



NEWSLETTER

Thursday 14th February, 2019
Week 3, Term 1

Inverell Public School

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February

- Monday 18** Badge ceremony
Choir rehearsals
- Tuesday 19** Parent information evening 5.30-6.30pm for Years 3 & 4
Parent Information Evening 6.30-7.30pm Years 5 & 6
- Thursday 21** 6P & 6D MHS transition
Kitchen garden Yr 3
Parent Information Evening 5.30 - 6.30pm for Kindergarten
Parent Information Evening 6.30-7.30pm Years 1 & 2
- Friday 22** Zone swimming carnival
- Monday 25** Choir rehearsals
Book Club due

March

- Friday 1** Clean Up Australia
- Monday 4** North West Swimming Carnival
- Tuesday 5** Scripture begins
- Tuesday 12** K-2 Dance
- Thursday 14** 3-4 Dance
- Friday 15** Zone soccer trials
- Thursday 21** Harmony day
- Friday 22** Boys and girls zone cricket trials
- Wednesday 27, 28** School Photos
- Friday 29** Zone Rugby League trials

Principal's Report

Thank you to all of our staff for your patience this week during the current bush fire situation. I appreciate that everyone is following the advice from the emergency services. If there are any changes at school level e.g. buses we will advise you. Please let the school know if your child is unable to attend due to the bush fires as soon as possible. Our thoughts are with our families and staff who live in the Gilgai and Tingha areas.

Congratulations to Mrs Anderson and her husband on the birth of a beautiful baby girl born last Thursday. Mum and Bub are doing very well.

Our Kinders have started full days this week and are enjoying whole days of learning but I am sure they will be very weary by the end of the week.

A fantastic swimming carnival was held last Friday and all involved represented our school with pride. A huge thank you to staff, parents and Macintyre High School students who helped make this day run so smoothly. A special mention to Miss Pettit who was the main organiser of the whole day. Well done everyone!

*Mrs Ally Campbell
Principal (Relieving)*

Library News

Book Club order forms have been sent home and are due back to the library by Monday 25th February.

Welcome Kindergarten 2019

All Kindergarten students have settled in to their first week of school. We have been busy learning some new letters, sounds and numbers and are really enjoying making new friends.



Sport Report

This year's Inverell Public School Swimming Carnival was filled with fun, team spirit and commendable sportsmanship. All students participated to the best of their ability and their behaviour throughout the day was second-to-none. Swimmers clocked some very fast times and the new house cheers were enjoyed by all. Sweaney took out the house points competition this year.

At the end of the day we were all entertained by the student vs. teacher vs. parent relay. Parents fielded two very competitive teams this year and were narrowly pipped at the post by the teachers. I'm sure they will strive to reclaim the title and rubber chicken in 2019. It is such a joy to be part of a wonderful school community where we can have fun like this! Thank you to everyone who helped to make the day a success and to the spectators who came and joined us. 37 students will be attending the Zone Swimming Carnival next Friday. We wish them all the best and are confident they will do us proud. Congratulations to the 2019 champions and runner-ups:

Junior Girl Champion - Ella Moxey
 Runner Up - Alice Gleeson
 Junior Boy Champion - Henry Ballinger
 Runner Up - Gus Fuller
 Senior Girl Champion - Madeleine Pye
 Runner Up - Edie Morton
 Senior Boy Champion - Charlie Wall
 Runner Up - Paddy Grills



In School Music Tuition

Inverell Public School offers a range of music tuition opportunities for students interested in learning a musical instrument or taking singing lessons. These lessons are held during school hours with local music teachers coming into the school. In 2019, tuition will be available for saxophone, trumpet, flute, clarinet, guitar, bass, violin, banjo, drums, keyboard and singing.

Cost of tuition varies depending on the instrument chosen, while there is an option for individual or shared lessons. Parents are responsible for buying or hiring instruments.

If you are interested in having music lessons for your child, please complete the slip below and return it to Mrs Aitken. If you have any further queries, please contact Mrs Aitken at Inverell Public School on 6722 3072.

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Yes I am interested in my child having private in-school music tuition in 2019.

Child's Name: _____ Parent's Name: _____

Contact Number: _____ My child is interested in the following lesson/s:

(please circle appropriate option) flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, guitar, bass, banjo, violin, keyboard, drums or singing.