## Comleroy Road Chronicles







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## **Upcoming events**

## September 2020

Friday 18 School assembly Last day of term

### October 2020

Monday 12 Students return to school for Term 4

Thursday 29 Stage 2 camp Friday 30 Stage 2 camp

November 2020

Wednesday 4 Stage 3 camp Thursday 5 Stage 3 camp Friday 6 Stage 3 camp

## Principal's message

Dear Parents and Carers.

The students here at Comleroy Road have been working really hard this term in their learning and have been demonstrating the characteristics of an effective learner in the classroom and in the playground.

- Kindergarten have been learning how to write effective sentences, enjoying following a procedure to plant plants in the garden at our front entry and have had a lot of fun eating what they have made. In mathematics students have been practising their counting on and back strategies.
- Year 1 have shown fantastic improvement in their reading over the course of this term with many students already achieving the expected level for a student at the end of Year 1. They have learnt how to use the split strategy to solve more complex addition problems.
- 2/3G have worked exceptionally well collaborating as a team to create eye catching advertisements to encourage healthy eating at our school canteen. They are currently learning about sustainability and how we can make a difference at our school.
- 3/4B have demonstrated impressive results in their ability to recall their multiplication facts with many students smashing their goals this term. They have learnt that using feedback can improve their work and are developing their capacity to provide targeted feedback to their peers.
- Students in Stage 3 have been learning about Australian landmarks and persuasive texts. They have been looking closely at animals in captivity and supporting their arguments with evidence.

Over the last 4 weeks we have been focusing on the following learner characteristics:

**Reflective** – A reflective learner thinks about their own learning and experiences. They know what they do well and where they can improve. A reflective learning can look back in order to grow forwards. Encourage your children to reflect on what they learnt at school each day and ask them how they would do it differently next time.

**Inquisitive** – Inquisitive learners are life long learners. They set themselves challenging learning goals and ask lots of questions so they can improve. An inquisitive learner seeks feedback from others often. Encourage your children to tell you the goals they have set for reading, writing, mathematics and/or their personal goals. Ask them questions about what they wrote about, read about or learnt about in mathematics.

**Risk taker** – being a risk taker means that you have the confidence to try new thing, even if they are challenging. Risk takers know that it is OK to make a mistake and that mistakes help us learn. We can all take risks by having a go and not giving up until we have achieved our goal.

Please continue to remind your child/children about social distancing and to inform you or their teacher if they are feeling unwell. Any child who is unwell will be sent home from school. We are encouraging anyone who is unwell with flu like symptoms to arrange to be tested through their local medical practitioner or one of the COVID-19 clinics. You will need to provide a copy of the negative test result or doctors certificate and be symptom free before being permitted to return to school. For more information on the department's response to COVID-19 please follow this link <a href="https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19">https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19</a>.

In addition to these infection control measures, we are requesting that any cakes or goodies brought in the help celebrate children's birthdays are purchased from a shop and not homemade.

Please inform the school of any confirmed cases of COVID-19 and follow the advice on hot spot locations to ensure we help control the spread using this link <a href="https://bit.ly/33L4607">https://bit.ly/33L4607</a>.

I have included the NSW Department of Education's behaviour code for students in this newsletter. Students are regularly reminded of the expected behaviour and consequences of their actions. We encourage you to have a conversation with your child about these expectations. Our Welfare and Discipline Policy is updated on a regular basis and can be found on our school website <a href="https://comleroyrd-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/">https://comleroyrd-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/</a>.

Thank you for your continued support and for your commitment to your child's learning.

Look after yourself and look after each other.

Your sincerely

Kristen Barglik
Principal





### **Cyber Safety**

Yesterday we had the Police Youth Liaison Office visit our school to highlight the importance of cyber safety with students from years 3-6. Students were educated on the importance of keeping their accounts private and not sharing personal information online. They also learnt about their digital shadow - whatever is posted online cannot be removed or deleted. It will be there forever, even if they were the ones who deleted it.

For more information to support you and your family being safe online visit the <u>eSafety Commissioner</u> website.

