

St Lawrence's Catholic Primary School



Newsletter

Dalgarno Street Coonabarabran

PO Box 248

Tel: 02 6842 1732

Email: stlawrencescoona@bth.catholic.edu.au

Web: stlawriescoona.catholic.edu.au

Term 4 Week 4 Newsletter



Monday 30th November 2023

Henley Flood PSSA Sydney



Well done Henley on your fantastic effort at the PSSA carnival in Sydney last Wednesday. Henley competed in the 200m and achieved a personal best time. We are very proud of your perseverance and dedication to training.

VISION STATEMENT

'AD ALTA VIRTUTE' - To the Highest Virtue. St Lawrence's Primary School is Christ-centred. Our school aims to create a safe and caring community, fostering an educational environment that promotes high levels of learning for all.

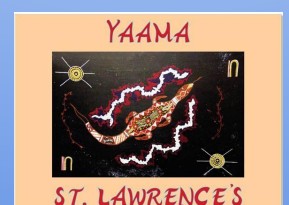
UPCOMING EVENTS

1st Nov All Saints Day Mass 9:15am

2nd Nov All Souls Day

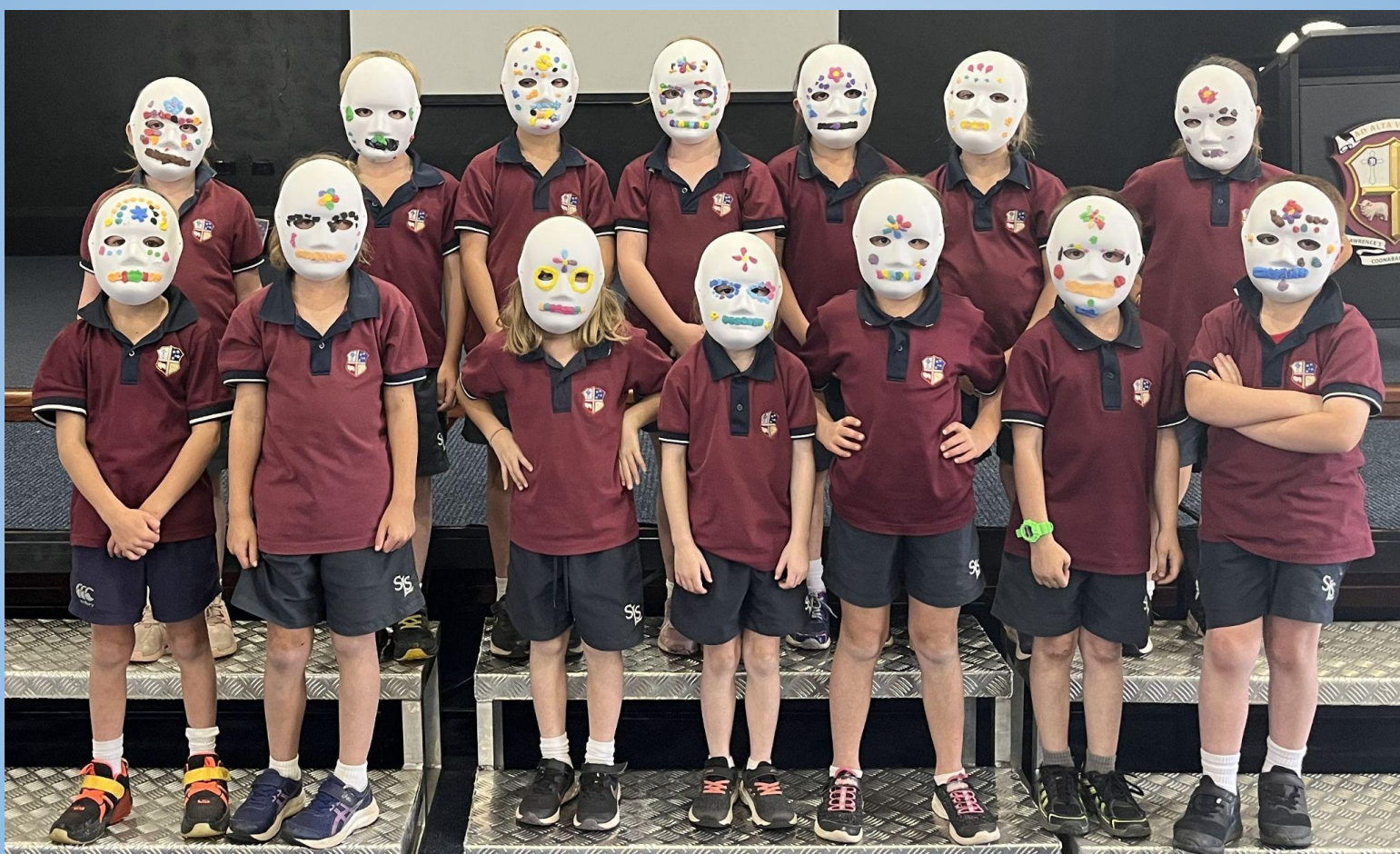
2nd/3rd Nov Yrs 3/4 Lake Keepit Excursion

