



TOORAWEEAH PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER 26.08.2015

School News Week 7 Term 3

CWA visit

Once again this was a successful community event. The students presented points from their research and enjoyed a sing-along with the ladies. Our thanks to the ladies for their usual, wonderful CWA hospitality.

Overall winner of the Country of Study competition was Archie Haling with James McDonell second and Ethan Smith placed third. Archie's entry now progresses to group judging. In the K-2 section Kayne Hanney was placed first followed by Mikayla Skinner and Sophia Moppett.

Public Speaking at Baradine

The children have long completed their texts for speech presentation next Wednesday in Baradine and have been practising their delivery and expression each day. K-2 have paired up with an older buddy to mentor them through the process. Information regarding the day and permission notes went home on Tuesday afternoon. Scour your child's bag for it.

Visitors

Last week we had an impromptu visit from a group of enthusiasts of the horse and sulky as part of an annual road trip. The students, staff and members of the preschool enjoyed the interaction and added knowledge to that gained on our recent Gulgong experience. Thanks to Robin and Craig Dowsett for arranging the visit.

Production

I thought this week that we could back to a bit of normality with all the comings and goings of the past six weeks. NOT SO!!! Scripts, music, drums and other resources have finally arrived for use in preparing for "The Lion King". We are conducting final auditions for lead roles this week. First readings will occur followed by more intense practices once we have the Baradine Public Speaking out of the way next Wednesday.

Invitation

The C.W.A invites everyone to morning tea at the C.W.A. rooms from 10am this Saturday 29th August as part of C.W.A. Awareness Week.

"Small Schools, Big Futures"

Regards
Col Hare
Principal

Dates To Remember –

Term 3 - 13.07.15 – 18.09.15

28.08.15 – Canteen, & Western Region Athletics Dubbo
31.08.15 – Transition to Kindergarten
01.09.15 – Music Mrs Moss
02.09.15 – Baradine Public Speaking Day K-6
04.09.15 – Canteen
04.09.15- Father's Day this weekend
07.09.15 – Transition to Kindergarten

Canteen Roster

28.08.15 Friday Worker: Bindi Haling
Home Cooking: Bindi, Sara Worner & Alexis Hanney
04.09.15 Friday Worker: Kate McWhirter-Holland, Cherie McWhirter
Homecooking Kate, Cherie and Ben Mayall

We would like to extend a warm welcome to Lara Younghusband and family. Lara has joined our Transition to School group this term and is already a valued member of the class. Our Transition students are enjoying some grown up school work including learning some initial sounds, reading books, writing numbers, counting, learning shapes, exploring art, craft and music while joining in with regular school routines.



Mendooran & District Development Group Inc.

Are holding a Kite Flying Day and Book Fair on Sunday 13th September all welcome....sell your own books. BBQ and drinks see flyer in school office.

Western Choral Workshop, expression of interest for students Yr. 5 to 12. Date: 31 August – 2nd September. Location: Dubbo. Time: 9am-3pm. Cost: \$40.00. Venue: TBC. Conductor: Mr Paul Jarman. Contact Dianne Reichelt 02 68836328 or email. dianne.reichelt@det.nsw.edu.au

Claim The Date – St. John's Baradine are conducting a Horse Sports Day on 23rd October (entries close 12/10/15) and **St Lawrence's School Coonabarabran Horse Sports Days Monday 14th & Tuesday 15th September** (entries close 7/9/15) + **Coolah Central School Horse Sports Day on Friday 16th October** (entries close 18/9/15). If there are any interested students please ask at the school office for nomination forms etc.

Merit Achievement Awards



Madison Holland – 40 nights reading

Mikayla Skinner – 40 nights home reading

Shane Estens – 40 nights home reading

Jake Peart – 40 nights home reading

New Library Policy:

The borrowing rules have changed. Students can borrow four books for up to four weeks. However, if any book is overdue, no further borrowing can occur until the overdue book is returned. At the end of the year, parents will be asked to pay for any books that have not been returned.

Attached is a list of books outstanding to students please search for and return all Library books, so Students can enjoy reading fresh books. Thank you. Petria Volunteer Librarian

Please find Library book **outstanding list** attached to Book Club Magazine.

Book Club due date 02.09.2015



***Congratulations to Mr & Mrs Jenkin
On the birth of a little boy who they named Hamish***



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Love from all the Students & Staff at Tooraweenah Public School

A VISIT TO
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SCHOOL BY HORSE
& SULKY
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