Reminders for this week

- K/1/2/3 bring play costumes this Friday 16th
- Second $100 excursion payment is now due
- Return parent survey by Fri 16th Oct
- Return Excursion medical and emergency form
- Return tuckshop help note
- Return Coffee Camp Hall membership
- Request bulletin via email – photos come in colour!
- Have a hat at school EVERY day

Awards
Awards and medals are presented at our assemblies on Fridays. Parents are welcome to attend.
1 – Tamati – for excellent effort in class
1 – Kai T – for always being a good sport
2 – Tayah – for being a good friend at school
3 – Orlando – for neat writing
4 – Ruby M – for settling in beautifully
5 – Sinead – for excellent effort in all her work
6 – Keera – for settling in happily at Coffee Camp School

Good Deed Medals
Agathe received her level 2 Bronze medal and Annabel received her silver medal. Congratulations!

Tuckshop – is very sad 😥 HELP please!
Do your children enjoy eating tuckshop lunches?
Do you enjoy not having to prepare school lunches?
If your answer is YES then return the roster help note asap.
For more information about tuckshop:
Please contact Susie 6689 9338 to talk about menu options and cooking for Term 4 and please contact Linda 0416 110 438 about getting on the roster.

The Term 4 roster needs a lot more helpers!!

Date | Full day | Morning | Fruit
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23 Oct | Rachel W Andrew H? | Ananda Alt | Rachel W Anne W Lisa T
30 Oct | HELP! HELP! | HELP! | Linda DeM Julia T
6 Nov | HELP! HELP! | HELP! | Carrie A HELP
13 Nov | HELP! HELP! | HELP! | Laura K Lisa T
20 Nov | HELP! HELP! | HELP! | Julia T HELP
27 Nov | Andrew H? HELP! | HELP! | Julia T HELP

Senior Excursion Payment Schedule
This year the senior excursion will be to the Queensland Sunshine Coast from 30th Nov – 3rd Dec.
Second $100 due by this Friday 16th October
Final - $130 due by 13th November
Please contact the school if you are not able to meet the payment plan.
Thank you to those families who have made the first payment or contacted the school to discuss options.

Senior Excursion Medical Form
Students have been given a medical details and emergency contact form to complete.
In order to safely care for your children, it is important that we have accurate information. If any details change after you have completed the form please let us know immediately.

IMPORTANT: Ambulance Cover for Students
All children attending NSW Public Schools are covered by insurance if they require the services of an ambulance while they are at school or on any school excursion in NSW.
But this ambulance cover is not available when students visit Queensland on excursions.
Parents and carers need to be aware that in the unlikely event of needing ambulance assistance on an excursion in Queensland the parents/carers will be billed for the ambulance expenses.

In order to be covered for the use of an ambulance in Queensland you need to have private health insurance ambulance cover. It is possible to take out ambulance-only cover which is not very expensive.

Senior Excursion Fundraising Garage Sale
The students who are participating in the Sunshine Coast excursion are invited to have a stall at the school garage sale to be held on Thursday 5th November.
Children may sell books, games, toys etc.
For safety reasons students will not be able to use electrical appliances at their stalls.
All funds raised will be retained by the students and can be used towards payment for their excursion.

All Students’ Excursion Fundraising Raffle
The P&C is organizing an excursion fundraising raffle. All children will have the opportunity to sell tickets to help fund either the Sunshine Coast or the K/1/2/3 excursion.
Books of tickets and details of raffle prizes will be sent home next week.

K/1/2/3 Excursion
Details will appear in next week’s bulletin.
Coffee Camp School Website
You can visit the Coffee Camp School website at www.coffeecamp-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/
This website is being developed as a resource for the school community.

Current inclusions:
- Weekly School Bulletin
- Archived School Bulletins
- Photo Gallery

Future expansion will include:
- Permission notes
- Additions to the photo gallery
- P&C information and notices

School Hat Policy
The NSW Education Department has a “no hat no play” policy to protect children from the serious health risks of sun exposure.
Every day there are children who miss out on play time in the playground because they don’t have a hat. There is a simple solution to this problem. If each child brings a hat to school and LEAVES IT HERE there will always be one available when they need it.
Children can wear any hat they like at school. Orange polkadots, alien spaceship shaped, glow-in-the-dark hats are all welcome. We do encourage broad brimmed hats which give better protection.

We have school hats available in sizes small and medium for $10 and large for $12 and ponytail hats for girls for $10.
Children need a hat EVERY day for outside class activities.
Please help us to keep your children sun safe at school.

Parent Survey
As part of our school self-evaluation, a survey has been included with the bulletin for parents to complete. Responses will be collated with those from other public schools to get a broad picture to help us improve our partnership with parents in the education of their children. All survey responses remain anonymous.

All students from families who return surveys by this Friday 16th October will get a free sip ice block.

K/1/2/3 News
Play performance – 10.15am Friday 16th October
This Friday 16th October at 10.15am at Coffee Camp Public Hall our class will be performing our 2 plays – ‘The three elephants’ and ‘The pig who cried wolf’. This special repeat performance is so that our narrator who broke her arm on the concert day will be able to have her turn on the stage.

Could all students please bring their costumes on that day.
Any parent who would like to attend is most welcome.

Enrolments 2016
We are starting to plan for our classes in 2016.
If you know of other families with children interested in enrolling at Coffee Camp next year please ask them to contact the school.
We have vacancies available in K/1/2/3 while our 3/4 and 5/6 classes are currently full.

10 Evidence Based Principles of Effective Teaching
Principle 2: Understand but don’t excuse your students
Effective teachers seek to understand their students, but so do most teachers. The difference is that effective teachers still expect each of their students to behave and to achieve well.

Effective teachers use their understanding to adjust their approach to teaching, but they do not use it to excuse misbehaviour, poor effort or a lack of real academic progress.

Bulletin Photo Page
Thanks to Jaimee Claydon for our colour photo page celebrating highlights from the school concert held last term.
We hope you enjoy the photos from:
The three elephants
The pig who cried wolf
Oh Boydie, this is your life!
Rocky Monster Show

Coffee Camp Hall Membership/Donation + Hiring
The Coffee Camp school community uses the local hall for school plays and other school performances and activities.

Coffee Camp parents are encouraged to become members of the Coffee Camp Hall. Membership helps cover maintenance costs.

Attached is a Coffee Camp Hall membership/donation form. Please return the form and payment to school.

Hall Hire
Coffee Camp Hall is available for hire at very reasonable rates for weekly activities and one-off events like children’s birthday parties.

Booking enquiries: Carol 36689 9346 or Steve M 6689 1022.

Book Club
Please return your order by Friday 16th October.
There is no obligation to buy these books.