



NEWS BULLETIN

Strong Smart Proud

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday 18 July
Athletics Carnival

Saturday 19 July
Skate Park Workshop
10.00 am - 2.00 pm
with Scott Lyons

Condobolin Youth Deadly
Awards - 5.00 pm
Disco - 7.00 pm - 8.30 pm
RSL Club

Tuesday 29 July
English ICAS Test

Friday 1 August
1/2T Formal Assembly

Tuesday 12 August
Mathematics ICAS Test

Friday 22 August
Condobolin Show
Pupil Free Day
Staff Development Day

Allergy AAA School

this means that children,
parents, carers and visitors
are asked **TO NOT WEAR**
anything scented as we have
children with severe allergies
in our school.

Please: NO nuts
(including nutella)

SCHOOL BANKING

MONDAYS



Principal's Report

Welcome back to Term 3. This is generally one of the busiest terms of the year, starting with our Athletics Carnival and finishing with the Variety Concert.

Athletics Carnival

Our annual athletics carnival will be held on this Friday, 18 July. This is a school day that all students are expected to attend. Children are asked to be at school by 9.00 am to allow rolls to be marked and events to begin on time. Parents and carers are invited to join students to cheer them on. The canteen will be operating. The more helpers that are available in the canteen means that parents will be able to see their children compete in events.

Students will need to have a hat, water bottle, school jumper, and wear sensible sports shoes and either their sports uniform OR their house colours to the athletics carnival. The house colours are:

Gilmore - yellow
Kendall - blue
Lawson - red
Paterson - green

While the discus finals were due to be held today, because of rain the finals will be held next Tuesday, 22 July. Students aged 8, 9 or 10 years of age competing in the finals will do so in the morning session. Older students are expected to compete after lunch.

As shot put is an event where we would like competitive students to have three throws, finals will be held on the day of the athletics carnival. A second circle will be run for those wishing to have a throw, but who may not be in the finals.

In the event that wet weather causes us to postpone our carnival, normal lessons will be held this Friday and the carnival will be held next Monday, 21 July.

A special assembly will be held on Friday, 25 July at 11.50 am to make presentations to students. Students that have had 100% attendance during Terms 1 and 2 will also be presented with certificates. Parents are invited to join us.

Please find a copy of a program with this bulletin.

A Few Changes

We welcome Miss Willoughby to our staff. She will be teaching students in Stages 2 and 3 for release in place of Mrs Worthington, who is due to take leave. From this term, primary release has been changed to Tuesdays and other library lessons will be swapped to Thursdays. Infants release lessons will remain on Wednesdays with Miss Anderson replacing Mrs Worthington on this day.

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Lachlan Shire NAIDOC Celebrations

Students in Years 5 and 6, as well as SRC and our Dindima dancers will be attending the 2014 Lachlan Shire NAIDOC celebrations at the Wiradjuri Study Centre this Wednesday. Students with a general permission note and Stage 3 teachers will be leaving school around 12.15 pm to participate in a barbecue lunch.

Hand Foot and Mouth

This is a common viral infection but is highly contagious. If your child has blisters these need to be checked and the child excluded from school until blisters have dried up. Remind children to cough and sneeze into tissues and dispose of tissues into the bin and wash hands.

Deborah Nay
Principal



Canteen News



If you are able to help in the canteen contact Jasmine at the canteen on 6895 2703 - 9.00 am to 2.00 pm.

We have no volunteers for the canteen this term except for Thursday/Friday. Even if you can only spare a couple of hours, this would be a great help to Jasmine. No training is required. Please see Jasmine if you are willing to help.

Athletics menu will be same as last Friday of term 2. See notice board for details. SLUSHIES will no longer be available as the machine is broken and will not be replaced.

PBL NEWS

Focus this week: 'Classroom rules'



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Library News

Premiers Reading Challenge students only have 6 more weeks remaining to complete their challenge.
K-2: 30 picture books; Yr 3 - Yr 6: 20 books.

Florist La Fleur - 3 Day Sale!!

Thursday 17 July, Friday 18 July and Saturday 19 July
We're having our mid-year sale. Look for the *pink* tickets on selected items in store. Exquisite items to enhance your home.

Head Start 2014

This year the Head Start project will commence in Term 3 starting Friday in Week 7, Friday 29th August 2014. It will be run each Friday with limited placements available throughout Term 3 and Term 4.

