We are half way through Term 2! This Friday is our mid-term sharing assembly. We hope to see as many families as possible tomorrow. The assembly time has changed to 9am, to make it easier for families to attend.

The second half of this term is a busy one!
If notes are sent home for excursions, please return as soon as possible and before the due date. We are still waiting on some initial responses regarding attendance at the 3-6 camp next term. This camp will be a fantastic educational experience for the kids. Any families, who think they may experience difficulties with payments, please let me know. We may be able to help out, and all arrangements are confidential.

A reminder about uniforms and general grooming and appearance. A number of girls have been coming to school with nail polish and stick on tattoos. These are not to be worn to school. Tights are not part of school uniform.
We are purchasing a small number of skorts for girls which can be purchased for $14.00.

Anna Starcevic
Principal

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY

Friday 22
• Far North Coast Zone PSSA Cross Country Good luck Amelia

Thursday 28
• Tooty Fruity - Mary-Ellen on roster

June

Monday 8
• Queen’s Birthday - public holiday

Thursday 11
• Tweed Valley Jazz Club Workshop @ Condong Bowls Club Yr 3-6
  • Tooty Fruity – Helper needed

Thursday 18
• Launch Into Life @ Griffith Uni

Tuesday 23
• Yr 4, 5 & 6 NAIDOC Day Camp Out @ Fingal Head Public School

Wednesday 24
• NAIDOC Day @ Fingal Head PS all students

Thank you to the Mums who were able to help with Library book covering. You did an awesome job!

What makes a good book for young kids?
Books with vivid imagery, exciting stories and strong characters will not only entertain your child but set them up to enjoy reading for the rest of their life.

MURWILLUMBAH DISTRICT CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS
The points results from the District Cross Country Carnival held on 8 May placed Carool PS 7th overall against the larger schools. However due to the handicap score system, the winner on percentages was Carool PS which makes us Champion School! Fantastic effort!

FAR NORTH COAST CROSS COUNTRY
Milly will be heading to Murwillumbah to compete in the Far North Coast Cross Country Carnival tomorrow. Good Luck Milly!

REMINDERS
Please return the following permission slips ASAP if you haven’t already done so:

| Year 3-6 | EOI Brisbane excursion Jazz Club Workshop |
| Year 6   | Griffith Uni Launch Into Life Careers Day |

TOOTY FRUITY

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Please ensure that your child brings in their Tooty Fruity order and payment each week to avoid falling behind and owing money.

Crunch&Sip Snippets
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Mumzbuzz Park Date
10am - 12 noon
Sunday June 14th
Faulks Park, Kingscliff

A morning for families to catch up and kids to explore, bring a hat, sunscreen and any outdoor toys for all to share. Mumzbuzz will provide a pop up shelter & fruit for morning tea.

Register your attendance at www.mumzbuzz.com.au

POP (Parent Online Payment)
Make Online Payments
The $ Make a payment link is now active on the Carool PS website. Parents can make online payments to the school for amounts owing for students, via a secure payment page hosted by Westpac. Payments can be made using either a Visa or MasterCard credit or debit card.

It is very easy to use and eliminates the problem of having to send cash in with your child for a lot of items, however payments like Tooty Fruity still need to come in cash as this goes straight to the P&C. Payments like the voluntary contribution can be paid via this link. For those families who have not paid theirs contribution yet the amounts are:

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When you access the $ Make a payment you must enter:
- the students name, and
- date of birth.

These details are entered each time you make a payment as student information is not held within the payment system.

For any enquiries regarding the Online Payment process please contact the School Administration Office.
K-2 has been reading 'The Very Cranky Bear' with Miss Starcevic.
Check out Jessica’s excellent reading and writing!

Name: Jessica  Date: 2/5/15

Reading Comprehension

On the lines below write down what each animal suggested to help the cranky bear.

- Zebra gave stripes to the bear.
- Moose gave antlers to the bear.
- Lion gave a mane to the bear.
- Sheep gave a pillow to the bear.

Fantastic reading and writing!