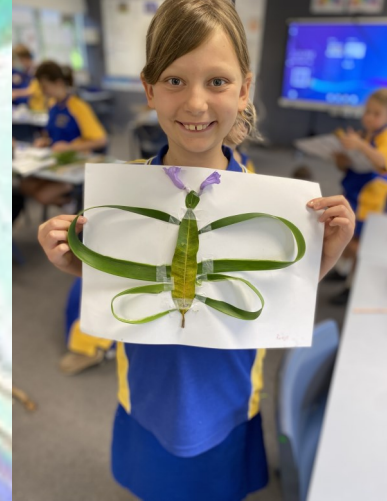
Kindergarten 2023 Enrol Now

If you know of any
families or children
starting school in 2023
and are not yet enrolled
please

encourage them to con-
tact the school and
begin the process as
soon as possible.
Places also available
in all years.

Your child's wellbeing and learning is important.

If you have any particular issues/inquiries/concerns or questions, it is generally best to make an appointment with your child's classroom teacher as the first port of call. For something you feel is more significant, please do not hesitate to contact our principal.




Plant art and
kite making.

Outdoor Education



PB4L Weekly Focus—Understand when to seek staff assistance

Crabbes Creek Public School Expectations Matrix			
			
	Be Proud	Be Respectful	Be a Learner
Classrooms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Share your learning and your thinking *Keep bookwork and workspaces tidy *Take care of school resources *Lead by example *Provide appropriate peer feedback 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Use manners and appropriate language *Use an inside voice *Follow teacher instructions *Line up, walk quietly and safely *Clean your hands and wipe your feet as you enter *Use technology appropriately *Take care of school equipment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Have learning tools ready *Ask questions and for help if you need it *Complete your set tasks *Have conversations about your learning *Work cooperatively with others *Know the learning goal *Apply feedbacks

On Friday afternoon, we went to the disco at Crabbes Creek. My Dad drove us there because my Mum was on holiday. I went as a chainsaw maniac. When we arrived, there were lots of crazy costumes but Macs was the creepiest. I followed my friends to the disco room we were trying to find sea-aira. We search the disco room and didn't find her.

When we found her, we chased her for ages. We ended up catching her and taking her to the fire brigade shed. She ended up escaping, so we sent our army out to catch her. We Gave up because they kept hiding in the bathroom. Darsh was our leader and he told us to go and get Mali and Skye now. I told him we should wait until they were out in the open, he agreed. We waited for ages. When they finally came into the open we cornered them.

Our army looked like a swarm of bees attacking them. Thorin ran flat out into Skye but they made an escape. We saw them run into the disco too so we camped the exit. We charged our army in. Skye tried to defend herself but me and Sam battled her 2v1. Sam had a scythe I had a chainsaw and Skye had a broom.

My sister was getting bored and I wanted to eat. When I suggested banga sangas Sammy said she just wanted to leave, so dad said we'd just go to Murwillumbah for KFC. I said goodbye to my friends and we went to leave when we saw Macs mum.(My Dad and Macs Mum went to school together at Mullumbimby high school). So we went over to say hi. We took a photo then we left. We went to KFC. I had a great time at the Halloween disco.

BY ZAC

Halloween Disco recounts

On Friday evening we had a huge Halloween disco at the hall I met up with my cousin First up we made a whole army of people and went to attack Skye. There was lots of cakes and stuff but I only had one piece of cake before all of the cake was gone. At the end we got free drinks. I found it a really fun night.

By River

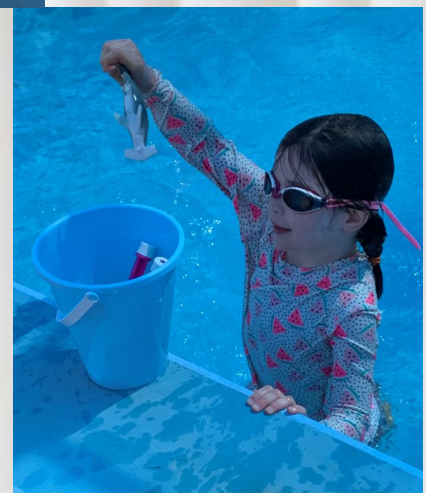
Swimming Recount

Last week we went swimming at Mullumbimby pool. The bus was very loud however we also learnt how to save people if they were drowning. It was really fun and I love it.

