



Community Newsletter

THURSDAY 13 AUGUST 2026

WEEK 6	Monday 17 August	- Senior Band Yellow Eisteddfod 9:30am – HOTA - Senior Band Green Eisteddfod 1:15pm – HOTA - P&C Meeting 6:00pm – staff room
	Tuesday 18 August	- Beenleigh Historical Village – 2A, 2B, 2C - Vietnam Veterans Community Service 11:00am – Currumbin RSL Cenotaph
	Wednesday 19 August	Beenleigh Historical Village – 2D, 2E, 2F, 2G
	Thursday 20 August	Bullying No Way Day (wear orange) - Palm Beach Classic Surf Competition
	Friday 21 August	Final date to complete School Opinion Survey - Year 5 & 6 Interschool Sport Jazz Band Eisteddfod 12:30pm - HOTA
WEEK 7	Monday 24 August	
	Tuesday 25 August	Book Week Dress Up Day / Parades 9:00am - South Coast Track & Field
	Wednesday 26 August	South Coast Track & Field
	Thursday 27 August	South Coast Track & Field
	Friday 28 August	Gold Coast Show Public Holiday - Dance Performance at GC Show 12:15pm



PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

To our Currumbin families,

Music News

- Thank you so much to our Music Department, and to all of our students who performed at the recent music concerts. We also really appreciate the support that we have received from all of our families.
- Congratulations to the Choirs and Strings ensembles who performed at this week's Eisteddfods. See results below:
 - Beginner Choir – Third place, Gold award
 - Open Choir – Third place, Gold award
 - Beginner Strings – Fourth place, Silver award
 - Senior Strings – First place, Gold award
- Good luck to our bands performing at the GC Eisteddfods over the next week with Mr Hart.

Bullying No Way Day

This year we will once again be supporting the Bullying No Way Day on Thursday, 20 August. Students are encouraged to wear orange to show their support.

Sports News

Good luck to the students participating in the Palm Beach Classic Surf Competition next Thursday, 20 August, and to the students competing at the South Coast Track and Field Competition from 25 – 27 August.

School Opinion Survey

Parents/carers have until Friday, 21 August to complete the School Opinion Survey.

Book Week

The Book Week dress-up day and parade is scheduled for Tuesday, 25 August. This year's theme is 'Symphony of Stories'.

Public Holiday & Student Free Day

A reminder that Friday, 28 August is the Gold Coast Show Public Holiday and Friday, 4 September will be a Student Free Day.

Dance News

Our Performance Dance students will be performing at the Gold Coast Show on Friday, 28 August at 12:15pm on the main stage. They will also perform at the GC Eisteddfod on Saturday, 29 August. Good luck to all of our dancers and thank you to Ms Reynolds and our dance teachers.

John
Principal

SCHOOL NEWS

**BE A BUDDY
NOT A
BULLY**
Kindness is the true strength;
stand tall and stand together
against bullying

THURS 20 AUG
BULLY NO WAY! DAY
Students are encouraged to
wear orange to school



Have your say about what our school
does well, and how we can improve

2026 School Opinion Survey

Please complete by Friday 21 August 2026

Book Week Dress Up Day – Tuesday 25 August

During Week 7 we will celebrate Book Week. On **Tuesday 25 August** all students are invited to come dressed as a book character or match this year's theme 'Symphony of Stories'. The parades will kick off from 9:00am on the oval.

SYMPHONY OF STORIES
CBCA Children's Book Week
22 - 28 August 2026
Conduct the perfect lesson



DRESS UP DAY & PARADES – TUESDAY 25 AUGUST, 9AM

Music Eisteddfods

Our choirs, strings ensembles and bands will be performing at the Gold Coast Music Eisteddfods on the following dates in Term 3. Tickets available at <https://www.goldcoasteisteddfod.com.au/audience-tickets/> Consent has been sent out via QParents.

WEEK	DATE	GROUP	SESSION START TIME	VENUE
WEEK 6	Monday 17 August	Senior Band Yellow	9:30am	HOTA
		Senior Band Green	1:15pm	HOTA
	Friday 21 August	Jazz Band	12:30pm	HOTA



GC SHOW HOLIDAY
Friday 28 August 2026
STUDENT FREE DAY
Friday 4 September 2026

Dance News

Gold Coast Show <i>Broadwater Parklands</i> Friday 28 August	Currumbin SS Dance students will perform at the Gold Coast Show on Friday 28 August at 12:15pm. Students need to arrive at 11.15am (meeting point is side of the main stage). <u>Please leave 20-30 minutes to walk from the tram station to the main stage.</u> The performance should go for about 20 minutes.
Gold Coast Dance Eisteddfod <i>AB Paterson College, Dawn Lang Performing Arts Centre, 10 AB Paterson Drive, Arundel</i> Saturday 29 August	All Competition Dance groups will be competing at the GC Dance Eisteddfod on Saturday 29 August. • Senior Girls Dance: Section SDG004B begins at 9.30am (Any style of Dance Prep-Year 6) and Senior Girls Dance: Section SDG006B begins at 12.15pm (Lyrical/Contemporary Prep-Year 6). • Junior Girls Dance and Junior Boys HipHop: Section SDG002B begins at 10.30am (Any style of Dance Prep-Year 4), • Senior Boys Dance: Section SDG005B begins at 12:20pm (Hip Hop Prep-Year 6).



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FINDING NEMO

KIDS

Tuesday 1st September – 6pm

Wednesday 2nd September – 6pm

Tickets for Tuesday

Tickets on sale now!

