



COFFS HARBOUR HIGH SCHOOL

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“Light out of Darkness”

newsletter

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Term 2 – 2022/04

1 July, 2022

IMPORTANT DATES

6 August – 12 August	Year 9 Snow Excursion	
15 August – 26 August	Year 12 Trial Exams	
15 August – 19 August	Year 11 Hospitality Work Placement	
10 September – 16 September	Year 10 Snow Excursion	
12 September – 21 September	Year 11 Exams	
23 September	Year 12 Graduation Ceremony	

P & C REPORT

From the P&C

It's hard to believe that half of 2022 has passed already. We'll keep this update short and sweet, but we do wish to remind our parents and friends that we are still looking for a replacement in our canteen. Please send the below information to anyone who might be interested. Remember this is a paid position, and all funds raised in the school canteen help purchase equipment and assets for our kids



Coffs Harbour High School Canteen is looking for a 2-3 day a week Canteen Assistant.

**Paid position preparing and serving food working alongside the
Canteen Manager.**

**Some flexibility in hours of work– from 14-20 hours a week during
school terms.**

Casual with possibility of permanent part-time.

Do you have experience and qualifications in safe food handling, catering and cooking?

**Please apply to chhsbandc@gmail.com with a cover letter and resume by close of
business Friday 8th July to commence Term 3.**

* Employees will need to pass clearances to work in a DoE facility. This will include a paid WWCC, and screenings.



*CHHS Canteen is run by the CHHS P&C and is committed to providing a high quality service for students, staff and families.


Due to the school holidays, we won't be running a P&C meeting in July so the next meeting will be held on August 1 at 7pm in the school library.

Happy holidays everyone!

Rhonda Locke

P & C Secretary

CAREERS



Year 12 Parent Information Night

Lismore Monday July 25th 5:30pm
Coffs Harbour Tuesday July 26th 5:30pm
Gold Coast Thursday July 28th 5:30pm

Transforming
➤ Tomorrow



Is your child in Year 12 and planning on attending University in the future?
Do you have questions about the process?
We are here to help with your child's transition from High School to University.
No matter what University your child is interested in attending we encourage you to attend our upcoming Parents Information Evening at your local Southern Cross University Campus.
The evening will include canapés and refreshments and will cover important topics like:

- How to apply
- UAC
- The ATAR
- Scholarships
- Costs of Uni
- Accommodation
- Support Services & More!

Register here:
scu.edu.au/study-at-scu/high-school-students/parent-information-evening/



Southern Cross University Health Sciences Building (U-Block) Map



LIBRARY NEWS

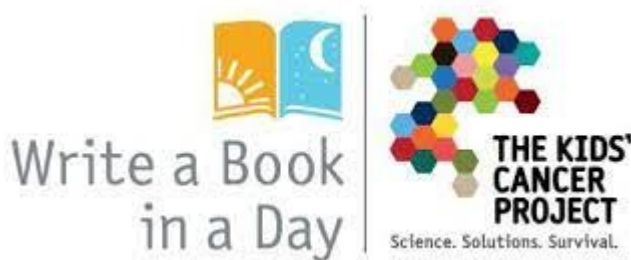
We have had a busy time in the Library lately, with many more events and activities planned for next term. Students have been enthusiastically engaging with our new books and resources, and borrowing rates are remaining very high.

Senior Study Club

The Library is now staying open until 5pm on Monday and Thursday afternoons to allow our Year 11 and 12 students a chance to engage in quiet study. Ms Montgomery is on hand to assist students with their writing-based subjects and afternoon tea is provided. All students are encouraged to stay at school on these days and use the time to revise, study and complete tasks.



COMING SOON: Write a Book in a Day



It's back! Write a Book in a Day is a fun, creative and collaborative competition for students in years 7 to 12. Teams of 5-10 students have just one school day to write and illustrate a book from start to finish. To make it even more fun, unique parameters must be included in the story. Digital editions of the completed stories are

made and shared with children's hospitals across Australia.

Funds raised through sponsorship go to The Kids' Cancer Project, a national charity supporting childhood cancer research. Last year, a record \$595,000 was raised during the competition!

