



# CUMMINS AREA SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

Term 3, Week 1

## BUS DRIVERS

### Warrow

Paul Tierney - 0429 882 010

### Mt Hope

Kym Griffiths - 0400 667 472

### Karkoo

Susan Hughes - 0477 088 043

### Wanilla

Sharon Arnold - 0447 820 519

### Cockaleechee

Leon Seaman - 0429 703 030

### Douglas Well

Vince Diment - 0427 762 428

### Koppio

Dan Hansen - 0408 120 280

### Brimpton Lake

Barry Boyce - 0418 762 319

### Yallunda Flat

Denis Darling - 0429 950 159

Parents must contact the bus driver at least 24 hours prior to travel being required on an alternate bus.

**UHF channel 10**

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## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Welcome Back to Term 3! I hope that you have all had a fabulous break and were able to take some time to do the things that you enjoy together as families. I know that a lot of people took the opportunity to get out and about on the EP and do some camping and that there were many happy young men as football opened up for those playing in the Port Lincoln League.

We look forward to a busy term with some of the restrictions being lifted and activities opening up for us. School sport will now take place and we will be participating in some of these throughout the term. Guitar and Piano lessons are able to resume albeit with some extra provisions and there is scope for excursions to again be undertaken.

Our email roll out of reports at the end of last term appears to have been successful with only a few glitches, which is always the case when trialling new technology. If you still have not received a report for your child /ren then please contact the front desk and we will arrange one for you. This system naturally relies on us having access to up to date email addresses so please ensure we have a current email address for your family on file if you did not receive your reports. Traffic Lights will also be sent out in this format. If you have any questions re your child's report then please phone the front office to make time to meet with the teacher involved.

This week we have commenced our second semester timetable. For most of our students there will be changes in subjects / teachers / timetabled lessons. Naturally this will lead to some adjustments for some students so please contact us if you have any questions.

In week 5 we will be participating in an External School Review. These are part of the Department Improvement cycle and occur roughly every three years in each school. As part of this process they will be speaking to staff, students, Governing Council and parents. A consent form will come home in the next week for you to sign in regards to permitting your child to speak to the Review Officers.

You will have noticed that the old Library is no longer a part of our school site. This has been removed as the first stage of our next building project, the \$4 million Building Better Schools Funding. I hope to be able to release the drawings soon as the project is about to go out for tender but it will allow for a new Design and technology Lab, including 3D printing, Laser cutting, a

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new Art Studio and another General Classroom. There will also be a number of smaller meeting type rooms included in the building. We will also see the renovation of the Front Office Area to make it more aesthetically pleasing and functional, as well as creating a purpose built meeting room to replace the dungeon of doom that we currently have to work with. Building is expected to begin by the end of this year. We are incredibly fortunate to be receiving this funding.

Youth Opportunities commences this week for our Yr. 10 students. Once again we are fortunate to have the Cummins District Community Bank Branch sponsoring this fabulous program. Del Meaney and Lucy Pedler will be taking our students through the 10 week program and we know that this program will assist these students to align their thoughts as they head into their senior secondary schooling and begin preparing for life beyond school.

Have a great week.

Mel



**During the term 2 break we said good bye to the old library, making way for our new learning spaces expected to commence being built at the end of the**

### **SCHOOL AED - DEFIBRILLATOR**

The Cummins Area School has recently purchased a AED - Defibrillator which is a vital asset for our School and Community to have access to, in case of an emergency that may occur near and on our school grounds during or after school hours.

This AED has been installed on the Northern brick wall of the School Community Library , which faces the school oval. This location is easily accessible for all school, library, and community users to access in case of an emergency.



**PLEASE REMEMBER:  
THE SPEED LIMIT OF  
25KM APPLIES PAST THE  
SCHOOL WHILST  
CHILDREN ARE PRESENT!**



**When Bus Lights are flashing and they have stopped for children, drivers MUST slow down to 25km.**

**The 25km speed limit applies when passing a school bus with flashing lights stopping for children on any road. It is everyone's responsibility to ensure children make it to school and home Safely.**

**Teach Children to be aware, protect themselves and watch for traffic.**

# SCHOOL CANTEEN TERM 3 UPDATE

Welcome back to our Canteen Volunteers for this term and due to COVID-19 we are complying with new revised social distancing guidelines with a modified roster for Term 3. We thank those that have volunteered to help assist Carrie and Sophie from the new scheduled time of 12.00noon – 2.00pm. We are very appreciative of our volunteers and the giving of their valuable time and they are a very important part of our successful School Canteen.

We are still encouraging as many online orders as possible going with the QKR APP. Please also note the new **Option of snacks added to order for Recess pickup to further reduce cash exchange.** Please if you have not yet downloaded the QKR app for fast, easy and cash-free lunch ordering for students, please do so and be sure to click the 'Submit' button to finalise your order. The correct class for your

student listed on the QKR app ensures canteen lunches reach the correct destination.

**OUR CANTEEN OPENING TIMES ARE: RECESS 10.55-11.15am and LUNCH 1.15-2pm.**

**We also have available for purchase many REUSABLE LUNCH ITEMS which reduces our wastage and the costs associated with supplying paper cups, lunch bags, and plastic lunch containers every day in our Canteen. These are available for purchase at either the Finance Office or Canteen:** Our Stickybeaks Student Reusable Lunch Bags are \$10.50, Smash Square Lunch Bowls are \$10.00 and Reusable Coffee/Tea/Milo/Soup Mugs for \$5.00. We have stock of the Reusable Mugs in either plastic - \$5.00 or glass - \$12.00 with multiple colour options available. Please support your environment and OUR Canteen by going Green and reducing wastage.

