

# Newsletter



## Chittaway Bay Public School



*Valuing excellence in education & people who are nice to know*

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### SCHOOL, HOME & COMMUNITY – PARTNERS IN LEARNING

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#### DATES TO REMEMBER – TERM 2 – 2016 – WEEK 9

Fri 24 June	Sydney North Cross Country*
Fri 1 July	PBL Assembly
Sat 2 July	P&C Election Day BBQ and Cake Stall
<b>July 4-18</b>	<b>School Holidays</b>
<b>Mon 18 July</b>	<b>Staff return</b>
<b>Tues 19 July</b>	<b>Students return</b>
25-28 July	Book Week – Book Fair
	Book Parade – Australian Story Country
Fri 19 Aug	Tuggerah Lakes Zone Athletics Carnival*
22-26 Aug	Education Week
Mon 12 Sept	Sydney North Athletics Carnival*
8-11 Nov	Bathurst Yrs 5 & 6 \$432.20
9-11 Nov	Aussie Bush Camp Yr 4 & 2/6S \$271

\*selected students only

**K-2 ASSEMBLY Friday 12.20pm – no class item this week**

#### SCHOOL NEWS

It is with great joy that I write this newsletter for the first time as Principal of Chittaway Bay Public School. I would like to start by saying thank you to Mrs Hall for doing such a wonderful job relieving as Principal over the last term and a half. I know that she is very happy to be back on class with 5/6H. Last week I met many of our wonderful students at Chittaway and was able to visit some classrooms to see the amazing work that they are doing. Our students are working hard to meet our PBL expectations of being Safe, Respectful, Responsible and Engaged. It was great to see many of our students recognised at our assembly on Friday for their great academic work. I was very impressed with the number of students who received bronze, silver and gold reading awards. I also had the opportunity to meet our student Members of Parliament. CBPS students are in good hands with such a dedicated team of Ministers representing them. After just one week I am very excited about working with the students, teachers and families at CBPS as we provide all students with the best possible education so that they can reach their potential.

Have a great week of learning, Chittaway Bay PS,



Mrs Ruth Goodwin

#### School Reports

Semester 1 student reports will be sent home next week. School reports are graded on the following two elements: Achievement and Application in Class. Please note as per Department of Education and Communities report guidelines, Kindergarten students are not graded against achievement.

**Achievement :** L - Limited

B - Basic

S - Sound

H - High

O - Outstanding

**Application:** L - Low

I - Inconsistent

S - Satisfactory

H - High

O - Outstanding

It is important to consider where your child is at academically. Students who are achieving a **Sound** achievement actually indicate that they are performing at the stage appropriate levels and are performing well in class. If your child receives a **High** achievement grading, that indicates that your child is able to demonstrate a higher level of understanding in that particular strand or subject area. If your child has an achievement level of **Limited** or **Basic**, please do not be alarmed. The achievement identifies that your child may be experiencing some difficulties in the classroom. All students who achieve a Limited or Basic achievement level will be addressed at the stage level and where relevant, referred to the Learning Support Team for further discussion to help support their academic needs. Students are also graded against application in class which is linked to student engagement in the various subject areas.

Please do not hesitate to contact your child's teacher if you wish to discuss their report further.

#### KINDERGARTEN 2017

If you have a child starting next year or even know a neighbour who will be starting Kindergarten in 2017 please contact the school if you haven't already done so. Orientation events start in Term 3.

#### LIBRARY NEWS: Week 9

**Book Club:** All orders should be submitted by now. If there are any late orders, please submit as soon as possible.

**Book Fair:** This year our Book Fair will be held in Term 3, Week 2, Monday 25<sup>th</sup> July to Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> July.

We are using Scholastic for Book Fair so there will be a huge range of books for the students to purchase. Students will be able to purchase books before school, at lunch and after school on the Tuesday and Wednesday.

More information will be available closer to this event.

**Overdue Books:** We have a large amount of books that are overdue. Could you please search at home for any school library books and return to Mrs Bailey in the Library.

### BOOK CHARACTER PARADE

Just giving everyone notice that we will be holding our Book Character parade on Thursday 28th July.