By Jude



SWIMMING LESSONS





On Tuesday the 1st of November three student representatives from the Duranbah Public School came to present our school with a certificate for \$177.00. Our senior leaders prepared a spread of homemade cookies, dips, crackers and cheese as a way to say thank you to our guests. This picnic provided the students an opportunity to ask questions about leadership and how to start a fund raiser. It was a pleasure to see the students talk with others and show them around our wonderful school. Thank you, Duranbah. – Miss Craig

Duranbah came to our school and they talked to us about the money that they raised for us. We asked them questions about how and why they started the fund raising. We made food for them to eat to say thank you. We also showed them around our school and played tag in the playground. They raised one hundred and seventy-seven dollars for us in a skip a thon. – Mali

Duranbah SRC Visit

We talked to SRC of Duranbah about the money that they donated to us from a Skip a thon they did. We offered them food from our picnic we prepared. Mali, Oscar, Zac, Duranbah SRC and I went down the back and played tag. – Skye



Duranbah SRC presented us with one hundred and seventy-seven dollars. We took them on a tour of the school. I was appreciative for the money and would like to spend it on some soccer goals. Thanks Duranbah - Zac

It was very nice that Duranbah gave the school money. Austin handed me the check. We prepared food for them and I gave them cheese, they were very nice. – Oscar

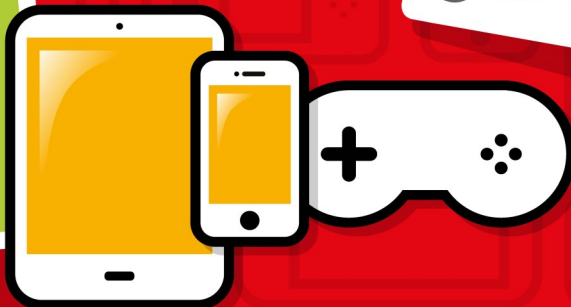


Being safe online is essential.

Social media platforms, interactive games and internet content requires parent supervision. For children that use platforms that have followers and people they are following, advice for parents is to check that their children actually know every individual on these lists.



BE SMART ONLINE



S

SAFE

Keep your personal information safe. When chatting or posting online don't give away things like your full name, password or home address. Remember personal information can be seen in images and videos you share too. Keep them safe to keep yourself safe.



M

MEET

Meeting up with someone you only know online, even a friend of a friend, can be dangerous as this person is still a stranger. If someone you only know online ever asks you to meet up, for personal information or for photos/videos of you then tell an adult straight away and report them together on www.thinkuknow.co.uk

THINK
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A

ACCEPTING

Think carefully before you click on or open something online (e.g. links, adverts, friend requests, photos) as you never know where they may lead to or they may contain viruses. Do not accept something if you are unsure of who the person is or what they've sent you.



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RELIABLE

You cannot trust everything you see online as some things can be out of date, inaccurate or not entirely true. To find reliable information compare at least three different websites, check in books and talk to someone about what you have found.



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TELL

Tell a trusted adult if something or someone ever makes you feel upset, worried or confused. This could be if you or someone you know is being bullied online. There are lots of people who will be able to help you like your teachers, parents, carers or contact Childline – 0800 11 11 or www.childline.org.uk



BE SMART WITH A HEART

Remember to always be smart with a heart by being kind and respectful to others online. Make the internet a better place by helping your friends if they are worried or upset by anything that happens online.



Please return tickets and money by the
23rd November 2022.



The poster features a blue sky background with a yellow wavy line representing the horizon. On the right, there are several colorful, stylized sun rays in shades of green, brown, yellow, and purple. The title 'Tweed Community of Small Schools Raffle' is written in a blue, cursive font. Below the title, the prizes are listed in a gold-colored serif font. To the right of the prizes, the ticket price '\$5' is shown in a large red font, followed by 'Per Ticket' and 'Drawn: 1/12/2022' in a smaller red font. A row of school logos is displayed above a blue wavy line representing water. At the bottom, the text 'Sponsored by' is in gold, followed by the 'Tweed Escapes' logo, which consists of a circular pattern of dots and the text 'Tweed Escapes Experiences in Nature'.

**Tweed Community
of Small Schools Raffle**

1st Prize
3 Hour Boat Charter
(for up to 40 people)

2nd Prize
Full Day Pontoon Boat
(for up to 12 people)

\$5
Per Ticket
Drawn: 1/12/2022

Sponsored by **Tweed Escapes**
Experiences in Nature

P&C Raffle Winners

1. \$240 Sigley Electrical voucher – Lyn May
2. \$50 Crabbes Creek General Store voucher – Trac3
3. \$30 Happy Herb voucher - Anna
4. \$50 Ocean Shores Tavern voucher – Marty Reid
5. \$30 Ocean Shores Quality Meats voucher – Ros Harvey
6. \$20 FDB's Ocean Shores voucher – Darsh Martin
7. \$50 Ocean Shores Tavern voucher – Greg Tulloch
8. \$20 Ocean Shores Bakery voucher - Kayla
9. Mukti Organic beauty Care hamper – Rob Inukihaangana
10. Tweed Real Food hamper – Oliver Jackson
11. The Vaiselle Ceramics Tumbler set of 4 – Rob Inukihaangana