



Compton Primary School Newsletter

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Shared Values – Respect, Perseverance, Resilience, Kindness

WHAT'S ON

WEDNESDAY: Drinks Day, Hot Lunches
THURSDAY: Book Fair
FRIDAY:
MONDAY: Robe Camp, Muffin Monday, Choir
TUESDAY:
WEDNESDAY: Drinks Day, Hot Lunches, Robe Campers Return
THURSDAY:
FRIDAY: Adelaide Music Festival
MONDAY: Muffin Monday, Choir
TUESDAY:

NEWSLETTER ATTACHMENTS

Limestone Coast Foster Care
 Year Book Sponsorship

GIVEN TO STUDENTS

Camp Statements

IMPORTANT DATES

October

Thursday 14TH Pie Drive Orders Due
 Friday 22ND PJ Day

November

Friday 26TH Small School Sports Day
 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

TERM DATES FOR 2021

Term 3 19th Jul – 24th Sept Term 4 11th Oct – 10th Dec

TERM DATES FOR 2022

Term 1 31st Jan – 14th April Term 2 2nd May – 8th July
 Term 3 25th Jul – 30th Sept Term 4 17th Oct – 16th Dec

Welcome to week 7!

Eggs for sale \$3.50

Book Week Parade

Even the rain could not spoil out Book Week parade in week 5! I really enjoyed seeing the student and staff costumes - there were so many creative and unique ideas. Thank you to all the parents and carers who helped behind the scenes!

Morning Tea with the Principal

The last amazing recipients of my morning tea invitation were:

Skyla - for hard work in Maths and your achievements towards the four operations.

Ava – for being a keen and enthusiastic class member who always puts 100% into her learning.

Chase: for a huge improvement in writing by trying to write things independently and for using your sounds to help you.

Grace: for always making the extra effort to produce work that is at or above the expected standard, and for digging deeper when researching, adding more detail to diagrams, and using all her time effectively.

Hayden: for striving to extend his skills and knowledge, for listening well and being willing to help others, for completing work to a high standard and for being creative.

Jayne: for a huge improvement in writing by trying to write some things independently.

Kyan: for all of his achievements and the effort he puts into everything. For his dedication to share his thinking and working out in Maths tasks, especially problematised situations.

Riley: for his positive attitude towards all areas of his learning.



Camp x 2!

Our Adelaide camp adventure is over and it was a really great trip. Our students need to be commended for their fantastic behaviour whilst we were away. There were many great activities we were able to participate in, something to interest the many different students we had. I have seen some new friendships made and I hope they can use these in their transition to high school.

Thank you to Mr Mac and all the kids for the laughs, learning and memories!

We wish our second campers well, as they are set to head off to Robe next week. We are sure you will have an amazing time!

Bec Keeley

Pastoral Care News

Building strong and healthy friendships



Friendships are a little bit like plants. If you plant your seed and do little to it, chances are it will wilt and die. The seeds need to be watered often so that the roots are moist and will grow healthy. They need regular food and nutrients, along with sunlight to grow healthy and strong. To have healthy friendships we need to take **care of our friends** so our friendships can grow healthy and strong.

Spend Time Together: Sometimes your friends will be people at school, other times they might be from a club where you play sports, dance, sing, and learn music. You may not see them at school, so think about inviting them over for a play.

Talk with your friends – talk in a positive way, encourage your friends through what you say, it will make your friendship stronger. Communicating is very important. When you share encouraging words with a friend, you are giving them a confidence boost to do something they may be finding difficult.

Laugh together – having fun with your friends is a healthy thing to do. It helps to release your bodies feel good emotions, when you laugh. A good belly laugh with your friends builds a healthy friendship.

Get Creative – spend some time together doing something fun and creative building wonderful memories together.



Pastoral Care Worker

Pam Young

Leadership

Hi, it is the Leadership Team with some events that have happened are some still to come!

We have just came back from a very memorable trip to Adelaide and Victor Harbor.

On the 2th September (this Thursday) we will be holding a Book Fair and we will be running competitions for each classroom and you may win a Voucher of \$15 to buy books from the Book Fair.

R/1s— Colouring In competition.

