**Message from the Principal**

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

**NAIDOC**

Please set aside Thursday the 28th August as DNPS is celebrating NAIDOC and I’d like to express an open invitation to our school community to join us on this special day. Students will be face painting, painting boomerangs, learning Aboriginal dancing, loom/bead threading and making Johnny Cakes. We’ll then be enjoying a BBQ lunch and it promises to be a great day, so it would be great to see our school community in attendance.

**Publicity**

Please keep an eye out in Tuesdays Liberal as the school regularly includes an article and photos in the Classroom Liberal section. It’s a great way to advertise our school and to celebrate the many achievements of our talented students.

**Colder Weather**

Please ensure students are coming to school dressed appropriately for the colder weather this term. Too regularly I’m seeing students turn up to school in shorts/skorts and a shirt, with no sign of a jumper or long pants. Remember there are jumpers for sale through the school’s clothing pool or the P & C uniform shop is open from 3:00 – 4:00pm on Thursday afternoons. Alternatively, orders can be placed at the front office which will be filled on Thursday afternoons and handed to students on Friday.

**Captain’s Assembly**

Tomorrow afternoon proud parents will be pinning their child’s class captain badges on at our special Captain’s assembly. It would be great for all parents to be there, as I know how important this is to the students.

**Athletics Carnival**

Thanks to the P&C for running the canteen & to the parents who braved the cold to come out & support the students. A great day was had by all with some students qualifying for the DDPSSA Carnival on the 15th August.

Have a great week.
Toby Morgan Principal
Responsible     Safe     Respectful

CANTEEN Meal Deal
Thursday 24th July
Hot Dog & Pkt Chicken Jumpys
$5.50

Wombat Stew Performance
Monday 4th August
Wombat Stew is coming to the
Dubbo Regional Theatre

for Kindergarten, &
Years 1,2,3 & 4

Tickets are available through
the office for only $20 each.
A note of invitation is accompa-
nying this Newsletter.
Don’t miss this amazing show!

Book Fair is only a week away!
Come and see the interesting selection of books, stationery and posters in
the Library starting Monday 28th July, at lunch time.
All proceeds go towards the purchase of resources for the Library.

Book Parade & Pizza Lunch:
Which character will you be parading as on Wednesday 30th July?
The parade will begin at 12:15pm under the shelter in front of the canteen.
There will be a special lunch of individual pizzas. These can be ordered from the canteen for
$4 each. Money & order forms to be back by Friday 25th.

Art Show:
The Art Gallery of all of the children's Connecting with Reading artworks will be on display
in the Hall.

Come along and join all the fun!
Athletics Carnival

On your mark, get set & GO!

Sacha tries to keep warm

Max gets a little help from some friends

Even the teachers rug up!

Cold & windy but lots of fun!
Zumba begins this Friday 25th July  
Cost is $20 for 10 lessons  
No payment & note means you cannot participate!  
Please return your note & money to class teacher by tomorrow Wednesday.

Don’t Forget!  
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!

Community News

Where to Have a Hearing Test in Dubbo for Children:
Community Health: Palmer St, Dubbo 6885 8999 - You do not need a GP referral. Maybe 3-4 mth wait.  
Hearing Life: 66 Bultje St, Dubbo 6882 0807 - Cost is $40 not covered by Medicare. Private Health Ins., may get some money back. Do not need GP referral. For children over 4yrs.  
Australian Hearing: 10 Cobra St, Dubbo 6881 2400. Children under 3yrs, parent can make an appointment, over 3yrs need Ear Specialist referral. Testing is free. Please give a copy of all tests to class teacher.  
Macquarie Regional Library: Sneek Peek Performance & storytime with the cast of Wombat Stew. Saturday 2nd Aug - 11.30am. Bookings 6801 4510.  
Coles Trivia Night: 2nd August. 6pm Dubbo RSL Auditorium. 10 per table. $20 per person (non-refundable) due to catering, includes hot nibbles. Auctions & raffles throughout the night. Proceeds to Dubbo’s Orana Early Intervention. Please RSVP Debbie or Sharon 6882 6366.  
Autism Spectrum: Recipe for Success Workshop. Dubbo RSL 12th, 13th & 14th August. 9.30am - 2.30pm Register at www.autismspectrum.org.au or contact Jodi 6628 3660. Free to parent/carers or family members & professionals who attend with a family.  
Dubbo Stampede Running Festival:  
To be held at Taronga Western Plains Zoo on Sunday 7th September. 5.5km Dingo Dash (walk jog or run), 10km Cheetah Chase, 21.1km Zebra Zoom & 42.2km Rhino Ramble. Get a team together & register at www.dubbostampede.com.au