### **Dubbo Public School Newsletter**



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Wednesday 9 May 2018

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#### From the Principal's Desk

Congratulations to our class captains for Term 2. Thank you our parents and grandparents who attended the induction assembly and give credit to this important leadership role in our school. This week the Hearing Bus will visit our school to provide hearing testing for our students. We are very grateful for the wonderful service they provide. Our girls' and boys' cricket teams play the next round of the knockout competition - both travelling to Mudgee. While our girls had a win yesterday our boys pad up tomorrow. Many thanks to the parents who support our sporting teams with transport, official duties and cheering them on. Your support is very appreciated. Next week our Year 3 and Year 5 students will sit the NAPLAN tests. Please ensure your child is well rested, on time and has a hearty breakfast to see them through the three days of testing.

Finally thank you to Tenelle Bond and our wonderful present wrappers for the very successful Mothers' Day stall yesterday. Happy Mother's Day to all our special mums and grandmas for this Sunday.

Enjoy your week!

# Debbie Pritchard Principal

#### **Opportunity Class for Year 5 Students**

Applications for Year 5 Opportunity Class placement in 2019 are now open and will close on Friday 18 May 2018. Late applications will not be accepted. Applications must be made online at <a href="https://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement">www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement</a>. 2019 will be required to take the Opportunity Class Placement Test on Wednesday 1 August 2018.

https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-5.

#### **Assemblies**

The next infants assembly will be on Thursday 17 May at 2.45pm. Kinder Red will be performing an item. The next 3-6 assembly will be on Friday 11 May at 2.45pm.

K Blue	Saraii Long	blake Jopel
K Red	Lexi Miller	Andrew Seve
K Yellow	Georgie Taylor	Jack Denison
K Green	Lincoln Scoble	Emily Finn
1H	Isabel Smith	Zachary Kuschert
1K	Maia Dale	William Tanswell
1T	McKenna Marr	Nate Chown
20	Molly O'Connor	Bodhi Sampson
2D	Arkie Wrigley	Lachlan Guy
2H	Lily May	Harry Chapman
3G	Ari Dale	Emily Stone
3S	Jarryd Sutton	Breanna Besant
3/4D	Gabby Bromham	Reggie Peet
4L	Ruby Walsh	<b>Duncan Thomson</b>
4W	Taylor Wake	Thomas Guy
5M	Jasmine Shepherd	Ryan Richardson
5L	Eliza Johnston	<b>Braxton Hammonds</b>
5/6R	Jacob McLean	Erin Campion



#### **Sports News**

Congratulations to Pollyanna McCarthy and Max McAneney who have made it into the PSSA District Touch team. Also to Joe Owens, Rex Bassingthwaighte, Isaac Birchall and Max McAneney for gaining selection to the Western PSSA Rugby team.

#### Para-athletics and Multi-class Swimming

Students from a range of disability groups are eligible to apply for a classification to compete at a higher (e.g. District, State, National) level for swimming and athletics. To ensure students wishing to compete at these levels have their classification code in time for any upcoming events please use the following website addresses:

www.athletics.com.au/Para-

athleticshttp://www.swimming.org.au/Mutli-class-

<u>swimming/get-classified.aspx</u> if you require any further information or support to apply for these classifications please call the school office.

#### **PSSA Lunch Time Swap**

Due to conflicts with PSSA, Infants and Primary will swap lunch breaks on Friday for Term 2 only. Infants will have lunch from 12.35 to 1.25pm and Primary from 1.15 to 2.10pm.

### state swimming report

Dubbo Public school had a record 14 students attend the NSW PSSA swimming carnival on 11 and 12 April at the Sydney Olympic Aquatic Park in Homebush. The school had the highest contingency from any school in the Western region.

