

CUMMINS AREA SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 3, Week 3

BUS DRIVERS

Warrow

Ben McCracken - 0466 618 786

Mt Hope

Kym Griffiths - 0400 667 472

Karkoo

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Wanilla

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Cockaleechie

Leon Seaman - 0429 703 030

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Vince Diment - 0427 762 428

Koppio/Yallunda Flat

Helen Robinson - 0428 885 017

Brimpton Lake

Barry Boyce - 0418 762 319

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

It's a sign of our emergence from Covid lockdowns and strategies for moving forward that we are able to experience the craziness of Field Days week again. Apart from the welcome day of significance that allows us all to attend it is an important networking event for the EP and something that has been sorely missed.



Our Yr. 10 students are in the midst of what is a very busy term for them. Not only did they experience the Careers Trip in week 1, but the class is now involved in the Youth Opportunities program on Thursdays for the remainder of the term. The Community Bank Cummins District continues to provide significant funding to ensure this program is available to our students and we are grateful that they continue to see the power in supporting it.

Last Monday night Kirsty Fox, our SACE/VET/Pathways Coordinator ran a session for Yr. 10 and 11 parents around SACE. This is particularly pertinent at this point as we are about to begin subject selections for these two year levels in readiness for next year. The session was recorded for any families who were unable to attend and Yr. 11 students will be first to go through the process, with bookings for selection available soon. Our new SACE handbook will be available soon. Further subject selection processes will run later this term for students currently in Yr. 8 and 9.

We are very excited to be offering Outdoor Education this year at Yr. 10 and 11 and on Tuesday our Yr. 11 students went to Greenly with Mr Cocks and Mr Pedler to meet with members of the coastal care team. It's very exciting for us to be able to offer another layer to our broad subject offerings.

Next Monday, Cummins Area School are running the Yr. 5/6 Boys netball / Girls Football Carnival at the town oval. Our 5/6 classes have been preparing for the event so we look forward to some fabulous results and games played with great sportsmanship and excitement. We are currently keeping our eye on the weather around this event and will keep everyone updated.

Our steers have arrived onsite and as always are generating a lot of excitement amongst all of our Agriculture students and many primary students as well. Many thanks to Simon Giddings, Tony Head, Jarrod Phelps and Peter Fitzgerald for their ongoing support in this program. We must also acknowledge the Cummins Mill & Butterfields Farm Direct Stockfeeds for their ongoing generous support of our school, with our school chooks being the latest recipients of their goods. We have also been supported by our fabulous Men's Shed crew in upgrading the concrete path by the lift. Thanks for your support.

If you have some spare time on Wednesdays to Fridays, head to Our Town and check out our students' Art Work as part of the SALA exhibition. Thanks to Our Town for supporting our budding artists and to Kylie George who is a strong advocate for getting our school art out into the community. The gallery is open from

10.00 am – 3.00 pm on Wednesdays to Fridays.

As you can see, Cummins Area School is incredibly lucky to be supported by a magnificent community who willingly work with us to ensure the best learning opportunities for our children. And these are just a few snippets of the big picture of support that we receive. How lucky are we?

Have a great week.
Mel

CHAPLAINCY REPORT TERM 2, 2022

Our wonderful School Chaplain, Mardi Green reported on her activities and achievements over the past term at our recent Chaplaincy Committee meeting.

At the start of the term Mardi attended the School Ministry Group annual conference, which was held at the Adelaide Shores. This is a 3-day conference where all Chaplains and PCW from all around the state can come together to support and learn from each other.

The past term has also seen Mardi attend a range of sporting events to other area schools, attending with many Secondary year levels. Computer lessons each Friday with our new Foundation students has been one of Mardi's highlights and her reward is seeing a big improvement from these students each week. To top off the Term, Mardi embarked on a delightful trip with Caitlin Haarsma and the Year 1's to the Cummins Post Office to post their Pen pal letter off to Elliston.

There has also been some good news, with the return of our School Religious Education lessons recommencing in Term 3 Week 6 for all our Foundation to Year 6 students and our final session in Week 9, Term 4.

Catherine Haarsma
Secretary
CAS Chaplaincy Group

CUMMINS AREA SCHOOL DATES TO REMEMBER

TERM 3

WEEK 3 Wed

School Closure

WEEK 4 Mon

YR 5/6 girls football & boys netball, Cummins

Wed- Fri

SAPSASA soccer, ADL

WEEK 5

Mon - Fri

Book Week



everyone is welcome at....



The Village Youth Hub



Open for 12 - 17 year olds from 3.30pm

Wednesdays (Odd weeks -1, 3, 5, 7, 9)
Thursdays (Even weeks - 2, 4, 6, 8, 10)
During school Term time

Food and drinks available.

