



# WEST NEWS

WEDNESDAY 21 November 2018 | TERM 4

## A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents/Carers

The term is continuing to fly past with our student leaders again freely giving their time to represent the school in the community at the Remembrance Service on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> November at the Cenotaph. Lachlan, Sarah and Sovanah were fabulous, respectful representatives as they laid a wreath.

This week, we are being represented at Schools Spectacular, with Circus West having been asked to perform. Our very own Rachele McLane will be seen riding on the shoulders of someone who is riding a unicycle and also using staff. Mr Woodhead is also there and we wish Circus West well with their performance. 'Break a Leg'.

The preselection of our School Leaders for 2019 has occurred. Emily Blunt, Justine Leven, Rachele McLane, Amelia Percy, Rafferty Kater, Brandon Lemon, Lucas Luckie and George Thomas will present their speeches as to why they should be Captain for 2019. Voting by students in years 2 – 6 and staff will take place immediately after, with badges being presented at Presentation Day. Parents are most welcome to attend.

In staffing news, our vacant position has been filled by our Staffing Unit. I have great pleasure in welcoming Emma Starr as a permanent member of staff from the beginning of 2019. Emma has been working with us over a number of years and is committed to the academic achievement and well-being of our students so it is fabulous news that she will be here permanently

This morning I had the very great pleasure of accompanying Cody Low to a hearing symposium which he addressed. It was a very big deal for him to stand in a room full of adults and welcome them, telling them to care for their child's hearing. I was extremely proud of the way this young man carried himself and represented the school. Well done, Cody.

Our concert rehearsal will be next Tuesday with our concert set for Thursday. I encourage everyone to be here as this year's concert will be even bigger than last year. I look forward to seeing you on the day. Please remember to pre-order for the BBQ so that we are able to cater effectively. All money raised will go to the school.

Finally, staff are considering trialling a change to playground routines. It has been suggested that the whole school be open to all students during both breaks. This will mean that both Infants and Primary students will be able to access the large field for organised games such as football or soccer (these will be separate eg. Infants game and Primary game), the play equipment, circus, or quieter areas such as the Library or Block C during both breaks. This suggestion has been put to the School Representative Council who thought it worth a try and to the Executive of the P & C. PBL lessons are also being written so that students are well aware of what this will look like and the expectations that are a part of this process. Should you have any questions in regards to this, please do not hesitate to contact me or an executive member at the school. Remember, this is only a trial (weeks 8 and 9) so we would like your feedback before determining whether to continue next year.

*Remember: Believe that life is worth living and your belief will help create the fact.*

Regards

*Eileen Day  
Principal*





## Term 4- 2018 Planner

| Week     | Mon   | Tue   | Wed  | Thu  | Fri   |
|----------|---|---|--|--|---|
| 6<br>Nov | 19  | 20<br><i>Hear Our Heart</i><br>Yrs 3 - 6  | 21<br><i>Transition to Delroy</i><br>1pm<br><br><i>Step Up Program</i><br>2-3pm<br><br><i>Transition to Kinder</i><br>2-3pm  | 22<br><i>Hear Our Heart</i><br>P2 & Priorities<br><br><i>Primary Assembly</i><br>2:15pm                        | 23<br><i>Infants Assembly</i><br>10.30am        |
| 7<br>Nov | 26<br><i>Captains Speeches</i><br>Yrs 2-6   | 27<br><i>Concert Dress</i><br><i>Rehearsal</i>  | 28<br><i>Transition to Delroy</i><br>1pm<br><br><i>Step Up Program</i><br>2-3pm<br><br><i>Transition to Kinder</i><br>2-3pm  | 29<br>Whole School<br>Concert 10-12 & BBQ  | 30  |
| 8        | 3<br><i>School Swimming</i><br>Scheme 12-1.20pm<br><br><i>Stage 2 Choir to</i><br><i>Delroy Park</i><br><i>Shopping</i><br><i>Centre 10am</i> | 4<br><i>School Swimming</i><br>Scheme 12-1.20pm<br><br><i>Stage 3 Choir to</i><br><i>Riverdale &amp; Bracken</i><br><i>House 9.30am</i> | 5<br><i>School Swimming</i><br>Scheme 12-1.20pm<br><br><i>Transition to Delroy</i><br>1pm<br><br><i>Step Up Program</i><br>2-3pm<br><br><i>Transition to Kinder</i><br>2-3pm | 6<br><i>School Swimming</i><br>Scheme 12-1.20pm<br><br><i>Christmas Scripture</i><br><i>Puppet Show 2.30pm</i> | 7<br><i>School Swimming</i><br>Scheme 12-1.20pm |

