



# Curlewis Public School Newsletter

Tuesday, May 14, 2024

Term 2 - Week 3

## CALENDAR TERM 2, 2024

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3	13 May 10am NAIDOC Planning meeting	14 May	15 May	16 May	17 May Scripture
4	20 May	21 May	22 May National Simultaneous Read	23 May	24 May 9:15am Assembly National Sorry Day this Sunday 26 May
5	27 May	28 May	29 May	30 May Cross Country @ Curlewis	31 May
6	3 June	4 June	5 June	6 June P&C Pie Orders due in Chess Competition at St Xaviers	7 June Zone Cross Country Scripture
7	10 June King's Birthday Public Holiday	11 June	12 June School Disco	13 June	14 June
8	17 June	18 June	19 June	20 June	21 June June Solstice (shortest day of the year)
9	24 June	25 June	26 June	27 June	28 June Scripture School Reports sent home
10	1 July NAIDOC Week Student led conferences	2 July NAIDOC Week: Clap Stick Making Student led conferences	3 July NAIDOC Week: Community Day	4 July NAIDOC Week	5 July NAIDOC Week Student led conferences Last Day Term 2 – wear PJs, gold coin donation

### Notes Sent Home This Week:

- No extra notes this week

SRC Joke of the Week from Claire S.

**What's a koala's favourite drink?**

*Coca Koala.*



## A Message from the Principal's Desk

We are almost halfway through May and there has been a lot to celebrate so far at Curlewis Public School! Our attendance data is looking fantastic so far this term, today we have 100% of students in attendance. It looks like it's time for more cake! Last week 45 students were presented with Respect Keyrings. These students demonstrated champion level respect during Term 1 by attending both rewards days AND received an award at assembly. Congratulations to these students! This term we are focusing on Responsibility.

Jacqui Jones  
Principal

### Important Information for this Fortnight

#### *Lunch Orders from the Shop*

FOOD	DRINKS
Bacon and Egg Roll	Popper
Pizza Pockets	Pop Top
Wing Dings	500ml Juice
Buffalo Wings	Flavoured Milk (small only)
Ham Sandwich/roll	
Ham & Cheese Sandwich/Roll	
Chicken Sandwich/roll	
Chicken & Cheese Sandwich/Roll	
Chicken Salad Sandwich/Roll	
Salad Sandwich/Roll	
Plain Pie	
Flavoured Pie	
Sausage Roll	
Tomato/BBQ Sauce	

**Cross Country:** Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May will be our school Cross Country event at the Curlewis Sport and Rec. Fields. Cross Country will begin at 9:30am. **If you are driving, please park outside the Sport and Rec grounds near the gate.** The gate will be locked during cross country, therefore any cars that park inside the grounds will not be able to leave until all students have left the grounds. All parents and families are welcome to attend and join us afterwards for a sausage sizzle back at the school.

**Do it for Dolly:** Thank you to all who were involved in this fundraiser last Thursday. We raised \$100 for the Dolly's Dream Foundation and had some helpful discussions on kindness and being a positive friend and classmate.

**Mother's Day Brunch:** Thank you to all who attended our special celebration of mothers and families last Friday. It was great to host

you all and for the students to show their gratitude toward their own and fellow students' mums and families. Congratulations to Jodie and Mrs Henderson for winning our Mother's Day Flower Bouquets.

**Ordering lunch from Curlewis Shop:** A note went home last week with a list of what may be ordered for students' lunches and that fried foods are not permitted. This is a Department of Education guideline which CPS supports so that your child has the best nutrition available to help them concentrate and learn.

**My Family Hand:** We are receiving positive feedback regarding the My Family Hand app and solved some little technical issues we had. We encourage everyone to download this app and have instant reminders regarding events and activities your child is involved in. Please contact the school office if you need help downloading this app and logging in.

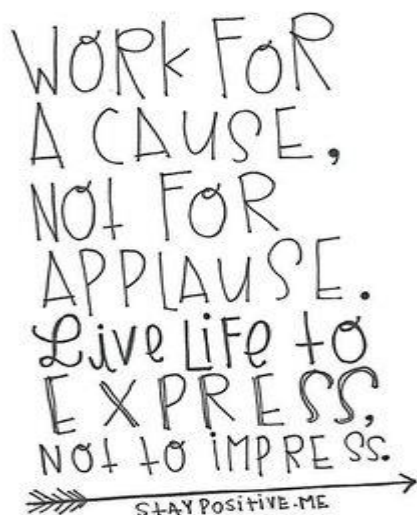
**NAIDOC Week Planning Meeting:** Thank you to the parents who came to our recent NAIDOC Day meeting. You have helped us come up with some great ideas! We will be holding another meeting in the coming weeks to finalise the details. We invite all community members to attend. The date of this meeting will be in the next newsletter.

**The Australian Early Development Census (AEDC):** This term, along with most schools around Australia, CPS will be taking part in the AEDC. This is a national census completed every 3 years that measures early childhood development of children in their first year of full-time school and helps to build a picture of health and well-being of children across Australia. In the next couple of weeks, an information letter and permission form will be sent to all Kindergarten parents regarding this.

# P&C News:

## Next Meeting of P&C

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June at 3:10pm in  
the Breeza Room at CPS



All are welcome to attend.

**Manilla Bakery Pie Drive:** Remember to fill in your pie order and return it, with payment, to the school office by Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June. Contact the school office if you need an extra form. Orders should be back by Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June and we would love some help organising and distributing these when they arrive. Let us know if you would like to help!

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# Bingo

18th May 2024

Starting at 1pm

Books on sale from 12:15pm CWA selling  
Curlewis Community Hall \$5 plates of food

**Postponed**

\$5 Pea Dabbers  
\$5 Jack and Jambies  
\$3 bingo Dabbers

Tea, coffee &  
Milo for a gold  
coin donation

A great event for everyone,  
come win a prize and support  
Curlewis Public School  
P and C

Meat trays for full Houses - Small prizes for lines

Plus raffle & lucky door prize

Curlewis Public School is committed to creating a school environment where parents and community feel part of our school. In 2024 we plan to make this a major focus.

We would love your help to identify what areas you feel we need to improve in to ensure all our parents feel part of our school.

The 2 areas we are focusing on in 2024 are communication and building community and identity.



## Curlewis Public School Community Survey

**YOUR OPINION MATTERS!**



Use the QR code above to have your opinion heard. All community members are encouraged to complete the survey.



**Do it for  
Dolly Day.**



## **GEM Award Keyring Recipients**