At Condobolin Public School we aim to provide a specific programme which targets early learning needs and the development of skills. This initiative is for young children who have had minimal prior to school opportunities. The limited placements will only be on offer for children intending on commencing Kindergarten in 2015 at Condobolin Public school.

The intention of this program is not for prior to school opportunities to be taken away from other providers. We work closely with our local agencies to offer experiences for all children to attend transition to Kindergarten programs and prepare them for school readiness.

Children who attend a pre- Kindergarten programme are better prepared to enter Kindergarten, both academically and socially. It helps children have a positive first experience of school which is important because it can help shape the way they think about school in the future.

In their first five years, children acquire the basic capabilities that prepare them for later success in school and life.

The Head Start programme will be held one day a week from 9.30 to 12.30 pm, starting in Week 7, Friday 29th August 2014 and will be held in the Historical building in the K-2 area. This program will run for 10 weeks and finish on Friday 14th November.

Activities planned for children are to enhance their development of skills and understanding, which support their familiarity to school life and enable them to interact productively in the classroom and school environment.

Names can be left at the front office with Mrs Margaret Geeves and parents will be contacted if a placement becomes available.

Mrs Raylene Jones
Assistant Principal K-2

Ms Deborah Nay
Principal

NAIDOC

Friday 27th June was a very special day at school as we celebrated our NAIDOC ceremony with the unveiling of a commemorative plaque in memory of Indigenous Service persons past, present and future, by War Veteran Mr Michael Wighton.

NAIDOC awards were handed to nominated students and community members were entertained by the Dindima Dancers followed by a morning tea.





NSW WINNERS OF THE CHC ACTIVITY CHALLENGE

In term two, Stage three students participated in the Culture Health Communities Activity Challenge. The aim was to encourage young people to be healthy by promoting an active lifestyle. Students wore pedometers while at school and kept track of their daily steps each day.

5C, 5/6R and 6R competed against 10 other schools from across NSW. At the end of the challenge, the total steps were added and 5C came out on top with 439,337 steps followed closely by 5/6R in 3rd with 426,955 steps and 6R on 412,637 steps. All three classes averaged over 10,000 steps per day. This is a fantastic result and all students are to be congratulated on their achievement.

The prize money for coming first is \$3000 for Condobolin Public School. Students would like to spend this money on improving the basketball courts at the school. There will be a presentation at an assembly this term by Lachlan Wright and Ricky Walford. Congratulations Stage Three!



PEACHEY-RICHARDSON CUP

On Wednesday, 25th June, 2014, our Stage 2 football team travelled to Dubbo to participate in the Peachey Richardson Cup. Results of their 3 games are:

- Condo Vs St Mary's, Orange
St Mary's: 6, Condo 3
- Condo Vs St Laurence's, Dubbo
St Laurence's: 5, Condo: 1
- Condo Vs St Joseph's, Gilgandra
- **Condo: 1, St Joseph's: 0**

It was a cold day, but there was plenty of action to keep everyone warm! Games were fast-paced and the determination, skill, resilience and sportsmanship of our Condo team were impressive. Congratulations, Boys!!

Try-scorers were: Clarry Harris: 3; Toby Harding: 2.

Many thanks to all the Parents, Carers and Family members who came along to support the boys, and to Miss Richards for her organisation.

Special thanks to Mr Mark Whitla for his excellent work in training and coaching the team.



Team Photo:

Back Row: Coach: Mr Mark Whitla
Middle Row: Ezekiel Coe, Kalub O'Hara, Kaiden Atkinson, Jamall Dargin, Toby Harding, Clarry Harris
Front Row: Dominic Woods, Nic Manwaring, Mark Whitla.

Try Photo:

Clarry Harris goes over for the winning try against St Joseph's, Gilgandra.

WPSSA

Congratulations to Jarryd Walmsley of Condobolin Public School who competed as a part of the Western team in the NSW PSSA Opens Rugby League carnival, held June 17-19 at Kingscliff on the North Coast. The team lead by coach Mr Andrew Hooper of Grenfell Public School acquitted themselves tremendously well over the 3 days, growing in confidence and cohesion each game, impressing coaches, parents and spectators with their steely defence, determination and commitment to his teammates. Western found themselves in what turned out to be the hardest side of the draw having to play both eventual winners Sydney West and runners up, MacKillop holding both teams to narrow loses as well as North Coast, Hunter, South Coast and Riverina. A very unlucky 6-4 defeat to Hunter and then 10-6 win over the fancied South Coast team and then a 22-0 victory over Riverina topped off a great Carnival.

