



Compton Primary School Newsletter

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Shared Values – Respect, Perseverance, Resilience, Kindness

WHAT'S ON

WEDNESDAY: Drinks Day, Hot Lunches

THURSDAY:

FRIDAY: Mad Minute

MONDAY: Public Holiday

TUESDAY:

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THURSDAY:

FRIDAY:

MONDAY: Muffin Monday, Choir 11-12, Finance/
Governing Council/Fundraising Meeting

TUESDAY: Donut Orders Due, Week 9 Newsletter

IMPORTANT DATES

June

Thursday 24TH Recess Donut Day

August

Sunday 22ND-27TH Canberra Camp

September

Mon-Wed 6-8TH R-5 Camp
Friday 17TH Small School Sports Day

November

Monday 29TH Year 6 Transition day to High School
Tuesday 30TH Year 7 Transition day to High School

December

Wednesday 1ST Year 6 Transition day to High School
Thursday 2ND Year 7 Transition day to High School

NEWSLETTER ATTACHMENTS

Communication Survey
Year 7 to High School -Parent Update
Compton Primary School Tour Flyer
Parent Forum Flyer
Youth Group

GIVEN TO STUDENTS

Communication Survey
M&S Statement—tomorrow

TERM DATES FOR 2021

Term 1 27th Jan – 9th April **Term 2** 27th April – 2nd July
Term 3 19th Jul – 24th Sept **Term 4** 11th Oct – 10th Dec

Welcome to week 7 and the rain!

Welcome

We would like to welcome Mr MacKenzie who will be working with Mrs Kramins in the 6/7 class in Term 3 and 4. Mr MacKenzie has worked as both a classroom teacher and a TRT – where he has met our students multiple times when he has been in the school. His calm and caring nature will be a great asset to the Compton team. We are certain that he will enjoy his time here this year.

Morning Tea

Congratulations to the students who were chosen for morning tea last week. I enjoyed spending time with you all and I am always

excited to hear about what amazing things you have been doing to be selected.

Riley - For consistently displaying the school values in the classroom. You are a fantastic role model to your classmates.

Arabelle - For being an awesome Big Buddy during buddy class activities. You show kindness and patience towards your younger peers, well-done.

Kaylee Z - For consistently going above and beyond to meet every class expectation and school value. You always give eye contact and listen to every instruction. You are extremely focused towards learning new things and thrive on challenges as you share your thinking and strategies used to the class.

Kasi - For your outstanding attitude and effort towards your learning in literacy and numeracy. We are extremely proud of the different strategies you are learning to use in both areas. Continue achieving your goals Kasi.



Sophie - For amazing improvement in reading.

Mia M - For finishing all sight words and moving to Morning Maths.

Alysha - For always having a positive attitude to her learning and consistently presenting his work to a high standard.

Mia S - for always being so thoughtful and considerate towards others.

Choir

Congratulations to our choir students who performed for the first time at Mulga Street Primary school in week 5. The choir sang 'Mayangan' as part of their reconciliation assembly. They did a fantastic job and I was extremely proud of them.



Reminders

Please remember:

- **Long sleeve tops worn under t-shirts should be black and without a hood.**
- **Students are required to wear the correct uniform every day and should have a note from a parent or carer if this is not the case.**
- **Students should not have drinks other than water in the classrooms on their desk and water, cordial or juice for break times. We should not be seeing caffeinated drinks, sports drinks or soft drinks at school.**

Donut Day

Make sure you get your orders in now for Donut Day in week 9!

High School transition

Week 8, Term 4 is the date to pop on your calendar! The year 6 students will have their transition days at high school on the Monday and Tuesday. The year 7 students will have their transition days on the Wednesday and Thursday.

Bec Keeley

NAB AUSKICK

We would love to run a Auskick session again this year. If you are or know someone who is available to coach these aspiring footballers, please contact Bett in the front office.

NAB AUSKICK are very supportive and have programs already planned if you need.

Bett Lennerth

Leadership News

Hello, it's your Leadership Team here! We would like to thank everyone who bought a hotdog or a milk on May 27th as **\$124 profit** was made for the day!! We are also planning a **Donut Day** on the **24th June**, which is Week 9, and we would love if you could buy one. The forms were emailed with the week 5 newsletter or you can -

get a printed one from the Front Office
message your order on Facebook
email Mrs Lennerth your order.

This term, we have been working on updating the Indigenous Garden. We would like to plant new bushes, and add paving and some benches. Keep an eye on the changes that are happening!

This term's Learning Expo is focussed on Music. Classes have also been looking at our School Values this term. Teachers would like to continue giving out School Value Awards this year, as we stopped during 2020 when we could not have assemblies for families anymore. The word is that, the Leadership Team will also be looking for a student award winner to give a certificate too. We will be keeping our eyes out in the yard!

Student Leadership Team

Muffin Monday



Sara Lee Choc Chip Muffins and Blueberry Muffins are available to order for Recess EVERY Monday. **Only \$2.20 each!**

Payments can be made at the Front Office by the Friday PRIOR to Muffin Monday or online at

www.comptonps.sa.edu.au

Online payments need to be completed by Sunday and please message your order via our Facebook page.