\$10 adults \$5 kids

Use the QR codes or the links in the newsletter or on Facebook

Tickets for Wednesday

Book, Music and Lyrics by
Kristen Anderson-Lopez and Robert Lopez
Book Adapted by
Lindsay Anderson
Music and Orchestrations Adapted and Arranged by
Myrna Conn

Based on the 2003 Disney / Pixar film Finding Nemo written by Andrew Stanton, Bob Peterson, David Reynolds and directed by Andrew Stanton
Licensed exclusively by Music Theatre International (Australasia)

The Resilience Project

At Currumbin SS we are part of The Resilience Project. The Inspire Family Hub is designed to help families develop wellbeing and resilience at home. <https://theresilienceproject.com.au/family-hub-3/>

You will find information about the key principles of Gratitude, Empathy, Mindfulness and Emotional Literacy, and routines and activities to practise these at home.



Year 6 Leaders Group Photos now available

Ordering is now open for the following group photos taken recently at the School. Order online before 31 October to secure a minimum 20% discount. After this date, the price reverts to the standard \$20/\$25 per print.

- Indigenous Leaders
- Prefects
- School Captains
- School Leaders
- Student Council

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Consent / Payment Due Dates

EXCURSION	YR LEVEL	CONSENT DUE	PAYMENT DUE	AMOUNT	EXCURSION DATE
Shake N Stir	Prep	Wed 24 June	Thurs 27 Aug	\$9	Tues 18 Aug – Wed 19 Aug
Interschool Surfing	Year 6	Thurs 30 July	Thurs 10 Sept	\$140	Fri 9 Oct – Fri 20 Nov
Surf Safety	Year 6	Thurs 30 July	Wed 19 Aug	\$55	Thurs 3 Sept
Rocket Science	Year 4	Wed 19 Aug	TBA	TBA	Mon 12 Oct
All Schools Touch Comp	Year 5 & 6	Thurs 20 Aug	TBA	TBA	Fri 30 Oct

P & C UPDATE



MONDAY 17 AUG 2026

P&C MEETING

6PM STAFF ROOM

All welcome



**P&C ASSOCIATION
PRESENTS**



FATHER'S & CARERS DAY STALL

Thursday, 3rd September 2026

Select from a range of gifts to suit all budgets.

Students to bring no more than \$20.00

Each class will visit in the sports hall throughout the day
during allocated times.

If you would like to volunteer, please go to the link below

www.volunteersignup.org/8KFA7

DANCING NINJAS P&C ANNUAL FUNDRAISER - TUES 8 SEPT



Remember to sign up for the Dancing Ninjas P&C Fundraiser which will raise funds for stage three of the assembly hall refurbishment.



Sign up here ➡ <https://currumbinninjaathon.goraiseit.com.au/>

View totals here ➡ <https://currumbinninjaathon.goraiseit.com.au/totals>

Parent/Carer Helpers ➡ <https://volunteersignup.org/F83EY>

Congratulations to Bobby 2C, who is the lucky winner of the first msytery prize box (gameboy, toys, activities) for raising \$30 or more!

Fundraising cut off - Wednesday 9 September 10:00am



SO FAR WE HAVE - 171 FUNDRAISERS & \$12,050 DONATIONS

FUNDRAISING PRIZES

Junior Prizes Prep - 3	First Prize - \$500 Pacific Fair Gift Card	Second Prize - \$300 Pacific Fair Gift Card
Senior Prizes Year 4 - 6	First Prize - \$500 Pacific Fair Gift Card	Second Prize - \$300 Pacific Fair Gift Card
Winning Class	The highest fundraising class in each year level will win a pizza party!	
Mystery Prize Boxes	Box 1 (drawn 13/8) Sign up before 13/8 and raise \$30 or more WINNER - BOBBY 2C	Box 2 (drawn 20/8) Raise \$30 or more
	Box 3 (drawn 27/8) Raise \$30 or more	Box 4 (drawn 3/9) Raise \$30 or more
Laura Gerber MP kindly donated a \$500 Kirra Surf voucher to be in one of the mystery prize boxes. Plus, other fun and cool prizes like a karaoke microphone, handheld retro game controller, sports/toys, stationery packs in the mystery prize boxes!		

We appreciated your support

CURRUMBIN KIDS CLUB NEWS

Lately at Currumbin Kids Club, the children have been loving making their own trading cards! We started off with a basic template, similar to Pokémon cards. From there, the children took off with some brilliant ideas. Some children did their own cute characters themed around animals, food or weather, and some children came up with monsters who had their own different sets of powers. The children would even decide the rarity of the card and found different ways to express this like colour coding the cards or coming up with unique designs on the back to distinguish them.



We followed this up with another card making activity where many children decided to make Dungeons and Dragons themed cards, using our reference books for inspiration, statistics and ideas. One of the children even came up with the idea of making a personalised card binder out of paper to store the cards in. This week, we will be following this activity up with some special holographic card sleeves to make the rare cards look even more dazzling and unique! It has been amazing to see what the children are able to come up with off the top of their head, and how they can implement their ideas into an impressive finished product. We have also enjoyed discussions about Pokémon, Footy trading cards, Dungeons and Dragons, other trading card games and collections. The best part about this activity so far has been seeing children trading the cards with their friends, helping other children with designs, and even coming up with ways to battle using the cards!

CURRUMBIN DOLPHINS SWIM CLUB NEWS

Thank You

We extend our heartfelt thanks to Adam and Mia Codner of **NORTH BUILDING SOLUTIONS** for their generous donation to the Dolphins Swim Club. Their support helped us purchase essential equipment for our swimmers - we truly appreciate their generosity.



Swim Classes Available

There are still a limited number of openings for anyone interested in joining our Swim Club. Don't forget, our pool is heated all year-round. For any enquiries, please reach out to admin - admin@cdsc.com.au

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