

# Bundarra

## Central School News



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*A small school with big hearts and bigger opportunities.*

Term 2



All young people deserve opportunities and support to succeed in life.

## Principal's Message



Those who stop dreaming are lost.  
~ Australian Aboriginal Proverb



It is unbelievable that we have now come to an end of Semester 1 and what a busy term we have had! The students are to be commended for their involvement in all activities. Thank you to our staff for your dedication and commitment to the students at Bundarra Central School.

It was a privilege to attend the Leadership Day at NSW Parliament House with Bianca Nelson and Tory Vickery. Thank you to Adam Marshall MP who took time out from his busy schedule to share his knowledge and leadership experiences with the Year 12 student leaders. The day was very insightful and it was interesting to explore the life of politics inside Parliament.

The Open Touch Girls team gave us a nail biting game against Cronulla High School in the semi finals. Although we went down in the final stages of the game, the girls (and super coach Mr Henley) can be exceptionally proud of their achievements on the field. Congratulations go to Kimberley O'Donnell who has been selected in the NSW CHS Girls Open Touch Team and to Shanae O'Connor who received recognition as the Players' player in Wagga Wagga last week.

The students looked great in their new hoodies this week. Hopefully these will provide warmth in the coming months.

The theme of NAIDOC week this year is "Because of Her, "We Can" recognising the impacts of Aboriginal women on our lives. Our assembly celebrated the rich history of Aboriginal culture this week in song, dance, poetry and story.

Have a happy and safe holiday and I look forward to the students returning on Tuesday, 24 July 2018.

**Mrs Jennifer Cox**  
Principal



## Secondary News



"Holidays are about experiences and people, and tuning into what you feel like doing at the moment. Enjoy not having to look at a watch." Evelyn Glennie

As another semester comes to a close we start looking forward to Term 3. For our Year 12 students it will be their final full term as school students and they will be busy preparing for the HSC exams with their trial exams mid-term. Many Stage 6 students will undertake their first or second work placement for their Vocational Education courses and Dubbo School of Distance Education teachers will visit to conduct practical assessments. Also in Term 3 our secondary girls will have the opportunity to attend a Girls Resilience Program with Dannielle Miller from Enlighten Education. All secondary students will also have the chance to attend a workshop from Questacon – The National Science and Technology Centre.



Term 3 also brings around the start of the planning for subject selection for many students. Year 10 students will have their three way interviews and start considering their subjects for their senior schooling. Students will be given a course description booklet detailing each of the courses available early next term. I encourage the parents/carers of our Year 10 students to have a conversation with their child around their future plans, strengths and passions prior to the interview to help us best cater for their child.

The Inverell Shire Council have developed an A to Z Youth Directory to assist young people connect with local clubs and volunteering opportunities. The resource is supported by the NSW Government through the Youth Opportunities program. Students who attended the Careers Expo were given a copy of this directory this week. Electronic copies will also be available on the council website. There is also a Youth Calendar of activities on their site- <https://inverell.nsw.gov.au/community/youth-opportunities-program/> and updates on youth programs can be found on the council Facebook page.

I wish all of our Bundarra Central School families a safe and happy holiday and look forward to seeing our students return on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July ready for a busy term full of opportunities.

**Mrs Donna McWhirter**  
**Head Teacher Secondary (R)**



## Secondary News

Semester 1 reports have been posted to families of Year 7 to Year 11 students. I again encourage parents and caregivers to discuss with their children the contents of this important document. As we move into the holidays, it is important that students relax and recover from the term. Students of Year 12 will need to ensure they do the same but also maintain the momentum to prepare and revise their subjects as they will be sitting for their Trial HSC papers in Week 7 next term.

Early next term the university admission centres will be open and ready to accept university applications. The most common date for on time and therefore cheaper processing fees is 30 September. UAC (NSW) and QTAC (Qld) will be sending their Year 12 guides to the school early in the term. Year 12 students please come and get one from the Careers advisor.

### Southern Cross University Taster Days

Southern Cross University- Taster Days July school holidays are coming up and so are the Southern Cross University Taster Days. Year 11 and 12 students are invited to the campuses for an in-depth look into specialist discipline areas and to experience a taste of university life. Gold Coast 12 and 13 July, Coffs Harbour 13 July and Lismore 19 and 20 July 2018. For more information and to register, visit <https://www.scu.edu.au/taster-days/>

### Five Simple Steps to Apply for a Scholarship

With research to do, forms to fill out and deadlines to meet, there is no doubt that applying for a scholarship can be tricky. If you are in the midst of scholarship applications or need some pointers to help you get started, working your way through our five-step checklist of scholarship tips will put your mind ease.

