Week 8 Term 2

Principal
Toby Morgan
Executive
Early Stage 1 & Stage 1
Paul Gray
Stage 2
Jordan Moran (Rel)
Stage 3 & Support
Jemma Harding

Dates for your Diary

Term 2 - June
19th Infants Assembly
KT hosting 2.45pm
3-6 Social 6-8pm
24th Parent/Teacher Interviews
25th Whole School Assembly 2.45pm
27th Theatre Performance
13 Storey Treehouse
Last day of Term

Term 3 - July
15th School resumes
16th P&C Meeting 7pm
Pastoral Hotel
18th Athletics Carnival

Message from the Principal
Dear Parents and Caregivers,

School Photos
These returned last week and were handed out across the school by teachers. They look fantastic and will be a great keepsake for years to come. If you have any issues with the pictures or your order please contact advanced life photography on 1300 728 972 and not the school, as all orders were placed and filled by the company.

Nationally Consistent Collection of Data sheets
Please read through the sheet regarding this that is being sent home with the newsletter today. Students at school that have a disability or a learning difficulty receive additional support at school, either through the involvement of school staff or by adjustments made to their learning by their classroom teacher. By 2015 it will be mandatory to record all these adjustments on a central data base as evidence that our students are all being catered for, academically, socially and emotionally. If you’re happy for this to occur, then you don’t need to do a thing – there is no testing, no meetings and no disclosure of information. Otherwise complete the form and send it back to school.

Parent/Teacher Interviews
These are set down for next Tuesday evening and it would be great to see a large turn up of parents and carers. These meetings are set to discuss Semester 1 reports and to discuss and adjust targets set in Semester 1 Individual Education Plans. Please return them ASAP so that an acceptable time can be allocated to you by your child’s classroom teacher. The evening will run from 3:50 until 6:30pm to accommodate those parents that work.

Week 9
There is lots happening Week 9 on the sporting field, on the stage and in the classroom so please ensure you continue to send your children to school right up until Friday the 27th June. At the end of Term 4 the school is allocated 2 Staff Development Days for teachers to receive relevant Professional Learning. This year we have decided to shift these to the weekend of Week 2, Term 4. This will have no impact on your children as they will still finish school on Wednesday 17th December. Please let me know if this causes any issues for you, but as I said it won’t impact on the students at all.

Have a great week.

Toby Morgan Principal

Active After School Care
Students will be attending a Lawn Bowls session on Thurs 19th June, at Club Dubbo. Parents welcome. Students will go by bus at 3.30pm & parents pick up at Club Dubbo at 4.45pm. No cost This will be the Final day for Term 2.
CANTEEN Meal Deal
Thursday 19th June
Chicken & Gravy Roll
Splitz Ice Block
$5.00

Library Update
The 13 Storey Treehouse
The outstanding production of this hilarious book is on Friday 27th June, 2014.
Cost is $20 to cover bus travel and ticket price.
Places are still available! Don't miss out on the fun!

Question of the Week
This has been a very popular activity in the library. Every week there at over thirty children entering (some more than once). It's great to see children putting their research skills to use, and to watch their excitement when the winners are announced each Friday.

This week's question: Which comic strip is Charles Schulz famous for writing?

Claim the Date
- Dubbo North Book Fair will be here from 28th July, 2014.

Claiming the Date
Twilight Fete 7th November
Start potting up your plants & cuttings, finding your cake recipes, putting aside items for the white elephant stall (quality items in good & working order etc).
Kids start saving your money for a fun day!

Keeping Up With Kinder
Birthday Cakes:
Just a reminder that if your child has an upcoming birthday and you would like to celebrate with baked goods for the class, please advise your child’s teacher or complete a birthday form at the front office before the date. This is to ensure that students with food allergies are catered for and the goods are able to be eaten.
We look forward to seeing you all at the Parent Teacher Interviews on Tuesday 24th June.

Students of the Week
Term 2 Week 7
KC  Tully Pickering
KT  Hannah Bruce
1B  Kyanna Hall
1/2G  Summar Freeman
2W  Casey Church-Lenord
3/4L  Tasean Hall
3/4S  Janessa McDougall
4/5A  Rikkileigh Egan
5/6H  Caleb Ris
6E  Dayna Weir
5S  Ben Pepper
5K  Brendan Irwin

Uniform Class Awards
For Week 8 - 1/2G

3-6 Social
Thursday 19th June
School Hall 6pm to 8pm
Wear your PJ’s
$5 (entry + drink & chips)
Award for Best Dressed boy & girl & also Best Dancer

Supa Breakfast
Breakfast is on Tuesday mornings in the Planning Room classroom from 8.30am to 9am. Come along & have breakfast & share some “good news” stories.
DREAM Cricket

Last week a number of our students visited Dubbo Public School to participate in DREAM Cricket workshops. These workshops provided an opportunity for these students who require individualised support to play in a team sport. They participated in cricket skills; batting, bowling & catching. There was much fun & lots of laughter & everyone had a great day.

Dubbo Regional Theatre production

The 13-Storey Treehouse

Friday 27th June $20.00

This is a children’s book by Andy Griffiths & Terry Denton. It is a humorous tale of meeting deadlines & living in the most fabulous treehouse. It has been adopted into a brilliant theatre show. Today's the day they are going to bring their stories to the stage in their first play—except they forgot to write it! Where will they find flying cats, a mermaid, a sea monster & a giant gorilla?

DON'T MISS OUT!

STILL PLENTY OF TICKETS
Community News

Taronga Western Plains Zoo: School Holiday Program:
For Primary aged students 5-12 years.
Tues 1st July to Fri 4th July & Mon 7th July to Thurs 10th July.
Time: 8.30am to 3.30pm. Early Bird Special $40 per child if booked before Fri 20th June, or $55 after 20th June.
For more information including booking form www.taronga.org.au/ZooAdventuresDubbo or phone the zoo on 6881 1433.

Macquarie Regional Library.: School Holiday Program.
- Join in the Winter Reading Club – BOOK BINGO – all ages welcome. Register in the library and complete three reading challenges in a row to collect your prize.
- Holiday Programs – PICTURE THIS! – fun illustration activities for 5-8 yrs & 9-12 yrs & most are FREE. Call the library for dates and times. Special guest Marcelo Baez will be hosting two workshops. Marcelo has drawn for Marvel, Zac Power & more, and will teach techniques to create your own interesting comic characters. These special workshops are for 9-12 yrs & 12+ & cost only $5. Bookings for holiday programs open June 16.
- Characters from Wombat Stew The Musical, a Garry Ginivan Attraction, will be visiting the library on Saturday August 2, at 11.30am prior to their show at the Dubbo Regional Theatre and Convention Centre. This special Storytime would suit children from 3-8 years & their families. Bookings required.
- Premiers Reading Challenge continues until August 29. The Macquarie Regional Library has many PRC titles, labelled for easy identification, so come in & borrow more books through the holidays.
For more information, please contact the Library on 6801 4510.

Litter Prevention
Last Tuesday our school had Karen Hagan from the Dubbo City Council, who visited students in their classrooms to talk about litter prevention & how it effects rivers & animals. She also gave our bins a sticker to remind us to put our rubbish in the bin.

P&C Uniform Shop
Open Thursdays 3pm to 4pm
Or leave an order form & money at the Office & it will be filled on Thursday.

Who’s been walking on the path?