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SAVE THE DATE!

Thursday April 11
Easter Hat Parade

Friday 12th April
Small Schools
Cross Country &
Last day of Term 1

Thurs 25th April
Anzac Day

Tues 30th April
Students return
Term 2

Wed 22nd May
School
Photographer



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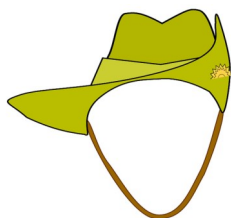
Newsletter Term 1 - Week 11

Tuesday 9th April

A Note from the Principal...

First Term is drawing to a close and what a busy term it has been. Last week we ran our School Cross Country and I would like to say a big congratulations to all the students that participated. Our place getters were 2nd place in their age groups to Pearl, Chloe and Adrian and first place to Gretel, David, Madison, Stone, Abi and Billy. These students will now compete at the small schools' cross country this Friday at Junction Hill and we wish them the best of luck.

On Thursday we will be holding our Easter Hat parade and everyone is welcome. This will be the day that we draw our P@C Easter raffle so please ensure raffle tickets are returned ASAP. Thank you to those families that have donated prizes for the raffle.



The second Thursday of the holidays is ANZAC day. It would be appreciated if as many students as possible could represent the school at the march at Ulmarra in full school uniform. Please meet at the Rural Fire Service Office at 10.30am. Our school ANZAC service will be held on Thursday 2nd May (Term 2).

Last week Year 5 and Year 3 students participated in a practice online NAPLAN test. The NAPLAN test will take place in Weeks 3 and 4 of Term 2.

This week Billy will be competing at the PSSA state swimming titles at Olympic Park in Sydney. Good luck Billy!

I hope everyone has a relaxing and enjoyable holiday. Monday 29th April all staff will be attending a Clarence Valley combined staff development day at Yamba Public School. Students return to school on Tuesday 30th April.

Sue Magarry - Principal



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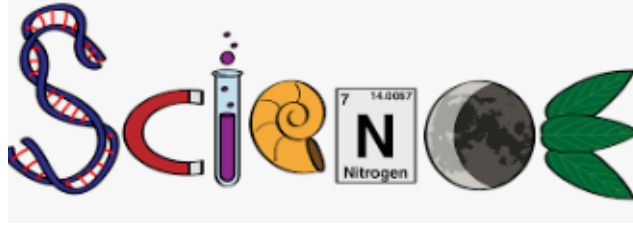
Kids in the Kitchen



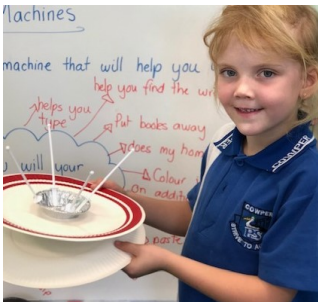


Kids in the Kitchen





This term K/1/2 have been learning about basic machines. They have identified what machines are and how they can be created and used. They have learnt about the six basic machines being the wheel and axle, inclined plane, wedge, lever, screw and the pulley. The students have conducted experiments that have demonstrated their use and effectiveness. As part of this unit Students have used their imagination to create a machine that would assist them in the classroom.

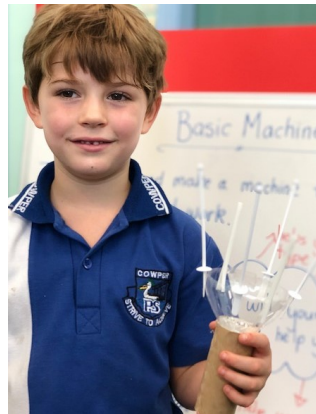


"My machine holds pencils and rubbers and spins around so I do not have to reach over the table." Ayva



"My machine picks up my pencils and puts them back in the pencil tin."

"My machine picks up pencils and rubbers and puts them in the cup, there is also a satellite. It also makes me pie so my mum doesn't have to pack my lunch." Kaci-Lee



"My machine sucks up rubbish from my desk when I am cutting out." Digby



My machine helps me to see because it is a light." Harper



"My machine catches my rubbers and pencils when I drop them. It save me from bending and over and picking up my pencils. My machine sorts my things into different compartments." Gretel

My machine works by pressing this button and it sucks the rubbish up and the rubbish is stored in the cube. At the end of the day I need to empty the rubbish into the bin. It saves me time!" Pearl