11th Nov Remembrance Day



Year One

Year One created calavera masks for 'Day of the Dead' which is celebrated in Mexico and throughout South America on November 2nd.



"We acknowledge the traditional owners of this land and pay respects to the elders and deceased members of the Gamilaraay people."



Whole School Excursion

On **Thursday 14th December**, all students will travel to Gunnedah Civic Theatre to attend the screening of Journey to Bethlehem for our whole school excursion. Students will receive a small movie pack comprising of popcorn, a drink and a lolly pop. Permission and details will be sent out on Compass.



Masses



Wednesday 1st November All Saints Day Mass 9:15am. All welcome to attend.



Tuesday 14th November Feast of St Lawrence O'Toole Mass 12pm - this will be a Kindergarten Mass - all welcome to attend.

Congratulations to Our Award Winners

Kindergarten

Georgia Giovias-Always trying hard when writing sentences.
Beau Henley-Excellent behaviour on our school excursion.
Dustin Maynard-Being so engaged and interested at Possum Magic.
Emelia Tabib-Lovely recount writing about Possum Magic.

Year One

Chayse Pitkin-Working hard with his reading and using his reading strategies.
Ruby Hallin-Good work in maths.
Georgia Freebairn-Excellent work with adding two digit numbers.
Cooper Berry-Good effort with sounding out words in reading groups.

Year Two

Mya Watton-Always wearing our school uniform with pride.
Perrie Morrissey-Consistently offering to help others when they need it.
Tasman Keeler-Critical thinking and questioning.
Charlie-May Hasted-Focussing on your work and not getting distracted.

Year Three

Huntah Stonham-For an impressive improvement with your reading fluency.
Loki Holmesby-For listening well and contributing more to classroom discussions.
Henley Parnell-Becoming a more fluent reader and speller.
Bronte Leedham-For consistently doing your best in all that you do.

Year Four

Kyson Knight-Chatfield-Pen Licence.
Noah Brouff-Pen Licence.
Amarnii Stanton-For your active engagement in your learning.
Keith Gray-For always helping others without being asked.

Year Five

Roubi Soussa-Working conscientiously on her captains speech.
Kelly Jamieson-Always doing the right thing.
Mathew Bennett-For being helpful and well mannered.
Reece Wardley-For displaying fabulous skills in maths.

Year Six

Lillian Hunter-Wonderful preparation for your buddy radio program.
Phoebe Toynton-Wonderful preparation for your buddy radio program.
Ashlyn Clarke-A great Dreamtime story.
Callen Morris-Applying himself in all aspects of school life.

