Dear Parents and Community Members,

Welcome Mr Rundle

Crossmaglen Public School is pleased to announce that our new Principal, Mr Peter Rundle, will be coming to the school next Thursday 18th September at 2pm to meet the students, staff and members of the Crossmaglen Public School community. Mr Rundle will be joining us for afternoon tea, and it would be appreciated if students could bring a plate to share. Everyone is invited to come along to meet and welcome Mr Rundle.

P & C News - Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser

Crossmaglen Public School have been allocated Sunday 19th October to man the Bunnings BBQ. This is a wonderful opportunity to raise funds for the school. If you are able to offer some time to help man the BBQ, please contact Kim so that a roster may be organised.

Pest Tales

This term the children have been engaged in a Science and Technology unit called “Pest Tales”. The learning highlights pest animal species in Australia, their impact on and damage caused to the environment, economy and people. The children have now all completed their Pest Tales project and have gained some valuable learning experiences by producing some informative and creative dioramas. Mrs Booth would like to congratulate all students for putting in such a big effort and producing amazing projects. Their next project “Making a Toad Trap” has also shown to be popular with many already completed for use at the Pest Tales camp.

Pest Tales Overnight Camp

As part of our science unit “Pest Tales” there will be a multi-day and school sleep over on Friday 19th September (last day of term 4). Students can come to school dressed as their favourite pest or colour of their favourite pest. Mrs Booth and Mr Upton will be the supervising staff/parent members on site. Mrs Booth will be the First Aid officer. The camp will commence straight after school. If children prefer to go home and change clothes or collect supplies and then return to school, please advise the school. Children must be collected by no later than 9am on Saturday morning. A permission note went home with the students yesterday, and a medical note will be accompanying this newsletter. Please be advised that students will not be able to attend unless both forms have been signed and returned to the school before Friday 19th September.

Milo Cricket Gala Day

Wednesday 17th September is our Milo T20 Blast School Gala Day at Sport and Leisure Park at Coffs Harbour. These days are conducted in a fun, safe and learning environment, with girls and boys teams competing with other schools in a participation based format. The children will be exposed to cricket in a fun, inclusive, learning environment, and will also receive a giveaway pack plus other information on how they can continue a healthy and active lifestyle. All children are involved and it is a great opportunity for them to learn new skills, enjoy exercise and socialise with students from other schools. Permission notes will be sent out today. You can find out more at www.playcricket.com.au.

Fundraising Cook Book

Please assist the P & C in creating this wonderful fundraiser, the Crossmaglen Public School Cook Book. The P & C are still seeking your favourite recipe/s to be published in the book. You could take a photo of your favourite recipe and send it via MMS to Michele or Kim. Email shell.bake303@gmail.com or kroofing@bigpond.com (or mobile 0400 534872 - Kim, 0417 542849 - Michele). There is still a little bit of time to submit your favourite recipes. There is also advertising space available in the books (half page $30 and full page $50). If you would like to advertise or know of a business that you think might be interested, please contact Kim or Michele. The P & C are aiming to start selling the recipe book at the beginning of Term 4 so start saving your coins for your Christmas shopping! A must have in everyone’s home.

Emma Peart
Relieving Principal
A selection of Pest Tales dioramas