

"In keeping with the spirit of reconciliation, we acknowledge the traditional owners of the land on which Coominya SS stands."

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School Motto: "DO TO LEARN"
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DATES TO REMEMBER

May

- 6 Labour Day Public holiday
- 17 Coominya Track and Field
- 22 National simultaneous story time
Under 8's afternoon
- 27 School Photos

DEAR PARENTS

I want to congratulate all the students on the effort and respect they showed at our school ANZAC ceremony on Wednesday. The students made wreaths, read poems and cooperatively delivered a recorded speech that was truly wonderful. I also want to acknowledge the hard work of the staff in putting the service together and supporting our students to practice and be ready for the ceremony.

I also had the honour of attending the Coominya community ANZAC ceremony on Thursday. It was heart-warming to see our students also attending this and demonstrating pride, respect and gratitude to the fallen.

AWARDS

Sapheria – Working well in class

CASEY Level One

Clancy
Sapheria



EXPECTATION OF THE WEEK

Follow instructions first time. Often at school adults will give instructions to students. Sometimes these instructions are to assist in our students learning, and sometimes it is to keep our students safe. It is an expectation at Coominya that students follow instructions first time. This is to ensure we are being safe and also being respectful.

ANZAC DAY

We were lucky enough to be joined by President Leroy, a veteran from the Lowood RSL, for our ANZAC ceremony on Wednesday. He commented on the respectful behaviour of the students and some of the insightful questions they asked. He has already asked if he could be invited back next year!



INTRODUCING MS W

Chloe Williamson joined us at the start of term 2 to replace Mrs T as our music teacher. Chloe has previously performed both locally and internationally with numerous orchestras, as well as many renowned musical theatre shows. We are very excited to have her join our team.

"Hello Coominya SS community! My name is Ms W (which is just an easier way of saying Ms Williamson!) and I'm excited to be joining the school as your new music teacher. Growing up in rural Queensland, I was lucky enough to participate in the Department of Education's Instrumental Music program which ignited my passion for music. This led me to continue studying music and education after I finished school. I love all music and my favourite instrument is the double bass. I believe that everyone deserves the opportunity to engage in musical activities and think that Queensland is leading the way in music education by aiming to provide weekly specialist music lessons for all primary age state school students. It was lovely to meet most of the students last week and I look forward to continuing to make music with the young musicians at our school."



SOMERSET RAIL TRAIL FREE TICKETS

The Somerset rail trail run is taking place on Sunday 21st July. Thanks to sponsorship, Somerset council

has offered our school 10 free entries. This can be for the 3km or 8km run or the 44km bike ride. Please let Lauren in the office know if you would like to put your name down for a ticket.

TUCKSHOP

Tuckshop is available from the Coominya Super Store every Thursday. Orders are to be placed in a brown paper bag and dropped in at the school office on Wednesday.

Send a text to 0475 839 266 with any ideas of what you would like included in any future menus, or let Mrs Wyatt in the office know.



[P&Cs Qld Parent Talk Publication](#)

It was decided to move meetings to a Tuesday. We hope that this may open up opportunities for other parents to attend. Thank you too all the parents who attended the last meetings. **The next meeting will be Tuesday 14 May at 3.15pm.** If you wish to get involved with the P&C please come along. After School Care will mind your child(ren) for free while you attend the meeting. All welcome.



Coominya lists the following notices as a public service and asks for no benefit from the organisations advertising.

PLAYGROUP

Coominya School runs a playgroup, now every Wednesday of the school term from 9am to 12pm. Light refreshments are provided. We hope to see you then.

KINDYLINQ

Program open to local residents

Children aged 2½ - 3½

Hosted at Clarendon SS

This does NOT mean that you must enrol at Clarendon for school.

COOMINYA HOBBY FARM

Open Saturdays: 9.30-11.30am from 23rd March. Supervise your own children as they meet the animals and play in the playground and pool. Bring your own food. Donations welcome. Espresso coffee available for purchase. Ph 0400 197 691 or our Facebook page.

Are you a parent?



To find out more, please contact:
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Researchers at UQ are seeking
Australian parents
of 3 - 12-year-old children
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parent and child self-regulation.

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