

TERM 3 IS UNDERWAY!

We are already off to a great start for term 3. The kids have already competed at our school Athletics Carnival last week, which was a great community event. Thank you to Mr Touzell and the team for doing a great job on an otherwise cold and rainy day. We also had our Kindergarten and Stage 1 kiddies compete at the Murwillumbah Festival of Performing Arts over the last couple of days. What a great highlight to see our gorgeous kids up on the big stage under lights. Our Stage 1 kids all received Highly Commended, while our Kindergarten kids received first place. A great achievement! Thank you to Mrs McGlenn and the classroom teachers for preparing the kids so well for the choral speaking sections for this festival.

It was also very exciting to wave off our Year 6 kids at the Gold Coast airport on Tuesday morning as they had an early 6.00am departure for Sydney for their excursion there that will see them spend 4 days exploring many educational experiences across the city harbour area. Thank you to Mrs Butler, Mrs Eddy, and Mr Vockler for going the extra mile with taking our Year 6 kids away for these 4 days. We look forward to hearing of their adventures when they return.

For the rest of the term, coming up from next week, we have our Education Week Open Day, Music Mates program for Stage 3 to commence in week 4, National Science Week, a visit from the Tissue Fairy for our Kindergarten classes, Book Week and an exciting Book Fair, our annual Indigenous Literacy Day Great Book Swap, our Deadly Leaders Balunjahli Cultural Day, and we aim to finish this term with our annual Talk Like a Pirate Day!! It always seems to sound so exhausting, but we will get through all of that and so much more, and we will finish with smiles on our faces. Gee we have a good time at Bilambil PS!

STAFFING CHANGES FOR TERM 3

We have a number of staff currently on leave and others returning from leave, which has meant a number of staffing changes.

- We have Mrs Harvey (1H) and Mrs Colwell (2C) returning from leave from next Monday. Thank you to Miss Kidd and Mrs Baydar for taking 1H and 2C for the first half of 2022.
- Mr Moore (GA) remains on leave and is replaced by Mr Renehan.
- Miss Tunsted is on leave for 3 weeks and will return at the commencement of week 4. Miss Knight is currently teaching 3T.
- Ms Baird commenced 9 weeks of leave this week and will return at the commencement of next term. KB will be taking by Miss Geddes.
- Miss Wilson will be absent for 2 weeks starting next Tuesday. 2/3S will be taken by Mrs Baydar.
- Mrs Butler (Learning Support) is continuing her leave for some of this term. Miss Kidd will commence learning support for Kindergarten from next week.
- Mr Wiblen will be taking leave every Friday from week 4 and will be replaced by Miss Sleba on these days.
- We also have Miss Danielle, Mrs Love, and Mrs Brickwood taking different leave in the coming weeks and will be replaced by a number of our treasured SLSO's who support our students.
- We also welcome Mr Josh Wilmott, Mrs Gemma Martin and Mr Liam Marron in for regular days supporting students on our SLSO rotations.

EDUCATION WEEK OPEN DAY

Parents and community members are warmly invited to attend our special Education Week Open day next Tuesday, 2 August. You are welcome to join us for the day for the following program:

9.00am – 9.30am Assembly (Choir, Kindergarten, Ukelele group, and Choral Speaking)

9.30am – 10.30am Parents/Carers to visit Open Classrooms

10.30am – 11.30am Parents, students and staff to enjoy a picnic morning tea (tea/coffee and morning tea supplied for parents)

11.30am – 12.30am Parents welcome to participate in STEM activities

We ask for visitors to our school to be mindful of current COVID restrictions that have recently come into effect for the next 4 weeks. In particular, all visitors to our school are requested to wear a face mask when inside classrooms with students. We will have these available for visitors for our open classrooms next week. We also ask for visitors to our school to be mindful of social distancing across our school settings.

We hope to see you all next week for a big celebration of education.

P&C MEETING NEXT WEEK

Our next P&C Meeting is scheduled to take place in our staff room at 5.00pm next Tuesday, 2 August. We would love to see many more community members participate with our wonderful committee to help manage and support our school and P&C priorities. Please consider joining our P&C. We hope to see some new faces next Tuesday.

Jeff Robinson
Principal

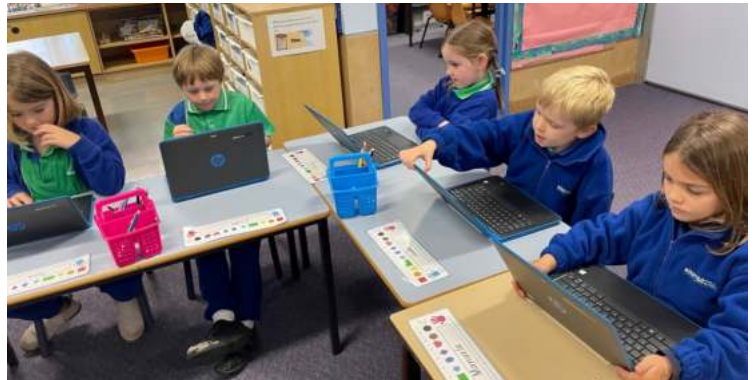
KB IS THE PLACE TO BE!

