



# Dubbo North Public School

"Skill with Honour by being Responsible,  
Safe & Respectful lifelong learners"

## Weekly Newsletter

Week 4 Term 2 2019

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### Week 4 Term 2

#### Principal

Toby Morgan

#### Executive

#### Early Stage 1 & Stage 1

Karina Woods (Rel)

#### Stage 2

Allie Harcourt (Rel)

#### Stage 3

Jemma Wallace &  
Shari Jackson

#### Special Education

Debbie Williams

#### Instructional Leader

Rebecca Letfallah

### Dates for your Diary

#### May

**22nd** Infants assembly  
KW Hosting 2.40pm

**24th** K-2 Show visit.

#### June

**12th** P&C Meeting 6pm

**25th** Infants - Wellington  
Caves Excursion

#### July

**3rd** Athletics Carnival

#### SCHOOL CONTRIBUTION

**Student** \$40.00

**Family** \$80.00

(2 or more students)

Easy to pay using POP  
(Parent on-line payment).

### Message from the Principal

#### NAPLAN Testing

Today Year 5 students did their NAPLAN Online Testing for 2019 and tomorrow Year 3 students will complete their final test, which is Numeracy. Any student who has been away whilst the tests have been conducted will be caught up by either Mrs Wallace or Miss Harcourt. Students have done their best with all the tests and we now wait eagerly for the results to come back.

#### Woolworths Earn And Learn

This promotional offer is on again this year and as in 2017 Dubbo North Public School will be participating. The stickers can be placed in boxes at any of the 3 Woolworths stores in Dubbo (Delroy Park, Riverdale or Orana Mall) or they can be handed in to the front office. Stickers can either be placed onto the booklets or simply handed in as they are handed out at the stores. Towards the end of June the school will be able to cash these stickers in for resources which will ultimately benefit all the students at the school.

#### Western Representation

Congratulations to Millie Powell who last Friday was selected to represent Western SSA at the State Softball carnival later in the year in Sydney. This is a great achievement by Millie who received quality coaching by Tanya Andrew and Mrs Williams as part of the girls' softball knockout team. Great job Millie. This week we also have Tyra Towney-Moore and Miley Shipp representing Western SSA at the State Soccer Carnival in Lismore.

#### PSSA Sport

Last Friday the PSSA season finally got underway after 2 wet Fridays. Students participated in soccer, rugby league, netball, league tag and a host of other sports against students from other schools. The behaviour was excellent and students enjoyed the opportunity to test their skills against students from across the city. All of these competitions are fun based and no scores are kept except for senior boy's rugby league, who play for a memorial shield each year. Please remember that to participate students need to have returned notes, bring in money every week or pay for the term and be in full

school sports uniform, including sports socks and no Year 6 shirts.

#### Breakfast Club

It gives the students a great head start for the day if they enjoy a healthy and appetising breakfast to kick start their day. However, if the cupboards are a bit bare or students are in a rush in the morning then students can drop in and see Miss Harcourt in the morning and she will arrange some breakfast for them. Also, on Tuesday morning our local church group runs a breakfast program in Mrs Williams' room and everyone is invited to attend and enjoy a hearty breakfast.

#### School Issues

If you are concerned about an issue at school then please see your child's classroom teacher first to attempt to have the problem resolved. If you are still not happy with the outcome then please feel free to arrange a further meeting with the supervisor of that stage or myself.

Have a great week.

Toby Morgan,  
Principal



### Principal's Award



Congratulations **McKinley Moran**  
for being a good friend to new students.

# MEAL DEAL

## CANTEEN Meal Deal

### Thursday 23rd May

Chicken Noodles + Popper **\$5.50**

Congratulations

### Students of the Week Term 2 Week 3

KC	Freya Sanders
KW	Chase Andrew
1/2J	Harlie Peckham
1/2S	Montayah Burns-Elmes
1/2T	Tyson Collins
3/4B	Joshie Reid
3/4C	Brian Freeman
3/4H	Nathan Bromage
5/6A	Jakson Brown
5/6J	Isabella Ward Williams
5/6W	Kyerah Lawson
Blue	Montanna McNair
Red	Beau Fleming
Yellow	Fynn McGlashan

**Uniform Award Wk 3 - 5/6A**



### Parenting Online Payments (POP)

An easy, convenient, time saving way for Parents to make online payments to the school for amounts owing for students via a secure site, by using credit or debit card, on computer, tablet or mobile phone. Just go to the school website front page & select **\$Make a Payment**. Items that can be paid include, school fees, excursions & sales to students etc. **(no P&C uniform payments please).**

**When making a payment you must enter the following: students name, class & reference no. OR student name & date of birth.**

Receipts can be emailed or printed. If you have any enquires about POP, please contact the office.