Students wishing to participate should see Ms Montgomery in the Library to register their interest. You might like to form your own team (remember to include writers and illustrators) or Ms Montgomery can place you in a team. The event will take place early in Term 3 so there will be plenty of time to prepare and start fundraising.

Anika Montgomery

TEACHER LIBRARIAN

LIBRARY

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS NOW AVAILABLE FOR BORROWING:



YEAR 7 GEOGRAPHY

Year 7 Geography F have been taking advantage of the warm winter sun. They have been learning about the new Jetty Foreshores Proposal during their study of Place and Liveability and have been busy designing their own proposals for the new development. We had some very nice designs with some great ideas for what they would like to be included. Here is an example of one!



Jade Fisher

HSIE TEACHER

YEAR 12 SPANISH

On Friday June 17 the Year 12 Spanish Beginners class travelled down to Sydney to take part in the HSC Practice Speaking Day. This event is organised each year by the Spanish Teachers' Association to give students the chance to practise their HSC Speaking exam with qualified Spanish teachers.

On the Friday night we enjoyed a fabulous Spanish dinner at the En Casa restaurant on George Street before heading back to the YHA for the night. Saturday morning was spent shopping before the Speaking Day at the International Grammar School. It was a nerve-wracking experience having to speak in Spanish to strangers, but everyone worked hard to take advantage of the opportunity to practise. The other Spanish teachers present were very impressed with the commitment shown by our students travelling so far to be able to take part.

It was a great experience. I'd like to thank everyone who went down, especially Kate Smith who volunteered to accompany us.



David Dun

HSIE TEACHER

GIRLS DO THE MATHS WORKSHOP

The School of Mathematics and Statistics at UNSW runs an annual series of free, one-day workshops for female students in their final years of high school studies (years 10 - 12).

Girls Do the Maths has been created to encourage girls to see how they can make a difference to the betterment of the world and people's lives by studying and working in many different fields using maths and stats. The aim of the workshop series is to encourage female students to consider mathematics as a career.

This year, girls studying the calculus courses, Mathematics Advanced and Extension, in Years 11 and 12 had the opportunity to participate in an online workshop on Friday the 24th of June. Unfortunately, not all students were able to attend, but Mikayla Howard and Georgia Lang from Year 12 participated and thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

We hope to make the workshop a regular event here at Coffs Harbour High School as an enrichment activity for our advanced Mathematics students.

Students will have the opportunity to participate in two Mathematics competitions in Term 3. The Australian Mathematics Competition, to be held from Wednesday August 3 to Friday August 5 and the ICAS Mathematics Competition, to be held from Monday August 29 to Friday September 2. Both competitions have been held in the past and some great results have been earned.

More information will be given to students by their Maths teachers and entries finalised early in Term 3.

Deirdre Bacon

MATHS TEACHER

FUN AT THE FARM!

With the weather finally clearing, and the farm finally drying out, there has been a buzz of activity happening at the school farm. Year 10 Agriculture were able to break ground and begin planting their group vegetable gardens. Year 7F Science (which stands for fun, fabulous, and fantastic) spent time at the farm learning about the classification system while interacting with the various animals there. And Year 10 students during work experience week tried their hands at fruit picking. Students in Year 8 Science will need to keep their eyes and ears open for an upcoming announcement of the date for the annual Agstravaganza next term. It's good to be back at the farm.

Year 10 Agriculture



SCIENCE

7F Science



Year 10 Work Experience



Amanda Joyce
SCIENCE TEACHER

2022 NORTH COAST CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP REPORT

Congratulations to our team of twenty MNC representatives that competed at North Coast Cross Country Championships on the 14th June. After venue changes our team ran the Grafton track for the second time which gave them the edge!

First place and Age Champions on the day were Hudson Barry (17 years boys 6km run), Linc Chambers (14 years boys 4km run), Johanna Kuchel (16 years girls 4km run), Cloe Nolan (18-19 years girls 6km run), and Layci Teale (13 years girls 3km run).

- 2nd place Georgia Kuchel ((18-19 years girls 6km run)
- 3rd Stanley Morrison and Lani Cooper (14 years boys & girls 4km run)
- 4th place Titan Barry (15 years boys 4km run)
- 6th place Jarred Chafer (15 years boys 4km run)
- 8th place Charlie Morrison and Ava Doyle (14 years boys & girls 4km run)
- 10th place Lachlan Keating (12 years boys 3km run)
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Students listed above have made it through to All Schools Cross Country Championships to be held at Eastern Creek on Friday, 22nd July 2022. We wish the team the best of luck in their events.