Students discovered that the apps and games they commonly use (Snapchat, Facebook Instagram, Fortnight) have an age rating of 13+ years. For more information on classification ratings for games your children might be playing visit <a href="https://bit.ly/3m6Brk7">https://bit.ly/3m6Brk7</a>

Here are some of the take away messages from our Stage 3 students:

"Everything you post on social media will stay there FOREVER and even if you hit that delete button it's still there somewhere. Now employers look at your social media accounts and your posts." **Josh and Riley** 

"Definitely don't post a photo with secret information and things that are inappropriate online." **Ella and Shania** 

"If something is inappropriate or not right report it, block it and tell a trusted adult. It is very important to always stay safe online. We also learnt about your digital shadow, a thing that is left online and cannot be deleted or removed." **Jess and Maja** 

"Today we learnt that what you wouldn't say to them in person, don't say it online. We also learnt that you should never share your information and where you live." **Charlie and Hunter** 

"One main thing we learnt was if you don't know them offline, don't talk to them online." **Caitlin and Kalypso** 





Scan these QR codes to see if 3/4B's houses could withstand cyclone conditions.













## Behaviour code for students

## NSW public schools

NSW public schools are committed to providing safe, supportive and responsive learning environments for everyone. We teach and model the behaviours we value in our students.

## In NSW public schools students are expected to:

- Respect other students, their teachers and school staff and community members
- Follow school and class rules and follow the directions of their teachers
- Strive for the highest standards in learning
- Respect all members of the school community and show courtesy to all students, teachers and community members
- Resolve conflict respectfully, calmly and fairly
- Comply with the school's uniform policy or dress code
- Attend school every day (unless legally excused)
- Respect all property
- Not be violent or bring weapons, illegal drugs, alcohol or tobacco into our schools
- Not bully, harass, intimidate or discriminate against anyone in our schools

Schools take strong action in response to behaviour that is detrimental to self or others or to the achievement of high quality teaching and learning.

### **Behaviour Code for Students: Actions**

Promoting the learning, wellbeing and safety of all students in NSW Public Schools is a high priority for the Department of Education.

We implement teaching and learning approaches to support the development of skills needed by students to meet our high standards for respectful, safe and engaged behaviour.

### Respect

- Treat one another with dignity
- Speak and behave courteously
- Cooperate with others
- Develop positive and respectful relationships and think about the effect on relationships before acting
- · Value the interests, ability and culture of others
- Dress appropriately by complying with the school uniform or dress code
- Take care with property

### Safety

- Model and follow departmental, school and/or class codes of behaviour and conduct
- · Negotiate and resolve conflict with empathy
- Take personal responsibility for behaviour and actions
- Care for self and others
- Avoid dangerous behaviour and encourage others to avoid dangerous behaviour

### **Engagement**

- Attend school every day (unless legally excused)
- · Arrive at school and class on time
- Be prepared for every lesson
- Actively participate in learning
- Aspire and strive to achieve the highest standards of learning

The principal and school staff, using their professional judgment, are best placed to maintain discipline and provide safe, supportive and responsive learning environments. The department provides a policy framework and resources such as Legal Issues Bulletins, access to specialist advice, and professional learning to guide principals and their staff in exercising their professional judgment. In this context the NSW Government and the Department of Education will back the authority and judgment of principals and school staff at the local level.



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By Austin, Cove and Levi





## 2/3G advertisements for the canteen

By Zara and Deegan

## Top 5 online safety tips for kids

Set up your device to protect your information.

Explore safely & tell an adult if you see anything online that makes you feel yuck.

Limit who can contact you when you're playing games.

Stop all contact with anyone online who asks you to do anything you don't want to do. Report and block them.

Ask for help if anything online is bothering you.





**eSafety**kids

esafety.gov.au/kids



# SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES



Futsal Dodgeball OzTag Age: 5 - 12 YRS

Time: 9AM - 3PM

\$ 30/Day OR 4 Days for \$100 OR 5 Days for \$125 Creative Kids Vouchers Accepted!

All Participants must be PCYC Members to attend.

Book with Hawkesbury Basketball for the Sydney Flames Clinic

MON SEPT 28 | Boot Camp | Mixed Sport | Scavenger Hunt

TUES SEPT 29 | HDBA Sydney Flames Basketball Clinic

WED SEPT 30 | Ninja Warrior | Hip Hop Dance | Mixed Sport

THURS OCT 1 | Gymnastics | Parkour | Circus

FRI OCT 2 | Mixed Sport | Mini Olympics | Athletics

Netball
European Handball
Volleyball/Newcombe Ball



Futsal Dodgeball OzTag



Kickball T-Ball Tennis



STRICT HYGIENE AND DISTANCING MEASURES IN PLACE

WEEK 2 OF SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN!

