



Calliope State School

8th of August 2017



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are:

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What's happening in ...

News from 3C

Students of 3C are enjoying the range of new topics being explored this term. In Math, they have been introduced to the concept of multiplication by representing multiplication facts as groups, arrays, repeated addition and on a number line. Using skip counting, they are beginning to develop quick, accurate recall of basic multiplication facts. In Science, year 3 are exploring the topic of heat. So far, they have classified objects as either 'heat producers' or 'heated by something else' and identified that heat can be produced using electricity, burning or friction. The hands-on investigation last week had students discovering how heat transfers from one object to another.

In English, we have been thoroughly enjoying reading and analysing Traditional Stories from the Dreamtime. 3C has been looking at different Dreamtime stories and identifying whose point of view the story has been told from. The students have been enjoying brainstorming the other characters' points of view of the same events. We are very excited to read the students' retell of Tiddalick the Frog from Tiddalick's point of view.

Public Holiday

8th August

SHOW DAY HOLIDAY

Principal's Piece

Woolworths Earn and Learn Program

The **Woolworths Earn and Learn Program** is back for 2017. Anyone can help schools earn amazing equipment by shopping at Woolworths from **Wednesday July 26th 2017**.

For every \$10 spent, you will receive a sticker to stick on a Sticker Sheet. When completed, drop it in the Collection Box at the school. For more information or additional sticker sheets, visit www.woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn



Book Week Celebrations

On Friday 18 August, Calliope school will be celebrating Book week by having our 'Dress Up Day'. Students can dress up as their favourite Book Character and we will be viewing all the costumes at parade. Students may stay in their costume if appropriate for learning in the classrooms and is sun safe for play breaks. Closed in shoes need to be worn at school.



Open Night

Our annual Open Night will be on Wednesday 23 August between 5.00-6.00pm. Families are invited to visit classrooms during this time to view student work and find out all about their learning throughout the year.



!!DATES TO REMEMBER!!

9th of August – Show Holiday

14th of August – Prep Info Session

17th of August – Prep Info Session

18th of August – Book Week Dress Up

28th-30th of August – Yr5 Camp

9th-13th of October – Yr6 Camp

Office hours are 8am-4pm
EFTPOS is AVAILABLE in the
office.

UNEXPLAINED ABSENCES

Procedure For Student Absences

If your student is away for any reason there are several ways of notifying the school.

Send a note with your child

Phone on 07 4975 8366

Email-

absences@calliopess.eq.edu.au

We appreciate and thank-you for your cooperation.

CONTACT DETAILS

We would like to remind all parents if you have moved or changed your contact details over the holidays to please update your information by calling the office on 4975 8333 or emailing admin@calliopess.eq.edu.au

We appreciate and thank you for your cooperation.

NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTION

The newsletter is published every Tuesday and is sent via email. If you have not given the school office your email please do so by calling the office or emailing admin@calliopess.eq.edu.au. If you would prefer a paper copy please inform the Office.

Stars of the Week

Prep A	Keisha	Prep B	Hunter
Prep C	Noah	Prep D	Paige
1A	Scarlette	1B	Jazmyn
1C	Dylan	1D	Kobi
2A	Riplee	2B	Mackenzie
2C		2D	Katelyn
2E	Jasmine	3A	Shyanne
3B	Charlie	3C	Savannah
3D	Aidan	4A	Ethan
4B	Kendall	4C	
5A	Ryder	5B	Declan
5C	Jyie	6A	Tayla
6B	Max	6C	Harper
Music		PE	Bailey

Word of the Week

Week	Word	Syllables Each syllable part has a Vowel phoneme	Phonemes	Vowel phoneme box	Blends? Two or more consonant Phonemes in the one syllable group.
5	contrast	Con/trast	c.o.n.t.r.a.s.t	o as in frog a as in banana	tr st

Botanic to Bridge 2017

Have you registered yet? We have 38 students registered so far for this event. You can run / walk the 8km or 3km route. Homework passes are on offer for students who beat Ms Norris's time on the day for the 3km event. Students participating in the 8km event will automatically receive a homework pass for the next week. You can register at www.botanictobridge.com.au



Prayer Time with Chappy

When: Every Wednesday

Time: 8:00– 8:30am

Where: Chappy Sonia's office



P & C NEWS

Uniform Shop

The opening time for our uniform shop is Friday from 8.30-9.15am. The uniform shop is only accepting eftpos now. If you are unable to get to the uniform shop during opening hours, please order through flexischools – www.flexischools.com.au. Your order will be filled and be ready for collection on the Friday.

Chappy News

LOVE DARE 26

Is there a 'leaving' issue you haven't been brave enough to face yet? Confess it to your partner/spouse this week and decide to make it right. The oneness of your marriage/relationship is dependent upon it. Follow this with a commitment to make your marriage/relationship the top priority over every other human relationship.

'The Love Dare' by Stephen & Alex Kendrick (Summarised)

Prep Enrolments for 2018

PLEASE NOTE THERE HAS BEEN A TIME & DATE CHANGE

Our prep information sessions will be on **Monday, 14th of August at 9:15am & Thursday, 17th of August at 5pm.** All parents of children, who were born between 1st July 2012 and 30th June 2013, are invited to attend a meeting to discuss the Prep program at Calliope State School. Parents may attend either session time. **(Children are not required to attend as this is a parent information session only.)** If you are yet to put your child's name down for prep next year, please contact the office on 07 4975 8333.

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SCHOOL BANKING

There will be no school banking this week due to the public holiday.



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Calliope Country Carnival

Presale tickets for our Carnival are now on sale via the link below:

<https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=292590>

We are so excited for this event and cannot wait for you all to join us on this fun filled day! 🐾 There will be so many things to see and do something for everyone. Spread the word ...

Family passes will be \$10 for 2 adults and up to 4 children & individual passes are \$5. Children under 3 will be free.

We also have a fantastic lucky gate prize up for grabs. Every family or individual ticket purchased will go into the draw to win this very awesome prize. More details to come! 😊

We also have amusement ride bands available, these are \$25 for unlimited rides and we have 11 rides to choose from. Arm bands will be \$33 on the day so get in quick to get our limited arm band pre-sale special. 🎡🎪🎠🎡

To celebrate 🎉 the release of our tickets we have a fantastic prize up for grabs via our Facebook page. Be sure to check it out.

<https://m.facebook.com/calliopecountrycarnival/>



Helping Hands

Hi to all the families of Calliope State school,

We are holding afternoon information sessions from the 14th to 18th August 2017. We will be available to answer any questions that you have between 3pm-5pm. You're more than welcome to bring the children with you and see the range of activities we have on offer.

Next school holidays are sneaking up on us fast. Talk to us about our Vacation Care Program as well.

If you can't make it that week please send me an email or give me a call and I will be happy to let you know your individual prices in relation to Child care benefits etc.

Linda – Co-ordinator of Helping Hands Calliope.

Ph: 0409267755 Email: calliope@helpinghandsnetwork.com.au

COME AND JOIN US FOR

Afternoon Tea

When: Tuesday 15th of August at 2:15pm

Where: Student Support (SEP)

"There is no exercise better for the heart than reaching down and lifting people up."



JOIN!
US
TODAY

SIGN ON DAY

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12PM

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