### *Dates for your Calendar*

Thursday 29 November **Whole School Concert & BBQ**

Tuesday 11 December **Presentation Day**

Thursday 13 December **Year 6 Graduation**

Wednesday 19 December **Last Day for Students**

## FOCUS

### Weeks 6 and 7

#### **STUDENT FOCUS:**

*Being safe in the mornings  
from arrival at school to  
bell time.*

#### **BOOSTER LESSON:**

*Being safe in & around the  
toilets & bubblers.*



# STAR

TERM 4 WINNERS

| Week 4                    |                                      |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <i>KBlue</i>              | Milla Campion<br>Blake Darlington    |
| <i>KGreen</i>             | Charlee Hines<br>Takyrh Smith        |
| <i>KYellow</i>            | Tyler Barnett<br>Lucas Shea          |
| <i>1B</i>                 | Tyeisha Kirby<br>Oewn White          |
| <i>1G</i>                 | Freya Speer<br>Mackenzie Taylor      |
| <i>1W</i>                 | Jacobi Park<br>Zac Elbourne-Binns    |
| <i>2H</i>                 | Tasi Mbire<br>Theo Holmes            |
| <i>2S</i>                 | Sharnell Ramirez<br>Chloe Darlington |
| <i>3G</i>                 | Toby Eakin<br>Ella Clark             |
| <i>3/4C</i>               | Harry Jones<br>Lakita Jackson        |
| <i>3/6K</i>               | Zac Lane<br>Jaidyn Sutton            |
| <i>4H</i>                 | Rory Luckie<br>Katie Parker          |
| <i>5N</i>                 |                                      |
| <i>5/6L</i>               |                                      |
| <i>5/6P</i>               |                                      |
| <i>6G</i>                 | Nancy-Rose Yeo<br>Jack Hall          |
| <i>\$5 Infants Winner</i> | Jayleah Jackson                      |
| <i>\$5 Primary Winner</i> | Chenderly Alivio                     |

| Week 5                    |                                      |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <i>KBlue</i>              | Thomas Lee<br>Nathaniel Gibson       |
| <i>KGreen</i>             | Noah Meredith<br>Isaiah Henry        |
| <i>KYellow</i>            | Jason Webb<br>Raithe Muller          |
| <i>1B</i>                 | Ruby Fairbanks<br>Aaliyah Pascoe     |
| <i>1G</i>                 | Alex Bramston<br>Jayde Sandry        |
| <i>1W</i>                 | Jacobi Park<br>Vogue Balmain         |
| <i>2H</i>                 |                                      |
| <i>2S</i>                 | Chloe Darlington<br>Dakota Drew      |
| <i>3G</i>                 | Jayda Hill<br>Naitik                 |
| <i>3/4C</i>               | Tobi O'Farrell<br>Timothy Seton      |
| <i>3/6K</i>               | Robert Cubby<br>Makayla Seton        |
| <i>4H</i>                 | Corrin Chiong<br>Zander Phipps       |
| <i>5N</i>                 | Amelia Percy<br>Brandon Lemon        |
| <i>5/6L</i>               | Sophie Coath<br>Megan Brown          |
| <i>5/6P</i>               | Cristian Eakin<br>Kiam McKellar      |
| <i>6G</i>                 | Calem Doyle<br>Makayla Lewis-McInnes |
| <i>\$5 Infants Winner</i> | Chase Thompson                       |
| <i>\$5 Primary Winner</i> | Rogel Flordeliz                      |



Rachelle McLane is part of the Circus Performance Team  
at Schools Spectacular 2019

# COME CELEBRATE

**DUBBO & DISTRICT  
DEAF CLUB**



# 21<sup>ST</sup> BIRTHDAY

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2018  
3pm to 7pm. Arthur Street, Dubbo**

Market stalls  
Photo booth  
Chocolate Wheel  
music

Pony rides

Kiss a pug & corgi photo booth

Free Ear Health Checks – with Hear Our Heart Ear Bus

Face painting

Food stalls

BBQ

Snow cones

Petting zoo

Tattoos

Live

Games

Coffee

**More information; Char Woodbury 0407081009 or Gini Redenbach 0406884349**



# Remembrance Day



New Bikes Donated to our Preschool

thanks to *"The Smith Family"*

