



POOWONG CS NEWS

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Mrs Turner's Report

We have had a busy couple of weeks at PCS! Who said Term 3 was the quiet one??? Book Week was amazing! Every year I am blown away by the costumes and I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your fantastic efforts; you make the day so special for your children. A special thanks to Miss Edwards for organising the awards and prizes this year. Hilary from the Hare & Tortoise Bookshop in Korumburra was our special guest judge and we'd like to thank her for being a part of our book week parade and for her generous donation of gift vouchers to use at the bookshop. If you haven't already done so, please pop in and see Hilary next time you are in Korumburra. She has a great range of adult and children's books in store, and also online. The Book Fair this year was a real buzz and I would like to thank Emily for her amazing organising of the Book Fair this year. It was fabulous to see so many student purchasing lots of books, novelties and this year, the posters were a huge hit! Thank you for supporting our school and encouraging a love of reading in your children.

Family Life has now concluded for our senior students. I encourage you all to keep the lines of communication open with your children. If you are comfortable to have those "tricky" conversations with your children from a young age they will be honest and come to you for support and advice, rather than taking unnecessary risks as they get older. Narelle will be back next Tuesday to run a session with the Prep-Grade 2s.

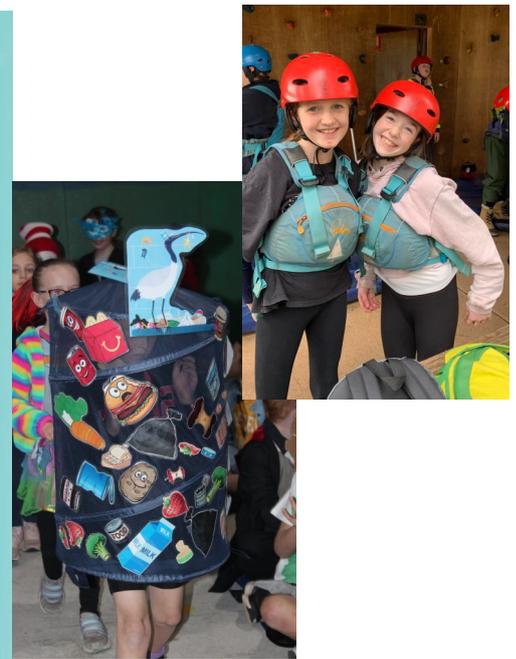
We are so lucky to have the support of CASEA this year and this week the Grade 4 and junior groups celebrated the completion of their programs with a little party. Jess and Leanne will be starting a new 10 week program with Grade 3 and Grade 6 next week.

On Monday I sent out a link to the annual Parent/Caregiver/Guardian Opinion Survey to a random sample of 40 parents. Please take the time to complete this, it should only take 20 minutes. Staff and School Council really do take your feedback seriously and it helps to shape the future direction of our school.

We have a few new additions to our school uniform list through Beleza. The uniform now includes a navy blue pinafore, with two options available (one with a detachable skirt and one without), as well as two spray jacket options. For more information on prices and for a visual—please see page 10 & 11 of this newsletter.

I would like to formally welcome Melissa Seal to our school community as our new Business Manager. Melissa has lots of experience as a business manager and has worked in small schools before. I think she'll be a great fit for PCS. Please pop in and say hello to Melissa next week. A huge thank you to Heather for filling in temporarily after Chloe's departure. It has been a huge learning curve for Heather, and I know she is excited to be back in the classroom full time as this is where her passion lies. Mrs Yvonne Larmour has agreed to take over in Prep next term when Mrs Drysdale goes on maternity leave. Mrs Larmour should be a familiar face to most of you as she has been our number 1 Casual Relief Teacher (CRT) for the past few years. This should ensure a smooth transition for your little cherubs.

Michelle



WHAT'S GOING ON THIS HALF OF TERM?

