Dear Parents/Carers,

It is important for the privacy and safety of all families that electronic devices brought to school by children are signed in to the office on arrival. These can then be signed out at home time. Children found to have devices during school will have these removed by teachers to be signed in at the office. Photos will need to be deleted before these devices can be returned and repeated issues will see a phone call home. If you have any questions about this, please contact the school. We appreciate your co-operation with this serious issue.

At school, we always strive to keep our kids safe and happy. As you know, we can’t be happy all the time as adults and this is the same for kids. Sometimes things don’t go our way and it can be difficult to deal with. Remember to be positive about school and help build skills around recognising feelings and being resilient. Ask your children to tell you about the good things that happened during the day before focusing on any negatives. The messages we send to our children with a smile are very powerful. If you need help with a negative issue, please see your child’s teacher, the Assistant Principal responsible or me.

In keeping with our School Plan’s third Strategic Direction of positive partnerships for learning, we are currently looking at implementing a revised welfare policy to improve student engagement and attendance. We are working to provide a range of structured activities and interest groups at playtimes (including a PCYC led activity for two days a week), introduce a school-wide social skills program, revise our behaviour management systems and update our anti-bullying policy. Planning is well under way and we hope to have most of these items up and running for the start of Term 3. I will have more specific information available later this term or early in Term 3.

Stage 3 students will be taking part in a longitudinal study about the development of expectancy and value in the middle years of schooling. A note will be sent home today explaining the study in detail. If you have any queries, please see Mrs Barratt.

Enjoy your week,

Darren Denmead,
Relieving Principal

Due soon
- 3rd Myuna Bay payment

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**Calendar of Events**

**Term 2**

**Week 8**

Wed 10th June  
Western Dist Cross Country  
Playgroup, Hall, 9.30-11.30  
iExplore selected Yr5

Thurs 11th June  
Future Moves—Yrs 5 & 6  
Playgroup, Hall, 9.30-11.30

Fri 12th June  
Assembly, Hall, 9.15-10.00

**Week 9**

Mon 15th June  
ICAS Writing  
ICAS Spelling

Tues 16th June  
ICAS Spelling

Wed 17th June  
Future Moves—Yrs 5 & 6  
Playgroup, Hall, 9.30-11.30

Thurs 18th June  
Principal’s Morning Tea

Fri 19th June  
Assembly, Hall, 9.15-10.00

**Week 10**

Mon 22nd June  
Naidoc Week  
Naidoc Sport  
Stage 3 PBL reward  
iExplore selected Yr 5  
Reports home

Tues 23rd June  
Playgroup, Hall, 9.30-11.30  
3rd Myuna Bay payment due  
Browne Mug, 2.20-3.10

Wed 24th June  
Primary Athletics Carnival  
3rd Myuna Bay payment due  
Assembly, Hall, 9.15-10.00

Thurs 25th June  
Last Day Term 2

Fri 26th June

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**Term 3**

**Week 1**

Mon 13th July  
Staff Development Day  
(NO STUDENTS)  
**FIRST DAY TERM 3**

Tues 14th July  
Playgroup, Hall, 9.30-11.30

Wed 15th July  
State Cross Country  
Assembly, Hall, 9.15-10.00

Thurs 16th July  
**FIRST DAY TERM 3**

Fri 17th July

**Week 2**

Mon 20th July  
Playgroup, Hall, 9.30-11.30  
iExplore selected Yr5  
OC placement test

Tues 21st July  
Playgroup, Hall, 9.30-11.30  
iExplore selected Yr5

Wed 22nd July

Thu 23rd July  
Assembly, Hall, 9.15-10.00

Fri 24th July
School Awards

**Congratulations to -**

Stasia, Eden, Allan, Noah, Liudmila, Mikaila, Hugh, Nawalah-Lee, Asta, Levi, Machayla, Molly, Shelley, Archer, Supriya, Evie, Ella, Ian, Jayden, Aleisi

Principal’s Awards

**Congratulations to -**

Mikaila, Hugh, Archer, Shelley, Molly, Machayla, Supriya, Zoe

Bathurst West Playgroup is currently running a clothes swap during our playgroup sessions. We have 5 tables groaning under the weight of pre-loved clothes that range from babies, to boys & girls, to mens & ladies clothing. Come along this Wednesday between 9.30-11.30 and have a look while your little ones join in for craft activities and playtime! Feel free to clear out your cupboards and bring along your preloved items also. We will be running the clothes swap for the remainder of this terms sessions. Any questions please contact Jodie - 0402 934 505

Kindergarten 2016

We are now accepting enrolments for children starting school in 2016. Forms are available at the Office. ’Flying Start’ 6 week transition program leaflets are also available at the Office. The program runs each Thursday from 27th August to 15th October, from 9.15 to 10.30 Or 11.30 to 12.45 Or 1.30 to 2.45. Application forms must be returned to the School by 7th August.

Your child can start Kindergarten at the beginning of the school year if they turn 5 on or before 31st July in that year. By law, all children must be enrolled in school by their 6th birthday.