Children are to come dressed in a outfit or costume from a favourite book.

The theme for 2016 Book Week is Australia: Story Country. Students can dress up in a character from a book written by an Australian author, Aboriginal Legend or Australian theme .

Otherwise their own creation will be ideal.

Anne Bailey

### Book Club Orders- IMPORTANT

LOOP orders go to : <http://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP>

If you are unsure how to do LOOP, please see Mrs Nankivell in the library office on Thursdays or go to the following link for instructions:

[http://www.scholastic.com.au/schools/bookclub/assests/pdfs/LOOP\\_How\\_to\\_4.pdf](http://www.scholastic.com.au/schools/bookclub/assests/pdfs/LOOP_How_to_4.pdf)

Anne Bailey

Teacher Librarian



Chittaway Bay Public School invites you  
to our Kindergarten orientation program  
for 2016.

**Story Time afternoons:** 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> September (2:55-2:40pm). Please book into 1 session by calling 4388 2188. This is a nice relaxed way to introduce your child to Chittaway Bay in a small group.

**Open morning and Teddy Bears Picnic:** 21<sup>st</sup> September (9:15- 10:30am). Meet other children and parents coming to Chittaway Bay in 2017. The children get to have some fun and games with their Teddy Bear. Morning tea is provided for the children.

#### Orientation Sessions

Session 1- 12<sup>th</sup> October (9:00am- 10:45am)

Session 2- 19<sup>th</sup> October (9:00am- 10:45am)

Session 3- 26<sup>th</sup> October (9:00am- 10:45am)

Session 4- 2<sup>nd</sup> November (9:00am- 10:45am)

Please try and make all 4 of these sessions as parents get important information and the teachers get to know the children.

Please contact the school on 4388 2188 for any enquiries.

Emmakate De Henau- Kindergarten Co-ordinator

### SCHOOL BANKING is Wednesday

Unfortunately the Flying Snake Tail and Handball are not available, we are unable to order these items.

### ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS - \$60

This year the P&C are selling the Central Coast/ Newcastle Entertainment Book and App. These have over \$20,000 worth of offers for hotels, travel attractions, dining, shopping and more. 20% of every book or app sold will be donated to our school. Please see a member of the P&C for further information. Thank you for your support.



### P&C BBQ ELECTON DAY

Helpers are needed for our election day BBQ on Saturday the 2<sup>nd</sup> July. Please fill out the slip below if you are able to spare an hour.

### CAKE STALL

We are now taking donations of non perishable baking goods for our cake stall. If you have anything you would like to donate please drop it off to the office.

Suggestions for donations: Flour, Gluten Free Flour, Sugar, Cocoa, Sprinkles, Cupcake patty pans, baking powder.

### P&C ELECTION DAY BBQ AND CAKE STALL HELP

I am able to help on the Election Day BBQ and/ or Cake stall.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Time available to help: \_\_\_\_\_

### MERIT AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who have reached '10 Merit' Award:

Connor Banks, Lars Christensen, Jazzy Grace, Isabella Cheng, Imogen Gray, Braydan Dixon, Izzac Bruce, Kaito Deed, Evie Akintetik, Kaitlin Blake, Aaleaha Bruce, Bailey Clift, Jasmin Suesse, Emma Swanson, Nicholas Reid, Tahlia Grace, Ellie Gifford, Natalie Paul, Ava Mowbray, Olivia Streloff, Josie Box, Flynn Patterson, Sarah Adams, Kodie Burke, Khidyn Tutaki, Jillian Travis, Lewis Classen-Loud, Ava Batten, Matthew Reynolds

Congratulations to the following students who have reached '15 Merit' Award:

Keira Taylor, Amelie Adams, Emily Stewart, Eddie Adams, Skye Gleeson, Kristy Rainbow, Chelsea Naysmith, Gryffen Riddel

### PBL BOOK AWARDS sponsored by Wiseberry Real Estate Tumbi Umbi, Lakedge and The Entrance.



Heath, Natalie, Kaylee, Grace, Lachlan, Lachlan, Nathan

### CANTEEN ROSTER TERM 2 – Week 9

Wed 22.6: K Donnelly, S Reynolds

Thurs 23.6: K Donnelly, W Hawkins

Fri 24.6: K Donnelly, W Hawkins

Mon 27.6: CLOSED

Tues 28.6: K Donnelly, N McCarroll, T Daley

Please phone Karen Donnelly on 4388 4006 or the Canteen on 43885950

Closed in shoes must be worn at all times in the canteen. Thongs and sandals are not allowed due to Health and Safety regulations.

