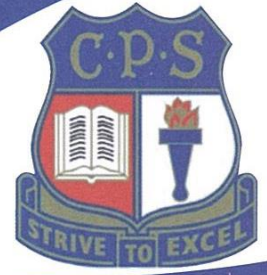


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Dear Families

Week 2 Term 1

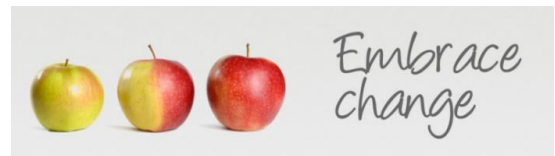
4 February 2020

Welcome back to 2020. Thank you to the children, staff and families who have welcomed me to this fabulous school. It was fantastic to see many excited K-6 faces returning to school last week and eagerly waiting to join their class teacher for this year. Our Preschool children began their learning journey yesterday and we extend a very special welcome to those new families joining us at Casino Public School for the first time in 2020.

New Classes

A great deal of thought goes into the class placement for each child every year. This is a delicate jigsaw and many variables are taken into consideration. I always encourage children to take the time to develop a relationship with their classroom teacher/teachers. Some things will be the same as last year and

some things will be different, but it is change that brings about new opportunities. Parents will be given the chance to touch base with classroom teachers later in the term at the stage Information Sessions.



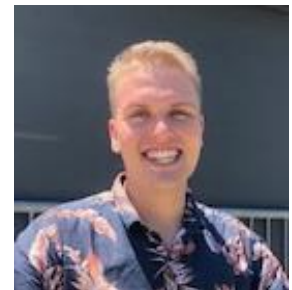
New Staff at Casino Public School



Nickie Bartlett - Principal



Alana Turner



Kaine Domski



Fiona Slack-Smith



Kris Stewart



Brett Worley

Building Works

The conversion of the former Distance Education building was completed over the holidays and three classrooms have now been created. 2S, 1W and 1S will be in the new J Block this year. Unfortunately our demountable buildings have not been "retired" yet as the classrooms in C Block are waiting for the roof to be replaced. This work should begin next week. 2G, 3C, 3S and 3T are currently in the demountables and we are hoping they will be moving back to C Block by the beginning of next term.

Nickie Bartlett-Principal

UPCOMING EVENTS	
Tuesday 11 February	P&C Meeting - 6pm
Friday 14 February	CPS Swimming Carnival
Friday 21 February	Payment due - \$130 (remaining balance) due - Midginbil 2020

OFFICE HOURS - 8.30AM - 3.20PM

CANTEEN

Wed 5 Feb: K Beek

Thur 6 Feb: K Phelps

Fri 7 Feb: A Graveson, J Popp



Mon 10 Feb: K Knight

Tues 11 Feb: V Proctor

Wed 12 Feb: S Roache, E Gooding

The canteen **does not** take calls from parents to order school lunches. Students must order their lunch **before 9.05am** each morning.

The canteen **does not** book up children's lunch orders.

SUSHI

SUSHI available tomorrow, Wednesday from \$3.00



EARLY LEAVERS / CHANGE OF AFTERNOON ROUTINE



If you will be picking your child up early for an appointment etc., please **send a note in to your child's teacher** letting them know, so that your child can be sent to the office by the teacher ready for you to collect.

If there are any changes to your child's afternoon routine, please **send a note in to your child's teacher** letting them know.

Please do not phone the office with afternoon changes (except in emergency situations) as this is a large school, with a busy office. It is not always possible for messages to be delivered to students on time.

SWIMMING FOR SPORT



Swimming for sport commences this week. The cost of entry to the pool is \$3.50 per student or season ticket. Swimming is part of the school curriculum and all students are expected to participate.

TUESDAYS: STAGE 3 (Yrs 5 & 6).

THURSDAYS: STAGE 1 (Yrs 1 & 2).

FRIDAYS: STAGE 2 (Yrs 3 & 4).

Please note: there will be no swimming for Stage 2 this Friday, 7 February, due to another Carnival at the pool.

CPS SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Notes have been sent home regarding our Swimming Carnival which will be held next Friday, 14 February. The Carnival is for students in Years 3 to 6. The cost will be \$3.50 or season pass for pool entry. All students come to school first for roll marking.



MIDGINBIL



The Year 4 excursion to Midginbil is from 4 to 6 March. Another note has been sent home today with parent information and a medical information sheet. Please complete the relevant sheets and return to school as soon as possible. The full cost of the excursion is due to be paid in full by Friday 21 February.

HOUSE CAPTAINS

The atmosphere was electric last Friday afternoon as Stage 2 and Stage 3 combined for house meetings in preparation of our fast approaching swimming carnival. Cheers and chants flooded the hallways as captains were elected for all houses. Thank you to all students who threw their hats in the ring and were willing to stand to guide and support their house members. Your house is lucky to have you. Congratulations to the following elected students:

House	Junior Girl Captain	Junior Girl Vice Captain	Junior Boy Captain	Junior Boy Vice Captain
Gordon	Jasmine Lyons	Guilliana Day	Ty Phelps	Levi Frost
Kendall	Capri Rankin	Emily Mison	Benjamin Magner	Caleb Kenny
Paterson	Gemma Reichmann	Aria Coughran	James Williamson	Lachlan Potts
Lawson	Emily Murphy	Grace Darragh	Jamyson Ellis	Rex Morgan

House	Senior Girl Captain	Senior Girl Vice Captain	Senior Boy Captain	Senior Boy Vice Captain
Gordon	Scarlett Thomas	Robyn Mackay	Tye Hogan	Hunter Lyons
Kendall	Bella Roberts	Abbie Rutherford	Callum King	Dan Magner
Paterson	Emilee Reichmann	Bridie Chaffey	Ashton Zemcevicus	Izaiah Turner
Lawson	Myleigh Johnson	Anna Cotton	Colin Davey	Clark Armstrong

P&C NEWS

Welcome to 2020!

Thank you to our Wonderful Volunteers for running the Uniform Shop over the school holidays. It is greatly appreciated. The Uniform Shop will be open on Wednesday's 9am to 11am. Hats are available everyday from the Canteen at \$10 each.

Our next P&C Meeting will be held on Tuesday 11th February at 6pm in the Staffroom (just past the Front Office)

All welcome. If you would like to be involved but unable to attend, please jump onto our Facebook Page or email us at casinopublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au and we will help you out.

Our amazing Canteen is run 5 days a week by Danielle and we are always on the lookout for more Volunteers. So if you have 1 day a month or fortnight free and would like to help please go and see Danielle or contact us below and we can have Danielle contact you.

Have a great first week!

P&C Committee

MEASLE INFORMATION

We have been informed that there has been a suspected case of measles in the community.

We have sent home a fact sheet for your information .

CASINO PUBLIC SCHOOL - ADVICE OF ABSENCE

Student Name: _____ Class: _____

Dates absent: _____

Sick: _____ Leave: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____