<https://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/education-blogs/tertiary-study/five-steps-to-apply-for-a-scholarship>

Australian Catholic University [http://www.acu.edu.au/study\\_at\\_acu/fees\\_and\\_scholarships/scholarships\\_and\\_financial\\_support/scholarships\\_browser](http://www.acu.edu.au/study_at_acu/fees_and_scholarships/scholarships_and_financial_support/scholarships_browser)

Australian National University

<http://www.anu.edu.au/students/scholarships>

Charles Sturt University

<http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/help-with-costs/scholarships/csu-scholarships-and-grants>

Macquarie University

<https://www.mq.edu.au/study/why-study-here/scholarships/domestic-scholarships-and-grants>

Southern Cross University

<https://www.scu.edu.au/scholarships/index.php/9>

University of Canberra

<http://www.canberra.edu.au/future-students/scholarships-and-financial-support>

University of New England

<http://www.une.edu.au/scholarships/school-leaver>

University of NSW

[http://www.scholarships.unsw.edu.au/scholarships/search?for=HIGH\\_SCHOOL\\_LEAVERS&show=all](http://www.scholarships.unsw.edu.au/scholarships/search?for=HIGH_SCHOOL_LEAVERS&show=all)

University of Newcastle

[https://www.newcastle.edu.au/scholarships#filter=level\\_undergraduate\\_first](https://www.newcastle.edu.au/scholarships#filter=level_undergraduate_first)



 Southern Cross University

**Discover**  
**OPEN DAY** 2018

**Friday 27 July**  
Coffs Harbour campus

**Saturday 28 July**  
Lismore campus

**Sunday 29 July**  
Gold Coast campus

## Secondary News

University of Notre Dame

<https://www.notredame.edu.au/current-students/opportunities/scholarships/sydney>

University of Sydney

<http://sydney.edu.au/scholarships/undergraduate/year12/index.shtml>

University of Technology Sydney

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/scholarships>

Teaching Scholarships

Just released! Scholarships for future teachers are now open! This is a fantastic opportunity for HSC students interested in a teaching career. Students will be paid to study and given a PERMANENT teaching position upon successful completion of their teacher education studies. **Don't miss out on the opportunity for your students to apply for a scholarship with the NSW Department of Education.** They can apply NOW at <https://teach.nsw.edu.au/get-paid-to-study>

Griffith University

Each year Griffith University provides more than 40 million dollars in direct financial support to help new and continuing students successfully complete their degrees. More than 600 scholarships are available to cover tuition, education and living expenses, and students can apply for multiple scholarships with just one application. Applications for 2019 open on 20 July 2018. Explore scholarship options and apply online at <https://www.griffith.edu.au/scholarships>

Music and performing arts programs- new and simplified application process

Griffith University has simplified the application process for audition and admission to the Queensland Conservatorium. Now, applicants only need to apply through QTAC by 24 August 2018.

If students have any questions regarding the new process, they should contact the Queensland Conservatorium at: [qcgu.programsupport@griffith.edu.au](mailto:qcgu.programsupport@griffith.edu.au)

For more information on the new application process, audition requirements and dates visit <https://www.griffith.edu.au/arts-education-law/queensland-conservatorium/learning-and-teaching/audition-information>

Rural Careers

Perhaps you do not want to live and work in a big city, well then this site may be for you. The Rural Career Guide is a combined resource for students and job seekers, new entrants to the industry, parents and educators, counsellors and employers. It features career descriptions, interactive displays, education and training options to highlight career pathways in rural and related industries <http://www.ruralcareers.net.au/>

I encourage students from Stage 5 and Stage 6 to be proactive and to investigate what your options are for the future – an investment of time now will pay off in the years ahead.

Richard Sowden

Head Teacher (T&L)

University of Wollongong

<https://scholarships.uow.edu.au/scholarships/search>

Western Sydney University

[https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/informationabout/scholarships\\_home/find\\_a\\_scholarship](https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/informationabout/scholarships_home/find_a_scholarship)



# Primary News



We have had a great 2 weeks in Primary. Last Friday, the local CWA delivered some lovely knitted scarves, beanies and toys to the K/1/2 class. Thank you very much to the CWA ladies for their generosity. It really brought so much joy to the students. 3/4 have been busy writing poems for NAIDOC week and creating artworks that represent Aboriginal culture. Last week the stage 3 students were introduced to the Quick Smart Online Numeracy Program. This program has been developed by the University of New England and focuses on improving the students speed and accuracy when completing addition, subtraction, multiplication and division problems. This program will continue into second semester. More information about the program will be sent home in term three.