2/3—Re-designing the front cover of their favourite book.

4/5s—Draw their favourite character from a book.

6/7s Writing an extra chapter of the book they are reading.

These will be available from Mrs Keeley if you wish to enter the competition.

On 22nd October there is a PJ Day planned which was mentioned in the previous Newsletter.

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 @ \$2.00c

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
Pizza Singles \$2.50



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.

Around the Classrooms



UPPER PRIMARY 6/7



The year 6/7 camp was an amazing experience. Everyday was packed full of fun activities. The train tour; the Adelaide Oval tour; The Monarto Zoo tour; The Botanic gardens Tour and the Penguin Talk were all highlights. Some people say that the best part was the singing on the bus!

By Grace



MIDDLE PRIMARY 4/5



Recently we have been focusing on money and financial maths; learning about how to make a budget. In Writing lessons we are continuing to write our information reports on an animal of our choice- we look forward to showing you our work!

Last week we were lucky enough to have several guests come into our classroom. On Monday we had a "neighbourhood safety" session, where students learnt about ways to keep safe in their communities. On



Thursday we had Author and Illustrator Paul Rutter teach us how to draw a range of ocean creatures. We are still continuing our basketball sessions each Monday.

Miss Gaffney



JUNIOR PRIMARY 2/3



Science Fortnight

To conclude Book Week Celebrations in the 2/3 class, our class celebrated Anh Do's book character Weir's 8th birthday party.

Our class had lots of maths learning to work out how much money was spent, fruit pieces, cooking ingredients and supplies needed.

The novel 'Planet Weird', was modelled to the class which inspired our art pieces of lined Monster Art and party.

We invited Anh Do to our class party and his publicist responded that with all Covid disruptions and his busy schedule he wouldn't be able to make it. Beth wrote she would send out cards to students on his behalf.



Mrs D

We have welcomed our Practicum 4th year teacher Miss Perryman into our class and she will be with us until the end of the term.

We completed our Science Fortnight observing what happened to eggs left in vinegar, body wash and water, We observed how celery in food colouring changed over the week, we looked at Mrs D's potion and used the 5 senses to describe it, we created our own potions in small groups focussing on units of measurement and we got to try some delicious chocolate after we tried to work out how it was made.

In Art we reflected on our snow globes and did a 2 stars and a wish evaluation. We also created a textured art piece using pom poms, a printing art piece using celery and an uncycled art piece using old CD's.

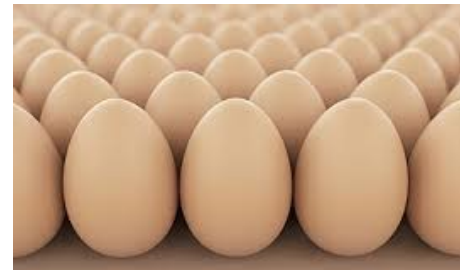
Book Week celebrations were amazing and it was so lovely to see everyone dressed up. We also completed a graph showing which of the Book Week books we enjoyed the best.

In Music we have been playing poison rhythm and singing.

Our Maths focus has been on mass with the Receptions along with subsisting using dominoes and Number lines with the Year 1 students.

In Health we looked at health messages about drinking water and have been talking about the importance of drinking water throughout the day and not waiting until we are thirsty.

Miss H



Egg Cartons Needed

Eggs for sale \$3.50





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BOOK AN ENROLMENT TOUR NOW FOR 2022

RECEPTION TO YEAR 6
TO MAKE A BOOKING CALL
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Compton Primary School is a caring and supportive learning community with a strong commitment to provide high quality education for students from Reception to Year 6. Compton Primary School was founded in 1863 and currently has 104 students. CPS offers a broad and balanced curriculum with a wide variety of extracurricular programs.

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1945 - current

Book Week

In 1945, Children's Book Week was held across Australia for the first time, with the theme of "United Through Books". It is now held every year with the aim at bringing children and books together.

This year, the Book Week theme was 'Old Worlds, New Worlds, Other Worlds'.

Here are some pictures of CPS Book Week's from recent years.

Post pictures in comments of you at Book Week. We would love to see them J



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