Book Week Celebrations

On Monday, students from Kindergarten to Year 6 participated in a day of literacy activities for book week. There were some great costumes judged by Chantel, a Collarenebri Police Officer and Lynese. The winners from each year were Saleisha, Jaylan, Acacia, Nina, Aaliyah, Bailey, Tahlia and Dakota. Well done! Students made bookmarks and origami windmills, heard some of the shortlisted books and completed activities based on them. Many students have bought from the book fair and there is still many books and stationary items for sale in the library. Thankyou to all family members who came to support the students during the costume parade.
Principal’s Message

Mr. Robert Malcolm

The HSC student exams begin this week and this year we have 3 students graduating and 1 who is completing the HSC this year and next through a “pathways” program.

We wish Brendan, Peyton, Travis and Peter all the very best.

These students represent our strong new tradition in having a capable HSC cohort at Collarenebri Central School each and every year.

We are rushing to organise an excursion across to Walgett to attend the Aboriginal cultural program which is being held this Friday. I know there are further activities on the Saturday which families might like to take advantage of, but we would like to take a group this Friday if we can. Notes will be coming around for year 5, 6, 7 and 8 students, so please keep a look out. Ms Bourke and Ms Flick will organise with Larry, Lynese and Pauline assisting. I hope we can support this program.

The AECG will meet this afternoon and I hope all are able to feel welcome to come along. The meeting will be at the school this week.

The Executive Director Mr Graham Kahabka will be attending our school for a breakfast with staff next Thursday 23rd at 7.30am. Mr Kahabka is on a tour of schools across the Western Plains area and has made time for a short meeting with the school staff and a tour of the school facilities.

Term 4 is always a busy term and this year even more than ever, so hang onto your hats parents and keep an eye on the newsletter and upcoming school events.

We will have to work together to get it all done so please do not hesitate to ring or drop in if something is unclear.

Kind Regards,

Rob Malcolm

Officially Opening at Collarenebri

Minister for Education, Adriam Piccoli has welcomed a new era of education at Collarenebri Central School. He was here to open our school’s recent upgrade of facilities and equipment.

This is a valuable investment that will bring lasting dividends to the Collarenebri community and its young people for many years to come.
The Term has started with a Book Parade. All of the students looked fantastic and it was great to see so many parents here. A big thank you to Mrs Raffie for all her organisational skills in preparing and running the event. Well done also to Mr Randell who dressed up and took out the best dressed staff member. Thank you also to Mrs Hoare who has been selling lots of books at the book fair in the Library. All of the class displays look great, well done everyone!

Intensive Swimming

This Term students will be engaged in Intensive swimming at the pool. This will be running in weeks 7 & 8. The dates being from the 10th of November until the 21st of November. This is 2 whole weeks in total. All classes Kindy through to Year 6 will be participating every day at different time slots.

Following the Intensive Swimming program will be the Pre-school Transition Program. This will be running in weeks 8, 9 & 10. Days and times are still to be confirmed.

Optometrist Visit to Moree

We are organising a visit to the optometrist in Moree for some of our students. Parents will be contacted and a letter will be sent out if your child needs this service. All inquiries regarding the appointments should be forwarded to Miss Arndell through the front office of the school.

Dance Group – Mrs Raffie

This term there will be dance classes held every Wednesday from 3:15-4:14pm at the gym. Mrs Raffie will run classes for anyone of school age. If there is enough interest, classes will be split according to age. I look forward to seeing you there.
Dear Ladies & Gents,
We would like to extend an invitation to all community members and their families to join us for our annual cancer breakfast fundraiser in Shirley’s garden. Like so many around us our family has been touched by cancer and we try to do our little bit each year to give back to the Cancer Council. We ask that you consider making a small donation to the NSW Cancer Council at our breakfast. All community members (ladies and gents, boys & girls) are welcome to come along. All donations will go to the NSW Cancer Council.
Looking forward to enjoying breakfast with you all!
Kind Regards,
Shirley, Diane & Ainsley.

Sunday 19th October 2014
8am - 10am
6 Barwon Street, Collarenebri
(Shirley Wilson’s Garden)
Phone Shirley (02) 67562141 or Diane (02) 67562611
for more information

The Collarenebri Lions Club Inc.
There will be a Street BBQ held next to the Butcher’s Shop on Saturday 18th October
Support your Local Lions Club

Reminder
Carols by Candle Light the 6th December