FAMILY LIFE SESSIONS:

GRADE P-2

23rd AUGUST

3rd SEPTEMBER

PREP TRANSITION

**MONDAY 22nd August—
Discovery Day**

MONDAY 29th August—Session 1

**GRADE 5/6 CAMP—MARYSVILLE
17-19AUG**

**GRADE 3/4 CAMP—MILLVALLEY
RANCH 24-26AUG**

DAFFODIL DAY—23rd AUGUST



BOOK WEEK CELEBRATIONS

Book Week finished with a bang last Friday!! All of our students got into the spirit and followed the theme of 'Dreaming with eyes open,' with so many different interpretations. A huge thankyou to Hilary for being our guest judge—our students felt very lucky to have you witness their creativity!



Our staff collectively dressed as the Mr Men & Little Miss book characters. We had Mr Worry, Little Miss Sporty, Little Miss Princess, Little Miss Trouble, Mr Grumpy, Little Miss Lucky, Mr Bump, Little Miss Messy, Little Miss Daredevil, Little Miss Bossy, Little Miss Helpful, Mr Muddle, Little Miss Chatterbox, Little Miss Stubborn, and Mr Impossible all make an appearance!



Little Miss Lucky with her fortunate little preps.



Phoebe, Cooper and Immy receive awards from Hilary.



George, Bella and Madi (Grade 3) receive awards for their costumes from Hilary.



Benson, Jarrah, Madison and Ruby pictured with Hilary.



Our fabulous little Grade 1's, Koa, Shyla, Laylah, Will, Tyler and Lachie.



Prep Transition Begins!!

This week our Prep Transition program began for the 2023 Preps... who will eventually be the class of 2035 by the time they graduate high school!

We had the lovely Lisa from Poowong Kinder bring her eager cherubs down with their mums and dads to see our grounds, have a play on the playground, and see where their classroom will be next year. A big thankyou to our older students for being so accommodating and making our future PCS students feel safe and welcomed at our school.



Mrs Turner shows the 2023 Preps our colourful art room where they will get the chance to create some masterpieces.



Big sister Immy welcomes her little sister Chelsea to big girl school!



The Kinder students explore their new playground!!



AUTHOR VISIT— BOOK WEEK

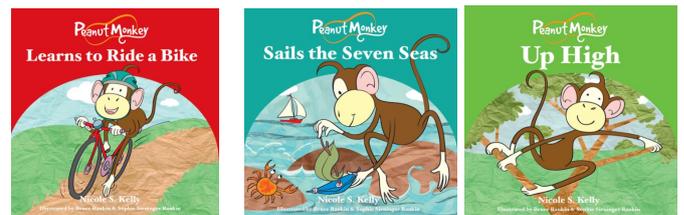
On Monday the 8th of August, we were lucky enough to have Nicole Kelly who publishes the 'Peanut Monkey' series come to PCS. Nicole actively engaged with all of our students and inspired our future writers to use their life experiences to inspire their stories. Thankyou so much to Miss Edwards for organising this day for us all!



Our highly engaged Prep-2's actively listen to Nicole as she answers their questions about being an author.



Pictured: Lucas, Miss Edwards, Madi, Toby, Nicole (Author) and Bridget



Nicole S. Kelly is a children's book author and has written 14 stories in the Peanut Monkey series. Peanut Monkey is a series of books about a curious, confident and cheeky character who finds himself, unwittingly, in various situations where he feels overwhelmed and always manages to find a solution.

These books are aimed at children between 3 to 8 years of age, however the books have a special message for any child to help empower them in all sorts of situations they too may find themselves in.

If you are interested in purchasing any of Nicole's books, you can have a look on the link below:

<http://www.nicoleskelly.com.au/peanut-monkey>



Pictured: Crazy peanut's Jorja and Tyson get in on the fun!



GRADE 5/6 CAMP MARYSVILLE

Our Grade 6's look like they have been having an absolute blast! They've been sending us lots of updates and it seems like they have been kept busy!! A huge thankyou to Mrs Hallyburton, Ms Maykan, Lisa and Libby for taking care of our students!





DAFFODIL DAY

When: Tuesday 23rd August 2022

Where: Poowong Consolidated School

What am I doing: Dressing in yellow/wearing yellow accessories

Why: To support cancer survivors / those who are currently battling all types of cancer.

You can go onto our donation page with the link below, or bring a donation on the day.

We all know someone who has been on the cancer journey. Lets come together and do our little bit to support awareness for this nasty disease.

We will also have Daffodil pins available to purchase for \$5 at the office!





