

# CADDIES CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL

## Upcoming Events

### Term 3

10<sup>th</sup> October

12<sup>th</sup> October

13<sup>th</sup> October

First day of Term 4

Check in assessments Years 3-5 weeks 1-3

School Spec rehearsal

Stage 2 Excursion

### Assembly Times

K-2 – 10.25am

3-4 – 11.25 am

5-6 – 2.10 pm

**Term 3 Week 10**

**23<sup>rd</sup> September 2022**

## News from the Principal

Dear Parents/Carers,

Today we farewell Mrs Madhu Lata from Caddies Creek Public School. Mrs Lata has been at the school for many years now working as a pivotal member of our EAL/D team. She has supported our students and teachers to meet the needs of students who are from non-English speaking backgrounds. Mrs Lata has also supported many of our newly arrived students to Australia and assisted them in gaining English proficiency. We will miss you greatly and wish you every success in your new position at Riverbank Public School.

I would like to thank our very supportive P&C executive and our hard-working members for the amazing work you have completed for the school this term. You have run numerous second-hand uniform shop days for our community, a loose change challenge and of course the colour fun run. You are also preparing for the P&C Market as a wonderful community event. Your time and efforts are truly appreciated by all and on behalf of the Caddies community I extend our thanks for the support you offer to the community. I would also like to thank our families who have been able to support these events. The funds raised are being invested back into the school to provide up-to-date digital technologies for our students. Thank you also to our parent helpers who volunteer their time to support teachers in their classrooms, every minute assists our wonderful students.

I have had the delight this week to share in the wonderful memories of Stage 3 camp at Canberra. I would like to acknowledge the hard work of Mrs Stewart, Mrs Henson, Mrs Joukhdar, Mr Imadojemun, Mr Roberts, Mr Lehner, Mrs Collins and Mrs Nammour in providing this experience for the students. I commend the students on their outstanding behaviour. Next term teachers will share photos of camp with the students.

On Wednesday night our Proms Choir group performed at Town Hall. It was a wonderful night of entertainment. Congratulations to the students and Miss Fernando and Mrs Buckingham for all their hard work and organisation. Our Year 1 students also had a great day at Sydney Zoo on Monday, experiencing some up-close encounters with wild animals. The Year 1 team were delighted with the student's behaviour and engagement on the day. Our school was also represented by students from our support unit this week at the Inclusive School Sport Ten Pin Bowling competition. A wonderful competition had by all. Thank you to Mr Sheedy for organising this event. Thank you also goes to Miss Renshall and the students who played in the small schools' touch football competition this week. It is great to see our students supporting other schools

### Online Safety Reminder

Student safety is important to us all and this includes keeping our students safe online. I urge all parents to speak with their child about the importance of online safety and about their digital footprint. Many children believe that pressing delete will get rid of information or statements they have written. Children need to learn that what they place on the internet is out there forever, as people are able to copy and keep what they post. I urge all parents to go online and check your child's digital footprint and to consider instilling rules such as ensuring they use devices in public spaces. Open communication with children moving into the teenage years is paramount. Please see the following for online support. I recommend the eSafety Commissioner website <https://www.esafety.gov.au/parents> for helpful tips and messages for children to watch.

## K-2 Fun Day 2022

The K-2 Fun Day will be held on Tuesday, 18th October (Week 2 of Term 4) at Alwyn Lindfield Reserve across the road from Caddies Creek Public School. The Fun Day will commence at 10.40 am. The students will be participating in a variety of fun activities that will include relays, bean bag shotput and obstacle course, to name a few. The Fun Day will culminate with all the students running in a race with their classmates. It is requested that K-2 students wear their sport uniform on this day, bring a hat and a drink bottle. Parents, family members and friends are welcome to watch and cheer on their children. We look forward to a fun and exciting day with lots of cheering and sporting spirit!

Thank you to all students for their efforts this term. It has been an exciting term with lots of fun learning opportunities. During the holidays I encourage all students to continue to read for enjoyment and engage in outside play with family and friends. To our wonderful staff here at Caddies, thank you for all your efforts both within the classrooms and throughout the school this term. I wish everyone a relaxing and enjoyable school holiday. School resumes for term 4 on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> October.

***Mrs Gae Bromwich – R/Principal***

## News from the Deputy Principal

We have had a very busy few weeks with a variety of incursions, excursions, showcases and performances.

The Stage 3 Showcase of Talent was on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September. Students showcased their talents with a range of performances. We were entertained with vocalists, comedy, instrumentals, and dancing. Mr Imadojemun and Mrs Nammour our wonderful judges were so impressed by the performances that they too had to have their five minutes of fame. A BIG thankyou to Mrs Joukhdar for all her hard work and organisation.

