OSSA Athletics Congratulations
Thank you to all of the parents and friends who supported the children at our athletics carnival which was held over two days due to the rain. Although a number of events were held off on Friday 4\textsuperscript{th} April and completed on Monday 7\textsuperscript{th} April, it was a hugely successful carnival for Cumnock PS.

It was exciting to see all of the students participating to the best of their ability in the track and field and in the tabloids. All of the children displayed wonderful sportsmanship and should be proud of their efforts. Thank you to Mrs Schulz, Mrs Thorne, Mrs Goodwin, Mrs Bruce and Mrs Hogan for their support on the day running events.

Congratulations to those students who won ribbons for first, second and third place in their events. Some children have not been presented their ribbons and these will be presented at the OSSSA Cross Country carnival in Cudal.

Special congratulations to Georgia Porch who tied with a student from Clergate to win the 11yrs Girls Champion trophy and to Skye Weston who won the Junior Girls Champion trophy. These trophies will also be presented at the OSSA Cross Country Carnival.

Easter Hat Parade
Thank you to all of the parents and friends who came to our Easter Hat Parade on Tuesday 8\textsuperscript{th} April. It was great to share this celebration with the students, parents and friends from Cumnock Pre School. Congratulations to all of the students in Kindergarten and Year 1 who modelled their hand made Easter hats. To the students in Year 2, 3 and 4 who paraded their “Eggs on Legs” and to the students in Year 5 and 6 who wore costumes representing what Easter meant to them and read their Easter poems.
OSSA Sporting Teams
During the last two weeks a number of senior students have participated in trials to join the OSSA netball and rugby union teams. Congratulations to Georgia Porch who was selected in the OSSA netball team and to Lewis Dean who was selected for the rugby union team.

Lewis and the OSSA team participated in a Gala Day on Thursday 3rd April and won 3 games out of 4. Congratulations!

Western NSW Sporting Teams
On Thursday 3rd April, Toby and Charlie Weston were selected in the Western NSW AFL team. Congratulations to both boys for making it into the team. We look forward to hearing about your games during the season.

Bronze Award Recipients
Congratulations to Molly Duffy, Skye Weston, Jordan Blair, Georgia Porch, Jonathon Pottie, Shane Aldridge, Charlie Weston and Toby Weston who were awarded their Bronze badge on Tuesday 8th April. These children have displayed positive attitudes, good sportsmanship and commitment to their learning. (Jordan Blair is absent from the photo.)

ANZAC Day March & Service
On the 25th April, students from Cumnock Public School will participate in the ANZAC Day March and Service. Please note: Students participating in this event will be required to wear full winter school uniform.

The Cumnock PS P&C is running a 2up game at the Royal Hotel from 2:00pm – 6:00pm and we would love to see you all there.

Term 2 Student Start Date
Students will return to school on Tuesday 29th April 2014. On Monday the staff will be participating in a staff development day focusing on the National Curriculum and the Literacy and Numeracy Continuums.

Attached to this newsletter is a tip sheet on ways to stay safe on the road during the break.

All of the staff at CPS wish you a safe, relaxing and chocolate filled Easter Break. We are looking forward to seeing you all in a few weeks and hearing about your holiday adventures.

Karen Canning
Principal
### WINNING HOUSE

**Term 1 Week 9: Ironbark**

**Ironbark**

- **K-1**
  - Gracie Morse
  - Terrific participation in counting games and songs.
  - Breanna Cashman
  - Excellent work estimating and measuring length.

- **2-3**
  - Zaelia Lake
  - Excellent use of paragraphs and illustrations in her writing.
  - Kitana Hoswell-Parsons
  - Being a helpful and kind member of our classroom.
  - Roman Anderson
  - Working hard to learn our school rules.

- **4-5-6**
  - Haare Nepe
  - An enthusiastic reading of ‘I Was Only 19’.
  - Nick Gibson
  - A determined effort in division activities.
  - Lewis Dean
  - Mentoring students in maths activities.

**Burrawong**

- **K-1**
  - Savannah Gregory
  - Hardworking approach to complete reading activities.
  - Justine Leven
  - Terrific improvement in solving subtraction problems.

- **2-3**
  - Hannah Gibson
  - Being a kind and supportive friend.
  - Tasman Gregory
  - Consistent effort during reading groups.
  - Shenise Timms
  - Applying great effort to her reading tasks at school and at home.

- **4-5-6**
  - Kara Stubbs
  - Fantastic persuasive writing.
  - Tyelia Hoswell-Parsons
  - Outstanding effort in reading groups.
  - Nick Gibson
  - Excellent work in 3D shapes.

**Doughboy**

- **Library**
  - Skye Weston
  - Being a consistent library monitor.
  - Lucas Roddam
  - An imaginative family portrait.
  - Hannah Gibson
  - An enthusiastic approach to borrowing during Term 1.
## Canteen Roster

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## Mini Merit

Outstanding effort and participation at school

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## Notes attached:

- Stay safe these holidays
- Stick 2 Hockey Development Clinics
- Yr 5&6 Canberra Excursion Fundraisers

Anyone who wishes to be confirmed, please contact Thelma Maunder on 6367 7326

## Snapshots OSSA Athletics