



CANDELO PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Week 2 - Term 4

Thursday 20 October 2022

What's happening at our school:

Term 4 2022

Guitar - Wednesday
Library – Wednesday
CIP Music - Thursday
Spanish – Thursday
Sport - Friday
Canteen – Friday 11.10

Film By Picture Showman
Merimbula 6pm
Monday 24 October

P&C Trivia Night
Candelo Town Hall
Saturday 29 October

Year 5/6 Small Schools
Excursion to Canberra
Mon-Wed 31 Oct - 2 Nov

Kindy Transition 1 9.30-11.00am
Thursday 3 November

Year 6 visit to Bega HS
Friday 4 November
-catch HS bus to Bega HS

4 Winds Youth Festival
Dance, Guitar and Choir
Friday 11 November

School Spectacular
Qudos Arena Homebush
Friday 24 – 25 November

Year 6 Orientation
Tuesday 29 November

Year 6 Peer Support Camp
Bournda Hobart Beach
Wed-Fri 7-9 December

Kameruka Eclectic Markets
Saturday 10 December

Presentation Day
Candelo Town Hall 11am
Tuesday 13 December

Aladdin Play K-6
Matinee Wed 14 December
Evening Performance
Wednesday 15 December

Term 4 ends for students
Friday 16 December

[Attachments](#)



Dear parents/carers,

Last term saw the inaugural **Kameruka Eclectic Markets** where many families gathered to enjoy the amazing market atmosphere. A highlight of the day was the **P&C BBQ team** who provided many families with an inexpensive lunch Thanks Kristy, Stacey, Leanne, Edan and Tim.

Thank you so much to **Michelle and Barry Moffitt** for their generous donation to the P&C from stallholder funds. This funding, along with P&C support funding has been forwarded to our **School Spectacular student Harper** to enable him to attend the demanding rehearsal schedule in Sydney each weekend.

The next Kameruka Eclectic Market is planned for Saturday 10 December along with the Kameruka Festival. The P&C are planning to cater for the Festival. If you are able to help please contact Amy or Kathryn.

Year 3, 4 and 5 have completed their Check in Assessments, it was great to see the effort and care given to ensuring their success. Tuition support continues this term to support children with 'catch up' in reading and numeracy.

Kindergarten Transition Please ensure that families in the area are aware of the Kindy transition program for enrolments for 2023.

Thursday 3 November 9.30 – 11.00am

Thursday 10 November 12.00 - 1.00pm

Thursday 17 November 2.00 – 3.00pm

****Thursday 24 November 2.00 - 3.00pm (Kindy interviews & Parent meeting 2pm).**

Tell Them From Me Survey for Parents is available via the link below until Friday 4 November 2022 (Week 4, Term 4). The results of the survey inform our planning and are reported through the Annual School Report.

<http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/qwm96>

Congratulations to Dean Gray and the **Yrs 3-6 Guitar ensemble** who auditioned with David Hewitt, Director of 4 Winds, and were selected to perform at the 4 Winds Youth Festival Bermagui, Friday 11 November. The Guitar ensemble will join **Years 3 to 6 Choir** and **Join the Circus Dance Group** as feature artists at the Festival.

Silver Awards: Congratulations to Beau (Y6)

Bronze Awards Congratulations to Macy (Y 4) Keiper, Leeroy (Y 2) Ellie, Elora (Y 1)

P&C NEWS

November Markets P&C BBQ require the support of 5 people. Are you available? Thank you very much Christine and Dave Croxford for your generous donation of eggs for the gg/bacon rolls!

Kameruka Festival 10 December, please call if you are available to support the P&C BBQ for the Kameruka Festival.

Mango Orders will be delivered the week of 5 December. Thank you for the 248 orders, sensational effort Candelo P&C! Orders will be delivered the week beginning 5 December.



P&C TRIVIA NIGHT Saturday 29 October, Candelo Town Hall.

Form your team and book in! Loads of fun with prizes and raffles. BYO snacks and drinks and sense of fun!

Ring Tim 0429692209 or Kathryn 0418691148 to book your table.



Canteen Friday Week 2

Tacos \$3

Spinach & Cheese Parcels \$3

Fruit frappes \$2



Year 6 Transition to High School Day 2 is planned for Friday 4 November. Year 6 attending Bega HS should catch the High School bus to attend.

Small Schools Stage 3 Canberra Excursion for Years 5 and 6 Monday 31 October (depart Candelo Bus Shelter at 7.00am) and return Wednesday 2

AWARDS 1W: Nicola Whitehead

James: playing well with others in the playground
Leo: his caring nature for other students
Torin: abiding by school rules in the playground
Catherine: excellent work in maths pattern

AWARDS 2M: Naomi Moore/Sue Campbell

Connor: fantastic work in writing
Georgie: excellent work in maths
Zoey: quality work in maths
Elora: working cooperatively with peers

AWARDS 3R: Chris Reeve

Blake: working hard to complete his class tasks
Macy: her positive attitude at school
Thomas: being a fantastic role model at school
Everly: persevering with Maths tasks

AWARDS 4BJ: Suezanne Bourke/Sam Johnson

Layla: fantastic work in class and maturity
Koby: buoyant attitude and focus on learning
Emily: brilliant vocabulary development
Finn: taking greater responsibility for learning
Oliver: fantastic support of others and goal-focus

November about 4.30pm. Please ensure forms have been returned as a matter of urgency. **What to Bring List has been forwarded to children. Final payment is due 21 October.** Thank you to the P&C subsidy and Equity funding to support each child to be able to attend.