Happy birthday this week to: ~

**Henley Parnell,
Braxton Lowrie!**



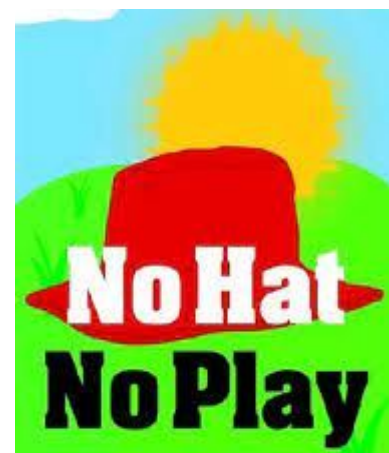
A FULL SCONE BEEF BONANZA REPORT WILL FOLLOW NEXT WEEK

Bandanna Day 2023



School Hats

School hats offer sun protection and are a part of our school uniform. Students who do not have a hat are not permitted to play and need to remain sitting in the shade. Students are encouraged to leave their hat in their tote tray to avoid losing or forgetting it. Hats are not able to be shared due to head lice concerns. Hats are available for purchase from the school office for \$15.



Riding/Scootering

It is wonderful to see some of our students riding their bikes or scooters to school each day. It has come to our attention that some students may not be riding safely to school and considering pedestrians on the footpaths. Students are to walk their bikes in the school grounds and past parents and students at pick up time of an afternoon. Students need to be wearing a helmet. If your child rides or scooters to school, please discuss riding safely with them.

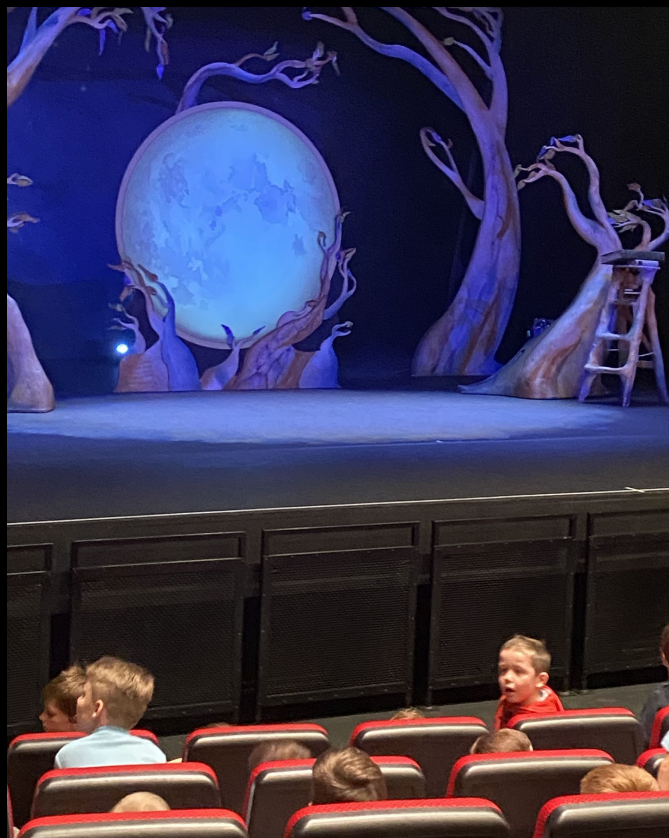
Musical Instruments for Sale

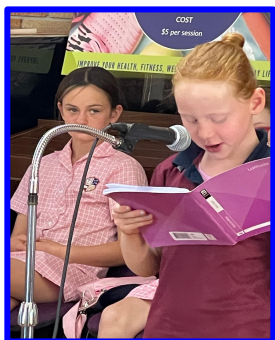
We currently have some keyboards and flutes for sale here at school. These items are in great used condition and are surplus to our needs. Each instrument is priced at \$50 and is first in best dressed, no holds. Money must be paid upon collection of the instrument. For further information, please contact the school office.



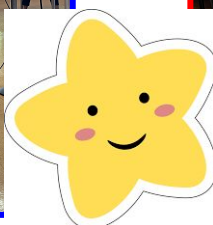
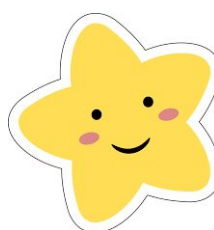
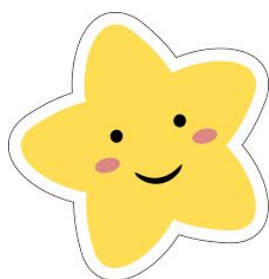
Kinder Goes to the Theatre

Last Wednesday, Kindergarten enjoyed an excursion to Dubbo to watch Possum Magic at the Theatre in Dubbo. Students thoroughly enjoyed this experience as well as a play in the park at lunchtime. Thank you to Mrs Redden and Mrs Weatherall for accompanying the students and to Sandra McCaw for organising for each student to receive their very own copy of Possum Magic.