Parenting Children with ADHD or ADD

This program aims to empower parents of children with ADHD/ADD or challenging behaviours to work together with their child to cope with the many challenges of ADHD/ADD. This program helps parents to understand the disorder and offers management techniques and support to parents to implement strategies.

**Parenting Children with ADHD/ADD is an 8 week program**

**Dates:** Wednesdays 22nd July – 9th September 2015

**Times:** 6pm – 8pm

**Venue:** Bathurst Family Support Service

205 Rankin St, Bathurst

Register: 6331 7022 or admin@bfss.org.au

Registrations are essential as numbers are limited. All sessions are free.

Child care is not provided and we ask parents to make alternate arrangements for the care of children during these sessions

Clothing Pool

**From Monday, 1st June, the Clothing Pool will be open from 9-9.30am Monday, Thursday and Friday only**

Canteen News

Roster

| Mon 15/6 | T.Roels |
| Tues 16/6 | J.Baillie, C.Jones |
| Wed 17/6 | J.Baillie, L.Wood |
| Thurs 18/6 | J.Baillie, L.Kitto |
| Fri 19/6 | T. Roels, C.Nicholls, L.Howarth |
Wanted - old newspapers
We are in need of lots of old newspapers for NAIDOC Week activities on the 23rd June, 2015. If you have any old newspaper that you no longer need, please recycle them and bring them along to school. We will be collecting the papers up until Friday 19th June, 2015. Newspapers can be dropped off at the Community Room opposite the ICentre. Thank You
Tracy Crawford, Aboriginal Education Officer

Student Notes Sent Home
- Stage 1 excursion—Machattie Park etc
- Stage 2 & 3 PCYC Circus program

Central West OOSH Services (CWOOSH) provides before and after school care for 5-12 year olds. We offer a variety of activities including art & craft, sports activities, billy carts, homework corner. Breakfast and afternoon tea is also included. CWOOSH is located in the school hall. Please call Tanya on 0411 521 460 or email admin@cwoosh.com for further information.

School Terms and Vacations 2015
Term 2 - Mon 20th April to Fri 26th June
Term 3 - Mon 13th July to Fri 18th September
Term 4 - Tues 6th October to Fri 18th December

GENERAL INFORMATION
administration Office Hours - 8.45am - 3.45pm
School commences at 9.15am
School finishes at 3.15pm
Students are supervised from 8.45am
9.15-11.15 Class session 1
11.15-11.45 Play
11.45-1.45 Class session 2 which includes lunch
Inside at 11.45
1.45-2.15 Afternoon tea and play
2.15-3.15 Class session 3
The two 2hour sessions will be split by “fruit breaks"
# CWOOSH School Holiday Program 29th June - 13th July

(Location - Communal Hall, Barina Parkway, Kelso)

To ensure your child’s place, fill out this form and return it to the Service

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<td><strong>Circus Workshop:</strong> with circus performer Matt (10am – 12pm)</td>
<td><strong>Ten Pin Bowling:</strong> at Bathurst Ten Pin Bowling, catching local bus (9:30am–12pm)</td>
<td><strong>Rock Climbing:</strong> by ‘we will rock you’ 8 ft wall brought to the service (10am–11am)</td>
<td><strong>Jumbo Iron-on Beads:</strong> craft activity extravaganza</td>
<td><strong>Amazing Reptile show:</strong> Wildlife Encounters, Sydney (from 11am)</td>
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<td><strong>Technology day:</strong> bring in IPAD’S, leap frog, game boys Robotics: Lego eV3 for the more adventurous</td>
<td><strong>Woodwork workshop:</strong> with Craig’s help create a project to take home</td>
<td><strong>Dean Mobbs Art Workshop:</strong> by renowned local artist (10am–12pm)</td>
<td><strong>Movies in Bathurst:</strong> At Metro 5 and popcorn, poppers and bus fare included. Must be at the Service by 9am</td>
<td><strong>Disco Finale with “Cam Cubed”:</strong> Dance to Cam’s favorite disco tunes.</td>
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Please tick the dates you require care for your child to attend:

- [ ] 29th June Circus Workshop $48.00 $6.00
- [ ] 30th Ten Pin Bowling $48.00 $12.00
- [ ] 1st July Rock Climbing $48.00 $10.00
- [ ] 2nd Jumbo iron on beads $48.00 $2.00
- [ ] 3rd Reptile Show $48.00 $15.00
- [ ] 6th Technology Day $48.00 $2.00
- [ ] 7th Woodwork Workshop $48.00 $2.00
- [ ] 8th Dean Mobbs Workshop $48.00 $6.00
- [ ] 9th Movies in Bathurst $48.00 $15.00
- [ ] 10th Disco Finale $48.00 NIL
- [ ] 13th PUPIL FREE DAY $48.00 NIL

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Please note full daily rate is $48.00 but with 100% CCB/CCR this rate may reduce to approx. $6.00 per day. Additional activity costs for each day of attendance (in the right-hand column) will be invoiced accordingly.

I understand that by signing and returning this form my child will be booked in for the days I have indicated above. I will then be liable to pay the fees that are applicable to those days. The only exception to this is if I give 2 weeks notice of cancellation.

Parent Name: [ ]
Parent Signature: [ ]
Phone Number: [ ]