TUES OCT 6 | Ninja Warrior | Mixed Sport | Hip Hop Dance

WED OCT 7 | Gymnastics | Parkour | Circus

THURS OCT 8 | Boot Camp | Mixed Sport | Scavenger Hunt

FRI OCT 9 | Martial Arts | Mini Olympics | Athletics

Netball
European Handball
Volleyball/Newcombe Ball



CHILD REQUIRED TO BRING MORNING TEA, LUNCH AND WATER BOTTLE

SAVE TIME AND BOOK ONLINE!

www.pcycnsw.org.au/hawkesbury/
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## **JUNIOR BLASTERS**

AGES 510 | 60 MINS | 6+ WEEKS

Learn new skills, including catching, throwing and teamwork, through fun game based activities.

Sign up now for your Starter Pack. Returning Junior Blasters score a Returner Pack with a Backpack, Ball and choice of bonus item!



### Your Local Woolworths Blast Centres

For more information & registration visit www.playcricket.com.au click on 'Search for a Club' and enter 'Club Name';

Freemans Reach CC Don't Worry Oval Starts Wednesday 21st October Contact: George Greentree 0408 415 045 North Richmond CC Peel Park Starts Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> October Contact: Erin Shaw 0490 195 444 Pitt Town Sports CC Brinsley Park Starts Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October Contact: Alicia Mavin 0414 303 606 Wilberforce CC Woodlands Oval Starts Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October Contact: Glen Quince 0404 869 100

Junior Blasters is for beginner cricketers aged roughly 5-10!

First session is <u>FREE</u> to Come & Try! ActiveKids Voucher can be used for all programs! Claim your ActiveKids voucher through <u>MyServiceNSW</u>, head to <u>www.playcricket.com.au</u> and enter your voucher code.





**RESPECTFUL:** I appreciate everyone for who they are. I will use positive words and actions to ensure everyone feels accepted.

LEARNERS: I am always ready to do my best. Education is a life - long process. It gives me opportunities for life.

## Comberoy Road P&C Association

**Next meeting:** Tuesday 3 November

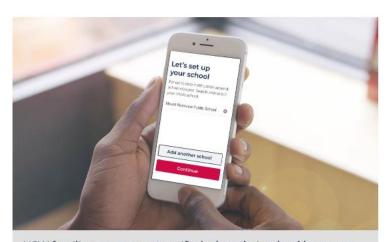
Contact details for the P&C:

**President:** Scott Dent

The P&C have a Facebook page. Search for Comleroy Road P&C and like the page to keep informed about the great work the P&C do.

## **NSW School Updates app**

The NSW School Updates app allows parents and carers to receive operational status updates for NSW public schools.



Instruction to download for iOS

Instruction to download for Android



## September

Ajay, Georgia, Holly, Diesel, Paige, Austin, Ruby, Deegan, Jmogen, Jayden, Delilah, Ryder

## Congratulations

## Principal award

K/1C - Jordan

K/17 - Chloe

2/3G - Elijah

3/4B - Cooper

5/6P - McKey

5/6K - Charlie

## Merit award

K/10 - Isabelle & Jamie

K/17 – Indiarna & Maysen

2/3G – Abigail & William

3/4B - Cathy & Lace

5/6P - Adam & Kaly

5/6K - Maja & Shania

## Honour awards - Silver

Naomi

Trinity

K/10 3/4B K/17 2/3G 5/6K Jsabelle Angelica Nathan Brooke Cove Maysen Jordan Charlotte Talon *Eloise* Rilev **Eamon** Olivia Chelsea Holly Shania Deegan Delilah Levi Lace Noah Lachlan Jayden

Vivienne

Zara

Levi William

Lucas Luke

Jesse

# HALEA BLAST!





## MASTER BLASTERS AGES 7-10 | 90 MINS | 6+ WEEKS

Everyone gets a chance to bat, bowl and field in short, modified games of cricket. For kids with basic cricket skills.

Sign up now for your Master Blasters Pack!



## YOU COULD PLAY WOOLWORTHS CRICKET BLAST FOR FREE!



Thanks to the NSW Government, every student (K–12) is entitled to 2×\$100 Active Kids vouchers each calendar year. Remember to use your voucher when you sign up at playcricket.com.au

## **North Richmond Cricket Club**

19<sup>th</sup> August – 7<sup>th</sup> October (8 weeks) 4pm-5:30pm, Peel Park, Nth Richmond 1<sup>st</sup> week is FREE to try!

<u>Junior Blasters</u> will be run during Term 4 for kids with no or limited cricket skills

\*BASED ON PROGRAM RRP OF \$99. MORE INFO AT SERVICE.NSW.GOV.AU/ACTIVEKIDS



**JOIN A CREW NEAR YOU TODAY** 