Our Stage 2 Primary Proms Choir group performed at the combined Primary Proms Choir organised by the Arts unit from the Department of Education. Our students were part of a 500-student choir from over 15 schools. They performed at the spectacular Sydney Town Hall on Wednesday the 21<sup>st</sup> of September. A BIG thankyou to Miss Fernando and Mrs Buckingham for all their hard work and organisation.

Our Year 6 students participated in a buddy session with Glenwood High School students on September the 13<sup>th</sup>. There were lots of questions about Year 7 that the High School students (many of whom previous Caddies Creek were students) answered with much confidence.







**Sue Buyruk - Deputy Principal**

# Stage One Showcase of Talent

The 2022 Stage One Showcase of Talent is fast approaching! It will be held in Term 4, Week 4 on Wednesday 2nd November. Parents are very welcome to attend this special event from 10:30am in the hall.

Notes have been sent home with students who would like to audition. Auditions will be held during lunchtimes in Week 1 of Term 4. We look forward to being dazzled by some spectacular talents. With the school holidays just around the corner, it will be a great opportunity for students to start preparing an act for the Showcase.

Mrs Searle and Miss Fink

## Awards

**Merit Awards** – Each week two children in each class receive a **Merit Award** to acknowledge the excellent work they are doing in the classroom (16<sup>th</sup> September)

<b>KD</b>	Eric R, Myra K	<b>KF</b>	Madeline B, Kiaan S	<b>KH</b>	Adrica G, Jeerat S
<b>KJ</b>	Charlotte T, Teghveer D	<b>KR</b>	Abigail R, Ashton J	<b>1B</b>	Evan G, Rudransh G
<b>1D</b>	Soghra R, Zayd A	<b>1F</b>	Sahana S, Kofi B	<b>1M</b>	Suhaan S, Alexander A
<b>1S</b>	Bindi P, Manvik B	<b>2A</b>	Olivia B, Anaya S	<b>2B</b>	Rohtaz S, Grace M
<b>2F</b>	Margaret S, Vaanya D	<b>2L</b>	Gurnaman S, Alisha V	<b>2M</b>	Angelika S, Liliana G
<b>2O</b>	Ishaan T, Vivaan V	<b>3C</b>	Evie L, Aaryan K	<b>3F</b>	Gurroop B, James D
<b>3H</b>	Anaahat K, Adeep S	<b>3M</b>	Bryan B, Halle E	<b>3P</b>	Sifet S, Olivia W
<b>4C</b>	Avleen K, Kiaan S	<b>4D</b>	Joshua S, Isla M	<b>4M</b>	Samit I, Armeet C
<b>4R</b>	Amisha V, Arjun S	<b>4V</b>	Laavanya M, Rohan W	<b>4W</b>	Aiden L, Stephanie W
<b>5C</b>	Harnoor S, Lachlan R	<b>5D</b>	Harjap K, Michael K	<b>5G</b>	Angad S, Zahra H
<b>5N</b>	Aashna R, Ethan C	<b>5W</b>		<b>6H</b>	Zahra D, Angela D
<b>6I</b>		<b>6J</b>	Jorja E, Archie T	<b>6N</b>	Cooper D, Zahra M
<b>6R</b>	Joshi B, Veer S	<b>6S</b>	Amreen K, Ajitesh N	<b>K/2S</b>	
<b>K/4B</b>		<b>3/6G</b>			

**Excellence Awards** – Congratulations to the following students who received their **Excellence Award** (16<sup>th</sup> September)

Laavanya M  
Annika D  
Alina A  
Dylan S  
Jacob A  
Marc M  
Ethan L  
Sumona A  
Naveen G  
Krisha P  
Panash A  
Macey R  
Jodie D  
William K  
Kelly N

Varshan A  
James D  
Kamal P  
Mehtab S  
Ghazal K  
Amrit K  
Rajveer B  
Zahra D  
Isla L  
Hamish C  
Kavin A  
Aryan K  
Avleen B  
Anahat K  
Kiaan S

Isabella C  
Joshinder B  
Bradley P  
Aryan A  
Cooper D  
Kara W  
Kudrat R  
Sienna M  
Gurzaad B  
Anayah K  
Nilan S  
Alex L  
Sana A  
Teghveer D  
Ria N

Melody D  
Reyaan K  
Amelia A  
Sophie G  
Ishana S  
Bhavkandan S  
Reyansh P  
Vanya G  
Ekam S  
Sumaer S  
Charlotte P  
Surmandeep S  
Abigail R  
Jesspreet K  
Aanya L



## Lost Property Information

The P&C have kindly agreed to help us sort through the large quantity of school clothing being placed in lost property. This will occur on weekly basis. Clothing that has legible full names will be returned to their classroom. All other clothing will either go to the P&C or taken to the recycle clothing bins

## Year 6 Canberra Excursion

This week Year 6 took a three day educational tour of the national capital. While on tour they participated in a variety of educational programs focused on Australia's history, culture, heritage and democracy. The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit their National Capital and is contributing funding under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate (PACER) program toward the travel expenses incurred. We would like to thank the Australian Government for their support of this program.

