Cassilis Public School, Vision Statement
To prepare every student to be successful lifelong learners who are confident and creative individuals; and active and informed citizens through a commitment to equity and excellence in education.
We believe it is important for students to be self-aware, build resilience and positive relationships and actively contribute to the school, the community and the society in which we live.
We value and support strong partnerships with the broader community to maximise student engagement and achievement in a nurturing environment.

Term 2, Week 2
Student of the Week
Tobias has earned the title of 'Student of the Week' this week for dedication to his learning and improved behaviour. Last week Tobias worked hard to improve his learning. During Pittman Cup training he was a more positive role model to his teammates and during History and first aid lessons he was keen to learn more and could articulate what he was learning and why. Tobias also did a fantastic job in organising palm cards and presenting his Beach Excursion recount to the class on Friday. Congratulations and keep up the great work, Tobias!
**LAST WEEK...**

**Authentic Assessment**
Last Friday students presented a speech, using palm cards about our excursion to the beach. Peers assessed the speeches according to the criteria they set - eye contact, voice, content. They displayed a red, orange or green card and points were awarded. After the speeches the presentation of the cards was assessed by placing coloured counters on each other’s work. Everyone agreed it was a great way to give and get feedback on their work.

Green 3 points
Orange/yellow 2 points
Red 1 point
Winter Brekky Club
Now available!!
Monday to Friday 8:30-8:50am
Have your breakfast at school with us.
Available every morning.

Breakfast Club Menu
Cereal- Rice Bubbles with milk (per bowl) $1.00
Porridge with milk $1.00
Toasted cheese sandwich $1.00
Toast (per slice) 50c
With jam, honey or vegemite
Raisin toast 50c
Orange or apple fruit drink $1.00
Warm milo $1.00
* Parent Helpers needed to assist *

After School Learning Centre is back!!
Wednesday 3:15-4:00pm
Keep Wednesday afternoon free for learning centre!
This term we will be offering games and puzzles, personal interest projects, gardening and parent workshops.
Come along and let us show you how we teach reading and maths and learn about the new Australian Curriculum.
Rules:
Your parent must be here or send a note saying you can stay.
It's not a play time
If you misbehave you go home - remember it's voluntary and you don't have to be here!
Have fun, be happy!!
Any parents or community members who would like to offer an activity please see a staff member or contact the school on 63 76 1009. All welcome!
NAPLAN
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Year 3 and 5 will be sitting the NAPLAN tests. Please remember these are a snapshot of your child’s progress and do not show the amazing things they show us every day - such as their creativity, kindness, thinking skills and sense of humour.

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140th Celebrations
Later this year Cassilis Public School will be 140! Details of planned events will be available soon.

Diary
May
4th - P&C meeting 3:15 Library
12-14th - NAPLAN Yrs. 3 and 5
22nd - Grip Leadership, Dubbo - Mrs G and Year 5 students.
25th - Assembly 2:30-3:00pm

26th - Miss H and Mrs G at Tamworth - professional learning
27th - Simultaneous reading day - Virginia coming 10:45am
Mrs Grinham at Scone - principal’s meeting.

June
1st - P&C meeting 3:15 Library
3rd - Pittman Cup @ Sandy Hollow
4th - Mrs G Quirindi - principals’ meeting
8th - Queen’s birthday public Holiday
17th - Miss H and Mrs G Maitland - professional learning.
19th - Science and discovery day @ Muswellbrook Yr 5.
22nd - Assembly 2:30-3:00pm
26th - Final day Term 2

July
13th - Staff return SDD
14th - Students return Term 3
24th - Tree planting day

August
3rd - P&C meeting 3:15 Library
15th - Mrs Grinham’s last day
17th - Mrs Burgess Returns

September
7th - P&C meeting 3:15 Library
18th - Final day Term 3

October
5th - Labour Day Public holiday
6th - Students and Staff Return Term 4

November
2nd - P&C meeting 3:15 Library

December
7th - P&C meeting 3:15 Venue TBA
16th - Students final day 2015
17th - 18th Staff Development Days.

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... steering you to success

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