BOOK WEEK COLOURING COMPETITION WINNERS

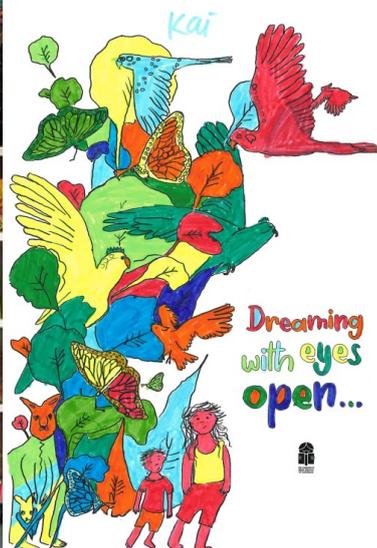
CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WINNERS OF OUR COLOURING COMPETITION!
MISS EDWARDS SAID EVERYONE DID A GREAT JOB—BUT THESE SUPERSTARS
STOOD OUT THIS YEAR!



Lily—Grade 1



Immy—Grade 2



Kai—Grade 5



SCHOOL MOVIE NIGHT FUNDRAISER

Poowong Consolidated School
fundraising event of the year!

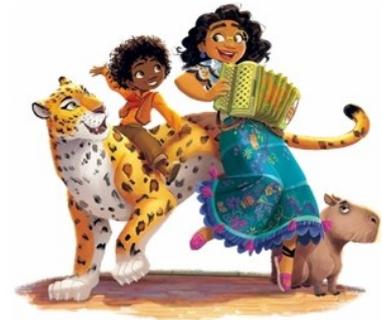
Disney
ENCANTO
OUTDOOR CINEMA NIGHT
DATE: SAT 3rd SEPT, 2022 GATES : 5PM MOVIE : 6PM

Tickets \$10 each
available here
<http://www.trybooking.com/CBCGX>
or scan the QR code



Food and drinks available on the night

MEGA Raffle with fantastic prizes



ADDRESS: 5 Gardner Lane, POOWONG, VIC 3988
NOTE: This is a strictly alcohol FREE event.

Please remember to return your raffle tickets to go into the draw to win some brilliant prizes that our school council has organised. If you require another book then please come and collect some more from the office!!

MOVIE TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED FROM:

www.trybooking.com/events/landing/933059





AWARD RECIPIENTS/BIRTHDAYS



Congratulations to our award recipients for last week. Your efforts to be welcoming and inclusive in the classroom throughout your schooling week was clearly recognised by your teachers.

Back row: Jack (G1) Madi (G3) Zayn (GP)

Front Row: Tessa (G2) Bridget (G4) Luke (G6) Matthew (G5)



A big happy birthday to the following students. We hope your day was fun, eventful and full on cake!!
Love your PCS family x

Izzy (G1) Georgia (G2) Lily (G1) Raylee (G4)

Ruby (G5)

THANK YOU GRADE 2 HELPERS



A huge thank you to our brilliant Grade 2's for their help with the Junior students this week. Your efforts to help them, teach them and inspire their learning has not gone unrecognised.



POOWONG CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL RETAIL PRICE LIST FOR 2022 - 2023



*Store hours are subject to change.