KB have enjoyed a great start to our school journey, so much learning and making friends along the way.

These photos are just a snapshot of our literacy groups, sport and computer times.

Karen Baird

AP & Classroom Teacher



MPAF - CHORAL SPEAKING

WOW! How proud are we all of our wonderful Choral Speakers! Stage 1 had 3 groups compete against each other as well as 3 teams from other schools.

The students performed with confidence and gusto, despite some of our kids having never been on stage before or even been in an auditorium! Each group received 87/100 with a highly commended.

Then Kindergarten went on to get first place the next day with 88 points! Well done Mrs Borra and kindies!

As always, our students represented our school beautifully with exceptional behaviour at all times. Couldn't be prouder!

Thank you

Donna McGlinn
Teacher



CONGRATULATIONS to Kindergarten who came first place at the Murwillumbah Festival Of Performing Arts Choral Speaking competition - Stage 1. A big thank you to Mrs McGlinn for writing the winning poem.





STUDENT OF THE WEEK Term 2 Week 10 2022

2C	Hamish - For team work during design process.
2/3S	Brodie - Outstanding effort in STEM - saving our seas showcase. Brax - Outstanding effort in STEM - saving our seas showcase.
3W	Cruze - For displaying perseverance in mathematics.
4/5B	Kai - Activity participating in class discussions.
5V	Maddison - Showing determination and challenging herself with advanced mathematics concepts.
6B	Kalani - Committed effort in class.

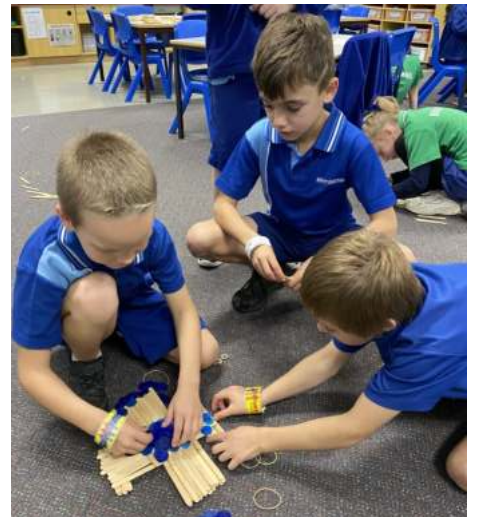
BRONZE AWARD

Term 2, Week 10 2022

4/5B	Layla
6B	Eli, Mason, Kalani

CONGRATULATIONS

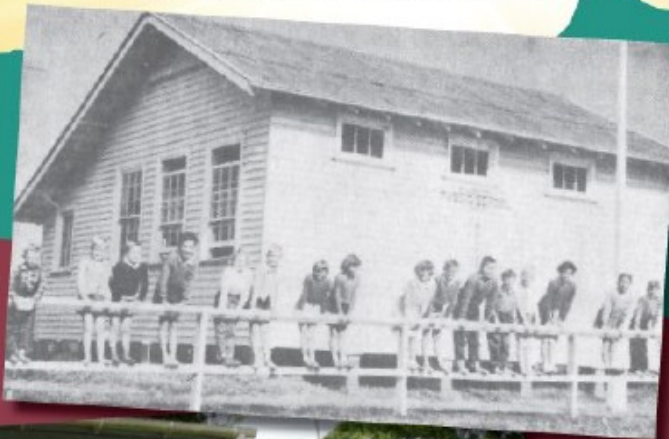
1/2H made bridges that had to hold 100 counters and tried to build the tallest tower in 100 seconds, we also enjoyed fairy bread with 100s and thousands sprinkles, We also celebrated 100 days of attending school. Linda Constable & Simone Henry Classroom Teachers



Carool Centenary PUBLIC SCHOOL

The Carool Public School community invites you to celebrate
100 years of public education at Carool.

7TH AUGUST 2022
10 - 2PM @ CAROOL PS
WITH FORMAL PROCEEDINGS AT IIAM.



Remembering
the past,
showcasing our
present and
looking forward
to the future of
our small rural
school.

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Parking is available at Bilambil Sports Club.

A free shuttle bus will operate from Bilambil to Carool throughout the day.

Athletics Carnival







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Raffle

BE IN IT TO WIN IT!

For the next two weeks raffle tickets are for sale
for one lucky student to WIN a
MySchoolConnect Canteen Voucher
for the amount of \$100.



Cash sales at Uniform Shop, Canteen Window
Recess & Lunch or purchase online at
MySchoolConnect - Select Lunch Menu scroll
down to Raffle then choose option and quantity.
Stay tuned for when one lucky Winner will be
drawn and announced on Monday 8 August.

**TICKET PRICES \$2 EACH
OR 3 FOR \$5!**

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