



WEST NEWS

Monday 7th November 2022 | Week 5 Term 4

A MESSAGE FROM THE ACTING PRINCIPAL SHARON MURRAY

Important Dates to Remember

Thursday 10th November

Crazy Hair & Sock Day

You Can Do It Reward

Thursday 17th November

Kindergarten Orientation & Parent Orientation

Thursday 24th November

Kindergarten Orientation & Preschool Orientation

Thursday 1st December

Kindergarten Orientation



IMPORTANT

Please keep an eye on our School App & Facebook for regular updates and

Dubbo West Public School

CANTEEN CONTACT NUMBER

TBA TERM 4

Clothing Price List

Green Pants \$20

Grey Pants \$25

Dresses \$40

Jumpers \$30

Polos \$25

Grey Shorts \$16

Culottes \$20

June 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,



A huge congratulations and well done to **Paul Woodhead** and **David Walsh**, who on the weekend worked with many students involved in Circus West over 31 years, for a couple of last shows.

Paul a teacher, who had retired earlier in the year was keen to see a last hurrah with all of the students. Paul's program experience with Circus has affected many children's lives- positively teaching them many skills, changing attitudes and creating opportunities for them over the last **31 years!** Congratulations again Paul and David and thank you for all of the fun you have brought to students at Dubbo West over many years .

Remembrance Day will be held this Friday 11th November at 11am. Our school will be represented by our school captains who will be proudly laying a wreath at the town cenotaph at the combined schools service. At this time, I will be accompanying them on the day. This year it is the 104th anniversary of First World War Armistice. A ceremony will also occur at school.

School Canteen moving forward will undergo the Departments process for tender. Please continue to read the newsletter to keep informed of this process. It is important that we have a fully endorsed and staffed canteen providing a quality service that ticks all areas of a healthy canteen policy. At this time, we thank Erin Madden who has been filling in during the short term. Apologies for any issues that you may have experienced during the changeover. Any ongoing queries or concerns, please contact the school.

School Success Forum will be held this Thursday. We will be sending our captains to have a voice for students. Mrs Harris will be accompanying them to this event.

Positive Behaviour essential at school for all students to be able to focus, concentrate, engage and learn within their classrooms. All students when at school must feel safe and be learning in happy environments each day. **No child** has the right to touch other students, especially in an aggressive manner. It is important that although most of the students at West are modelling the right behaviours, a few certainly are not. Please have the conversations at home with your children regarding expectations for all at West.

The behaviour expectations are:

| Safe | Respectful | Engaged Learners |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Model and follow, school and/or class codes of behaviour and conduct. Negotiate and resolve conflict with empathy. Take personal responsibility for behaviour and actions. Care for self and others. Avoid dangerous behaviour and encourage others to avoid dangerous behaviour. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Treat one another with dignity. Speak and behave courteously. Cooperate with others. Develop positive and respectful relationships and think about the effect on relationships before acting. Value the interests, ability and culture of others. Dress appropriately by complying with the school uniform or dress code. Take care with property. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attend school every day (unless legally excused). Arrive at school and class on time. Be prepared for every lesson. Actively participate in learning. Aspire and strive to achieve the highest standards of learning. |

If you have any queries or concerns please discuss with your child's classroom teacher. They will then follow up and communicate to you any actions etc. By working together , we can ensure that your children and the students at West have growth everyday and want to attend school each day.

Cheers,

Sharon Murray

Acting Principal

BookWorms



Peter Aird Shield

Year 6 Peter Aird Shield On Thursday the 27th of October, Year 6 represented Dubbo West Public School at the Peter Aird Shield. We entered one boys touch team and one girls netball team. It was a fabulous day with lots of laughter and fun. Unfortunately, we did not come away with the Peter Aird Shield but all the students enjoyed the day. It was great to see the girls encouraging and teaching the boys to have a go at playing netball. Miss Denielle and I were very proud of the level of respect and encouragement the students showed, to not only their own peers, but students from other schools also.—Mrs Dowton



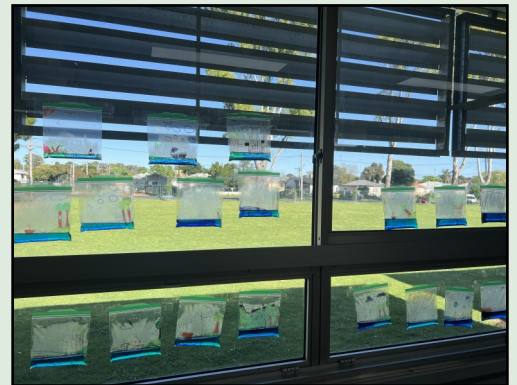
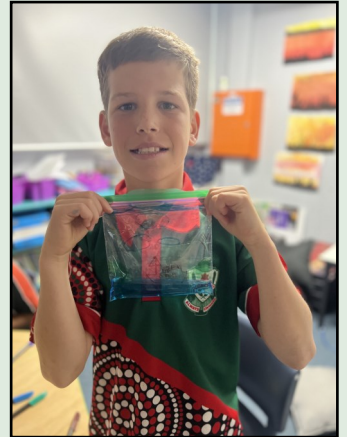
Support- Dream Cricket