## CUMMINS AREA SCHOOL - TERM 3 CANTEEN ROSTER

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>WEEK 1</b>	20th July Renee Rogers	21st July Sara Doudle	22nd July Tracey McNamara	23rd July Bernie Crettenden	24th July Kathy Modra Christina Haeusler
<b>WEEK 2</b>	27th July Marika Giddings	28th July	29th July	30th July Tegan Modra	31st July Bronny Pearce Rosii Pedler

### CAS BYOD LAPTOP PROGRAM

By the beginning of the 2020 school year, all students from Year 8 to Year 12 will be required to supply their own laptop for use at school.

ALL purchases of new laptops for school, for the above year levels, must be made via the School Ordering Portal - <https://cummins.orderportal.com.au>

Thank you

### Qkr Functionally Update for Users

Please note if you are getting an error message "not able to connect to server" you will need to:

1. Reinstall the app to apply the current changes
2. You may need to reset your password.







# Cummins Area School Uniform

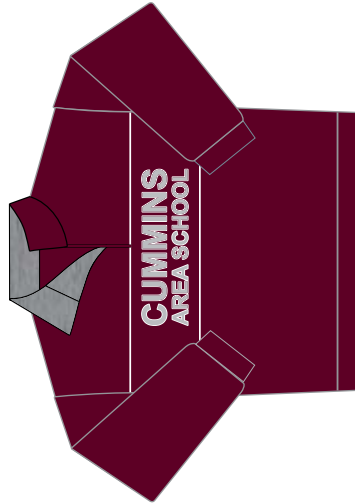


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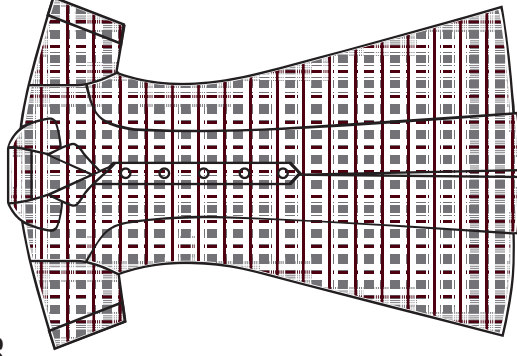
**Custom Boss Top**  
PBT1



**School Polo**  
Aussie Pacific 1304



**Girls Dress**  
PN77



**Elastic Waist Trouser**  
Bocini CK1306



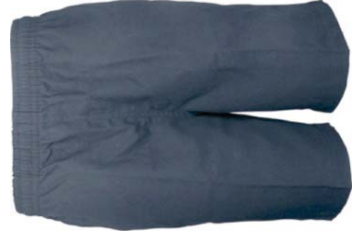
**Microfibre Track Pants**  
JB WEAR 7WUZP



**Girls Skort**  
Bocini CK1305



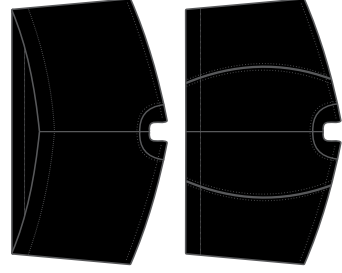
**Elastic Waist Shorts**  
Bocini CK1304



**Microfibre Shorts**  
JB WEAR 7NSS



**Poly Cotton Brief**  
SF9P



TO ORDER UNIFORM ONLINE PLEASE VISIT US AT [www.sportscentre.com.au](http://www.sportscentre.com.au)

# LIBRARY NEWS

We are very busy in the library this term with lots of Year 12 classes and Community activities. Wacky Wednesday has been moved to 'Thumbs-up Thursday', beginning **next week**. Barbie has a lot of creativity planned for this term.

Good news for our student Library visitors – we can now bring back some of our games and soft furnishings for recess and lunch.

Little Bang Discovery Plus Club returns this term, as does Baby Bounce on Friday mornings. Sewing Club is set to start again – day and time to be confirmed.

We are now open to the public on Friday mornings 8.45 – 10.45am and Thursday afternoons from 2.00pm, as well as after school hours and Saturday mornings. Whilst we are getting back to some normality, we still have important restrictions in place.

## PLEASE OBSERVE:

- ◆ Hand sanitiser as a condition of entry.
- ◆ Social distancing rules – 1.5m between you and other patrons who are not your family.
- ◆ Please DO NOT enter the Library if you are feeling unwell.
- ◆ Click and Collect service is available for ALL patrons.
- ◆ Collection point is outside the Library Delivery service is available to 70+ age group.
- ◆ Please ring 8676 2476 with any queries.



CALL AND COLLECT			
			
Place items on hold online	Wait for notification that your item is ready	Call your library to arrange your pick up time	Collect items at the designated collection point

## COMMUNITY NEWS



### Dates for Term 3

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> August, Friday 28<sup>th</sup> August,  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> September

### All welcome

Christian Kids Club for reception to year 7's  
Pick up from School for 3.30pm start  
Pickup at Uniting Church Hall at 5.30pm

Parents must text Amy Maddern 0429090276  
if your children are being picked up at school

(Covid safe info will be sent out to each  
Family via text prior to Xroad)



CUMMINS COMMUNITY  
**OP SHOP**

# AGM

**10th August 2020**  
**@ Cummins Hotel**  
**@ 10am**  
**Morning Tea provided**  
**ALL WELCOME**

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