



# COPMANHURST PUBLIC SCHOOL

## Newsletter Oct 26, 2017



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### Principal's message

Greetings from Sydney! I'm currently at the State Principal's Conference hearing about the latest updates in education in NSW from the minister, premier and others. Even had to wear my coat and tie yesterday! It has been great catching up with other principals across the state and seeing what is happening in other schools but I will be glad to see the lights of Sydney behind me tomorrow night!

### First Aid Training

Our Year 5 and 6 students underwent their First Aid and CPR training on Tuesday with Mrs Flynn from the Royal Life Saving Society. This is something we have organised for our senior students each year for a while now and it is always well received by the kids. I'm sure they now have some valuable skills that may be needed in an emergency.

### Surveys

Thanks to those families who have already returned their surveys to the front office. It's not too late to return yours if you haven't but they must all be in by Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup> for families to go in the draw for one of two \$100 wish cards. Please take the time to share your thoughts, ideas or suggestions.

### Fantastic news 1

Mrs Andrews had a beautiful baby girl on Monday afternoon. Indy-Rose Andrews, 8 pounds something and 50 something cm, and mum both doing well. Congratulations from us all!

### Fantastic news 2

Ms Essex, who is taking Mrs Andrews' class this term, has been appointed as a permanent teacher at Tacking Point Public School commencing in 2018. I'm sure our community join me in congratulating Ms Essex and wishing her well in her new school.

Cheers,

Andrew



A room full of potential lifesavers in Year 5/6!



Class 2/3/4 enjoying their  
Art Lesson!!

# SCHOOL NEWS

## COMING EVENTS

Nov 1 <sup>st</sup>	Kinder Orientation 9-11.00am
Nov 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jacaranda Thursday
Nov 14 <sup>th</sup>	P&C Meeting
Nov 15 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Kinder Orientation - half day
Nov 29 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Kinder Orientation - whole day Jocelyn, Speech Therapist will test new kinder students
Dec 7 <sup>th</sup>	Presentation Night
Dec 11 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Farewell – Rest Point Hotel
Dec 11 <sup>th</sup>	Reports go home
Dec 13/14 <sup>th</sup>	Activities
Dec 15 <sup>th</sup>	End of Year Activity -Grafton Pool

## CANTEEN ROSTER – TERM FOUR

Oct 30 <sup>th</sup>	Christine Roberts & Lynne Caldwell
Nov 6 <sup>th</sup>	Kate Knight & Renee Vanderham
Nov 13 <sup>th</sup>	Kylie Nohra & Paula Clausen
Nov 20 <sup>th</sup>	Amber Biggs & Trudy Clydesdale
Nov 27 <sup>th</sup>	Donna Perich & Emma Mulligan
Dec 4 <sup>th</sup>	Callie Bullman & Terri Quiring
Dec 11 <sup>th</sup>	Paula Clausen & Amber Biggs

## EXPRESSION OF INTEREST School Learning Support Officer Copmanhurst Public School

### Position Information

Suitably qualified and experienced applicants are invited to submit a 1 page Expression of Interest for the position of School Learning Support Officer at Copmanhurst Public School. The position will be within the Stage 3 class of the school. Duties involve assisting teachers to engage students in learning tasks to work towards individual education goals. Duties also include assistance in the playground during student recess and lunch breaks.

### Position Criteria

- Awareness of the needs of students with disabilities
- Experience in working with students with intellectual disabilities, autism and behavioural challenges.
- Effective communication skills and demonstrated ability to work as part of a team
- Current Working With Children Check

### Applications

This position is for a finite period until the end of term 4 2017. Hours of duty are 8:30am – 1:30pm, Monday – Friday.

**CLOSING DATE:** Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2017 at pm

### Applications to:

Peggy Eather  
Instructional Leader  
Copmanhurst Public School  
Email: [peggy.eather@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:peggy.eather@det.nsw.edu.au)

**REMINDER: HALLOWEEN NIGHT - SEELANDS HALL, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28<sup>TH</sup>.  
TO HELP WITH THE CATERING/ORGANISATION CAN YOU PLEASE RSVP  
TODAY - TERRI QUIRING 0431190939 OR KELLY PRICE 0409493110?  
DON'T FORGET TO BRING A PLATE OF FOOD TO SHARE!!**

**WELL, IT IS THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN AND THE HEAD LICE HAVE ARRIVED AT  
COPMANHURST SCHOOL.**

Parents can you please check your child's/children's hair and treat accordingly.  
One trick that appears to work is wash the hair with a cheap conditioner, leave it on for 20 minutes  
& comb through with fine tooth comb to remove the dead lice & eggs.