



Upper Coopers Creek Public School

Respect, Understanding and Responsibility

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Term 4 Week 7

"We wish to recognise the generations of the local Aboriginal people of the Bundjalung Nation who have lived in and derived their physical and spiritual needs from the forests, rivers, lakes and streams of this beautiful valley over many thousands of years as the traditional owners and custodians of these lands."

Dear Families and Friends,

School Concert: The excitement is growing as our big night of nights approaches. Our annual concert is on this Friday at Repentance Creek Hall. The show starts at 6.30 but **Sue has asked for all students to be at the hall at 5.45pm.** It's a great idea for kids to have a restful afternoon and something to eat at home in preparation for their big night. Could everyone please bring a plate of food to share for supper after the concert. Sue would like some help decorating the hall on Wednesday night or Thursday so if anyone wants to come down and help we'll be at the hall from 6.30pm onwards on Wednesday evening and 10am onwards on Thursday (BYO tools: scissors, gaffer tape, nails, hammers).



Thanks: Thank you Anton for replacing the fading sign in front of the school. It looks fantastic.

Kinder Orientation: We have two more Kinder Orientation days on Monday Dec 3 and Wed Dec 12. If you know any parents of children who will be starting primary school in 2019, please invite them along.

Bush Tucker Garden: There are still a few jobs to do before the Bush Tucker Garden can be used by our students. If you have any time available and can help with planting, mulching, or spreading gravel, it would be greatly appreciated. Please give Rochelle a call to organise a time.

Surfing: Surfing lessons will be held over four days: Tuesday Dec 4, Wed Dec 5, Thurs Dec 6 and Friday Dec 7. If you have not already returned your permission notes and money, please do so as soon as possible.

School Camp: On Thursday December 13 Jacqui and Jen will take the children to the Border Ranges to explore some rainforest walks and view Wollumbin from the Pinnacle. We will camp the night of the 13th at Mount Warning Rainforest Park. On Friday December 14 we will visit the Tweed Gallery and travel to Brunswick Heads for stand up paddle boarding and a picnic by the river. **It would be great if there is a parent out there who would like to join us on the Thursday to help with transport during our Border Ranges exploration.** Please call the school if you are willing. If you have not already returned your permission notes and money, please do so as soon as possible.

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Waterslides: We are off for our end of year visit to the Ballina Waterslides on Monday Dec 17. **We are looking for a parent to help with transportation to and from Ballina.** If you have not already returned your permission notes and money, please do so as soon as possible.

Presentation Day and Indonesian Feast: Our end of year presentation and Indonesian feast will be on the last day of Term 4, Wednesday 19 December. Family and friends are invited to join us for this day of feasting and celebration. Sue and the children are planning to cook Gado Gado and it would lovely if everyone could bring a plate of Indonesian food or some fruit to share for lunch.

See you all at the concert on Friday night!

Jen, Jacqui, Sue, Rochelle and Shane



Dates To Remember

Fri	Nov 30	School Concert @ Repentance Creek Hall
Mon	Dec 3	Kinder Orientation 10-11.30am
Tues - Fri	Dec 4 - 7	Surfing lessons
Wed	Dec 12	Kinder Orientation 10-11.30am
Thurs	Dec 13	School Camp - Overnight excursion to Mount Warning Rainforest Park
Fri	Dec 14	School Camp - Tweed art gallery and SUP and picnic at Brunswick Heads
Mon	Dec 17	Excursion to Ballina Waterslides
Wed	Dec 19	Last day of Term 4 Indonesian Feast and End of year Presentation



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