Photo 1 Linc Chambers & Stanley Morrison

Photo 2 Layci Teale

Photo 3 Johanna Kuchel, Georgia Kuchel & Cloe Nolan

Photo 4 Layci Teale & Jacob Hubbard

TERM 2 SPORT WRAP UP

Term 2 has been another huge term for many of our talented sports stars. Once again there were many who made it to state level, representing North Coast in their chosen sports.

The Kuchel sisters - Georgia and Johanna - were selected in the North Coast Girls Basketball team and went away early in term 2 to compete. Well done to both girls.

Well done to Linc Chambers, Riley Morrissey and Leyland Roberts on their selection in the North Coast Australian Football team. The boys were a part of the most successful Nth Coast team, finishing fourth overall.

Leyland was also a member of the North Coast Touch Football team - a great achievement Leyland.

Five of our most talented football players gained selection in the North Coast Football Teams. James Tial Lian Thang, Obang Oko Agwa, Tahseen Edo and Christian Mirindi all played in the Opens Boys team and helped the team to their best ever finish - fourth. James was also named as a shadow for the state team.

Tahliya Sambrook once again made the North Coast Opens Girls Football Team and once again had a strong tournament.

The Fischer's once again showed their elite hockey talents, with Levi and Breah both gaining selection in their respective North Coast Teams. Levi was also good enough to be selected to trial for the 16s Boys All-Schools Team. Breah once again made the Opens Girls State Team and will compete in July. Super effort Fischer's!

Four of our students were successful in gaining selection in the North Coast Squash Teams. Josh Walmsley, Lachlan Walmsley, Sebastian Williams made the boys team and Madison Nargar made the girls. Both teams had outstanding tournaments each finishing 3rd overall in the state. All players performed to a high standard with Madison now being the number 1 ranked player in the state and Sebastian Williams being ranked 3rd. Lachlan finished the tournament ranked 7th in the state.

Lexi Weiley has been off representing North Coast at the State Softball Championships during week 9, and she was also selected for the North Coast gymnastics team and the North Coast Cricket Team - great work Lexi!

Other students to be selected in the North Coast Gymnastics Team were Kora Smith and Lyla Tarlington. The girls compete early in term 3 - good luck.

Adam Mason

PDHPE TEACHER

OUTSTANDING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

MIA CHOU, YEAR 9 - 2022 University of New England School Acquisitive Art Prize

Mia Chou, Year 9, is among a group of 60 finalists in the 2022 University of New England School Acquisitive Art Prize. There were 591 art entries this year, from 46 schools, and these works demonstrated the application of a very high standard of technical skill as well as creative expression. The selection committee commented that there was a wonderful diversity of art media and subject matter represented which made the selection process very difficult, given the high standard.

The opening of the 2022 University of New England School Acquisitive Art Prize (UNESAP) *Let's Hang It!* exhibition will be held at 6pm on Friday, 29 July 2022 at the New England Regional Art Museum (NERAM) in Armidale and the exhibition will be on display until Sunday, 14 August 2022.

Congratulations Mia!



Junior Secondary: Mia Chou, Year 9, 'Fairy circle', watercolour

OUTSTANDING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

MADISON NARGAR, LACHLAN & JOSHUA WALMSLEY AND SEBASTIAN WILLIAMS – CHS SQUASH

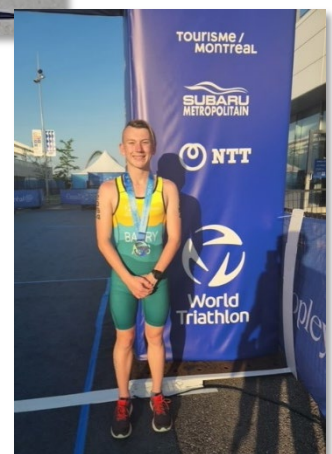
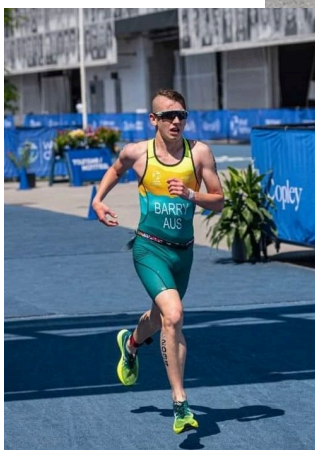
Madison Nargar, Sebastian Williams and Lachlan and Joshua Walmsley attended the CHS Squash held at Thornleigh in Sydney between 7th-9th June. The team placed 3rd and Madison took out the under 15s individual event for North Coast! Madison will advance to state competition!