2023 Public Speaking Finalists had the privilege of performing their formal speeches to the residents of Cooida last week. They each performed with pride, confidence, clarity and passion. The residents were impressed, some commenting that there were future Prime Ministers in the group. We finished the performance singing happy birthday to a Kitty, a resident, who was turning 100 on the weekend. Happy Birthday Kitty!



St Lawrence's SRC COLOURTASTIC Year 6 Farewell Disco

When = Wednesday 15th November

Where = School Hall

Time = Infants - 5pm to 6pm

Primary - 6pm to 7pm

Cost = \$10 - hotdog, juice popper, glow stick, face
paint - SRC Fundraiser

= snacks will be for sale during the disco

Theme = **Colourful Clothes**

Radio Stars

Last Friday, Isla Volkofsky and Evellin Bartlett recorded their radio program with their buddies Violet McCaw and Eleanor Ross. The students interviewed each other to learn a little more about their favourite foods, pets they have and told some jokes. Be listening out for this program on Thursday and Sunday at 6pm.




These advertisers support us, please support them:



WAYNE LEE CONSTRUCTIONS
0407 216 312
 Email: wayneleeconstructions@gmail.com Lic No. 370471C



McWhirter's Bus Service
 Charter and Educational Tours
 Modern seat belt equipped coaches
0429 457 768
 Phone/Fax 6842 3054
 10 Crane Street, Coonabarabran



Where you grow, we go.
 We can help you thrive too.
 To find out more visit www.forsyths.com.au
 or call us on 02 6842 0000.

Your Discount Chemist Coonabarabran
 77 John Street, Coonabarabran, NSW, 2357
YOUR DISCOUNT CHEMIST
 Email: coona@kp.com.au
 Phone: 02 6842 1118
 Fax: 02 6842 2569
www.yourdiscountchemist.com.au

EQUIPMENT HIRE - SMALL EARTHMOVING




02 6842 2149
0498 127 712
 3 Castlereagh Street, Coonabarabran



Roachs Home Hardware
6842 1811 or 6842 1760
 * Hardware * Rural Merchandise * Steel * Paint
 * Glass * Timber * Poly Pipe
 47 Cassilis Street, Coonabarabran NSW 2357



This newsletter contains all the latest club news.
 For enquiries please email:
coonabarabranponyclub@outlook.com



Matt Coyle Plumbing
 Plumber - Drainer - Gasfitter - Roofer
 Licence 291926C. A.B.N. 2981 670 5346
 PO Box 35
 Coonabarabran 2357
0405 336 867
mattcoyle.plumbing@gmail.com



CHAPMAN'S TYRE SERVICE
 great deals friendly service
 for all your tyre needs
 Phone Paul, Katie or Jody
6842 1108



DAIKIN EDWARDS AIR CONDITIONING
 For Installation, Service, Repair, & Obligation Free Quotes
 277 Timor Rd, Coonabarabran 2357.
Office: 6842 1100 Mobile: 0427 253 406
 Email: sales@edwardsair.com.au
 Lic. No.: 203642C Authorised DAIKIN Dealer

Coonabarabran Bowling Club
 Edwards Street, Coonabarabran



Phone: 68421349 (Bar)
 68421041 (Bistro)

Honey House Bistro OPEN 6 DAYS KENO TAB FOX SKY ATM eftpos



PURSEHOUSE RURAL
 ag business services
 Phone: **6849 2330**
 Fax: 6849 2338

1000 x FREE BUSINESS CARDS
 or
 FREE Embroidery setup of your logo
 (contact us for more details)

www.xlr8promotions.com.au



UNIFORMS EMBROIDERY PRINTING TROPHIES GRAPHIC DESIGN
Ph: 6882 4995



COONABARABRAN Veterinary Surgery
 Ph: 02 68421251 Email: admin@coonavet.com.au