Week 7 Term 3
Monday 26th August 2013

Show Day
Tuesday 27th August
Election Day Stall
Saturday 7th September
Working Bee
Sunday 8th September
1st Chalk/Parent Direct orders due
Tuesday 10th September
Time Trave Detectives Workshop Parkes Library
Thursday 19th September
End of Term
Friday 20th September

Student of the week

Marc
For working Independently during reading groups.

Show Day
Tomorrow, Tuesday 27th August, is the gazetted holiday for the Parkes Show. There will be no school that day.

School Beanies
The P&C recently purchased navy blue beanies to sell to the school children for $10. If you would like to purchase a beanie, please see Christine in the office or call the school on 68641124.

Bedgerabong Show Results
Congratulations to Naomi Dunn, Jack Smith and Melanie Randall for gaining prizes at the recent Bedgerabong Show.

Naomi Dunn 1st Place- Kindergarten Collage
Jack Smith 3rd Place- Year 1 Collage
Melanie Randall 2nd Place- Year 2 Collage

Absences
In line with the DEC Absence Policy student absences from school should be explained with a phone call or a note within 3 days of the absence. If your child/children will be absent for more than 3 days a phone call to the school explaining this is needed.

Absences are recorded electronically each week and a note will be sent home on the newsletter for any unexplained absences. If you have an absence note attached to your newsletter please return it tomorrow.

Did you bring your home reader/s and library books back today?
Bring them tomorrow please!!!
Labelling of Clothing
Please ensure all items of clothing, including jumpers and hats, are labelled clearly with your child’s name.

Federal Election Stall
If you are able to help in running the stall on election day please phone Shelley or Christine to put your name on the roster.

Working Bee
There will be a working bee at school on Sunday 8th September. There is a bit of work to be done so if you have a spare few hours please join us from 9.30am. There will be a free sausage sizzle lunch for the workers at 12.30pm. Please let the school know if you will be joining us. We need numbers for catering.

School Newsletter Via Email
If you would like to receive our weekly school newsletter via email each week, please contact Alana or Christine on 68641124.

Lunch Orders
Lunch orders for next week are lasagne and jelly cups. The jelly cups proved very popular last week. Orders need to be returned to school by Monday 2nd September.

School Grounds
Students are not permitted to be on the school grounds before or after school hours due to lack of supervision. School hours are 8:45am-3:15pm Monday to Friday. If you would like to utilise the tennis court, cricket nets, oval or paved areas of the school, please phone Rosey to organise the use of these areas.

Whole School Excursion
Our excursion will be held in week 3 of Term 4, 23rd to 25th October. This will be a whole school excursion to Dubbo Zoo for a sleepover plus other activities that are currently being organised. The cost of the excursion will be $150 per student. If you would like to start paying the cost of the excursion in instalments please contact Christine in the office, either in person or by ringing 68641124. All school teaching staff will be attending the excursion. All Kindergarten parents are invited to come along on the excursion at no extra cost to them. Please call Rosey to discuss this.

Although the lending library is still being set up in our parents lounge in the Staff Room, we have a selection of books in boxes for you to borrow.

If you would like to borrow a book from our lending library, feel free to come up to the school and see a staff member.
Swimming Carnival
Due to the beginning of the year being busy and to allow time for the students to settle into routine after the holidays we are looking at holding our school swimming carnival as a fun day during the last few weeks of Term 4. We will still hold events for the students to compete in to allow a champion house and individual champions to be decided.

Students will get the opportunity to compete in a swimming carnival during our swimming carnival with the other Small Schools. If you have any concerns or suggestions please contact Rosey.

Antique Car Rally
Thank you to all who helped with the cooking and serving at the Antique Car Rally lunch. Photos will be in next week’s newsletter.

Week 6 Assembly
Congratulations to the following students for receiving awards during our Week 6 Assembly. Thank you to those who attended the assembly.

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<th>Student</th>
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<td>Marissa Suutala</td>
<td>For: Settling in well into her new school. Excellent participation in art lessons.</td>
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<td>Jason Gerry</td>
<td>For: Being helpful in the classroom.</td>
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<td>Logan Harvey</td>
<td>For: Outstanding efforts in all areas.</td>
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<td>Aidan Kirk</td>
<td>For: Improvement in attitude towards his work.</td>
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<td>Hannah Webb</td>
<td>2nd Prize for her Chocolate Cake at the Trundle Show.</td>
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<td>Zac McDonald</td>
<td>Participation in the ICAS Spelling Exam.</td>
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<td>Hannah Webb</td>
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<td>Julia Dunn</td>
<td>Credit in the ICAS Spelling Exam and Writing Exam.</td>
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Chalk/Parent Direct Order
Dates
10th September
18th October
18th November
Phone Christine on 68641124 or 68645174 for more information
Our New Resources

Solar System Art
Enrol and enjoy the first English Soccer School Program to be held in the Central West, aimed at kids from 3-14, ESS (Australia) brings UK accredited and certified coaching to your kids. Not only is this a brilliant way to stay active during the holidays but we also helps kids of all age groups improve their soccer skills.

There are three basic ESS age groups:

**Nipper Roo Program for 3-5 year olds (1 hour program daily).**

**Development Training for 6-9 year olds (2.5 hours x 2 days).**

**Development & Advanced Training 10-14 year olds (2.5 hours x 2 days).**

Please note registration closes Monday 2nd September.

1. Nipper Roo Program: $5 per 1 hour session including fruit drink. English Premier League Replica Kit optional - $10.

2. 6-9 and 10-14 age groups $40 for 2 days includes English Premier League Kit, drinks, light sandwiches and fruit.

For Inquiries and Registration Please Call:

English Soccer School (Australia)

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Mob: 0412287810
Email: [englishssaustralia@yahoo.com.au](mailto:englishssaustralia@yahoo.com.au)

To be held at: Forbes Indoor Sports Centre, 42 Sam Street, Forbes.