The swimmers competed in the following events:

Eve Bailey- 12yrs 50m freestyle, senior girls relay

Rex Bassingthwaighte- 11yrs 50m freestyle, breaststroke and

backstroke, senior boys relay

Angus Knaggs- senior boys relay

Taliyah Lovett- open 100m freestyle, senior girls IM,

12yrs 50 m backstroke, senior girls relay

Eva Marchant- senior girls relay

Max McAneney-senior boys relay

Sophie McAneney- 9yrs 50m freestyle, junior breaststroke, junior backstroke

Oliver Milling- Junior boys relay

Joseph Owens- 11yrs 50m butterfly, senior boys relay

Nicholas Owens- 9yrs 50m metre freestyle, junior boys relay Isabella Sinclair- 11yrs 50m freestyle, breaststroke, backstroke, butterfly, senior girls relay

Brody Steele- 10yrs 50m freestyle, junior 50m breaststroke, junior IM, junior 50m backstroke, junior 50m butterfly, junior

boys relay

Ruby Walsh- junior 50m butterfly

Trace Wynne- junior boys relay

The school had representatives who made two finals.

Sophie McAneney swam a big PB with time of 35.74 seconds to come 9th in the state in the 9 years girls freestyle.

The senior girls relay also made the final. Eve Bailey, Tahlia Lovett, Isabella Sinclair and Eva Marchant swam a PB of 3.14 seconds to also come 9th in the state. There were many PB's swum over the two days and a number of swimmers placing in the top 15. Congratulations to all competitors on a great meet.





#### **Cross Country**

Our annual Cross Country Carnival will be held on Tuesday 22 May for students turning 8 years and older this year. More details will be given in next week's newsletter.

#### Walk Safely to School Day

National Walk Safely to School Day is on Friday 18 May. The objective of the day is to:

- Encourage parents and carers to walk to school with primary school age children.
- Help children develop vital road crossing skills with the assistance of an adult
- Reduce car dependency
- Reduce the level of air pollution

Our Student Leaders will be handing out stickers to students walking to school on Friday.

#### P & C News

#### **Canteen News**

Next weeks Wacky Wednesday will be Meixcan Day – nachos(corn chips with mince, cheese and sour cream) with choice of water or juice popper. Wacky Wednesday deals are \$6 each and all orders are due on Monday.

#### Mother's Day Stall

#### Congratulations to the winners of the Mother's Day raffle

1st Prize Scentsy Pack Ngiah Orcher K Red

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Aidan Dungate

Thank you to the following people for their generous support of our Mother's Day Stall:

Suzie Sampson and Colleen Pawlenko for the raffle prizes, Dianne Bond for the gift donations and all of the helpers on the day.





#### **Dubbo Show Excursion**

Kindergarten, along with K-6D and 3-6M, will be going on an excursion to the Dubbo Show this coming Friday 11

May. Permission notes along with payment needs to be returned to school before

Friday.

#### **Library News**

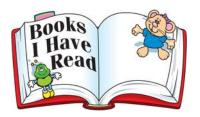
We would like to thank Viv Sercombe for her support of our school with a generous donation of books to our library. We would also like to thank local author Pat Clarke, for a copy of her latest book "Elvira and the Triplets". Dubbo Public School is very fortunate to have such supportive families and a thoughtful community.

#### **Premier's Reading Challenge**

Just a reminder to keep reading for the Premier's Reading Challenge. To log your books on the website, you wil need your school computer username and password. The website address is

http://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html

Go to 'Student Reading Records' and start entering your books. Please see Mrs Porch in the library if you have any enquiries.



#### The Australian Centre for Social Innovation

Do you want to be part of a project that aims to improve educational outcomes for children and young people with disabilities in NSW?

The Australian Centre for Social Innovation (TACSI) is working with the NSW Department of Education to shape the strategy of the NSW education system to improve educational outcomes for children and young people with disabilities and their families. TACSI is a not-for-profit and nongovernmental organisation that works with governments, NGOs and business to create better outcomes for people that needs them. We believe that people are experts in their own lives, so we work with families and individuals to learn from them, and design with them, new or just better ways to deal with the challenges they face. In this project, TACSI is responsible for speaking to children and young people with disabilities and special needs and their families. We will then feed this information back to the Department. If you are interested in sharing your experiences with the education system we would love to meet with you and your family.

Contact details:

Who: Tobias Andreasson

Email: Tobias.andreasson@tacsi.org.au

Call or text: 0402 621 725

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You can find the war memorial in Canberra. Over 8,000 people died during the war in Gallipoli. World War one Started in November 1914.

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