OUTSTANDING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

HUDSON BARRY - TRIATHLON JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, MONTREAL, CANADA

Hudson Barry recently travelled to Montreal to compete in the Triathlon Junior World Champs, where he was the first Australian across the line, taking 8th in his age group and 42nd overall. After the water quality being in question and the swim leg cancelled for other divisions, all clear was given for a swim. Hudson came out 4th from the swim, lost places on a very technical bike leg (however no penalties or injuries as were lots of crashes) and caught up a few places on the run leg. Hudson got PB's in both the swim and bike legs. Fantastic result, Hudson!



OUTSTANDING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

HOLDEN STUBBS – BODYBOARDING NSW STATE TITLES

In March 2021, Holden competed in the Bodyboarding NSW State Titles (under 18's) and won!!! He was then the NSW State Junior Title holder.

Unfortunately following this competition Covid hit, causing Surfing NSW to cancel all 2021 National Titles. Sadly, Holden didn't have a chance as a Junior (under 18) to compete at the Nationals last year. However, with his results at local level events along the NSW coast, he once again qualified to compete at the Bodyboarding NSW State Titles at Newcastle, held last weekend. This time though, now aged 18, he had to move up into the Open Mens.

As nervous as he was, with his passion & determination, Holden once again sliced up the waves and the competition to make it to the Semi Finals, where he finished up ranking 5th out of the 36 men. Securing a place in the NSW Team which will compete at the Nationals in August.

A fantastic result in 2021 as a Junior and again in 2022 in his first year in Open Mens!

Congratulations Holden and Good Luck at the Nationals!



GROUNDWORKS

WHAT'S ON THESE HOLIDAYS?

Check out the events we're hosting these school holidays!

Contact us for more info:

📞 5632 4020 📱 @groundworks_youth
📍 222 Harbour Drive, Coffs Harbour

**MON
04**



OneMob Breakfast

Celebrate the start of NAIDOC week with a bbq breakfast and live radio!

7 am - 9 am
Groundworks

**TUE
05**



Be Young & Proud

A safe place for LGBTQIA+ young people and friends to meet, talk, and build community!

4 pm - 6 pm
Groundworks

**FRI
08**



Skate Day

Scooter and Skate clinics and competitions run by Skate & Create!

10 am - 2 pm
Corindi Skate Park

**FRI
08**



Doll Making

Come join the yarnning circle while learning to make a recycled Doll!

12 pm - 4 pm
Groundworks

**TUE
12**



Songwriting Sesh

Whether you play, sing, or just want to join in, come along and make some music!

1 pm - 4 pm
Groundworks

**WED
13**



Skate Day

Scooter and Skate clinics and competitions run by Skate & Create!

10 am - 2 pm
Toormina Skate Park

**THU
14**



Toormi Connect

Join us for sports, games, food, and community!

3 pm - 5 pm
Toormina Skate Park

COMMUNITY INFORMATION



HOLIDAY FUN @ YARRAWARRA



-Gugaamgan-
Save our Coastal Emu!
NAIDOC Event



DANCE - ART - CRAFT - HOT FOOD - FREE FAMILY EVENT
SATURDAY 9TH JULY 10AM-2PM



Clay Modelling

Wed 5th July 10:30-11:30

Come and learn the basic techniques of clay modelling and explore your creativity!

\$22

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To Book



Water Carrying Baskets

Wed 13th July 10:30-11:30

Turn your everyday garden palm fronds into a water-tight basket with local weaver Lilly Clegg

\$15

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To Book



Janguurr (Leaf) Watercolour Workshop

Fri 15th July 10:30-11:30am

with local Gumbaynggirr Artist
Alison Williams

\$22

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