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Friday 2nd
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Participation Leads to Success

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Principals Message

This week is Education Week and there are many events occurring to showcase just how great our school is.

We celebrate the success of our students at all times and love having strong links with our parents, families and community.

This Thursday we have a Talent Quest taking place over our lunch break commencing at 1:15pm and all parents and community members are welcome to come and watch. This is a fundraiser that our year 6 students have organised so a gold coin donation would be appreciated. On Friday at 2pm we will be planting vegetables in our raised garden beds and would love for anyone to come in and assist or just to watch.

Have a great week.

Regards,

Carmel McMurray

BIKE SAFETY DAY

Last Friday 26 July we had a bike safety day. It was a fun day and all students had a great time. Thanks to our local policeman Miles for arranging the day.

ECO DAY

Today Wednesday 31 July, Year 6 students have travelled to Forbes to participate in Eco Day. Thank you to Tanya Frazer for transporting students and being our parent helper for the day.

Talent Quest and Casual Clothes Day TOMORROW

On Thursday 1st August students are allowed to wear casual clothes and asked to donate a gold coin as part of a Year 6 fundraising event—A Talent Quest.

Students have been busy practising their performances. The talent quest will be over our lunch break starting at 1:15pm. All parents and community members are welcome to come and watch.

DISTRICT ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Congratulations to Peter Valentine who qualified in the high jump to attend the district carnival in Parkes. Good Luck to the team this Friday.

VEGETABLE PLANTING - THIS FRIDAY 2nd AUGUST

Our vegetable planting afternoon is on this Friday 2nd August, 2pm.

If any parents, family or community members would like to attend, you are more than welcome!

HEAD LICE

Is your child's head itchy?

Please check children's hair for lice and especially EGGS.

Tiny white eggs stick to the hair.

ALSO remember to keep checking for eggs and head lice especially behind the ears and at the base of the neck—even after you have treated the hair.

If eggs or lice are present please commence or continue treatment as recommended.



JEANS FOR GENES DAY

On Monday 5th August our school will support Jeans for Genes Day. Students can wear their denim to school and are asked to bring a gold coin donation to the J for G fundraising appeal.

DRUM CONCERT

Mr Noonan's drum students will be putting on a short concert this Friday evening at 5.30pm in the school hall.

Anyone is welcome to attend.

BOOKCOVERING

Each family will receive a roll of book covering kindly donated by Daryl and Helen following the post office relocation.





Brooke Stibbard on patrol during Bike Safety Day.



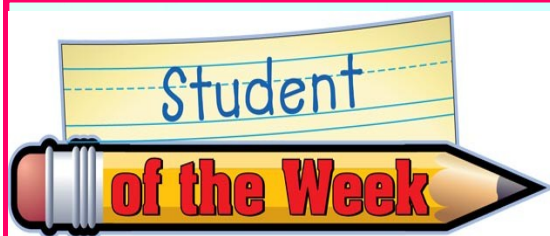
Happy Birthday

Chelsea Leonard
31 July
Lane Lewis
2 Aug
Nina Merchant
5 Aug
Savannah Bevan
6 Aug



OPSM kindly visited our school today to do a complimentary clean and adjustment to children's glasses.

A glasses cleaning kit has been sent home with those children who attended this service.



LIBRARY STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Brooke Stibbard

Assembly Awards:

29 July 2013

K - 2 Sanjay Buttle
Mitchell McMahon
3 -6 David Chu
Tamara Greenhalgh

Student of the Week : Week 3 Term 3

Year 3 - 6 Jed Matheson
K - 2 Hannah Williams
Miss Adams Sanjay Buttle

Sportsperson:

Primary: Ryan Valentine
Infants: Ethan Brown

Week 3	29.7.13	30.7.13	31.7.13 Eco Day Forbes Saleyards Year 6 students	1.8.13 Talent Quest 1.15 pm Casual Clothes Day Gold Coin Donation	2.8.13 District Athletics @ Parkes Schools Tree Day. Planting activities 2pm P & C Meeting 3.30pm 5.30pm Drum Students Concert Mr Noonan School Hall
Week 4	5.8.13 JEANS FOR GENES DAY Gold coin donation	6.8.13	7.8.13	8.8.13	9.8.13 Options Groups Start Debating against Quandialla
Week 5	12.8.13	13.8.13	14.8.13	15.8.13	16.8.13

Footy Tipping

Results:

	Staff		Students K-2		Students 3-6	
1st	Garry	89	Chelsea	93	Tamara	90
			Ricky			
2nd	Miss D	85	Ethan	85	Jack	82
3rd	Mrs Reeves	81	Mitchell	84	Brooke	81



Forbes has got Talent Quest Audition

Sunday 4th August

For River Arts Festival on Friday
25 – 27 October, 2013

Requesting people to perform for
Forbes has got Talent Quest

Winners will be performing on the
River Arts Festival main Stage and
surrounding Stages

Forbes has got Talent Quest Audition
Sunday 4th August

Starting Time for Auditions.....
.....1.30pm.....at the Sport and
Recreation Club

Keyboard and CD player supplied

The entire Community is encouraged to
show their Talent

All Welcome

Please spread the word

TALENT QUEST

SEARCHING FOR THE STARS

OUR SCHOOL WILL BE HOLDING A TALENT QUEST
IN THE HALL

SO TELL YOUR PARENTS, AUNTIES, UNCLES.

!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!EVERYONE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

When: Thursday 1st of August 2013

Where: Our school hall

Time: 1:15pm

Students are permitted to bring costumes to change into
before their act.

Students please bring a gold coin donation as
it is also casual clothes day.



Amity Dance

Regional dance programs

Starting 29th of July
CANOWINDRA, CWA HALL

MONDAYS

4:00-4:30 Mini Groovers \$5.00

3yrs and up learning basic Ballet and Jazz

4:30-5:15 Ballet Dancing \$7.50

6yrs and up. Levels 1 to 4

5:15-6:00 Celtic Dancing \$5.00

Traditional styles of Irish & Scottish

6:00-6:45 Jazz & Hip Hop \$7.50

6yrs and up. Levels 1 to 4



P & C Meeting
Friday 2nd August, 3.30pm.
School Library



on "Growing Gorgeous Boys
Into Good Men"

It's the question that every parent, especially mothers ask:
"What's going on with my teenage boy?"

Celia Lashlie, a researcher and social
commentator has some very up front
and clear answers.

In 2004, she completed the Good Man Project. It
created discussion within and between 25 boys'
schools throughout New Zealand to define 'what
makes a good man in the 21st Century'.

The results provided a significant insight into the
minds of teenage boys and what they are feeling
at this period in their lives. In the years since
completing the project, Celia has continued to
work with mothers as they wrestle with the
challenges of parenting their adolescent sons.

Celia has some confronting suggestions for mums
and dads. Her strongest challenge is for women
to rethink the way they interact with the men in
their lives – their sons and their husbands – if
they want to see their sons become the good men
they want them to be.

Date: Wednesday
21st August

Where: Bathurst
St Stanislaus
Brilliant Street

Time: 7pm - 9pm

Cost: \$10 per person
Refreshments
Provided



Enquiries and Bookings:
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