CLASS 1W: Nicola Whitehead

Welcome to Term 4! Thank you for continuing to support your child/children with their home readers and returning them to school. It really does make a difference when students practice their reading on a regular basis at home - it has been wonderful to see their reading skills develop!

Maths this term is focused on patterns and their rules. We continue to practice counting forwards and backwards from any number, skip counting and writing our numbers correctly. We will also be looking at length, volume and collecting data this term.

In Science we are looking at the materials things are made of. We had great fun with our binoculars and spy glasses/telescopes exploring the school grounds to find things made from glass, wood or metal. Another Science topic is 'where does our food come from and whether it is natural or processed.' In History, the way

different cultures celebrate special occasions and traditions will be our focus.

On Thursdays, 1W are having technology lessons with Mr Reeve and our first lesson was received with great enthusiasm. Already they are drawing pictures using apps on the laptops and having great fun at the same time.

In literacy we continue to practice our reading in reading groups and have been learning about nouns and adjectives to support our creative writing. The students are becoming independent writers by having a go at 'sounding out' words and writing the corresponding letter, remembering their finger spaces and capital letters.

Thank you, too, for your contribution in supporting your child with their News topics this term. The students are doing a great job working in groups, listening to the speaker and asking relevant questions, to then report back to the rest of the class.

Thanks.
Nikki



CLASS 2M: Naomi Moore/Sue Campbell

Welcome to term 4! I had a lot of assessments to mark over the holidays and it was wonderful to see how much 2M students have learned!

We have finished our unit on multiplication and division, but students (particularly those in year 2) are encouraged to continue learning their times table facts. Instant recall of the 2 times table, 5 times table and 4 times table is the aim. Known facts can really boost student confidence. This term we will be focusing on fractions, time and money.

In writing we are continuing our focus on vocabulary. Students are encouraged to "borrow" new words from great authors to enhance their writing. Many students will now deliberately choose a more interesting word like "stroll" rather than "walk" when writing. Some year 2 students are even using similes! This term year 2 students will be learning to organise their writing into paragraphs.

Reading at home continues to be important for all students. Research shows "parental involvement with reading activities at home has a significant positive influence not only on reading achievement, language comprehension and expressive language skills (Gest et al., 2004) but also on students' interest and motivation in reading."

Have a great week!
Thanks, Mrs Moore

3R Pavement Chalk Art





CLASS 3R: Chris Reeve

Hi and welcome back to Term 4. I hope everyone had a great break and are ready for a busy Term. Thank you and congratulations to all the year 3 and 4 students who have completed Reading, Mathematics and Writing Check-In Assessments (a state-wide initiative) this week. Staff will be analysing the results and determining the next steps to success. This term our school performance will be Aladdin. 3R will be the marketplace dancers and acrobats, selling scarves, jewellery and colourful materials.

During term 2 and 3 I was lucky enough to work with 3R and 4BJ each week to work with students to implement technology in their learning. This term I will be working every Thursday with 1W and 2M to implement technology (last week we drew pictures in Paint).

Due to popular demand, we will continue to read the Anh Do Series 'Weirdo' for our class novel. We are up to number 12. During term 4 we are focusing on writing Recounts and Narratives. In Spelling, this week we are focusing on the sound 'oo' as in boot, next week 'z' as in zebra and 's' as in treasure, and 'ou' as in cloud in week 4. In Maths, the next few weeks we are focusing on Number Patterns (increasing and decreasing), fractions and decimals. In Geography, this term we are focusing on the Unit 'Climate and Weather'.

Home learning Unit 27 is due tomorrow (Friday 21st), in week 3 Unit 28 is due Friday 28th and in week 4 Unit 29 is due Friday 4th November. There are some students who are practising their weekly spelling words at home, could parents please make sure students are practising them daily. Just a reminder that students who are reading below PM 30 need to be taking home readers and practicing throughout the week.

If there are any questions, concerns or queries please don't hesitate to come and speak to me. Thanks Mr Reeve

CLASS 4BJ: Suezanne Bourke/Sam Johnson

Term 4 is an exciting term for Stage 3 students. Did you see the list of activities on the front side panel?

The children are working towards their academic and personal goals to achieve growth in Literacy and Numeracy and develop their strengths in identified areas of school and home life.

In addition, Year 6 are preparing for their transition to High School, Year 5 are preparing leadership speeches for their leadership speech, Year 5 and 6 are packing and checking that all forms are in for the Stage 3 Small Schools Camp to Canberra as well as preparing for their role in the School Drama -Aladdin.

Guitar, dance and choir groups are preparing for 4Winds Festival excursion Friday 11 November (note to come home).

Everyone is practicing being caring and considerate as we face the challenges, the joy and at times disappointments that come our way this term.

Mrs Garden is focusing on Year 6 Reading and Maths catch up in Covid groups as well as providing individual support as required.

Our class will be studying

HSIE: understanding Government

Science: Earth's Surface

PD/Health: Personal hygiene/Our bodies

Writing: Persuasive (main idea with supporting details) and Narrative (clever development of characters using adjectives and adverb phrases)

Comprehension focus is on understanding purpose and audience and vocabulary.

Check in Assessments this week for Year 5 have demonstrated the determination and grit required to deliver outstanding results.

Next week Mrs Johnson will work with 4BJ as I have been granted leave to attend our niece's wedding in Ireland (Neil and I are very excited).

Take care everyone.