## SCHOOL EXEMPTIONS/HOLIDAYS

If you are thinking of going on holidays during the school term, The Department of Education and Communities (DEC) has introduced procedures for registering 'Exemption from School' requests.

From the beginning of 2015, family holidays and travel are no longer considered under the Exemption from School Procedures. Travel outside of school holiday periods needs a Certificate of Extended Leave – Travel available from the school. While on vacations, parents may be asked to produce this certificate to ensure a child's leave-from-school has been authorised.

A Principal should accept a reason for travel during school term if it is in the best interests of the student, such as educational, social and participation reasons. This also includes family business, bereavement or other reasons, which should be specified on the application.

On accepting a parent's application, a Certificate of Extended Leave – Travel must be issued. This certificate is provided to the parent. A Principal may decline to accept a parent's Application for a Certificate of Extended Leave – Travel and then the parent will be advised in writing.

Travel outside of the vacation period will count as an absence on your child's school report.

## THE UNIFORM SHOP

Open Fridays at 8.45 – 9.30am (school term only)

In the community room – Lay-bys available

Orders and money, marked "Uniform Shop" may be placed in the box in the Office. These orders will only be filled on the Friday of that week. Complaint / suggestion slips should also be placed in the box.

Girls may not wear shorts as uniform.

Our uniform is black shoes, no coloured laces etc., please!

## CAMP AUSTRALIA – Before and After School Care

Coordinator – Ashleigh Nilsson-Taylor Mobile – 0411 298 352

Program	Times	Full Fee	Final Costs after Government Subsidy
Before Care	6.30am-8.30am	\$15.19	\$4.20 - \$7.60
After Care	3.00pm-6.00pm	\$25.94	\$7.88 - \$12.97

Most families are entitled to between 50% and 85% subsidy

Visit [www.campastralia.com.au](http://www.campastralia.com.au)

Jo-Anne Whitelaw

Piano – Keyboard Teacher 0411388669

The lessons cost \$18 per lesson, with a small discount for siblings, and run for 45 mins per lesson.

Keyboards will be provided for the lessons, and there will be a fee for the books used in the lessons.

If you are interested in your child taking part in these lessons, please fill out the permission slip below and return to the schools office.

✂ \_\_\_\_\_  
Piano/Keyboard Lessons

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Students Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms): \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_



## EVERY DAY COUNTS....

A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just...	that equals...	which is...	and therefore, from Kindy to Year 12, that is...	This means that the best your child can achieve is...
1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

Give your child every chance to succeed...

Every day counts!



R J STIMSON

Chartered Accountant ABN 78 694 488 716

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After Hours Appointments Available

Contact Russell on Ph 4355 4898/ 0422 953 779

Email: [russell@rjstimson.com.au](mailto:russell@rjstimson.com.au)

## Heard about Mad Cow Drama?

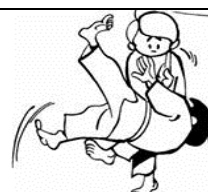
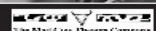


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A LOCATION NEAR YOU



JUDO CLASSES IN THE SCHOOL HALL  
THURSDAYS during Term

3.30-4.15pm: Recreational Kids 5-8yrs

4.30-5.30pm: Recreational Kids 8-11yrs

5.30-6.30pm: Recreational Kids 11-14yrs

6.30-7.30pm: Experienced Kids 8-14yrs

7.30-8.30pm: Adults & Parents

Facebook: [judocentralcoast](https://www.facebook.com/judocentralcoast) Shane: 0410 044 205

\$10.00 per class OR \$90.00 per term



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# Central Coast NAIDOC Community Day 2016

**Tuesday 5 July**  
**Gosford Racecourse**  
**Racecourse Rd, Gosford**  
**10am to 3pm**

- Lots of health and community stalls
- Bushtucker BBQ
- Rock climbing
- Reptile talks
- Face painting
- Jumping castle

Come together with family, friends and community for a fun filled day.