Yesterday we had our whole school assembly for NAIDOC week. A lot of our students were involved in running the assembly and presented a number of speeches, poem and musical items at the assembly, It was a great time for the school community to come together and celebrate NAIDOC week. We had some visitors from Duval High School who did some traditional dances and they ran a very interactive dance workshop for stages 3 and 4 after lunch which the children greatly enjoyed. We also welcomed two members of the Oorala Aboriginal Centre at UNE who presented 2 leadership awards. K-3 spent the afternoon doing some aboriginal inspired dot painting on polished rocks, which was lots of fun.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank all the students, staff and parents for a great term filled with a range of quality learning and teaching experiences. Wishing everyone a safe and happy holiday and I really look forward to working with you all in term three.

**Mrs Emma Johnson**  
Assistant Principal



## Primary News

It has been very rewarding to record an improved number of children borrowing from the library each week. Thank you to all parents and caregivers who have encouraged their children to read and borrow this term. Fostering a love of reading, whether it be a book or magazine, is a very important aspect of every student's learning.

Next term we host The Australian Children's Book Week. This special week runs from the 17<sup>th</sup> to the 24<sup>th</sup> August. The theme for 2018 is "Find Your Treasure". To build enthusiasm and help gain a greater appreciation of reading the children will work through the topics: Dig up your next great treasure, Embark on a reading hunt, Give the treasure of reading, Find your Book Week parade costume, Plunder the library, Set off on a book hunt to find the best tourist book destination, Discover an author, Dive into mystery, comedy and adventure, Read like a Pirate and Share your treasure.

The children are listening to, and discussing, the short listed books from the various categories. When it is nearer, the actual date they will have the opportunity to vote for which book they think is the winner in each category. These categories are Older Readers, Younger Readers, Early Childhood, The Picture Book Of The Year: Early Childhood, Eve Pownall Award and Chrichton Award For New illustrators. The actual winners are to be announced on the 17<sup>th</sup> August. There will also be a Book Fair during Book Week. More detail about the fair will be forwarded home nearer the date.

I encourage our students to keep reading in the search to discover their next great book!

**Pam Doak**  
Librarian



*Congratulations to our super borrowers.*

*Andrew, Kayley, Elise, Jemma, Maddison H, Maddison S, Zander, Angus, Hugh, Jaida, Connor, Chase, Darcy, Annabelle, Lucas and Brydee.*

**PBL**

PBL Winners:  
Hugh Hamilton - K/1/2  
Indiana Bayes - 3/4  
Kayley Smith - 5/6  
Talerah Munro - 7/8  
Jesse Nelson - 9/10  
Shanae Vickery - 11/12  
Congratulations to all students who have been rewarded for doing the right thing and following the core values.

*Respect*

*Involvement*

*Responsibility*

**NAIDOC Assembly**







**Do you want a Men's Shed in Bundarra?**

**Are you interested in helping out?**

**If this sounds like you,  
you're invited to an open  
meeting / information session**

***Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> JULY 2018 @ 2.00PM***

***Bundarra Sport & Recreation Club***

A representative from the Inverell Men's Shed, Uralla Shire Council and Adam Marshall will be attending to provide information and answer any questions

**All Welcome**

**(Ladies feel free to come along; it's not just for the men)**

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For more information please contact

Dick Goodall - 6723 7473 or Bruce Mclean - 6723 7178

## Good for Kids good for life

### HOW MUCH PHYSICAL ACTIVITY DO KIDS NEED?

Do you know how much physical activity your child should participate in each day?

Children aged 5-12 years should spend at least 60 minutes in moderate to vigorous physical activity every day.

Moderate intensity activities include fast walking or riding a bike or scooter.

Vigorous intensity activities make you 'huff and puff' and include running, chasing and playing tag, and organised sports such as soccer or netball.



PHONE 49246299

## Good for Kids good for life

### RECIPE: HONEY SOY CHICKEN STIR-FRY

INGREDIENTS	QUANTITY
Chicken breast, cut into strips	500g
Soy sauce	1/4 cup
Honey	2 Tbs
Garlic, minced	2tsp
Carrot cut into strips	2
Onion cut into wedges	1
Capsicum cut into thin strips	1/2
Udon noodles	2 x 200g



#### METHOD

1. Combine chicken with soy sauce, honey and garlic. Set aside for 5 minutes to marinate.
2. Heat oil in wok or frying pan over high heat. Drain chicken from marinade and stir fry in batches until just cooked through. Remove from wok and set aside.
3. Add vegetables to wok and cook lightly, stirring constantly.
4. Return chicken and reserved marinade to wok with noodles and toss until heated through.

**Tips:** You can add as many vegetables as you like including: green beans, snow peas, mushrooms, zucchini, bok choy etc.

Source: Kidspot



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