Drinks Day



Every Wednesday the Year 6/7 Class run a 'Drinks Day' shop at the beginning of lunch. Items available are:

Jelly Cups @ \$1.00

Flavours- Tropical
Raspberry
Mango

Dried Fruit @ .80c

Flavours – Sultana & Cranberry
Sultana & Apple
Sultana & Apricot
Sultana

Zooper Doopers @ 40c

Muesli Bars @ 50c

Popcorn @ 50c

Fruit Box @ \$1.10c

Frozen Yoghurt @

Flavours – Strawberry
Mango

Hot Lunches – Every Wednesday

Orders can be made via message on Facebook or Email to betty.lennerth10@schools.sa.edu.au payment **must be made by Tuesday** on our website. www.comptonps.sa.edu.au If you don't know your family ID just put your family name.

Twista Pasta \$3.50
Fried Rice \$3.50
Beef Lasagne \$3.50
Veg Lasagne \$3.50
Pizza Singles \$2.50



Around the Classrooms



UPPER PRIMARY 6/7



In English we been analysing advertisements, looking at the critical components of persuasive writing, and writing our own persuasive advertisements on a product we have invented!

Last week in Maths we began looking at adding, subtracting and multiplying decimals. Our classroom transformed into a 'restaurant' and students were given the task of adding and subtracting food items on their menus with a teammate! Next week we are looking into dividing decimals.



Miss Gaffney



MIDDLE PRIMARY 4/5



This term the Middle Primary Class have been preparing for the annual Lions Club Mad Minute Competition.

The Lions Mad Minute is a structured impromptu public speaking competition for students. The main purpose of the competition is to expose students to the benefits of Public Speaking. Our class have been training all term for the upcoming event. With one-to-one coaching from Mrs Roulstone and mini competitions being held in the classrooms, so that our students can be well prepared and feel confident when presenting.

This Friday morning our class will take part in the school-based competition, where three year 5 students will be selected to represent Compton Primary at the local competition. Good luck to all the students competing on Friday.



Mrs Buckley

★ JUNIOR PRIMARY 2/3 ★

Judith Whitehead came to our school to present the Year 3s with dictionaries. We are all excited to receive them. We are all grateful to the Mount Gambier West Rotary Club for their donations to help us with our learning. These books will always be treasured and used by us all.



Kaylee - I am excited that we got our dictionaries because I've never had my own dictionary before.

Harper - I am excited that we got our dictionaries because it's ours to keep and we can learn how to spell different words.

Alyssa - I am excited to get my dictionary because it's my first dictionary and I saw my sister get one so I'm happy now I have my own.

Elijah T - I am excited to get my dictionary because I've never had one before and it's my first one.

Crawford - I am excited to get my dictionary because now I can spell better and it's very fun to find words I don't know.

Ryan - I am excited to have my dictionary because I get to spell words correctly instead of writing them down in my other dictionary.

Jake - I am excited to have my dictionary because if I don't know what a word means I can open up my dictionary. I find the word, I read it and now I know what it means.

Addi - I am excited to get my dictionary because I've waited 6 months and 7 days to get it.

Kyan - I am excited to get my dictionary because we can play fun games while we get to look up words and I get to learn meaning of new words.

Kayleigh - I am excited to get my dictionary because this year I get my own instead of having to watch the year 3's from last year. I can figure out more meanings of words.

Hurley - I am excited to get my dictionary because I get my own instead of using the classes.

Elijah D - I am excited to get my dictionary because we can look up any meanings which makes us smarter.

Luhna - I am excited to get my dictionary because I get to learn different words that I didn't know existed.

Tully - I am excited to get my dictionary because there are so many meanings I want to know.

Josh - I am excited to get my dictionary because I won't have to look in my old one and it's got a lot more meanings.

Skyla - I am excited to get my dictionary because I can look up a word and know the meaning of it. If we didn't have a dictionary we wouldn't be able to look up any words.

Mrs D

★ JUNIOR PRIMARY R/1 ★

We have been working really hard to improve our fluency when doing addition and subtraction and it has been so exciting to see the improvement in so many people!

In Basketball we have continued to focus on basketball skills of throwing, catching, shooting and dribbling.

In Science we have been focussing on what animals need to survive- food, water, air and shelter.

In Reading we have continued to focus on the skill of inferencing to improve our comprehension as well as recall of main events in books and connecting books to our own lives.

Miss H

The Compton Chronicles

1943 - 44

CPS School Pic 1943-44

In 1943-44 Compton Primary School was in its 80th year. The Principal at the time was L.P. Fogarty (1941-45).

During this time the monarch was George VI and the world was in the midst of World War II (1939-1945). The cost of living in the 1940s was around \$800 for a car, \$6,550 for a house with the average annual salary being \$1,900.

We found this picture from 1943-44 in our archives with a list of names attached. A wonderful piece of our history here at CPS.



Back Row – Colin Ladlow, Des Bennier, Percy Heaver, Trevor Stafford, Kevin Pearson, Eric Lacey, Robert Stolz, Arthur Heaver, Reg Dowdell, Robert Stevenson, Robert Gladigau

3rd Row – Ken Smith, Ruth Leggett, Shirley Hollis, Gladys Terrell, Gwen Shephard, Josie Jones, Eileen Clemow, Mary Leggett, Lottie Heaver, Shirley Lace, Val Shephard, June Gladigau, Ron Ladlow?

2nd Row – Avis Gladigau, June Heaver, Lorraine Bennier, Margaret Terrell, Heather Shelton, Joan Terrell, Margaret Ladlow?, Heather Pettingill, Joan Dowdell, Avone Earl, Rhonda Stafford

Front Row – Ken Stafford, Jim (McNab) Pettingill, Michael Fogarty, Vic Heaver, Bernie Lacey, Max Bowering, Elgin Hollis, Mel Pettingill, Barry Stevenson, Ralph Stafford