- Get a **free health check** (it's quick, easy & you'll receive a free jersey on completion)

- Learn about local opportunities at the **Employment and Education Expo**

- Find out more about the **Indigenous jobs market**



03-10 JULY 2016



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**Health**  
Central Coast Local Health District

02 80 36 036

**PROMOTING RECONCILIATION, CULTURAL IDENTITY, EDUCATION AND SPORT**

**NATIONS OF ORIGIN**

**JULY 12 - 14 2016**

**FOOTBALL FIVES**  
 Lake Macquarie Sports Complex  
 Football Field  
 3 Park Rd, Sydney NSW  
 Tue, July 12 2016

**RUGBY LEAGUE 7s**  
 Lake Macquarie Sports Complex  
 Leisure Way, Raymond Terrace  
 Wed, July 13 and  
 Thur, July 14 2016

**NETBALL**  
 Raymond Terrace Football Courts  
 William Bailey St Raymond Terrace  
 Wed, July 13 and  
 Wed, July 14 2016

For more information, contact: Paula Skinner email: paskinner@pcycnsw.org.au mobile: 0402 204 048

## LIBRARY SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Monday 4 July	Tuesday 5 July	Wednesday 6 July	Thursday 7 July	Friday 8 July
<b>Aboriginal Stories</b> Gosford Library 10.30am to 11.30am Enjoy a visit from a traditional Aboriginal storyteller. Ages 3 to 5 years - siblings welcome. Free event. Catrina Hyllon It's About Time The Entrance Community Centre 11am to 12pm Ages 3 to 5 years. \$3 members. \$5 non-members.	<b>Creative Writing with Jess Black - The Magic Door</b> Kinross Library 9.30am to 12.30pm Ages 8 to 13 years. Free event. Bricks4Kids Lake Haven Library 10am to 12pm 5 to 12 years. \$3 members. \$5 non-members. <b>Creative Writing with Jess Black - The Magic Door</b> Erina Library 1.30pm to 4.30pm Ages 8 to 13 years. Free event.	<b>Knitting Workshop</b> Kinross Library 9.30am to 12.30pm Ages 8 to 12 years. Free event. Join in the second session for this program on Wednesday 13 July. <b>Forensic Science Half Day</b> The Entrance Community Centre 10am Ages 5 to 8. \$3 members. \$5 non-members. <b>Forensic Science Half Day</b> The Entrance Community Centre 11am Ages 9 to 12 years. \$3 members. \$5 non-members. <b>NAIDOC Event</b> Umina Library 10.30am to 11.30am Ages 3 to 6 years. Free event.	<b>Toonworld</b> The Entrance Community Centre 9.30am to 11am Ages 5 to 8 years. \$3 members. \$5 non-members. <b>Dub Leffer Illustration</b> Woy Woy Library 10am to 11am Ages 7 to 11. Free event. <b>Balloon Twirling</b> Toukley Library 10am to 11am Ages 7+ \$3 all participants. <b>Annual Wizard Tournament</b> Lake Haven Library 10.30am Ages 9 to 15 years. Free for KOWIL members. \$3 non-members. <b>Toonworld</b> The Entrance Community Centre 11.30am to 1pm Ages 9 to 12 years. \$3 members. \$5 non-members. <b>Dub Leffer Illustration</b> Erina Library 2pm to 3pm Ages 7 to 11. Free event.	<b>Book a Day Reading Hour</b> The Entrance Library 10am to 11am Ages 3 to 6 years. Free event.



