



Bathurst South Public School - Newsletter

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Term 4, Week 5, 13th November 2019

Dear Families,

Our thoughts are presently with those communities who are experiencing the devastating effects of bushfires and extreme weather conditions. As a school community I am sure we will respond and support those in need however best we can.

SHOW YOUR SUPPORT



For over four months our Schools Spectacular girls have rehearsed tirelessly in readiness for their upcoming performances. Exactly this time next week, they will be at Qudos Arena in Sydney completing a full dress rehearsal. Details of the televised event will be made available so that you can watch this spectacle at a future date. I cannot thank Ms Chiamonte and Miss Felicity enough for their organisation and the level of work that has gone into this opportunity for the students.

A big **Thank You** is extended to YBM 'Yates – Baker – McLean' Accountants and Business Advisors, who so kindly donated \$250 towards the Schools Spectacular excursion.



Recently we sent out an 'Expression of Interest' note to all Year 2 parents to gauge the level of interest in an overnight excursion next year, when the students would be in Year 3. We received 13 positive responses which at this stage, is not enough to successfully organise such an excursion. However we will look at organising a full day excursion for Year 3 students, that ties in with the content of lessons being taught within the classes next year.



This week Mr Snitch tested all of our Year 2 students, as well as those interested Year 3-5 students, and their instrument suitability for the school band in 2020. Each participating student received an expression of interest letter outlining the terms of our band, as well as their suitability to a particular instrument. Any interested families can return this letter to secure a spot in the 2020 band. Existing band members also received a letter this week, to confirm their place in next year's band.

Several school leaders and other members of our school student body led a wonderful Remembrance Day ceremony on Monday. I thank all staff and students for their respect and acknowledgement demonstrated during the ceremony.



Nine Year 5 students have been nominated and have accepted their nomination to run for a 2020 school leadership position. These students will very soon present an election speech to the student population. This is immediately followed by staff and student voting. This will determine our 6 student leaders, a second round of voting by staff and student leaders will determine the 2020 School Captains and Student Leaders. Specific dates within this process will be communicated in next week's newsletter.

Today, all Scripture students received a permission note regarding an excursion to the Presbyterian Church, for the end of Year Christmas Assembly. There is no cost for this excursion. All notes to be returned to the school as soon as possible.



Our 'Keeping On Track' winners for this week are **Dana Douglas-Young**. Dana received a \$5.00 canteen voucher as their prize. Well done!



Our Year 6 students are busy preparing for the Mini Fete which will be held on November 29.

Yours sincerely,

Greg Cross

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Principal



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Term 4 Calendar

14 November - Kinder 2020 Transition 9:00 am - 11:00 am

15 November - Schools Spec Rehearsal Cowra

21 November - NetWaste Presentation

21 November - Kinder 2020 Transition 9:00 am - 11:00 am

22 November - DotPoint BINGO night 6:00 pm-9:00 pm, in School Hall

29 November - Year 6 Mini Fete

4 December - Year 7 Transition, Denison College – Bathurst & Kelso Campus's

4 December - Special Assembly - 2020 Leadership Speeches

5 December - AECG Awards

6 December - Student Reports Sent Home

9-13 December - Parent Teacher Interviews

10 December - Year 6 Farewell & 3-6 Disco

12 December - Presentation Day 9:30 am

12 December - Christmas Carols

13 December - Principals Morning Tea

16 December - PBL-On Track Day

18 December - Students Last Day of 2019

Reminders

Be sure to get your notes and deposits for the **Stage 3 Canberra** (filling fast) and **Stage 2 Brewongle** excursions to secure your place.



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2BS GOLD
Local Voices

**2BS BATHURST LIONS CLUB
XMAS MIRACLE APPEAL**

2BS LIONS CHRISTMAS MIRACLE APPEAL

It's on again! 2BS are very happy that we are again involved in the Christmas Miracle appeal to help others enjoy Christmas. We have been able to provide fantastic support in previous years.

Please send along **non-perishable** goods towards this great cause. Could you please ensure these items are still within their 'best before' date. Our SRC helpers will collect these items each morning from your child's classroom and the SRC will keep a tally of which class has brought in the most items. There will be a special treat for our winning class!

All items must be in by Monday 29th November.
SRC Committee

FREE FAMILY NIGHT | DINNER - PRIZES - BINGO

BATHURST SOUTH PUBLIC SCHOOL HALL | 6PM - 9PM

THANK YOU TO LOCAL BUSINESSES WHO HAVE DONATED

CONTACT: HAILEE PROVEST 0439 112 058

3RD ANNUAL BINGO NIGHT HOSTED BY DOTPOINT

RSVP ON FACEBOOK EVENT

AWARD ANNOUNCEMENTS

Merit Awards

Kaia A'Hearn, Lily Houston, Solomon Wheatley, Georgie Clarke, Janaya Schofield, Isaac Katoa, Hunter Noonan, Lachlan Davis, Haylee Gitt, Camella Waddell, Lachlan Forrest, Phoenix Cottier, Owyn Coetsee, Ethan Potts, Conner Eagles, Rufus Fox-Allan, Dana Douglas-Young, Ben Reichelt, Mia Phelps, Andrew Cutler, Jaxyn Hodges, Nicholas Fraser, Ruby Elphick, Holly Cocorelis, Charlie Clark x2, Rory Elphick x2, Sophie Day x2

Large Awards

Mya Hawkins

Book Awards

Adelaide

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) News

The three expectations that we have at Bathurst South are being Respectful, being a Positive Learner and being Safe. This week students have been focusing on expected behaviour when visiting the Canteen. As part of our school wide acknowledgement system all students will receive an extra 10 minutes play this week.

SAFE

RESPECTFUL

POSITIVE LEARNER

Canteen	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Line up in two lines	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Use mannersWait patientlyKnow your order	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Have your money ready
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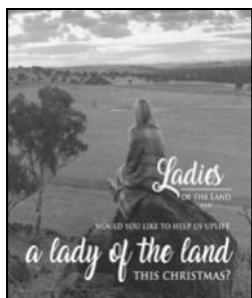
Michelle Chiaramonte

P&C News

Drought and Fire Appeals

There are plenty of people doing it very tough at the moment.
Your P&C would like to encourage everyone to give what they can to help those out that are less fortunate.

Two great appeals happening at the moment are the Ladies of the Land and the PCYC Bushfire Appeal.



Let's help make Christmas a little better for our **Ladies of the Land** during the drought.

You can help by simply:

- >Filling a shoebox with special pamper items
- >Wrapping the box in newspaper and tying a ribbon around it
- >Delivering it by 10th December (to ensure delivery before Christmas) to John Matthews Pharmacy, 117 George St.

Our PCYC are collecting items of clothing, personal care, linen, non perishable food etc.

- >Deliver items to Bathurst PCYC, Cnr Morrisset & Commonwealth St, by this Friday 15th November, this will allow donations to be delivered to Taree PCYC.



Year 6 Mini Fete 2019



Friday 29th November



Pay just \$2 to be scared out of your SKIN!



PITSTOP

Milkshakes \$2
Spiders \$2
Cans of drink \$1



FACE
PAINTING
Be someone
else and
have your
face painted.
\$2 Full-face
\$1 Half-face

Hair Spray



\$1 Streaks
\$2 Whole head



Slot Cars



Scrunchies for Everyone!



ROLLER COASTER
SIMULATOR

MINI CARNIVAL

~Lots of mini games to play and loads of FUN!



Chocolate Toss



King of the Hill

Buy your slime from
the Slime Sisters



You can
start bringing
in your
money now!