



Compton Primary School Newsletter

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Shared Values – Quality, Integrity, Respect, Equity, Friendship

WHAT'S ON

TUESDAY:

WEDNESDAY: Drinks Day, Lunch Day,
Basketball 3:30–4:20

THURSDAY: BBQ Tea Order Due, Costume Making

FRIDAY: BBQ & Movie Night, Cookie Dough
Orders Due

MONDAY:

TUESDAY:

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FRIDAY:

MONDAY:

IMPORTANT DATES

September

Thursday–20th Cookie Dough Delivery

Tues–Thurs 18th–20th Interviews

Friday–20th UP Assembly 2:45

Friday–28th Crazy Hair & Donut Day

End of Term 3 early dismissal 2:25pm

TERM DATES FOR 2018

Term 1 29th Jan – 13th April Term 2 30th April – 6th July
Term 3 23rd Jul – 28th Sept Term 4 15th Oct – 14th Dec

TERM DATES FOR 2019

Term 1 29th Jan – 12th April Term 2 29th April – 5th July

NEWSLETTER INSERTS

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Mrs Keeley's Messages

Welcome to week 7! The count-down is on for our movie night on Friday night. I am happy to announce that students have decided that we view "The Greatest Showman" as our movie feature. We look forward to seeing you there!

Find Your Treasure!

Congratulations to Jecinta for guessing the closest amount of chocolate coins in the jar for Book Week. She has certainly found her treasure, winning 174 coins! Well done to everyone who had a guess!

Community Event-Slumber Party Movie Night!

Students, families and our school community are invited to our Slumber Party Movie Night extravaganza! On Friday, you are invited to attend a large screen movie night at the Compton Hall in your finest pyjamas, dressing gowns and slippers! There will be a sausage and hamburger BBQ tea at 6pm, **(for catering purposes please let us know how many sausages and hamburgers you will be wanting, by Thursday)** followed by snacks and a movie starting around 6:45.

Bring your own seating which could include a comfy chair, your favourite bean bag, a sleeping bag or rug to snuggle into as you enjoy the entertainment. Snacks and drinks will be available to purchase on the night or you are welcome to bring your own.

Parents are required to stay and supervise your children during both the BBQ and the movie. We will be watching "The Greatest Showman". We look forward to seeing you there!

Reminders:

Interviews -

Please remember to return your interview reply slips so times can be organised. Everyone is encouraged to book a time with their child's teacher. Ms Sturges is also available for interviews if you would like to catch up with her. Confirmations will be sent home later this week.

Cookie Dough Fundraiser -

Just a reminder – Billy G's Cookie Dough order forms and money need to be returned to the Front Office by Friday **(this week)** and delivery is set for Thursday the 20th of September.

Production Helpers Needed -

Just a reminder that a school production is a massive undertaking and there are many different jobs that need to be done including painting and set decoration, costume fitting and possible costume making, prop making, student organisation and hair dressing to name a few. The production is an important part of our school calendar but will not be able to continue if we do not get more community support. It doesn't matter if you can spare a couple of hours or a couple of days, whether you work at school or work at home – we will appreciate any support you can give. Please let us know if you can help us this year and we would love as

many community members as you can round up, to help!

Wine Barrel Fundraiser -

A reminder that we are holding a wine barrel fundraiser this term. We are selling full barrels for \$100 and ½ barrels for \$60. Please see Front Office staff if you are interested – there are still some available.

Basketball

OUR SUPERVISOR FOR -

This Week is:

Emma Heaver

Next Week is: *(Last one)*

Nat Attiwill

Pastoral Care News

Successful families model good character. **Encourage your children** through recognizing, requiring, and emphasizing right attitudes, words, and actions. Children are watching the adults in their lives. No one is perfect. Ask forgiveness when you fail to demonstrate good character. The best way to teach is by example: it works a lot better to pull a string than to push it.

Praising good character provides motivation to continue demonstrating good character. Siblings may feel tension and competition among one another when parents praise achievement over character. Eg if Johnny was praised for the achievement of getting good grades, Matilda may feel discouraged because she doesn't make good grades. But if Johnny was praised for his diligence at school, Matilda will then be motivated to do her own school work diligently as well. We all have the capacity to exercise good character.

One effective way to teach good character is to use an example/story. The phrase 'as busy as a beaver' is a tribute to the diligence that makes beavers successful. The beaver is constantly building, maintaining and working ahead and caring for its family. Parents who are involved in the daily activities of their children are able to encourage good character. Recognize good character – looking at words, actions and attitudes.

Pam Young

Pastoral Care Worker

Sewing Bee—Help Needed

Cutting out costuming – **Thursday 6th September 8.30 – 12.30pm** (Please meet in library)

If you are able to help with the cutting out of Indian Costumes for our wonderful Junior Primary classes, please come along on Thursday, your help will be greatly appreciated.

If you are able to bring some dressmaking scissors and pins it would be most helpful.

Those parents who have offered to help out at home will be contacted shortly.

Thanking You

Shirley Roulstone

Community Connections

Billy Wolfstan

Why did we choose him?

He is the tech person at our school and helps in the classrooms

Favourite food?

Lasagne

Where is your favourite place to go on holiday?

Adelaide



What is your occupation?

Information Communication Technology

What I inspired you to choose your job?

Games

What did you have to do to get where you are today?

Online certificates and courses

What skills and qualities do you have?

Friendliness

How do you make a difference in the community?

Keeping the community updated with technology.