Caddies Creek students represented our school magnificently. Their behaviour and participation in all activities was fantastic. It was a pleasure to take them on tour and we hope the excursion was a rewarding experience for all students.



**Mr Roberts, Mrs Nammour, Mr Lehner, Mrs Collins, Mrs Henson, Mr Imadojemun, Mrs Joukhdar and Miss Stewart– Supervising teachers**

## Entry to Year 7 in 2024 Selective high schools

For entry to Year 7 in 2024, applications are expected to open on 18 October and close on 16 November 2022. The Selective High School Placement Test will be held on 4 May 2023. The test will be paper-based.

Please see the application process page <https://shsoc.education.nsw.gov.au/>

Primary schools will not be required to provide school assessment scores for applicants for entry in 2024.

## P&C News



The **Colour Explosion** fundraising has been finalised and the P&C are very excited to announce that we made an amazing profit of **\$14,319.12**. A huge thank you to the amazing Caddies families and broader community who supported our students in their fundraising efforts! These funds will be going directly to the school to purchase new ipads for all the students to use.

The highest fundraising student and highest fundraising class will be announced in Week 1 next term, and we will also do the draw for the Razor Scooter that was an additional prize donated to us from Australian Fundraising. We have 146 students who raised \$50 or more so they are all in the draw.

Prizes have been ordered and they will be distributed early next term. If you were eligible for a prize but forgot to submit your prize request by the due date, the system will have randomly selected something for you so no one will miss out.



The *Loose Change Challenge* was a huge success. Thank you again to all the families that participated and brought coins in throughout the term. As mentioned last week the total weight of the tins was a massive **64kg** and a fantastic **\$1247.70** in funds was collected!

At last week's assemblies, the P&C were able to announce the fundraising winner and runner up.

CONGRATULATIONS to **2A** who raised a massive **\$152.10!**

Our Runner-up was **6N** with a fabulous **\$105.30** in coins collected.

We will be arranging an amazing prize for these classes in the first few weeks of next term.



### P&C MEETING

There is no meeting in September due to school holidays so our next P&C meeting will be held face-to-face on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2022 at 7pm in the Teachers Staff Room. These meetings are a great opportunity to hear firsthand what is happening at the school from the School Executive and be involved in the P&C. Everyone is welcome.



### CCPS P&C Market

We know you have saved the date but now is the time to start to get ready for our big community event for Term 4.

After two years of not being able to hold the Caddies P&C Market the event is back – it's going to be a little different and it's going to be bigger, better and a whole lot of fun.



The event details are:

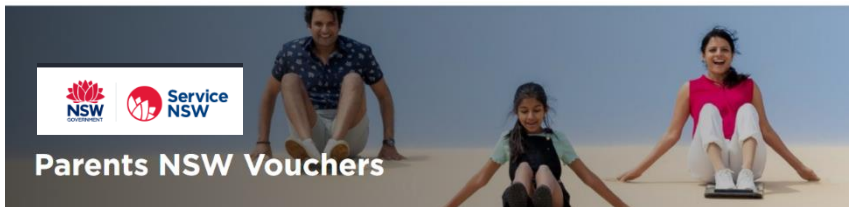
- CADDIES CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C MARKET
- SUNDAY 13th NOVEMBER 2022
- 10am-4pm

We will have fabulous food trucks, amazing market stalls, a Lego exhibition and amusements for the kids plus much more.

The P&C is pleased to say we will be having RIDES on site including attractions like *The Pirate Ship, Tea Cups, The Storm, Giant slide, Swinging Chairs* and *three inflatable attractions*.

Ride pricing will be:

- \$30 Pre purchased unlimited ride wristband
- \$35 Event Day purchased unlimited ride wristband
- \$6 Event Day individual ride tickets



## MAKE USE OF YOUR PARENTS NSW VOUCHERS

Pre purchase wristbands will officially go on sale in Week 2 of Term 4 **however** the amusement hire company is doing an amazing favour for all our Caddies families and should you like to make use of your **Parents NSW Vouchers** (*which expires 9 October*) to purchase ride wristbands they will accept them.

*This offer is only available until THURSDAY 6<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER to allow processing time.*

Should you wish to take advantage of this amazing offer please do the following:

- Email **ccps\_pandcrides@yahoo.com** with your SURNAME in the Subject
- In the email please include
  - o a copy of the Parent NSW Voucher/s
  - o Parents Name
  - o Parents mobile number
  - o Parents Email address
  - o Student/s name & class/es

Once we have received the email, we will organise for the voucher to be processed and confirm with you that the transaction has taken place. When the wristband booking system sales go *live* next term you will be required to pay any outstanding amounts.

Should you have any questions please contact the P&C fundraising team on ccps\_pandcfundraising@yahoo.com for more information.