Welcome Back
Hi Everyone, I hope you have all had a great holiday and are looking forward to another exciting term at school. Joshua Evans is the School Captain for this term with Bobbie Smith and Bryce Gavin-Rossiter as his supports if needed. In Week 3 some of our students will be participating in the ICAS English competition as well as the District Athletics in Parkes. Good luck to those students.

“Wombat Stew”
Students will be attending a performance at the Dubbo Regional Theatre based on the Marcia K. Vaughan highly acclaimed novel “Wombat Stew”. The performance is on Monday 4th August at 1:30pm. Transport will be by school bus. Students will need to take morning and afternoon tea and a drink bottle. Lunch will be Pizza and is included in the cost. A permission note is attached to this weeks newsletter and must be returned before Friday 1st August.

The cost is $25 for one child, $40 for two children and $50 for three children attending. The school and the P&C are paying for over half the cost of this, and any future, Theatre excursions. Payment is due before Friday 1st August and can be made anytime in the next 3 weeks. When sending money to school please make sure the envelope is sealed and your child’s name and the reason for sending the money in is marked clearly on the front.

For more information please feel free to contact the school. If you would like to read “Wombat Stew” to your child it is available from the school and Parkes libraries.

P and C Meeting
Our next P&C meeting will be held on Thursday 31st July in the school staff room. The meeting will begin at 3.30pm and all parents and community members are welcome. The cost of membership is $2.00 per year. Please come along and have your say on school issues. We will also start organising the school fete which will be held later on this term. Don’t forget if you would like anything brought up at the meeting it must be on the agenda 3 days before the meeting. The agenda is located on the P&C cupboard in the school office.
Lunch Orders
Lunch orders will resume on the 6th August. If you have any suggestions of lunch orders please let Mrs Webb know.

NAIDOC Day
We will be celebrating NAIDOC with Trundle Central School this year. Students will travel by bus to Trundle on Tuesday 22nd July at 8.30am, take part in a variety of activities, have recess and lunch then return to school soon after. Students will need to take recess, drink bottles and hats. Lunch will be a sausage sizzle which is being provided by Trundle school. Students are to wear school uniform with sports shoes or dress in red, yellow and black clothing (Aboriginal Flag colours).

The attached permission note for this event must be returned to school by next Monday, 21st July.

Casual List
If you are interested in putting your name down for casual office and classroom work please phone or send your resume to the school. We will be having a training day for the MULTILIT reading program on Thursday 31st August starting at 9.00am.

Education Week
Education week will be held during Week 3 this term. We would like to invite parents, carers and community members to attend an assembly and morning tea on Tuesday 29th July 2014 at 10:30am.

All parents and carers are encouraged to attend. Students love to see their family at school and look forward to showing off some of the work they have been doing over the last term.
**NAIDOC DAY Permission Note**

I give permission for my child/children __________________________ to attend the NAIDOC Day celebrations at Trundle Central School on Tuesday 22nd July 2014.

I understand children will travel by bus and that lunch will be provided.

Please return this permission note by Monday 21st July 2014.

Signed: __________________________ Date: __________________________

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**Wombat Stew Permission Note**

I give permission for my child/children __________________________ to attend the Bogan Gate Public School Excursion to see “Wombat Stew” Theatre Production at Dubbo Regional Theatre on Monday 4th August 2014.

I understand children will travel by bus and that lunch will be pizza and is included in the cost. The cost is $25 for one child, $40 for two children and $50 for three children attending.

Please return this permission note and any money by Friday 1st August.

Signed: __________________________ Date: __________________________