**School Fees: \$40 single child & \$80 per family**  
Can be paid now at the Office or via POP

### News from the Library

We are taking part in the **NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORYTIME 2019!**

**Wednesday 22 May 2019.**

This day marks the 19th **National Simultaneous Storytime** event, hosted by the Australian Library and Information Association. Each year a picture book is selected for a simultaneous read-aloud event held in libraries, schools, pre-schools, family homes, childcare centres, bookshops, children's hospitals and communities across Australia and New Zealand, where two nations read together as one. This year it is 'Alpacas with Maracas' by Matt Cosgrove.



This is a website worth a look, <https://www.esafety.gov.au/parents>, with tips and advice on helping your child have safe and enjoyable experiences online.

**eSafety**parents  
and carers

<https://www.esafety.gov.au/parents>

Tackling questions such as

**Your child's first smartphone – are they old enough?** **Screen time for your child?**

Online safety: a guide for parents and carers - the downloadable guide offers practical skills and advice about how to tackle the big issues.

Don't forget to read, read, read.

Until next week,

Mrs Jane Clark



Allira childcare has vacancies across all age groups, you can find them at 151 Fitzroy Street. Any inquires please contact 6882 9503, Email : [Reception@magai.com.au](mailto:Reception@magai.com.au) or feel free to drop in.



### CROSS COUNTRY

The students were very happy with the new venue, Barden Park, for the Cross Country as there was many different surfaces to run on, as well as hills and hay bales to jump over. Everyone had a great day



### Primary Assembly Hosted by 3/4H

*(Top left)* Thank you to 3/4H for hosting the assembly and for your very lively item called "Follow the Leader". *(Top Centre)* Congratulations to Shakira who won the positives trophy. *(Top Right)* Well done the lucky WinBin winners. Keep putting them in the boxes to win!



*(Left)* Fynn accepts the attendance award for Red & Ty for 3/4B. Well done those classes. *(Right)* The 1st, 2nd & 3rd winners in their age groups for Cross Country.



## SRC GRIP Leadership Conference

The SRC and Mrs Acton attended the conference at the Dubbo RSL Club to learn about how to become a better leader for the school. They had heaps of fun doing activities with the Grip team.

Leadership Limbo & Movie Quiz, acting & dancing were all to help with team building & confidence. It was a great day out.



Saturday June 15th - Sunday June 16th, 2019  
 at 1st Dubbo Scout Hall  
 Cnr Talbragar & Fitzroy Sts, Dubbo.  
 \$25 per class  
 See brochure with this newsletter  
 for details & booking.



## Get to know your Class Captains

**Natasha-Skye Knibbs - Blue**

- Q1. You have been given a superpower. What did you choose? **Breathe under water.**
- Q2. Your teacher is a witch, and one day she zaps you into a novel. Which novel would you choose? **Pokemon! So I can see what they are really like.**
- Q3. If you could time travel, would you go to the past or the future? **Past.**
- Q4. If you could trade places with someone for 1 day, who would it be & why? **Wonderwoman To see how much fun it is to be a Superhero.**

## Winbin Interview

**Charlie Webb 1/2T**

### Responsible

Why did you receive this winbin?  
**I was sitting down & eating my lunch.**

How could other students receive a winbin for this week's focus?  
**Sitting down eating & walking when a teacher lets you go.**

WEEKS 3 & 4

Eating Areas -

Responsible, Safe &

Respectful



Some of the things students can receive a WinBin for this week:

- Sitting down to eat
- Waiting to be dismissed when the bell rings
- Putting containers in the correct place
- Talking quietly to friends