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What's Happening at CPS

Tuesday 25 February

Parent / Teacher Interviews
Swimming for Sport Class 5-6

Wednesday 26 February

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Debating Workshop - Albury

Thursday 27 February

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Friday 28 February

SRPSSA Swimming Carnival

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PRINCIPAL SCOOP

Swimming Carnival

Our first Parent-Teacher interviews for 2025 took place yesterday. If you have not yet booked an interview and wish to, please contact the office or your child's classroom teacher.

Green Reward

Our first green reward for 2025 will take place next Friday 7 March for all students who have remained on green for the first five weeks of this term. A reminder that to achieve gold level this year, students will be required to attend at least 1 of the green rewards during the year.

SRC Semester 1

Congratulations to our newly elected Student Representative Council (SRC) class representatives. I am sure you will represent your peers and school with enthusiasm.

Kindergarten - Pippa Kent and Ruby Champion
Class 1-2 - Cormac Murray and Isabella Coleiro
Class 3-4 - Noah Dixon and Amelia Scheetz
Class 5-6 - Neveah Preston and Alice Murray

Swimming Carnival

Thank you to all the students who participated in the swimming carnival last Thursday 13 February 2025. All students did their best and as always, behaviour was great. Congratulations to the students who will compete at the Southern Riverina PSSA Swimming Carnival this Friday 28 February 2025. A reminder that there is a qualifying time to be selected for the SRPSSA Swimming Carnival.



Congratulations to our Age Champions



Senior Boys - Byron Condon
11 Yrs Boys - Hudson Phillips
Junior Boys - Angus Bedggood

Senior Girls - Pippa Schwass
11 Yrs Girls - Morigan Glasson
Junior Girls - Dolcie Phillips

NAPLAN

Year 3 and Year 5 students will sit their NAPLAN assessments between Wednesday 12 March and Monday 24 March. Students begin with their writing assessment. Parents of these students will receive results of these assessments later in the year. Year 3 and Year 5 students will also receive information for parents and carers.

Student Attendance

A reminder that daily attendance is vital in order to consolidate childrens learning. With new attendance targets for schools, students are required to attend greater than 90% of school days. This means that students cannot miss more than 4 days per term on average. If your child is going to be away in advance, please complete an absence notification on Sentral or Parent app (absences icon on the home page), send a note or phone the school office explaining the reason. Otherwise a text will be sent from Sentral when your child is away. A reply text is sufficient for our records. The Home School Liaison Officer (HSLO) checks students' attendance regularly and will contact parents or guardians where necessary.

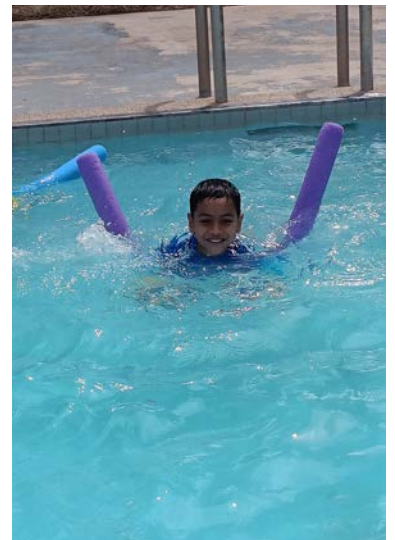
Yours in Education

Craig Allibon
PRINCIPAL



Hockey Clinics

SWIMMING





Class Kindergarten

Yesterday Kindergarten participated in a hockey clinic. We played games and learnt some new skills. This week we are excited to start learning about the letter "M" in InitialLit. Thank you to the kindergarten parents attending interviews this week. Class Dojo Winners Week 2 - Pippa Kent, Maisie Russell, Week 3 - Adam Hughes, Levi Warhurst and Week 4 - Emily Middleton and Milica Radic.

Class 1-2

We have had a busy few weeks of learning in 1-2. In maths we have been exploring how to be mathematicians and have found lots of maths all around us. We have also been learning how to describe shapes based on their features, and ways to count collections quickly by grouping numbers into 10s. Yesterday we participated in a hockey clinic which was lots of fun! We will be presenting our assembly item next Thursday afternoon 6th March at 2.10pm. Have a great week!

Class 3-4

This week, Year 3-4 had a fantastic time at their first swimming session for sport. They participated in relays, played water polo and enjoyed some free time in the water. On Monday they also had a great experience at our hockey clinic, where they practiced various skills before putting them to the test in a game. I'm looking forward to meeting with you all for parent/teacher interviews. Have a wonderful week!

