

NEWSLETTER

Wednesday 19th September, 2018 Week 9, Term 3, 2018

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September

Thursday 20 P&C Meeting 6.30pm

4T Kitchen Garden

6A & 6L MHS Transition

Milkshake Day

- Friday 21 Regional Athletics Carnival
- Tuesday 25 Chatswood High School Band Visit
- Wednesday 26 Year 3 & 4 Copeton Dam Excursion

Night of the Notables

6B & 6L MHS Transition

Thursday 27 Dress Like a Farmer Day

Year 4 returns from Copeton Dam

Friday 28 Last day Term 3

October

- Monday 15 Students and Staff return for Term 4 Tuesday 16 Literacy information session for 2019 Kindergarten parents 12-1pm
- Tuesday 23, 24, 25 Early Birds
- Thursday 30 Numeracy information session for 2019 Kindergarten parents 12-1pm

Wednesday 31 Australian Rock Icons School Concert begins

Lake Burrendong

Last week around 90 Year 5 and 6 students took the long 7 hour bus trip to attend the excursion at Lake Burrendong. Throughout the week the students participated in activities such as rock climbing, challenge ropes, grass skiing, orienteering. archery, BMX riding, bush

craft, canoeing and a cookout. Many of the activities pushed students outside of their comfort zones, whether that was facing their fear of

heights or working with unfamiliar students from both their own school and Gilgandra. The students were fortunate enough to learn new skills as well as develop upon existing ones with the help of their camp instructors. Students

were encouraged to challenge their personal attitudes towards giving things a go and not giving up. Thanks to the students and parents who attended for a wonderful week!

Years 5 and 6

Students and Staff
return for Term 4The students in years 5 and 6 that did not attend the
excursion spent the week researching, designing and
building balsa wood, soda bulb aeroplanes. Students
had to research the various parts of a plane and the
aerodynamics that enhance a planes ability to fly
smoothly. Students then had to use their research of
plane designs to create their own plane that they thought











would be aerodynamic. Students were required to plan their plane including measurements and wing placement. Once the students had a solid design they were required to sand back their balsa wood block to create the shape they had designed, draw their wings onto ply and create a coloured version of their plan ready for painting. Students then got to celebrate their plane designs by hosting

an Airshow for the rest of the school to come and watch where their soda bulbs were set off and their planes soared along the zip line.





Spotlight on 4T

4T have been dancing up a storm in preparation for the School Concert in Term 4. The students have made a Midnight Oil classic their own, creating moves that Peter Garret would be proud of. Everyone in 4T is excited to be a



part of such a wonderful performance and are looking forward to wowing the crowd with our interesting choreography. We can't wait to see the hall packed out and grooving along with us and all of Inverell Public School.

PSSA State Golf Championships 2018

Last week I travelled to Sydney to represent IPS and the North West at the New South Wales PSSA State Golf Championships. On day one I played in a 4-man Ambrose with the North West Team. Day 2 and 3 were individual 18-hole events. Over the 3 days I played 54 holes of golf. There were 110 children from all over NSW. Overall, I came 1st in the North West and about 15th in the State. I was very proud of this achievement and it was a huge improvement on last year. I learnt lots of new skills throughout this experience and have made some great friendships. I would like to thank Miss Pettit, my family, teachers at IPS, Inverell Golf Club, Jack Newton Junior Golf, Inverell Ladies Golf, Inverell RSM Club, Liberty Service Station, The Albion Store, Hino, and the Inverell community for their support. My next goal is to be accepted into the NIAS Institute of Sport golf program. By Matthew Reece

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R U OK?

Inverell Public School students were encouraged to wear a splash of yellow last Thursday in support of the

nation-wide R U OK? day. This day is dedicated to reminding everyone that any day is the day to ask, "Are you ok?" and support those of us who may be struggling with life. A conversation could change a life.





Save the Date!! This years end of year concert will be showcasing Australian Rock Icons. There will be three performances Wednesday 31st October, Thursday 1st November and a special matinee performance on Friday 2nd November to coincide with Grandparents Day.

Canteen Roster K Milkshake Day , Thursday 20th September– second break \$2.50!!

To coincide with R U OK Day celebrity Chefs Mrs Campbell and Mrs Baxter along with 4/5W made a yellow chicken and vegetable curry which many of the students made for their families at home.