48 Railway Tee, Cummins





CUMMINS SCHOOL COMMUNITY LIBRARY



IS ALWAYS OPEN ONLINE

EXPLORE OUR MANY ONLINE SERVICES

WWW.LIBRARIES.SA.GOV.AU/CUMMINS

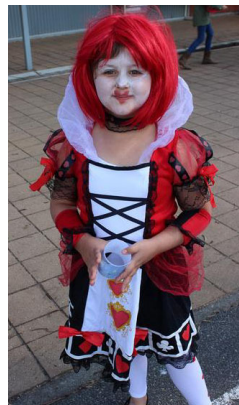
PHONE US ON 86762476 FOR INFORMATION



***BOOK WEEK DRESS UP
PARADE:
THURS. AUG.25 @ RECESS***

Our favourite time of the year, **BOOK WEEK** is in Week 5, and we will have a variety of celebratory activities occurring, including the much anticipated, **DRESS UP Parade!** We encourage all students and staff to come dressed as a character from one of their favourite books...it can be as simple or challenging as you like. There are lots of ideas to assist you in the library, on our Facebook page or the costumes below from previous years.

We look forward to seeing student's creativity!



CAS CANTEEN ROSTER TERM 3 2022

	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
Wk 3	08/08/22 Bec Habner	09/08/22	10/08/22 SCHOOL CLOSURE	11/08/22	12/08/22 Paula Britza *Gemma Cretty
Wk 4	15/08/22 Marika Giddings	16/08/22	17/08/22	18/08/22 Bri Modra	19/08/22 Jodi Mickan *Alisha Elliot
Wk 5	22/08/22 Alicia Laube	23/08/22	24/08/22	25/08/22 Sara Doudle	26/08/22 Coreyanne Wait *Ali Coventry

CANTEEN TERM 3, 2022

At the end of Term 2 we farewelled our hard working and conscientious Canteen Supervisor Sophie Blacker. Mel Degner thanked Sophie for her efforts, passion and dedication that she has given to our school Canteen and ensuring its wonderful success has continued during the 18months she has been in this role. All our students and staff and parent volunteers wish Sophie the very best in her continued motherhood role.

We now welcome our new Canteen Supervisor in Sandra Eldridge to work with Carrie Speed for the rest of 2022. Sandra is a parent here at the school and comes to our Canteen with a wealth of experience in cooking for a big family and children's camps. We wish her all the best in her new position and look forward to seeing her smiling and warm face around our school community interacting with students, staff and our parent volunteers.

**Starting time Wednesday and Thursday
12noon to 2:15pm**

Friday starting time 11:50am to 2pm

***Friday starting time 12:30pm to 2:15pm**

Donations of Surplus Foods Appreciated at Canteen

If anyone in the community has excess fruit, vegetables or other produce that the Canteen could use in their home-prepared food, please feel free to contact the School directly or simply drop off to the school at your convenience. All donations will be gratefully received.

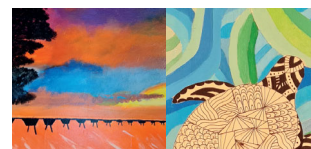


CUMMINS AREA SCHOOL STUDENT EXHIBITION

A collection of work from young emerging artists aged 11-16 years old, examples of themes on display are identity and local surroundings produced through a variety of media.

**3-24 Aug
Wed-Fri 10am-3pm**

**Our Town Cummins
48 Railway Tce, Cummins**



COMMUNITY NEWS



Term 3
Week 3 12th August
Week 6 2nd September
Week 9 23rd 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 Please text Amy Maddern 0429090276 if your children are being picked up at school



29th July 2022
19th Aug 2022
9th Sept 2022
16th Sept 2022

Contact: Jordy Wilksch
0428865055

THE ROYAL LIFE SAVING SWIM & SURVIVE PROGRAM YOU KNOW AND LOVE!

COMING THIS DECEMBER & JANUARY!

BRING YOUR LOGBOOKS AND GET READY FOR A WEEK OF FUN!

ENROLMENTS OPEN AUGUST 22nd

WWW.HOLIDAYSWIM.COM.AU

LET'S PARTY!

CUMMINS GYMNASTICS CLUB PARTY HIRE PACKAGE

- 2hr session
- \$150 for 12 kids
- Extra kids \$7 each
- Free for kids under 1

BOOKINGS

Contact Carley on 0439 800 215 or email us at cummingsgymclub@hotmail.com

PERFECT ALL WEATHER VENUE

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Community Group advertising in the newsletter is available at a minimum cost of \$6.00 (inc. GST) for up to 5 lines. Larger items of 1/4 page size cost \$22 (inc. GST) which is the maximum size for an article or Notice. Payment needs to be made to the finance Office prior to inclusion by Cash or Bank Transfer to our School account. **BSB - 633 000, ACC - 112105770 REF - Newsletter & Entity Name.** Only Advertisements or notices of Community interest or one of Non-commercial value will be published.