



Upper Coopers Creek Public School

Respect, Understanding and Responsibility

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Term 1 Week 3

"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,

P&C: Thank you to all those parents who came along to our P&C AGM on Monday evening and congratulations to everyone who has taken on an executive role. Andi remains our President and Nadine remains our Secretary. Steph is our new Vice President and Renae and Kristyna have taken on the shared role of Treasurer. Thank you Anton for coming along to your final P&C meeting to officially hand over the Treasurer's tin - it was a very emotional moment for us all.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY CAYNE Congratulations to Cayne who turns 10 today!!

Chinese New Year: We will be celebrating the Lunar New Year at school this Friday with food and fun. Parents are very welcome to join us from midday. Don't forget to wear red and gold!

In the classroom: In English this week the children began new units in the Words Their Way spelling program. In Maths, we have been looking at Fractions and Time. Students from Years 4-6 were introduced to Maths Pathways, an individualised online mathematics program. With Sue the children continued to learn Indonesian words related to time and to research and create art related to Chinese New Year. In Science, the younger children have been learning about push/pull forces and the older students have built electrical circuits.

Dates To Remember

Fri	Feb 15th	Chinese New Year Lunch from Midday
Tues	Feb 26th	Richmond River Orientation

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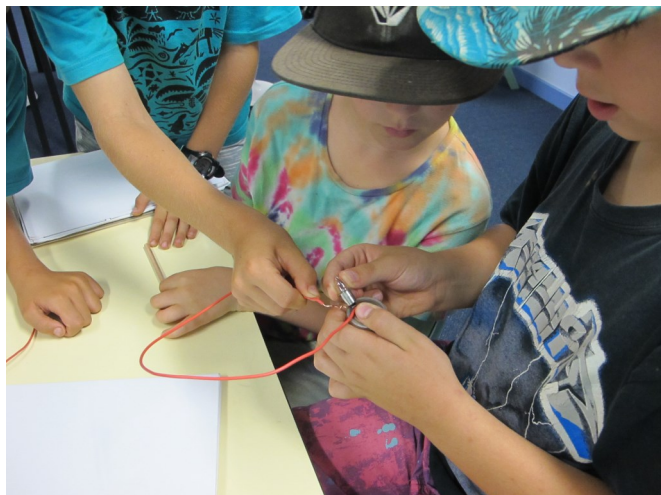
A big thank you to Krystyna for organising the logs for the yarning circle in our bush tucker garden. A huge thank you to Carl for supplying and delivering them and to Rochelle and the Perkins boys for helping to unload them. We can't wait to begin using this new space.



From the office: Because we are a small school it is necessary, from time to time, to ask parents to transport students to and from school sporting events and other excursions. It is a requirement of the Department of Education and Communities that schools sight the current driver's license and registration details of the person providing transport to students (other than their own child / children). We would appreciate it if you could call into the school office with your current license and registration details or alternatively you can email a copy of these details to the school if you are providing transport. You only need to do this once until expiry, not every time you are transporting students. Whilst this may sound tedious, it is designed to ensure the safe travel of our children and we do appreciate your help and support.

If you have not yet returned the general permission note that came home last week, please do so as soon as possible. It is very important that we have all these details up to date. If you have misplaced this note, please let us know and we will send home another.

Jen, Sue, Jacqui, Rochelle, Liz and Shane



Intro Musos

6 week music course for 5-8 year olds

WITH ROCHELLE WRIGHT

This exciting course introduces singing, percussion and instrument playing from our range of instrument resources. Children will learn the foundations of musical notation and music concepts through song, rhythm and movement. There will be visits from our inspiring tutors to demonstrate a variety of instruments, opening up the possibilities of what and how you can learn!

Thursday Feb 21 to March 28 4-5pm

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