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Term 2 Week 10 — 30th June 2022

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

School Athletics Carnival

Last Wednesday we had our school athletics carnival. It was another magical day filled with winter sun. This year Mrs Jones tried something a little different to motivate students to participate in all events and setup a passport with all 8 events that students could participate in. Each time our Cattai students entered and completed an event they got that event ticked off on their passport. All students who had complete passports at the end of the day received a Cattai. Thank you to all the parents who volunteered as parent helpers or even just turned up to lend their support. The sports-personship, school culture and athleticism on display was very impressive to say the least. I look forward to seeing our students represent their school at the next level.



Sports Basement

The final touches to our sports basement will be added over the school holidays. We just need to assemble and mount our new flood proof metal shelving. During the first week back we will place an order to recover the \$15,000 worth of sport equipment that was lost in the recent floods. By Week 3 next term we should have our sport basement back to normal with its new flood proof look and feel. We will be storing sports equipment in milk crates, as it will allow us to move equipment upstairs quickly and easily if needed. Also, in the event of not being able to remove the sport equipment it will make cleaning our sports equipment a lot quicker and easier as well.

Term 3 Kindy 2023 Events

Early next term I will be reaching out to all our families that have a kindergarten student beginning their education with us in 2023. I will provide more details but for now, as a sneak peek there will be 3 events you and your child will be invited to including:

- **'Phonics with Families'** where our Year 5 students from this year will run a series of phonics activities for our new kindergarten students. Parents are welcome as well and this is a great opportunity to meet some of the other parents.

- **'Education Week'** this is where our classrooms are opened up and parents will have the opportunity to walk around the school and get a real feel of what goes on at Cattai as well as be involved in a whole school activity.

- **'Book Week/Grandparents Day'** this is where students come dressed up as their favourite book characters and parade. We also have a book fair setup where you will be able to purchase books. This is a popular day with the grandparents as well.

Term 3 Start Date

Next term students resume on Tuesday the 19th July as Monday the 18th of July is a teachers only Staff Development Day.

Take care
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CALENDAR

TERM 3 CALENDAR

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
W1 Jul	18	19	20 Police Talk	21	22
W2 Jul	25	26 P&C Meeting	27	28	29 Phonics with Families MMWaC connect
W3 Aug	1	2 SS Athletics Field	3	4 CPS Ed Week	5 SS Athletics Track
W4 Aug	8	9	10	11	12 Phonics with Families
W5 Aug	15	16 Book Week	17	18	19 Parent Assembly C2
W6 Aug	22	23 WHS yr7 Transition	24	25 P&C	26 Phonics with Families Chess Workshop
W7 Aug/ Sep	29 3 way Conference Fathers Day gift	30 3 way Conference	31 3 way Conference	1 3 way Conference	2 3 way Conference Chess Workshop
W8 Aug	5	6	7	8 SRC Disco	9 Term 3 Excursion TBC Chess Competition
W9 Sep	12	13	14	15	16 Parent Assembly C1 St 2&3 Netball comp
W10 Sep	19	20	21	22 MMWaC Academic Challenge St2&3 Soccer comp	23 Colour Run



Term 3 Weekly Overview

There are many exciting things that will be happening regularly each week at Cattai PS. To help you keep track of what is happening each day, we have put together a weekly timetable for your reference.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
During Class	Fitness C2 HSIE C3 Library	Scripture C3 HSIE C1 Library No Trash Tuesdays	C1 HSIE C2 Library		Fitness Sport
At Lunch	Board Games	SRC (Odd weeks) Library (Even Weeks)	'Cattai Croppers' Gardening Club	Dance Group	BMX

IMPORTANT DATES / REMINDERS

Cake Day: Our next cake day is on 3rd August. The following families are to supply. **Hawkes, Haynes, Hewitt, Walden & Slawski.**
Reminder to pack **50c** for the day.

Library time at Cattai...

Congratulations C1 for being our top borrowers at Cattai. C1 have done a wonderful job familiarising themselves with our library. I have had lots of helpers, over Term 1 and 2, that have done a wonderful job in assisting me with borrowing and returning books. Well done!

C1 have also been learning about book reviews this term. They have done a fantastic job in reviewing their favourite stories and giving them a score out of 5.

