I have thoroughly enjoyed listening to some of the student’s speeches this week. With regular practice I’m sure everyone will be ready to deliver their speeches with confidence at the Public Speaking presentation in week 5.

Next week is Education Week! A reminder that all parents, families and community members are invited to come to school on Wednesday morning at 9am for our “Community Classrooms”. We are looking forward to showing you just a snippet, of the wonderful things we learn and do here at Carool PS. A morning tea will follow around 11am.

As part of the local Education Week celebrations students in years 5 & 6 will be attending the Careers Market Expo at Tweed Heads South. This is a fantastic event that gives students the opportunity to explore and consider different options for their future career paths. Students will hear from a number of key speakers from different workforces and will get to engage with a variety of different career paths in the ‘try-a-trade’ session. Please return the permission note for this as soon as possible and if you are able to support other families by assisting with transport that would be greatly appreciated.

Last week Carool students demonstrated strong participation and excellent sportsmanship in the Small Schools Athletics Carnival. A huge congratulations to all our students, because as a TEAM, we were successful in winning the Overall Championship for Division B schools. This wonderful achievement would not have been possible without the participation of ALL our students. Well done! Individual results are published on page 3.

Next Friday we will have 5 students who have qualified to attend the District Athletics Carnival at Murwillumbah High School. Congratulations to Milly, Eliza, Phoebe, Tehya and Brendan. We will also send a relay team, who will be chosen based on times and notified tomorrow. Notes will be coming home regarding the Athletics Carnival tomorrow.

Gemma Parkes
Relieving Principal
3/4/5/6 CLASS NEWS

Public Speaking – This term we are working on our speeches for Public Speaking. Please help your child with their speeches.

Homework for Term 3 is:

- **Reading Regularly** - Students may read their own books, books from the library or ask and I will provide a book for them.
- **Times tables** – Students need to be able to recall all times tables up to 12x. This is best achieved by regular oral practise.
- **Spelling** – Students received their lists for the Premiers Spelling Challenge last week. Please encourage students to read, find the meaning of words and practice the spelling. Students also have a weekly class list. It is their responsibility to learn these words.

Miss Melville
Class Teacher

STEWART HOUSE CONCERT

Our students will be participating in the Stewart House Concert which will be held on **Thursday 20 August** commencing at 7.00pm at the Elliott Centre, Murwillumbah High School.

Rehearsal There will be a rehearsal during the day to which all students will be transport by bus. The cost of the bus will be covered by the school. The bus will leave the school at 9.00am and return before 2.00pm. All children must be in school uniform (maroon shirt). Parents please ensure that your children have food for morning tea and lunch and water.

Night Performance Parents are responsible for transporting their children to the venue on Thursday night. All children must meet Miss Melville or Miss Starcevic at the venue Elliott Centre at Murwillumbah High School, no later than 6.30pm.

Concert Tickets: Tickets are available for purchase (at a cost of $7.00 each) from the school office. Please send your ticket order and money in to the office and the tickets will be sent home with your child. The allocation is **two tickets** per family at the moment, there **may be** more tickets available closer to the concert.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

All students will be involved in our annual Public Speaking competition. It will be held at the school on **Tuesday 11 August** commencing at 10am. This will be followed by our Biggest Morning Tea to raise funds for the Cancer Council. Bring a gold coin donation and parents/carers are asked to bring a plate to share for the morning tea. Please invite grandparents, friends and neighbours to come along.

JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

Students are invited to once again participate in the Heart Foundation’s Jump Rope for Heart program. The ‘Jump Off’ day will be Friday 28 August. Sponsorship forms have gone home with the newsletter today. Please return this form to the office together with all funds raised by the ‘Jump Off’ date (28 August).

BOOK CLUB

Book Club catalogues went home this week. Orders are due back by Wednesday 5 August.

TOOTY FRUITY

We have no-one on the Tooty Fruity roster for Term 3. Please take some time to work out if you can do one day during the term and let the office know. If we cannot get volunteers then it will not be available for your children to enjoy. Thank you to Helen and Dinah for the delicious morning tea and lunch today.

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ATHLETICS CARNIVAL RESULTS

Track Events:
- Girls 5yrs 50m: Jessica 1st place
- Girls 8yrs 100m: Eliza 2nd place
- Girls 9yrs 100m: Tehya 1st place
  Phoebe 4th place
- Girls 10yrs 100m: Milly 1st place
- Girls 8-10yrs 200m: Milly 1st place
- Girls 8-10yrs 800m: Milly 2nd place
- Boys 12-13yrs 200m: Brendan 4th place
- Mixed Relay 8-13yrs: 2nd place

Field Events:
- Girls 8—10yrs High Jump: Milly 2nd place
- Girls 8-10yrs Long Jump: Milly 1st place

Age Champions
Looking at the above results it should come as no surprise that Milly has been named the Junior Girls Age Champion! She achieved equal first with Mcailah from Burringbar. Congratulations!

Overall Champion Schools
- SUB JUNIOR CHAMPION SCHOOL: Tumbulgum
- JUNIOR CHAMPION SCHOOL: Burringbar
- SENIOR CHAMPION SCHOOL: Crystal Creek
- OVERALL CHAMPION DIVISION A: Burringbar
- OVERALL CHAMPION DIVISION B: Carool!!!