

NEWSLETTER

Thursday 8 August, 2019
Week 3, Term 3

Inverell Public School

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August

Friday 9 Final instalment due Lake Ainsworth and Keepit

Monday 12-16 Science Week

PSSA Gymnastics Gala Day

Thursday 15 Year 4 Kitchen Garden

Friday 16 Zone Athletics Carnival

Monday 19-23 Book Week

Thursday 22 Year 3 Kitchen Garden

Monday 26 Year 5 & 6 excursion information evening 6-7pm

Tuesday 27 Early Birds begins 12-1pm

Touch Football Gala Day

Wednesday 28 Early Birds 12-1pm

Thursday 29 Early Birds 12-1pm

Year 4 Kitchen Garden

September

Monday 2-6 Year 6 Lake Ainsworth Excursion

Parent Information Evening - Healthy Eating, Healthy Minds

Wednesday 4 Scots Pipe and Drum Band visit

Musica Viva

Monday 9 Regional Spelling Bee

Tuesday 10, 11, 12 Early Birds 12-1pm

Education Week

Welcome to Education Week 2019. The theme this year is "Every Student-Every Voice". This is a celebration of student empowerment and how the NSW public education system gives students the skills they need in order to have and express a voice during their own educational journey and as engaged global citizens. As a school, a parent, a community we can support our children through time together away from technology and talking about our past, present and future. Continue to have daily conversations, chat in the car, talk at the supermarket, are just a few suggestions we can continue.

Inverell Public School is extremely fortunate to be proudly supported by parents, carers and community. We have deep and meaningful conversations and always endeavour to deliver the highest academic, social and emotional programs to your children. Thank you to those families who were able to join our Education Week assembly, picnic lunch and open classrooms held on Monday 5 August. A Sapphire Community of Schools Award night was held last night with very worthy recipients being: **Staff - Ms Eleasha Tutt** for her valued and respected educational, IT and Assistant Principal support over the past 10 years; **Community Member - Ms Jackie Hahn** (Ma Ma) for volunteering her time to provide our students with a diverse creative learning opportunity; **Student Awards** to **Sophie Gardner** and **Aria Mather** for their reliable and capable contribution as student leaders.

Mrs Ally Campbell,
Principal

Congratulations to all of this year's Education Week award recipients-

KB Aydan Franey	KS Mazie Hancock
Alexis Squires	Jaleek Dixon
KH Bonnie Nichols	KW Piper Tkalec
Darcy MacDonald	Elsie Kennedy
1B Kayne Henningsen Lombo	1E Lily Dailey
Mila Sheather	Oliver O'Brien
1H Zackary Hudson	2C Braxton Millard
Kate Burns	Angel Austin
2D Kevin Vaziri	2K James Laing
Cooper Garner	Charlotte Churchill
3D Ruby Laing	3T Jack Fox-McCann
Ruby Rogan	Jasmine Garland
3/4BH Kelsie Simpson	4B Indi English
Isaac Nicolle	Warner Blair
4D Abby Goodman	K-6B Jayvion Bowtell
Anakin Dyke	Kiara McWhinney
K-6C Troy Lane	5W Abbie Holland
Kalen Lind	Josinta Toohey
5/6B Summer Ryder	5/6M Jade Pevy
Elly Partridge	Liam Daley
5/6D Sima Vaziri	5/6P Cody Stashynsky
Hayley Latter	Olivia Grebert





Spotlight on 3-4BH

3/4BH spent Term 2 reading the novel "The One and Only Ivan". Students got a sense of just how small they are standing beside our friendly giant. Lots of interesting facts were learnt and great discussions about the themes in the novel were had. This term we are reading "Mr Popper's Penguins" and have begun some creative art pieces to brighten up our room.

Great things are also happening in numeracy with students working on their multiplication sheets to improve multiplication strategies and recall.



Volunteers Needed in the Canteen!

A warm welcome to Sue Sharpe as our new canteen manager.

The Canteen is a valuable service to our school, providing lunches for many students. The canteen is run by our P&C so when we can support the canteen we are supporting the P&C with more improvements around the school.

Children love seeing their parents & grandparents at school - even when helping in the canteen. Come along and help out please! The most important time is for preparation from 9am - 11.30am. You won't need to serve on the front counter, just come along and have some fun while helping to prepare children's lunches. If you're available please call in and see Sue the new Canteen Supervisor. She will be grateful of your support. The more volunteers we have the easier the job will be and you may only need to commit to once a month.

Sport Report

Last Friday a number of Stage 2 students attended the Todd Woodbridge Cup Tennis day held in Inverell. The students were accompanied by Mrs Hubner and from all reports learned a range of new skills.

Next Monday, 12 students will be attending the North West Gymnastics Day held in Armidale. We wish these students the best of luck and look forward to hearing of their experiences.

Next Friday August 16 around 80 students will be attending the Zone Athletics Carnival held in Inverell. Students are reminded that training for their events is being held during break times.

Sport rotations for both Stage 2 and Stage 3 are going well with students being exposed to a number of new sports, in particular AFL, dodgeball and volleyball. These will continue throughout the term except Week 4 which will be class sport.



IPS Debating Day

Congratulations to the IPS debaters who participated in a debating day against Ross Hill Public School last Wednesday. They learnt many new skills which they will take through to the next rounds.





INVERELL PUBLIC SCHOOL

Early Birds Transition Program

Our unique transition program will provide your child with positive and nurturing early learning experiences, supporting your child to:

- develop important social and emotional skills
- explore and engage in their school environment
- build upon early literacy and numeracy skills
- gain confidence for a smooth transition to Inverell Public School in 2020



Commences Tuesday 27th August 2019

Term 3	Term 4
27 th , 28 th , 29 th August	22 nd , 23 rd , 24 th October
10 th , 11 th , 12 th September	5 th , 6 th , 7 th November
24 th , 25 th , 26 th September	19 th , 20 th , 21 st November

You are welcome to arrange an appointment to visit our school and speak with one of our Kindergarten teachers. We hope to assist you in making the best choice for your child's education.

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