



Compton Primary School Newsletter

14/9/2021

Ph: 87251723

Fax: 87250110

Mobile: 0498108539

Web Site: comptonps.sa.edu.au

PRINCIPAL – Bec Keeley 87251723 GOVERNING COUNCIL CHAIRPERSON – Nikki O'Dea 87255265

Shared Values – Respect, Perseverance, Resilience, Kindness

WHAT'S ON

WEDNESDAY: Book Fair, Drinks Day, Hot Lunches
THURSDAY: Book Fair
FRIDAY:
MONDAY: Muffin Monday,
TUESDAY:
WEDNESDAY: Drinks Day, Hot Lunches
THURSDAY:
FRIDAY:
MONDAY: Muffin Monday, Choir
TUESDAY:

NEWSLETTER ATTACHMENTS

Grant Council Community News
Federal Baseball Club—Come and Try
Yearbook Sponsorship

GIVEN TO STUDENTS

Pie Drive Order Form

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 9!

Adelaide Choir Performance

CPS students Kyra, Kobi and Georgia travelled to Adelaide to perform on Friday 10th September at the Adelaide Entertainment Centre with lots of schools from all over South Australia. The students performed 12 songs. Kyra's favourite song was 'Water is Life', Kobi's favourite was 'Deeper Down' and Georgia's was 'Giants and Dragons'. They all said they enjoyed the incredible floor displays, watching the dancers and the big bang of sparklers that went off at the end. Now our choir students are preparing for the Mount Gambier performance!

SSO Week

In week 5, our students made a special gift for our SSOS at Compton as it was SSO Week. We are grateful for the quality of SSOS that we have here at school. Their commitment to supporting students to achieve learning goals, run specialised

programs such as Speech programs, run intervention programs like Quick Smart or MultiLit and keep teachers informed of student progress, yard supervision so students are safe, calling students who are learning from home to check in with them, looking after the library or our finances, helping with wellbeing or a simple band aid, there are so many things they do with a smile, kindness and enthusiasm, that makes our school a great place to be. Thank you for everything you do for Compton – you are very much appreciated!

Book Fair

It has been fantastic to have the Scholastic Book Fair in the library over the last 2 weeks. Children get the opportunity to look over the different books and stationary that can be purchased on the spot. Children received a bookmark when they visited the display with their classes and many students have come back during breaks to add to their 'wish list'. The fair closes on Thursday. Books are slightly

dearer than businesses like Big W but we get a percentage of the profits for the school as well as some books for our library!

Japanese Day

The students will be taking part in Japanese culture and activities on Thursday and Friday of week 10 for our Term 3 Learning Showcase. There will be photos taken to share with families as students take part in cooking and crafts. It will be a nice way to wrap up the term.

Baby photos

It is that time of the year when we are starting to organise Graduation Night! We ask that families of our 6/7 students to please start looking for some photos for our surprise presentation on the night. With so many students, we ask that you keep to 4 photos maximum which we can select from when we know how much time we can devote to the PowerPoint considering we have 31 children graduating! You can bring in original photos for us to scan or you can send them in on USB or email them. It is nice to have a variety of shots from throughout their life – especially one as a baby. It is lovely to watch the faces of the students when they see the surprise presentation.

Pie Order Form

Students were given a Pie Drive Order from the OK Pie Shop today. This is the next Leadership fundraiser. Orders are due back on the 14th October for a delivery on 21st October.

Bec Keeley

Leadership

Hey everyone its Leadership here, on the 9/9 we announced our winners for the book fair, the winners were -

**Sarah Kaylee,
Addie Jasmine**

We also let everyone have a look at the amazing books, toys, posters etc, they got wish list so they could let their parents know what they would like to hopefully buy when they bring the wish list back with the money. It's a similar ordering process to book club. The voting was very hard to choose, everyone done such a great job.

Now to camp, as you know the R-5 class just came back from their camping trip of fun and excitement.

Parker: We had a balancing table and I had to go two the middle to balance it but the middle was not really the middle because of how the two planks were positioned. We had toast for breakfast and for tea I had two sausages, two burgers, five pieces of cucumber and five pieces of lettuce and there was twister there.

The Leadership Team

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



In the year 6/7 class we have been busy creating our Year Book covers for the big competition. In maths we've been learning all about 24 hour time and 3D shapes. In science we are building towers to test the power of earthquakes. The choir group went to North Gambier PS to rehearse with the big group from all the primary schools in the district. For Digital Technology we're using an app called Maker's Empire to design things for a trip to Mars. Taryn travelled to Adelaide to represent the Lower South East for SAPSASA hockey, and came home with the silver medal!! We are heading off to transition days at Mount Gambier High School later this week. Next week we are looking forward to the pyjama day!

By Tyler P and Tyrone



Rec—5 Robe Camp



We had the most amazing time on camp. We cannot thank our amazing dads enough for coming and being such legends while we were away! They made our camp possible, and we are all so grateful to them.

Our camp was a busy one but very fun. All activities were based around the 4 Compton School values on Resilience, Kindness, Perseverance and Respect. The children certainly rose to the challenges and showed us what incredible young people they all are.

We had an art focus at Millicent on the way and stopped at some of the towns art. Children showed great perseverance and the playground and beautiful leadership skills were shown while we were at Lake McIntyre.

At camp we participated in Beach Games, Team Building games such as Shelter Building, Bridge Building, Brain Twisters and the Floor is Lava. We did some tasks involving balancing, problem solving and working as a team to achieve goals. The people from Beyond Limits who came down from Adelaide to run

the activities were blown away by the group work and willingness to make sure everyone achieved as a team not that individual achieved.

Both evenings were filled with fun and laughter through Minute to Win It games and Movie Night.

Such incredible bravery was shown at some many different times like being away from our families, trying new tasks and camps are such a nice time to develop relationships with children from all over the school which our bunch of campers certainly did!

We would like to thank each child who came on camp for their incredible strong choices each and every person made while we were away. Again thank you to our amazing dads who gave up their time, work and sleep to make it possible!

All campers had a great time thanks to you.

Miss H, Mrs D and Miss Gaffney



**COMPTON
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**BOOK AN ENROLMENT
TOUR NOW FOR 2022**
RECEPTION TO YEAR 6
TO MAKE A BOOKING CALL
(08) 87251723
www.comptonps.sa.edu.au

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.

RESPECT - PERSEVERANCE - RESILIENCE - KINDNESS



CAMP



The Compton Chronicles

The Premier's Reading Challenge

2004 - current

The Premier's Reading Challenge is a literacy engagement program that was introduced by the Premier in 2004 to:

- Encourage students to read more books and enjoy reading
- Improve literacy levels

The Challenge requires students to read 12 books between the beginning of the school year and early September.

CPS students, Talia and Viv, are seen here in 2010 receiving their certificates from the then SA Premier, Mr Mike Rann.

CPS students have again participated in the Premier's Reading Challenge this year.

