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Associate Principal's Column

Where, oh where, is Mrs Heiser?

Mrs Heiser is taking a well-deserved term's leave to enjoy travelling with her husband. Last report had her kayaking up a gorge in outback Queensland taking in all the sights including a rather large crocodile sunning itself! The children love hearing about her "Junior Ranger adventures" and are looking forward to seeing all the photos on her return next term. I am incredibly fortunate to be given this opportunity to "step" into Mrs Heiser's shoes and take over looking after the children in Prep to Year 2. My world for the last 6 years has been down with the Preps (a job I truly love!). But I would have to say that I am really enjoying catching up with our "old" Prep children, now in the older year levels. I am excited by how much their learning and skills have grown and developed from those early Prep years. I am also incredibly proud of the way our Caningeraba kids have matured into keen learners, ready to take on the next learning challenge.

Our Prep children took their home-readers home for the very first time last week and the looks on their faces were priceless. Our Preps held their folder so tightly and probably read their reader five or six times before they even got home. The children have been getting ready for this big moment all year. Their journey into reading begins as does a lifetime of pleasure and wonderment from the enjoyment that books can bring.

Still on our Preps, this is our farm visit week. The Preps not only get to visit a real life farm (for some of them for the first time) but also get to go on a real life BUS. My very first memories of school relate to a similar experience where I got to go on a bus- it was a double decker red bus! Not sure where we went but the bus trip was my highlight. So if you see some very excited Preppies at school this week, they are probably getting ready to go to the farm. Then keep your eyes out for the tired teachers at the end of the day!

A reminder about before school supervision- Keeping our Caningeraba Kids Safe

To help create a place for all of our students to wait safely and comfortably before school, we would like to remind everyone of the before school supervision arrangements. Upon arrival at school, students from Prep-2 are to wait in the tuckshop undercover area. Students in Year3-6 are supervised in the Year 5 eating area. For safety reasons, all students are to

remain seated in these areas and remain clear of covered walkways. Supervision is provided for students from 8.15am. Students are reminded of our school rules at our daily assemblies. A huge thank you to all our parents who are helping to teach our students that rules are for everyone. We also ask that all children are kept off all school playground equipment before and after school as there is no supervision available in these areas. Please take care with young children in and around our school. Parents are asked to use pathways to access our school as walking small children through the carpark can be dangerous. Taxis use this carpark in the morning and afternoon to drop off and pick up some of our students. If we are all mindful of this, we are keeping our Caningeraba kids safe.

Regards,
Mary Jane Leak

Woolworths Earn and Learn

The school will be participating in the Woolworths Earn and Learn promotion this year. When you shop at Woolworths you can collect Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers from the checkout operator or through an online order and place them on a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet. There'll be one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every \$10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco, and gift cards). Once completed, simply place the Sticker Sheet in the Collection Box, either at the:

School office

Local Woolworths Stores with collection boxes with Caningeraba's name on it:

Burleigh Stocklands

Robina Town Centre – Both Stores
Super Q Centre, Mermaid Waters

The school will be able to redeem the points from these cards for some exciting resources to be used at school.

Father's Day Stall

The P&C Association will be holding a Father's and Others Day Stall on **Wednesday 2 September** in the Science Centre East Wing (closest to the library) for students to purchase gifts.

For any students away that day or who forget their money we will have a catch-up stall on **Thursday 3 September from 9am – 12pm.**

Donations of home made goods, non-perishable craft items and other small items would be gratefully received. Biscuits, sweets, truffles/balls are always hugely popular.

Non-perishable donations can be dropped off to the school office (attention to P&C) from Monday 31 August to Tuesday morning.

On Tuesday afternoon we will be setting up the stall in the Science Centre East Wing.

Food donations can be dropped off on Tuesday September 1 to the office in the morning or in the afternoon or Wednesday morning to the Science Centre, before the stall opens to students. Please bag, wrap or box baked goods ready for sale.

Gifts available for purchase by students will range from 50c to \$7. If you would like to help out at the stall please email pandc@caningeraba.org.au

Thanks in advance for your support!

Music is a Foreign Language

Most of the terms are in Italian, German or French; and the notation is certainly not English, but a highly developed kind of shorthand that uses symbols to represent ideas. The semantics of music is the most complete and universal language.

Music Class Of The Week

- PW for excellent Mr Mi and Mr So stories.
- 1/2R for grade ones understanding some grade two concepts.
- 2B for working well on the form of simple songs.
- 3P for beautiful sight reading of new recorder music.
- 4M for brilliant assembly rehearsal.
- 5W for being focussed whilst learning new key concepts.

Library News

Thank you to the Kara, Skelton, Jones, Kelly and Manville families for their kind donation of books to the library.

School Banking News

Congratulations to the following students who have made 10 deposits and received a bronze certificate:

Oliver PO	Hailey 2O	Alana 1O
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Congratulations to the following students who have made 20 deposits and received a silver certificate:

Alivia 1M	Lily 1S	Riley 1G
Ash 1G	Aithan PW	Leila 2G
Emerson PO	Levi PO	Jada 3B
Brandon 2B		

Student of the Week

Congratulations to the following students who have received a student award at their assembly.

5/6M	Wil	5P	Matthew
4M	Mia & Dylan	4G	Alex
4S	Florinne	3G	Pearl
3O	Olivia	2O	Jarmin
1M	Liam	1O	Raiha & India
PR	Chase	PS	Cooper
PG	Phoebe		

Diary Dates

REMINDERS:

- Please phone our hotline on 5568 6388 for ALL up to date information on excursions, interschool sport draws, athletics and cancellations due to weather.

Date	Year Level	Activity
Friday 7 August	PW & PM	Currumbin Farm Visit
Friday 7 August	Yrs 5 & 6	Summer Interschool Sports Muster
Monday 10 August	Yr 1	Raw Art
Tuesday 11 August	PO	Currumbin Farm Visit
Tuesday 11 August	Various	ICAS Maths Exam
Friday 14 August	Yrs 5 & 6	Summer Interschool Sports Trials
Tuesday 25 August	All	School Photos
Wednesday 26 August	All	School Photos
Thursday 27 August	Yr 3	Raw Art
Friday 28 August	All	Gold Coast Show Holiday
Friday 4 September	Yrs 5 & 6	Interschool Sport Starts

Snack Shack Roster

Date	Names
Monday 10 August	Tasmyn
Tuesday 11 August	Cheryl
Wednesday 12 August	Carolyn, Greta,

Date	Names
Thursday 13 August	Marnee, Carolyn
Friday 14 August	Maureen

***Katrina and Michelle,
Tuckshop Convenors***

Lost Property

If your child has any lost property, please check the box outside the office, as we have a lot of jumpers, etc, which need to be collected.

Thank you

Payment Office Opening Hours

The payment window is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings between 8am and 10.30am. You can also phone between 9.15am and 10.30am on these days to pay over the phone. Alternatively you can pay online at any time or by BPoint.

Thank you

Emergency Clothing

If your child has borrowed clothing from sick bay, in particular shorts and girls' underwear, could it please be laundered and returned as soon as possible as we no longer have any spares.

Thank you

Community Notices

North Burleigh Nipper sign on for 2015/2016. Visit www.northburleighslsc.com.au or see flyer below.

Visit Our Website

We encourage our parents, carers and family members to visit our website, to see ongoing class activities. New activities on our website are:

Sheryll Eades, Website Coordinator