

COORARA PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter

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Term 2 Week 9

Thursday 25 June 2020

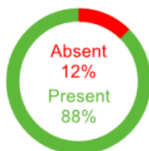
Diary Dates

- **3/7/20**
Last Day of Term – Dismissal 2:10pm.
CASUAL DAY
GOLD COIN DONATION
- **20/7/20**
Student Free Day
- **21/7/20**
Term 3 commences on Tuesday
- **28/7/20**
Assembly Tuesday 2.30pm
- **18/8/20**
Assembly Tuesday 2.30pm
- **8/9/20**
Assembly Tuesday 2.30pm

Attendance



Year to Date (2020)



Previous Week



Dear Families,

We are excited to announce our inaugural whole school musical, Seussical Jr will be performed on Monday 7th December at the Hopgood Theatre.

This fun production brings to life a cast of all time favourite characters from the much loved Dr Seuss children's books. Dr Seuss' colourful characters are set to collude and cartwheel in a crazy musical caper. There will be lots of colour, singing, dancing and acting.

Preparations for the musical are underway, all classes will perform a part of the musical. We look forward to watching the production grow over the coming months and seeing everyone on stage in December.

Thanks everyone for your support through Term 2. We wish you all a lovely break and see you next term.

Regards,
Rebecca

Congratulations to all students who auditioned for main roles. Nikki and Sandy were impressed with everyone's professionalism and preparation. Everyone's audition was amazing!

Starring

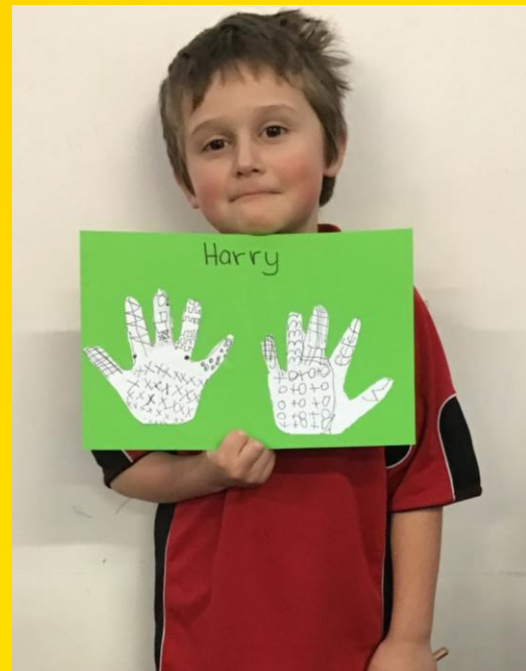
- Hannah as HORTON
- Jessica as JO JO
- Tre' as CAT #1
- Charlie as CAT #2
- Bianca as CAT #3
- Jenna as MAYZIE LA BIRD
- Isabelle as GERTRUDE MCFUZZ
- Daniel as MR MAYOR
- Amber as MRS MAYOR
- Tiana as SOUR KANGAROO
- Adele as YOUNG KARGAROO
- Hunter as WICKERSHAM BROTHER #1
- Jed as WICKERSHAM BROTHER #2
- Brodie as WICKERSHAM BROTHER #3
- Jade as JUDGE YERTLE/BIRD GIRL
- Jessica as VLAD VLADIKOFF
- Angelbelle as THE GRINCH
- Tori as BABY BIRD/ELEPHANT
- Amy as HEAD BIRD GIRL
- Ashley as BIRD GIRL
- Isabelle as BIRD GIRL
- Aleisha as BIRD GIRL
- Ruby as BIRD GIRL
- Brianna as THE WHO FAMILY
- Naimira as THE WHO FAMILY

TERM 3

Monday 20th July – PUPIL FREE DAY

Powerful Patterns with Room 18

This term Room 18 have been looking at patterns during Art lessons.