Shop Online at <http://store.beleza.com.au/>

ITEM DESCRIPTION	ITEM COLOUR	SIZES	RETAIL FROM (\$) (INC. GST)	BELEZA MEMBERS IN-STORE PRICE*
GENERAL UNIFORM				
SHORT SLEEVE POLO PIQUE TOP [WITH LOGO]	NAVY BODY/ APPLE CONTOUR SIDES/ WHITE PIPING NAVY COLLAR WITH APPLE PINSTRIPE - APPLE TRIM - APPLE PINSTRIPE	4 - 16 S - L	\$ 29.00	\$ 27.55
SPORTS MESH SHORT SLEEVE POLO [WITH LOGO]	NAVY BODY/ APPLE CONTOUR SIDES/ WHITE PIPING NAVY COLLAR WITH APPLE PINSTRIPE - APPLE TRIM - APPLE PINSTRIPE	4 - 16 S - M	\$ 30.00	\$ 28.50
LONG SLEEVE POLO PIQUE TOP [WITH LOGO]	NAVY BODY/ APPLE CONTOUR SIDES/ WHITE PIPING NAVY COLLAR WITH APPLE PINSTRIPE - APPLE TRIM - APPLE PINSTRIPE	4 - 16 S - L	\$ 31.00	\$ 29.45
SPORTS MESH LONG SLEEVE POLO [WITH LOGO]	NAVY BODY/ APPLE CONTOUR SIDES/ WHITE PIPING NAVY COLLAR WITH APPLE PINSTRIPE - APPLE TRIM - APPLE PINSTRIPE	4 - 16 S - M	\$ 32.00	\$ 30.40
WINDCHEATER [WITH LOGO]	NAVY	4 - 16	\$ 30.00	\$ 28.50
BOMBER JACKET [WITH LOGO]	NAVY BODY & SLEEVES NAVY BANDS WITH 2 APPLE TRIM	4 - 16	\$ 41.00	\$ 38.95
WATERPROOF SPRAY JACKET [WITH LOGO]	NAVY	4 - 16	\$ 54.00	\$ 51.30
SOFT SHELL SPRAY JACKET [WITH LOGO]	NAVY	4 - 16	\$ 72.00	\$ 68.40
MICRO FIBRE SCHOOL BAG [WITH LOGO]	NAVY	JUNIOR	\$ 48.00	\$ 45.60

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SOFT SHELL SPRAY JACKET	NAVY	5 - 16	\$ 66.00	\$ 62.70
GIRLS SUMMER DRESS	FABRIC CODE: B101	4 - 18	\$ 47.00	\$ 44.65
GIRLS WINTER ONE-PIECE TUNIC	NAVY	4 - 16	\$ 38.00	\$ 36.10
HEAVY RUGBY SHORTS	NAVY	4 - 16	\$ 22.00	\$ 20.90
GIRLS POLY COTTON BOOTLEG TRACK PANTS	NAVY	4 - 16	\$ 29.00	\$ 27.55
SUPER FLEECE STRAIGHT LEG TRACK PANTS WITH SIDE ZIP POCKET [WITH DOUBLE KNEE UP TO SIZE 10 ONLY]	NAVY	4 - 16	\$ 30.00	\$ 28.50
SUPER FLEECE TRACK PANTS WITH CUFFS AND SIDE ZIP POCKET [WITH DOUBLE KNEE UP TO SIZE 10 ONLY]	NAVY	4 - 16	\$ 30.00	\$ 28.50
ADJUSTABLE MICRO FIBRE HAT	NAVY	S/M, L/XL	\$ 14.00	\$ 13.30
ART SMOCK	ASSORTED COLOURS	XS - XL	\$ 14.00	\$ 13.30
HEAVY DUTY READER BAG	RED	ONE SIZE	\$ 11.00	\$ 10.45
ANKLE LENGTH SOCKS	NAVY or WHITE	ALL SIZES	\$ 6.00	\$ 5.70
KNEE HIGH SOCKS	NAVY or WHITE	ALL SIZES	\$ 7.00	\$ 6.65

*Beleza Membership is a free membership program available to all members of your School community and offers discounts on your School's uniform for in-store purchases in Beleza Retail Stores. Membership discounts are unable to be used in conjunction with any other offer or promotion.

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**Please note pricing may vary depending on size range and between Australian made and imports. Prices are effective from June 2021.



NEW SCHOOL SPRAY JACKETS



Beleza
SCHOOL UNIFORMS
UNIFORM REDEVELOPMENT

EVERYDAY UNIFORM
JACKETS



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Spray Jacket w/ Embroidered Logo
RRP From \$54.00

Beleza members
in-store price From \$51.30



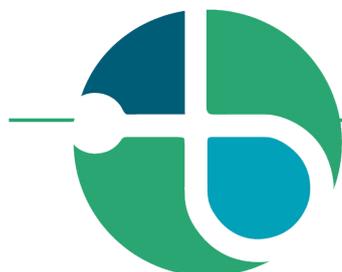
Soft Shell Jacket w/ Embroidered Logo
RRP From \$72.00

Beleza members
in-store price From \$68.40

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