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## Principal's report

## Small Schools Cross Country

Our Clarence Small Schools Cross Country races are being held at Junction Hill this Thursday. Notes have been collected and the day starts with a walk of the course at 10 am . Students should be there at 9:30am to have their names marked off. These days are usually finished by 1 pm . Looking forward to bright skies and fast times!
Old School Day
This Friday is the last day of term and so it is also Old School Day! The kids can look forward to a day outside making cubby houses, cracking whips and cooking marshmallows over the camp fire. Bring lunch and recess. Wear old clothes that can get filthy and if it looks like wet weather, bring a towel and a spare set of clothes because it won't stop us!
ANZAC Day
The Copmanhurst and District ANZAC service is being held on Thursday April $25^{\text {th }}$. There are 2 services; a dawn service at 5:15am at the cenotaph (muster at the rest Point at 4:45am), and a main service commencing at 10:45am (meet at Hamilton Park to march at 10:30am). Students attending the main service are asked to wear school uniform.

## Home Reading

How are the kids going with our goal of reading for 100 nights this year? This is reading for pleasure and can include being read to by a family member. It doesn't have to be every night and only needs to be for 15 minutes to make a positive impact on a child's literacy development. Birthday coming up? Books make great presents and are more likely to engage if children have a chance to choose their own.

## Use of school facilities over holidays

As always, our students are allowed to use the tennis court, oval and play equipment on weekends and over the holidays if they are accompanied by a parent. Please do not allow them to be on school grounds without your supervision. Please note that there may be contractors cutting trees during these holidays and if this is the case, do not come onto school grounds.

## PRIMEX excursion

Next term we are having a whole school focus on Agriculture with the highlight being an excursion to PRIMEX in Casino on Thursday May 16. Permission notes and details will be sent home early next term.
Return to school
Have a great holiday. Students return on Tuesday April $30^{\text {dh }}$. Staff return the day before but will all be attending training at Ulmarra Public School so no-one will be on site.

Cheers,
Andrew

## SCHOOL NEWS



## COMING EVENTS - TERM 1

Apr $11^{\text {th }}-$ Small schools $x$-country Junction Hill

Apr $12^{\text {th }}$ - Last day of term
Apr 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ - ANZAC Day

COMING EVENTS - TERM 2
Apr $30^{\text {th }}-$ First day of Term 2
May $8^{\text {th }}-$ Mother's Day stall
May $16^{\text {th }}-K / 6$ PRIMEX excursion!!
May $24^{\text {th }}$ - K-6 Oztag gala day

## Term 2 Go4Fun Program in Grafton

NSW Health's Go4Fun program is a free, fun 10-week program for children aged 713 years, and their families. Children make new friends and build confidence. They enjoy playing active games and learn more about healthy eating. There are also plenty of prizes to be won.

The Grafton program runs for 10 weeks from Tues 30 April, $4 p m-6 p m$ at PCYC.
To register
Visit Go4Fun's website or call 1800780900.

Term2
registrations
are open!
GRAFTON
Tuesdays 4pm-6pm PCYC Grafton Starts Tues 30 April 2024

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