



# COPMANHURST PUBLIC SCHOOL

## Newsletter, June 25th, 2020



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### Principal's report

#### Athletics carnival

As mentioned last week; we are holding off on holding our school Athletics carnival until parents are once again permitted on school grounds. This, hopefully, will be sometime early next term – I'll keep you posted! Once our school carnival has been held we are planning on holding a Small Schools Carnival at Junction Hill.

#### Uniform reminder

Some of our students are regularly wearing jumpers that are not school uniform. Our school uniform includes a royal blue sloppy joe / jumper / jacket. These are available from Big W, Lowes or Best & Less in Grafton. I understand that sometimes things may be in the wash and an alternate jumper will need to be worn. This is fine – just send in a note explaining please.

#### Head lice

A responsible parent has informed me that head lice may be present in our school at the moment. Please take the time tonight to check your child's hair for lice or eggs and treat accordingly. Information regarding treatment of head lice can be found at any pharmacy or on the website below:

<http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/studentsupport/studenthealth/conditions/headlice/index.php>.

#### Student reports

Semester 1 student reports will be coming home with children tomorrow. Due to the Coronavirus situation and the time away from school this semester, reports will look a little different. There will be no A-E grades but there will be comments about each child's progress in English and Maths, a comment about other learning areas and a general comment. Please take the time to read your child's report with them and should you wish to discuss the report with your child's teacher, contact the school to arrange a time.

#### Old School Day

If you are a new family to our school this year you may not know what 'Old School Day' is. On the last day of term children come to school wearing clothes that can get dirty – not uniform. We build cubby houses and have a campfire in the playground. Kids bring their whips and we crack them at the end of the day, kids bring scooters and skateboards to ride on the tennis court. We spend the day outside playing and don't use any electronic devices – just like in the 'olden days'. Lunch next Friday will be NACHOS! cooked in the camp oven and a popper, and will be free of charge. Bring your own recess.

**Canteen will start back on Monday, July 27<sup>th</sup> – Anyone who can help, please give Rhonda a call 66473121**

Cheers,  
Andrew