On Tuesday week three, Wilay's and some students from Giinmas and Budyabudya's were lucky enough to attend the Dream Cricket Gala Day at Dubbo Sports World. The day is organised and caters for students with additional needs and was run in conjunction with the West Dubbo Rotary Club and Volunteer students from Delroy Dubbo Senior Campus. All students that attended enjoyed a day out practicing their cricket skills and having fun. We also got gold medals and certificates at the end of the day which we are super proud of because 'West is the Best!' - Miss Fennell



5/6P Classroom

5/6P have been studying changes in states of matter in Science this term. We have specifically been looking at how water changes state from liquid to gas (water vapour) during the process of evaporation. Students modelled this process by designing a scene on a snap lock bag including a river, land, trees, clouds and a sun (most students chose to include a boat in their design as well). Students added water into their bags and we taped these to the window of the classroom to see if the water would evaporate from the bag. The whole process took a little longer than anticipated though due to the ongoing cloudy and wet weather. Hopefully we will see more evaporation over the next week or so! – Miss Parker



3/4L Classroom

3/4L have been learning how to code using "Hour of Code". They had a fantastic time experimenting with different characters and different settings.

This is part of our Science and Technology syllabus. This teaches students to problem solve while using a computer while building their computer programming skills.—Mrs Lockyer



5/6D Classroom

This week, 5/6D have focused on our note taking skills and identifying important information within written and spoken texts. This has allowed us to focus on key information and important facts needed to broaden our knowledge and better our writing.—Mrs Dowton



Bookworms

EVERY WEEKDAY MORNING

MONDAY TO THURSDAY
8:30 - 9:10AM

FRIDAY 8:45 - 9:10AM



All Students Welcome

AUSTRALIA'S ONLY SELECTIVE DAY AND BOARDING HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS SINCE 1939

Do you have a son in Year 5 interested in attending Farrer in 2024?



Farrer is Australia's only selective Agricultural High School for boarding and day boys. It's more than an education, it's an experience! A Farrer boy embodies Confidence, Character and Community.

If you have a son in Year 5 who is interested in attending Farrer Memorial Agricultural High School in 2024, you will need to register for the Selective Schools Test which will be held in 2023. **Registrations for the Selective Schools Exam will be open between October 18 and November 16 2022.**

THE SELECTIVE SCHOOL EXAM IS COMPULSORY FOR ANY STUDENT STARTING FARRER IN YEAR 7.

REGISTER YOUR SON
<https://bit.ly/3SZDff1>

585 Calala Lane Calala NSW 2340 T: 02 6764 8600
www.farreragri-h.schools.nsw.gov.au

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**REMEMBER TO REGISTER YOUR
SON FOR OUR OPEN DAY
IN MARCH 2023.**



FARRER
Memorial Agricultural High School

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Is your child starting school
at Dubbo West Public
School in 2024?
Let us help you get them
ready in 2023!



Enrolments now open for Preschool 2023



We offer quality
preschool for
children from
Dubbo West,
Delroy Park and
surrounding
areas in the year
before school.



For more information please call the school on 6882 3086



Dubbo West Public School

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Tel: 6882 3086 Fax: 6884 3439
Email: dubbowest-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
"Where individuals matter"



Tuesday 25th October 2022

Dear 2023 Preschool Student,

My name is Sharon Murray, I am the Acting Principal of your new school, Dubbo West Public School Preschool. We would like to invite you to participate in our 2023 Preschool Orientation Session.

In 2023, our P1 Classroom attends Monday–Wednesday 9am–3pm during Semester One & Monday–Tuesday 9am–3pm during Semester Two.

Our P2 Classroom attends Thursday - Friday 9am–3pm during Semester One & Wednesday–Friday 9am–3pm during Semester Two.

We cannot wait for you to meet your teachers and discover everything you need to know about Preschool in 2023.

Preschool Orientation Day will be held on: **Thursday 24th November 2022, 9:30 am – 11:00am**

We invite parents/carers to bring your child on this date and have a play and meet the staff.

We look forward to meeting you!

Sharon Murray
Acting Principal
Dubbo West Public School



KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION

Our orientation program helps children to be
ready for school.

Registration essential - Please call the school
office for more details.

6882 3086

Starts

Thursday 17th November

Location :

Dubbo West Public School

CRAZY HAIR & SOCK DAY

Wear your craziest pair of socks and style your
hair in a wacky way to celebrate reaching 12
stamps on your You Can Do It! chart!

**THURSDAY WEEK 5
10TH NOVEMBER 2022**



GETTING ALONG RESILIENCE PERSISTENCE ORGANISATION CONFIDENCE



IMPORTANT NOTICE



Dubbo West
Public School

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Enrol Now for Kindergarten 2023

Please phone the school office on 6882 3086 to find out more about enrolling your child
at Dubbo West in 2023.



SAFE

RESPECTFUL

ENGAGED LEARNERS

School Times

Please note that
the playground is
not supervised
until 8:45am.

8:45am-9:15am- Morning Playtime
9:15am-11:15am- First Session
11:15am-12:00pm- First Break
12:00pm-1:30pm- Second Session
1:30pm-2:00pm- Second Break
2:00pm- 3:15pm- Third Session

Before & After
School Care
available through
Dubbo
Neighbourhood
Centre
02 6883 2300

PERSISTENCE

GETTING ALONG

CONFIDENCE

ORGANISATION

RESILIENCE