Class 5-6

We have had a great start to the year in 5-6. Our School Captains did a great job running their very first assembly last week. We have a number of students attending the Southern Riverina Swimming Carnival and AFL trials. We wish you all the best. Swimming for sport will continue for 5-6 students on Tuesdays from 2-3pm, don't forget your swimmers. Have a great week.

Sport News

Southern Riverina Swimming

Congratulations and good luck to all of the students who have qualified and are heading to the Southern Riverina Swimming Carnival at the Lavington Swimming Pool this Friday.

Southern Riverina AFL

The Southern Riverina AFL PSSA trials are next Tuesday at Billabong High School. Good luck to the boys from 5-6 who are attending.

Girls AFL

A link was shared on our Facebook page with instructions for any girls who are U/12, who would like to try out at the Southern Inland AFL trials. This is the pathway toward the State AFL girls' team. Registrations have to be completed externally through DASH.



Circle of Security - Parenting

Do you feel lost or without a clue about what your child might need from you?

Intereach is delivering an online Circle of Security Parenting™ program for parents/guardians with children 12 and under. You'll learn to understand your child's emotional world and support their ability to successfully manage their emotions. Come and join this event and work towards the support you need.

When: Every Monday from
24 February-7 April 2025

Time: 4pm - 5pm

Where: Virtual - link emailed
to you once registered

For more information, please contact:
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Phone: 1300 488 226
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PIANO - GUITAR - DRUMS

Private music lessons available at Culcairn Public School

For more information please contact Jacob:

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**Greater Hume Council are reviewing the
Community Strategic Plan**

**THIS PLAN IS DRIVEN BY YOU, THE COMMUNITY,
FOR THE COMMUNITY.**

**HAVE YOUR SAY AND COMPLETE THE 5 MINUTE
SURVEY BY -**

- Scanning the QR Code
- Visiting your local Customer Relations Centre
- Visiting the Greater Hume Council Website -
#greaterhumehaveyoursay



SURVEY CLOSES: 5PM FRIDAY, 28 FEBRUARY 2025



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For more information contact Council on 02 6036 0100

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HOW DO YOU BECOME A FOSTER CARER

Support Young Aboriginal Children

Thursday 6th March
2025

6pm-7pm

Woomera Aboriginal
Corporation

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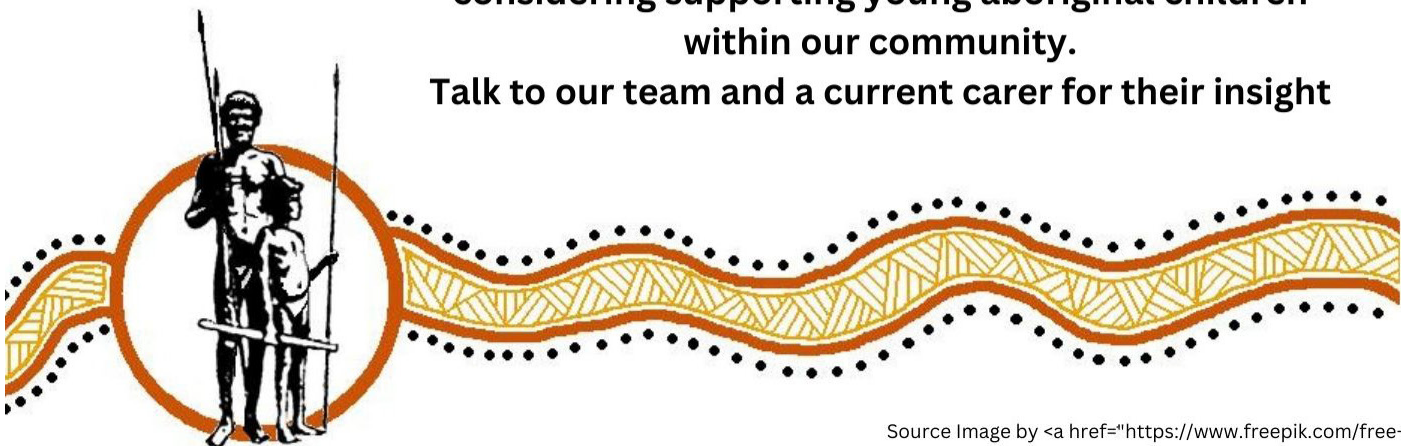
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**Become part of Woomera Aboriginal Corporations
Permanency Support Programs and become a
Foster Carer.**

**Come join us onsite to meet with likeminded people
considering supporting young aboriginal children
within our community.**

Talk to our team and a current carer for their insight



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