Around the Classrooms

★ **UPPER PRIMARY 6/7** ★

In Maths, we have started our new topic – Transformations. Students are investigating combinations of translations, reflections and rotations. We are also busy getting ready for our enterprise day in week 9, where students are baking a delicious sweet and selling it to the school community. Students sent our pre-orders last newsletter and have now began collating this data to investigate what they will need for the day.

In English we are learning about information reports. Students have looked at information reports about animals and are now developing an information report about a chosen famous person. Students are really enjoying creating these reports and learning more about their idols.

Design and Tech is a favourite subject at the moment for many students in the class as it allows them to be creative and hands on. In pairs, students are designing an amusement park. This is helping students develop their skills in working to a design brief, sketching and model making.

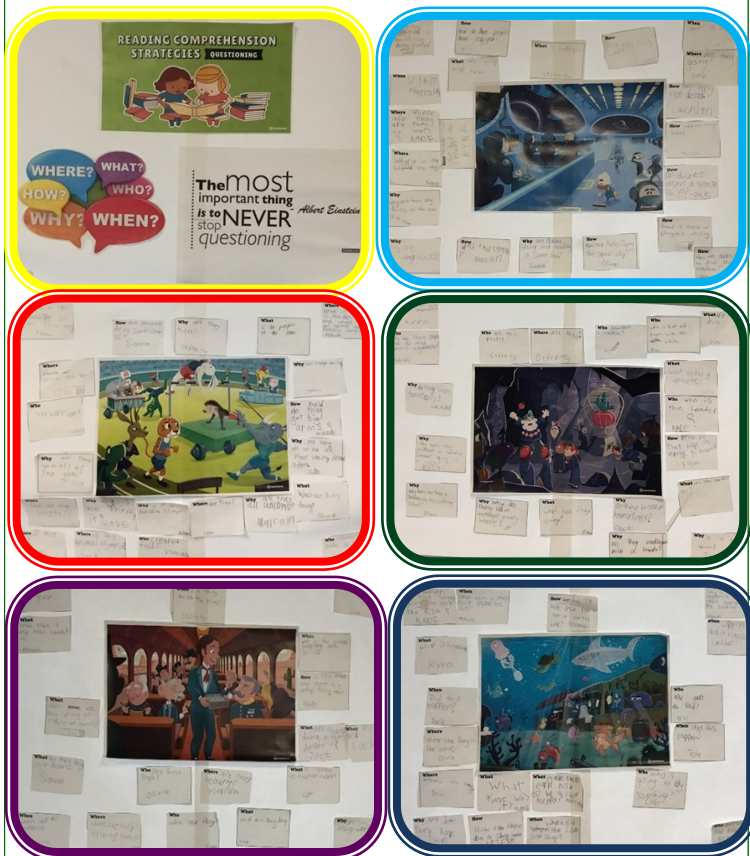
Mrs Kramins and the 6/7 Class

★ **MIDDLE PRIMARY 4/5** ★

In the 4/5 class we know that being able to read is an extremely useful skill to have. A reader must be able to decode the words on the page, then create meaning from them.

In guided reading this term our class has been exploring a range of comprehension strategies such as questioning, predicting, monitoring and making connections.

Below are some photos taken from one of our guided reading lessons. In this lesson we had to pose different questions after looking at a set of images using the 5 W's.



Ms Hamilton and the 4/5 Class

★ JUNIOR PRIMARY 2/3 ★

We are all sooo excited that Book Week is here to In Maths we have been learning to give change from \$1.00 from the nearest 5c. Other groups are giving change from \$50.00.



During Book Week our class had an excursion to the public library. We made treasure maps that would light up. We listened to "Rodney Loses It!", the picture book of the year that won.

Book Week Dress Up Day



Kahoot is a new app on the iPad our class is using. We have been using it and we all love it. We have been using it in maths with adding coins and giving change.

Mrs D

★ JUNIOR PRIMARY R/1 ★

In maths we are currently working on fractions, graphing and length. In fractions we are working with halving shapes, collections, capacities and paper. We ended our learning with the Year 1 kids making a picnic for a Reception friend halving all the food and beverages. Our graphing is an ongoing unit where we are developing our skills in asking questions, collecting data by using tally marks, drawing graphs and answering questions about graphs. In learning about length we are comparing and ordering lengths of many different objects.



Miss H

Movie Night Cookie Dough Production Help Interviews

Available Every Wednesday

220g Lasagne	\$3.00	200g Mac & Cheese	\$3.00
200g Veg Lasagne	\$3.00	200g Potato Bake	\$3.00
200g Twist Bolognaise	\$3.00	200g Fried Rice	\$3.00

Single Serve Pizza -

H & P Pizza	\$2.00	Supreme Pizza	\$2.00
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Payments can be made online, but need to be done by Tuesday.

You can also message through your order via our Facebook page if your payment is made via our online option www.comptonps.sa.edu.au

Community News

Mayor Peter Gondolfi welcomes all to the

CHILDREN'S ROAD SAFETY CENTRE
RE-DEVELOPMENT
grand opening

SUNDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2018
12 noon to 2.00 pm
Corner of Fifth Street & Ridge Terrace, Millicent

bikes donuts Fireking face painting
sausages drinks balloons giveaways

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BASEBALL COME & TRY DAY

Blue Lakes Sports Park Baseball Ground

12.00PM - 12.00NOON

Woolworths is sponsoring this event

Played on Saturday afternoon, Baseball is great fun for all ages!

SUNDAY 9th SEPTEMBER
Contact: Clay Carpenter 0406059413



Book Week