In the all of his games Jarryd worked hard and showed a positive attitude in each and every game and should be commended and congratulated on his efforts throughout the carnival.

Thanks and congratulations should also go to all of the parents who not only took time from work and arranged for transport, but also cheered and supported the team each game, adding to the good nature of the carnival. With the likes of the kids in this year's Western Open team, rugby league and school sports, look in good shape for the future. Sydney East hosts next year's Open League carnival in Cronulla, so all boys and girls that love and play rugby league need to ensure they nominate for their school team and trial in 2015.

Paul Faulkner – team manager.

N.S.W. P.S.S.A. OPEN RUGBY LEAGUE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Kingscliff 2014



WESTERN

Back Row (L to R) M. Wright, N. Wilson, M. McPaul, C. Ayoub, B. Martin, B. Turner.
Middle Row (L to R) P. Faulkner (Manager), J. Wright, C. Dowling, J. Walmsley, D. Sodrodro, J. Pokoney, A. Hooper (Coach).
Front Row (L to R) A. Wilson, B. Trim, J. Barclay, B. Blimka, M. Watts, T. Colley.

Every Australian
Counts

COME AND MEET THE TEAM

Thursday 17th July 2014

Wiradjuri Cultural Centre
Condobolin

Free BBQ

Entertainment
Terry Leonard

Plus Much
More



Information
Stalls

A great chance to talk to service providers in relation to Living with a Disability, the Disability Information Group (DIG) is committed to raising awareness and finding real solutions to issues surrounding Disability. We would like to hear from YOU, so come join us on Thursday 17th July 2014 from 10.00.am to 3.30pm.

For more Information contact Ray Peckham on 0458 040 951



9 am - bell rings and class rolls are marked

Event Time	100m / 50m / 200m (Main oval)	Shot Put (Eastern oval)	Long Jump (2 pits: main oval and oval below train)	Ball Games (Oval below train carriage)
9.20 am	Age Race Heats 8 Yrs Boys 100m 9 Yrs Boys 100m 10 Yrs Boys 100m 11 Yrs Boys 100m	Junior (8/9/10 Yrs) Girls	11Yrs Girls Senior (12/13 Yrs) Girls	5/6/7 Yrs Girls
10.00 am	12/13 Yrs Boys 100m 5 Yrs Boys 50m 6 Yrs Boys 50m 7 Yrs Boys 50m	11Yrs Girls Senior (12/13 Yrs) Girls	5/6/7 Yrs Girls	Junior (8/9/10 Yrs) Girls
10.40 am	200m Timed Finals Junior (8/9/10 Yrs) Boys 11 Yrs Boys Senior (12/13 Yrs) Boys	5/6/7 Yrs Girls	Junior (8/9/10 Yrs) Girls	11Yrs Girls Senior (12/13 Yrs) Girls
11.20 am	LUNCH – 20 minutes			
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12.20 pm	12/13 Yrs Girls 100m 5 Yrs Girls 50m 6 Yrs Girls 50m 7 Yrs Girls 50m	11Yrs Boys Senior (12/13 Yrs) Boys	5/6/7 Yrs Boys	Junior (8/9/10 Yrs) Boys
1.00 pm	200m Timed Finals Junior (8/9/10 Yrs) Girls 11 Yrs Girls Senior (12/13 Yrs) Girls	5/6/7 Yrs Boys	Junior (8/9/10 Yrs) Boys	11Yrs Boys Senior (12/13 Yrs) Boys
1.50 pm	AGE RACE FINALS & HOUSE RELAYS			
2.50pm	CLEAN UP PRESENTATION TO BE AT SCHOOL ASSEMBLY – FRIDAY, 25 JULY @ 11.50am			

NB: If the athletics carnival is postponed due to wet weather, it will be held or finalised on Monday, 21 July.

This is a school day – ALL STUDENTS are expected to attend.

Students need to have a hat, water bottle, appropriate sports shoes, school jumper and wear either their sports uniform or house colours (Lawson - Red; Kendall - Blue; Paterson – Green; Gilmore – Yellow).