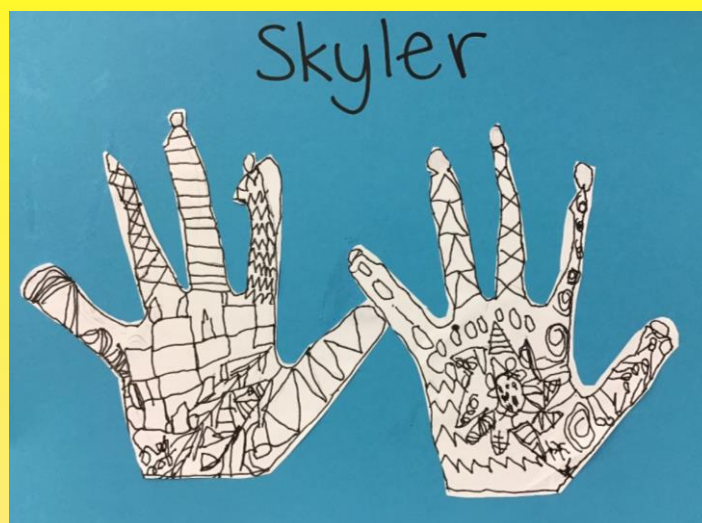


We decided to put our knowledge of patterns to work by creating patterned hand art.

We started by tracing our hands (one was definitely trickier than the other).



Then we thought of as many patterns as we could to fill up our hands. We then outlined them and cut them out ready for display.



These are a few of our finished products. We hope you like them!





HAPPY RETIREMENT FAREWELL

After many years of dedicated service to our school community Jane Webber has decided to retire. During her years at Coorara, Jane has worn many hats working in a variety of roles. She worked in the front office and supported students in classrooms. Many children have very fond memories of their interactions and time spent working with Jane. On behalf of the school community I would like to thank Jane for her commitment to our school community and to the children and their learning. We wish Jane a happy and long retirement.

Maz's staff Profile



Another one of our Amazing Teachers **LINDA MIDDLETON**

Linda lives in Happy Valley; she has 4 children 3 boys (2 are firemen and 1 is a carpenter) and a daughter (a teacher /flight attendant)

Linda has a dog Riley, she loves taking him for walks and walking with her friends and finishing up with a coffee.

Linda is kept extremely busy with her 9 Grandchildren ranging from 7mths to 10 years. She loves travelling and her favourite destinations are Bali and England. Two years ago, she and 3 of her children and 4 grandchildren went to Disneyland – they all had so much fun and many memories were made.

Last year Linda had a very busy year with her daughters' engagement and wedding and 3 grandbabies being born within 3 months of each other. – she is still recovering!!

Linda loved school when she was young, and she wanted to work with young people, so she became a teacher. She loves building relationships with students and their families and watching and helping students grow in confidence. Linda is still working after school preparing tasks, doing assessments, writing references for older students and writing reports when they are due.

Once the weekend comes Linda likes nothing but a glass of champagne, her favourite drink. She loves the park run and is hoping to achieve the 5km run very soon.

Linda has a favourite saying in class when her students get a "bit" excited and all Linda says is Ssh, ssh,ssh,ssh,ssh, and the children answer her with Ssh, Ssh.

"Children are apt to live up to what you believe of them"
Lady Bird Johnson



Online Safety How to talk to your child about online safety

How does this game/app work? Can I play?

Show a genuine interest in what they are doing, whilst you are playing a game or using an app with them. It might highlight something that they don't necessarily think is a danger to them. If they act like they don't want to share their activities with you. Question why

Farewell to Amanda

Amanda Griffiths has decided to resign from her Pastoral Support Worker role due to health reasons. We wish her all the best and thank her for her service to our school community. We hope to have a new Pastoral Support Worker early next term.



Beginning school is an adventure with lots to discover!

Coorara Cubs will provide an opportunity for your child to build upon

Thursdays

12.30PM – 2.30PM

STARTING THURSDAY, 10th SEPTEMBER 2020

LAST SESSION THURSDAY, 26th November 2020

School Fees

Statements for 2020 have been sent out to all families. If you have not received your statement, please check your child's school bag.

A school card application form was also enclosed for families that have not yet applied for school card for 2020. This form is required to be returned as soon as possible.

School card can also be applied for online at sa.gov.au/education/schoolcard

If you wish to pay by instalments, please contact Dianne on 8325 2066 to arrange a payment plan.

School Reports go home Friday 3rd July – last day of Term

School Banking COMMBANK Starts Term 3 - Tuesday