

## 20th Anniversary Fair Day & Bush Dance

Dear friends, families, former members of NCC and local community,

We are excited to invite you to join us in celebrating the 20th anniversary of Noosa Christian College at our Fair Day, this Sunday the 30th of July. It's going to be a fantastic day filled with fun activities, delicious food, and wonderful memories.

Starting at 2 pm, we will have a wide variety of stalls offering tasty food, crafts, and engaging activities for everyone to enjoy. There will also be a giant slide, a petting zoo, and a photo booth to capture special moments throughout the day. As a highlight, we will be hosting a silent auction where you can bid on exciting items. In the evening, from 5 pm to 7 pm, we will kick up our heels at the Barn Dance. It will be a joyful celebration of our school's journey and a chance to reconnect with old friends. Don't miss out on this opportunity to have a great time together.

For those who enjoy a bit of friendly competition, we have organised slide races. There will be separate races for dads, mums, and different student groups. Prizes will be awarded to the winners on the day, adding an extra layer of excitement to the event.

We extend a special invitation to all past students, families, and staff who have been part of our school community throughout the years. It would be wonderful to see familiar faces and reminisce about the cherished moments we shared. Mr Reid, our founding Principal, will be present, along with Mr Rogers, another former Principal. They will be thrilled to catch up with everyone. Mark your calendars and make sure to join us for an unforgettable day of celebration and nostalgia. The 20th year celebrations' Fair Day promises to be an occasion filled with joy, laughter and a deep sense of community. We eagerly await your presence.



See you all there!

*Mrs Jeanette Martin*

Principal.



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27th July, 2023

*Building Pathways to Success*

# Principal's Article

It's wonderful to see that compassion is a core value being emphasized in our school community over the next few weeks. Compassion is indeed a powerful and essential virtue that can make a significant difference in the lives of others.

It may be easier to show compassion to those we know and love but extending it to strangers or individuals with a negative attitude can be more challenging. However, it is precisely in these situations that true compassion shines, as it demonstrates genuine care and empathy for all human beings.

The definition of compassion from the dictionary aligns well with the concept of sensitivity and concern for the suffering of others. It involves both emotional understanding and taking action to alleviate their pain. The three forms of compassion described by Dr. Paul Ekman (2023) - 'empathic compassion (focusing on the feeling the emotions experienced by the person who is suffering), action compassion (focusing on actions that attempt to relieve physical and emotional pain), and concerned compassion (concern for the person who is suffering, emphasising the compassionate person's motivation to alleviate suffering)' - provide a well-rounded approach to practicing this virtue.

The recent loss experienced within our NCC family has brought forth a heartwarming display of compassion within the school community. Such moments remind us of the preciousness of life and the importance of treasuring and cherishing our loved ones. The following Bible verses reinforce the value of compassion and love for one another, encouraging a sense of unity and kindness among the students.

1 Peter 3:8 'Finally, all of you, be like-minded, be sympathetic, love one another, be compassionate and humble.'

John 13:34-35 highlights 'So now I am giving you a new commandment: Love each other. Just as I have loved you, you should love each other. Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples.'

Lamentations 3:22-23 'Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for His compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.'

It's truly inspiring to witness a community that actively promotes compassion and love, as these qualities contribute to a more supportive and harmonious environment for everyone. May the emphasis on compassion continue to thrive, and may our students carry these values with them, spreading kindness and understanding wherever they go.

**God bless, Mrs Jeanette Martin, Principal.**

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Congratulations to the Secondary students who received Term 2 Principal's Awards at assembly on Tuesday 25th July.



Abigail Owers, Ava Goerlitz, Chantell Gruevski, Charlotte Fatnowna, Ciara Benade, Dakota Andreassen-Marks, Eden Murray x 2, Elijah Steel, Elizabeth Ash x 2, Emma Coote, Harry Culpan, Indiana Pink, Izaak Tucker, Jennifer Bond, Jordyn Paul x 2, Judah Krummel, Kaia Powell-McKinnon x 2, Katrina Liddle, Keira Pearce, Liam Loiacono, Liam Virgo, Lila Tropp, Lucinda Ross, Myles Roberts, Nate Williams, Nayha Vanner-Taveira, Oliver Loiacono, Piper Sadler, Shiloh Scale, Sophie Jansen x 3, Taliyah Muscat, Thys Benade and Tyson Steinback.





Get your colour on, Noosa Christian College is hosting a Colour Explosion School Fun Run fundraiser!

The Colour Explosion School Fun Run will be on Wednesday 13th September from 1pm to 3pm.

Not only are we hosting an awesome explosion event, but students can also win up to 15 awesome automated incentive prizes by fundraising via online sponsorship donations.

Students will receive a sponsorship book next Wednesday 2nd August with instructions on setting up their cybersafe, online fundraising profile at [www.australianfundraising.com.au](http://www.australianfundraising.com.au). This is an entirely online fundraiser; all cash donations must be converted to online donations to redeem your prizes.

Extra Incentives to Fundraise!

Online Golden Coins – complete fun online tasks to redeem an extra \$75 towards your prize credit.

Monty the Monstar's Bonus Prizes – achieve milestones to unlock Monty's bonus prizes.

\$10,000 JB HI FI Spending Spree for one organisation's highest fundraising student – it could be you!

Our school will win an extra \$5,000 if we have the highest average fundraised amount per student in 2023.

A Play Station 5 Gaming Bundle – see your child's sponsorship booklet for more!