Bookings required for all events unless otherwise noted. Payments to be made within 48 hours excluding Game Training Roadshow.  
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Monday 11 July	Tuesday 12 July	Wednesday 13 July	Thursday 14 July	Friday 15 July
<b>Ice Skating Rink</b> Kibbick Park Gosford 10am to 8pm All ages - children and adult. \$10 per 45 minutes. <b>Drumbeat - Mark Stuart</b> Tuggerah Lakes Community Centre 10am to 11.30am Ages 3 to 6 years. \$3 members. \$5 non-members. <b>Dinosaurs: Paleontological</b> Excavation Workshop The Entrance Community Centre 10am to 11am Ages 5 to 8 years. \$3 members. \$5 non-members. <b>Winter Storytime</b> Gosford Library 10.30am to 11.30am Ages 3 to 5 years - siblings welcome. Free event. <b>Dinosaurs: Paleontological</b> Excavation Workshop The Entrance Community Centre 11am to 12pm Ages 9 to 12 years. \$3 members. \$5 non-members.	<b>Ice Skating Rink</b> Kibbick Park Gosford 10am to 8pm All ages - children and adult. \$10 per 45 minutes. <b>Storytime with Children's Author Cherrille Flemming</b> Bateau Bay Library 10am to 11.45am Ages 3 to 6 years. Free event. <b>Create a Snowglobe</b> Gosford Library 2pm to 3.30pm Ages 7 to 12 years. Free event.	<b>Ice Skating Rink</b> Kibbick Park Gosford 10am to 8pm All ages - children and adult. \$10 per 45 minutes. <b>Snowflakes</b> Gosford Library 10am to 11.30am Ages 6 to 10 years. Free event. <b>Game Training Roadshow</b> Intro Session Tuggerah Library 10am to 11am Ages 10 to 18 years. Free event. <b>Knitting Workshop Part 2</b> Kinross Library 2pm to 4pm Ages 8 to 12 years. Free event. This is a follow on from the knitting workshop on 6 July.	<b>Ice Skating Rink</b> Kibbick Park Gosford 10am to 8pm All ages - children and adult. \$10 per 45 minutes. <b>Winter Storytime</b> Gosford Library 10.30am to 11.30am Enjoy some winter themed stories and create a giant tissue paper snowflake to take home. Ages 3 to 5 years - siblings welcome. Free event. <b>Dave Hackett</b> <b>Cartooning Workshop</b> Tuggerah Library 10.30am to 11.30am Ages 10+ \$3 members. \$5 non-members.	<b>Ice Skating Rink</b> Kibbick Park Gosford 10am to 8pm All ages - children and adult. \$10 per 45 minutes. <b>Create a Snowglobe</b> Gosford Library 2pm to 3.30pm Create your own snowglobe scene. Ages 7 to 12 years. Free event. <b>Game Training Roadshow</b> Main Event 10am to 12pm Ages 10 to 18 years. \$45 payable on the day.

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## WEEKEND HOLIDAY PROGRAMS

Saturday 9 July	Sunday 10 July	Saturday 16 July
<b>Ice Skating Rink</b> Kibbick Park Gosford 10am to 8pm All ages - children and adult. \$10 per 45 minutes. <b>No Bake Storytime</b> Gosford Library 10.30am to 11.30am Hear some Winter themed stories and make a no bake Marshmallow Snowman. Ages 3 to 6 years Siblings welcome. Free event.	<b>Ice Skating Rink</b> Kibbick Park Gosford 10am to 8pm All ages - children and adult. \$10 per 45 minutes. <b>No Bake Storytime</b> Gosford Library 10.30am to 11.30am Hear some Winter themed stories and make a no bake Marshmallow Snowman. Ages 3 to 6 years Siblings welcome. Free event.	<b>Ice Skating Rink</b> Kibbick Park Gosford 10am to 8pm All ages - children and adult. \$10 per 45 minutes. <b>Snowflakes</b> Gosford Library 10am to 11.30am Create some snowflake art in the library. Ages 3 to 6 years Siblings welcome. Free event.

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To book online visit <http://www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/libraries/what's-on> or contact your local branch library.

Bateau Bay Library 4350 1580	Gosford Library 4304 7500	Lake Haven Library 4350 1570	Woy Woy Library 4304 7555
The Entrance Library 4350 1550	Karong Library 4325 8155	Toukley Library 4350 1540	Umina Library 4304 7333
Erina Library 4304 7650	Kinross Library 4304 7641	Tuggerah Library 4350 1560	

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