



# CURRABUBULA PUBLIC SCHOOL

## Newsletter

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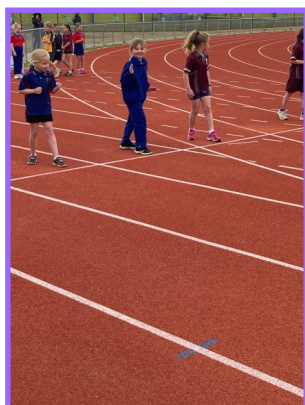
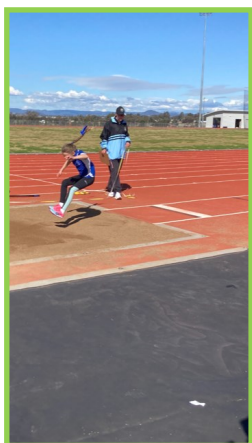
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### Zone Athletics

In a business week of sport, 5 students represented our school at Tamworth Zone Athletics last Friday. Well done to Londyn, Emily R, Jannali, Kayla and Matilda who participated in both track and field events.

Congratulations to our Nigel Bagley Relay team (Jannali, Emily R, Kayla and Matilda) on placing 3rd and progressing to Regionals.

Special mention to Emily R for placing 2nd in the 9 years 100m girls event and has moved onto Regionals in September.



TERM 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 6	22	23	24	25	26
		Scripture	Music		Sport
Week 7	29	30	31	1	2
		Scripture			Regional Athletics Sport
	Festival of Instrumental Music				

### Upcoming:

- ⇒ Festival of Instrumental Music 30th August (week7)
- ⇒ Book Club due back 2nd September
- ⇒ School Assembly and Book week parade Friday 9th September (week 8)
- ⇒ Curra Sports Day Friday 16th September (week 9)



# Principal's Message

## Teddy Bears Picnic/Assembly

Thank you to our families and their teddy bear friends who attended our Teddy Bears Picnic and assembly a few weeks back. Both students and staff enjoyed having the opportunity to have visitors back within school. This event was also supported by Newcastle University students and the "Teddy Bears Hospital". Early signs point to a positive outlook for all of our patients. We were delighted to extend an invitation to children from Currabubula Preschool, further establishing that sense of community which makes our small school great!

We look forward to our next Assembly/school event which is our Book Week Parade on Friday in Week 8 (9 September). A special mention to our staff for coordinating such a great endeavour.

## PSSA Touch Football

Last Thursday, myself and some of our Primary students travelled to Gunnedah for our small school PSSA Touch game against Gwbagar Public School. While the result may not have gone our way, I was most impressed with the levels of enthusiasm and teamwork displayed throughout the course of the term, getting us to this point. Seeing students represent their school in a team sport environment, many for the first time was a highlight.

## Curra Sports Day

A permission note and lunch order form will be distributed ASAP for our upcoming Currabubula Sports Day, Friday 16 September. If there are any parents who wish to help out on the day or support the P&C with running the BBQ lunch orders, please let the school know.

## Enrolment for 2023

The school is currently taking enrolments for next year in all year groups, including Kindergarten. We ask that prospective families contact the school over the coming weeks for forward planning, where enrolment packs and information will be sent out. Further information regarding our Kindergarten transition program will be communicated during the term. For more information, please email at [currabul-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:currabul-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au).







# In the Classroom

## K-2



K-2 are Goal Getters!!

Have you been hearing about our Tea with the Teacher sessions? We have been discussing our current goals, giving each other feedback on our work and checking in on the fun things that have been happening at school and home. This week we enjoyed a poppa and biscuit in our session!

Don't forget to ask your K-2 child about their Tea with the Teacher, every fortnight!



## 3-6

This week we have been continuing to build upon our skills writing informative texts. Our learning wall is growing at a rapid rate as we immerse ourselves in both context- learning in the past- and technique- language and structure. This week's focus has been on developing effective 'Topic Sentences' to begin our paragraphs. We have explored a number of topic sentence structures including 'generalisations', 'lists', '2 nouns, 2 commas' and 'occasion/position'. 'Generalisations' help the reader to get an overall picture of the topic, 'lists' detail the information coming up in the paragraph, '2 nouns, 2 commas' is a strong technique seen in many non-fiction texts and 'occasion/position' informs the reader of a resulting consequence of an event.

Have a look at these great examples of each technique:

### Generalisations:

"All sloths are slow mammals who eat fruit and flowers and live high up in the trees." Matilda

"The whole population of young, Aboriginal children in the 1930s were at risk of being part of the Stolen Generation." Olivia

### 2 nouns, 2 commas:

"Tutenkhamen, the boy king, was a ruler of Ancient Egypt." Georgina N.

"Kallum, a boy gamer, plays Fortnite and Minecraft." Kallum

### Occasion/ Position:

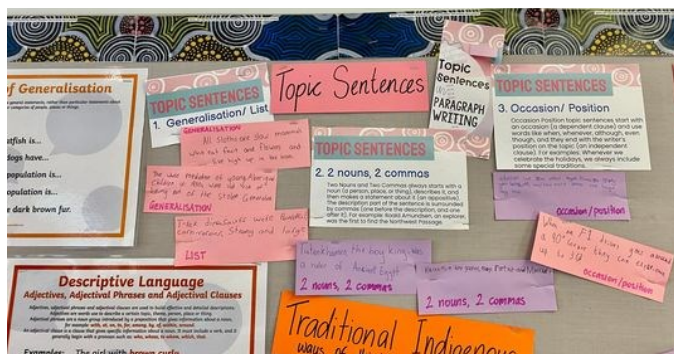
"When an F1 driver goes around a 90° corner, they can experience up to 3Gs!" Angus

"Whenever we learn about Toyota Hiluxes, we study gear boxes, diffs and how much power and torque they have." Henry

### Lists:

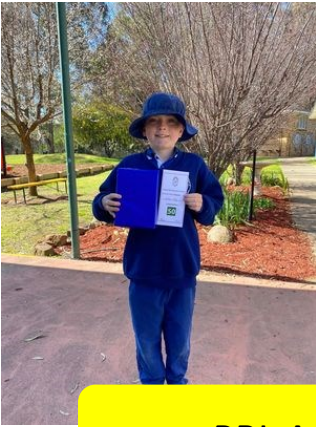
"T-rex dinosaurs were powerful, carnivorous, strong and large." Caden

"Horses were used in the olden days for transport, carting food and goods and for farm work like pulling ploughs." Emily R.





# Around the School



PBL Awards

Martial Arts



Our Value of the Week...

Curra Kids

CARE

Care

Act Safely

Respect

Excel

# RESPECT

How can you show this value?



- 1 We speak, listen and act respectfully
- 2 We care for the environment and property
- 3 We respect people's personal space
- 4 We take ownership of our behaviour



This fortnight we have been looking at the importance of uniform in our school.

Here are some ideas we have-

- \* Sun protection
- \* It helps develop a sense of belonging
- \* Enhances student pride in our school
- \* Makes identification of students easy
- \* Everyone is equal

Contact the office today if you have any uniform questions.