All funds raised will go into supporting the cost of NCC school sports for the next two years.



Mrs Wareham and our wonderful Kindergarten parent and staff volunteers will be holding a sausage sizzle fundraiser at Bunnings Noosaville from 8am to 4pm on Sunday 20th August.

There will be another Kindergarten sausage sizzle fundraiser at the Cooroy Memorial Hall from 3pm to 7pm on Thursday 31st August at the LiveLife Pharmacy Cooroy's Health Expo.

Please come along and purchase a sausage sizzle and support our Kindergarten.

On Monday 24th July, the Prep students celebrated 100 days in Prep!

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YEAR 5·6

## Why did Jesus come to Earth?

When asked the question ... "Why did Jesus come to Earth?", below are some of the responses from the Year 5/6 class.

"When Jesus came to Earth to show kindness, love, helpfulness, protection, compassion, respect, and to save us from sins, he also came to share what God is about. He cared for the sick and helped them and he also performed miracles."

"You might wonder why Jesus came to Earth. Jesus came to save the people that believed in Him. Jesus came to Earth to take away all sins. He came to Earth to heal the sick. He came to Protect everyone. He came to show compassion."

"Jesus came to Earth to save us from sins, help us, give us joy, give us love, help us, give faith, give us kindness and self control."

On arrival at school on Tuesday 25th July, Zari, Georgia and Arabella were greeted with a beautiful rainbow and had their photo taken.

Photo credit: Lara McIntosh.





# Primary Camp Photos



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# Secondary News

## YEAR 11



CONGRATULATIONS to Brayden Young in Year 11 for completing his first University subject "Playing With Words" as part of the Headstart Program.

Brayden received a Distinction and was awarded his certificate at assembly on Tuesday 25th July.

The University of the Sunshine Coast said "Awesome work Brayden – that's a massive achievement!"

## Secondary Athletics Carnival Photos





# After School Drama Classes at NCC



## TOGA Drama Classes

A fun and creative space where kids can experience their true potential!  
Drama develops confidence, communication and teamwork skills that will help your child shine in life as well as on stage.

Session Times	Juniors (Prep - Yr2)	Intermediate (Yr3-6)	Seniors (Yr7-12)
Tuesday	3-4.10pm	4.10-5.30pm	
Thursday			3-4.30pm



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Kristie (Director) has a Bachelor in Performing Arts (Drama) and Theology. She has had many years of experience making theatre with children and youth, beginning with her employment at "Kids Up Front Drama Academy" in Sydney, working for various school chaplaincy programs, and currently leads the drama ministry for "Kids Church" on the campus of NCC.

Term 3 drama classes at Noosa Christian College are **booking up quickly!**

Book a **FREE** Trial Class!



## September 2023 Vacation Care Program



			THURSDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER	FRIDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER
			Water Play Day	Mini Olympics
MONDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER	TUESDAY 19TH SEPTEMBER	WEDNESDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER	THURSDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER	FRIDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER
Sunshine Castle	Baking Day	Movie Day	Superhero Day	The Big Boing
MONDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER	TUESDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER	WEDNESDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER	THURSDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER	FRIDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER
Rock Climbing	Sports Day	Go-Karts	Arts and Crafts Day	Sea Life



For bookings or further information, please contact the OSHC Coordinator  
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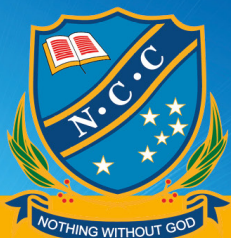
## Fair Day & Bush Dance

Past and present students, families,  
staff and our community ...  
please join us in celebrating our

## 20th Anniversary

**2pm to 7pm ~ Sunday 30th July**

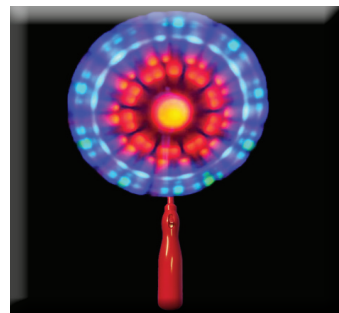
Barn Dance commences at 5pm  
Giant slide and slide races, petting zoo,  
stalls, silent auction, food, photo booth.



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*Come along and  
reconnect with old friends.*

**20 Cooroy Belli Creek Road  
Cooroy**



Adults' slide races  
from 2:30pm  
\$2 entry  
Childrens' slide  
races from 3:30pm  
\$2 entry

Race Groups:  
Prep to 2  
Year 3 to 6  
Year 7 to 9  
Year 10 to 12

Don't forget to bring gold coins for a number of activities.  
Petting Zoo \$2, Pony Rides \$5, Bush Dance from 5pm to 7pm with the Smashing Bumpkins,  
Glow Stall, Face Painting & Hair Spraying, Sweet Treats Stall, Lucky Dip Stall, Chocolate  
Coin Toss, Guess the Number Stall, Goods Stall, BBQ, Story Stall, Hoopla, Balloon Pop-  
ping, Gaga Ball Tournament, Fairy Floss Stall, Hot Chip Van, Coffee Van, Beads and Bears  
Stall, Inspired Karate Demonstrations & Stall, Silent Auction, Giant Slide, Photo Booth,  
OSHC 'Make your own slime and play dough to take home' \$5 & \$3, Make pinwheels for  
a gold coin donation, outdoor games on the grass and other food stalls.

