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 1, Week 8  14 March, 2016

Calendar 2016

March
14  P&C Meeting/ AGM 3:15pm
15  Planned Power Outage 9:15-2:00pm
16  Town Library Visit
16-18 Kia Ora
18  National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence
21  School Photos
24  Harmony Day/ Easter Hat Parade
25  Good Friday

April
1  Cross Country
4  P&C Meeting 3:15pm
7  LST Meetings
8  Last day of Term 1

May
15  Variety Bash
16  GRIP Leadership Day

WHAT’S DUE THIS WEEK?

3-6 Excursion Expression of interest
Chocolate Fundraiser money
School Photos Notes and money
Cross Country canteen orders

Student of the Week
Rachel Bibby

Rachel has earned the title of student of the week this week for her hard work and dedication to learning.
Last week, Rachel concentrated hard in writing activities to write increasingly descriptive and interesting sentences using improved grammar and punctuation. She has also been working hard in Mathematics to read questions thoroughly and try to problem solve more independently.
Some of the reasons her peers voted Rachel student of the week include;
“Rachel, because she has been good in class”
“Rachel, because she has been nice to everyone”
Congratulations and keep up the wonderful work, Rachel!
A Message from Miss H

This week we will have surveys going out to parents and students to gain feedback on what Cassilis School is doing well and what needs improving. All surveys will be anonymous and used to establish direction for the future. The more surveys we have completed, the more accurate and holistic our data will be. Your support in completing a survey is much appreciated!

We have one student from Cassilis School attending the Kia-Ora Music Camp this Wednesday- Friday. Sophie Anderson will be staying in Scone with her family and participating in a range of dance and music lessons throughout the 3 day camp. We hope you have a wonderful time Sophie and look forward to hearing all about the camp when you return on Monday!

Also, coming up this Friday (18 March) is National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence. Students from K-6 will be talking about what bullying looks like, the impact of bullying on victims and what we can do to help.

Week 7 Assembly

On Friday, we had our Week 7 assembly to celebrate the achievements of our students.

Rachel Bibby received the Impressive Work award for working hard to improve her numeracy skills.

The impressive sports award went to Elka Laing who received the award for improved concentration and enthusiasm for Sport and PE activities.

Jack Sumpter- Cornish received the uniform award for wearing the Cassilis School uniform with pride.

Students receiving Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) certificates

Students receiving ribbons for term 1 swimming achievements.
Planned Power Outage

On Tuesday there will be a planned power outage at Cassilis from 9:15-2:00pm.

The school will be opened as usual, however, as a result **students will be ordering from the shop on Monday instead of Tuesday** and **Sport will be held on Tuesday this week instead of Wednesday**.

Town Library Visit

This Wednesday afternoon, we will be walking down to the town library for stories and craft activities with Mrs. Bronwen Dowler.

We would appreciate if students could be picked up from the library once again on this day 😊

Easter Hat Parade/ Harmony Day

On Thursday 24 March, we will be holding our annual Easter Hat Parade at Cassilis School. There will be prizes on the day for the best hats in the categories of K-2, 3-6, and preschool!

A part of student homework this week and next week will include working with your family to create an Easter Hat ready for the parade!

If you require materials or equipment to complete this project, please inform a staff member so we may assist you.

Harmony Day activities will also be integrated throughout week 9. Harmony Day, celebrates Australia’s cultural diversity. It’s about inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone.

We are asking parents and community members to bring in a dish from a different country to share after the Easter Hat Parade on Thursday 24 March as part of Harmony day festivities.