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FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE

Assembly – Well done to the SRC (Student Representative Council) members for their efforts last Friday, running a great assembly. This Friday's assembly will be held at 11.00 am and will be run by the Year 2 class. We do hope to see you there.

Year 3 School Excursion – The first of our major school excursions will take place this week. Year 3 will be heading to Borambola, near Wagga from Wednesday 31 October to Friday 2 November. I'm sure all the students, parents and Mrs Preston will have a great time.

Riverina Girls Cricket – From this Sunday 4 November to Friday 9 November, Alyce Parker will be away in Lismore representing the Riverina, which will be her sixth time this year. We wish Alyce all the very best.



Kinder Orientation for 2013 is about to start – The Year 5 students are counting down the days (only 1 to go) until they are introduced as buddies to a new Kinder student.

Tuesday 30 October from 11.30 am to 1.00 pm will be when this occurs. **We really need all enrolments by then so buddies can be allocated. So if you haven't done so, please organise to do this ASAP.** Please see Tracey or Judith in the office to organise enrolment forms.

The day will involve morning tea for parents and an information session. It will also involve finalising dates and times for Best Start assessment at the start of the 2013 year, along with all new Kinders receiving their new school hat. I can't wait to see the smiling faces on the all the Year 5 and new Kinder students.

Jason Weaven
Principal

CANTEEN ROSTER

Fri 2 November:

Phoebe Gulliver and Georgie Millard

Mon 5 November:

Sally Bulle and Tracy Swan

Fri 9 November:

Narelle Emerson and Irene Lister



| <u>TERM DIARY – TERM 4</u> | |
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| <u>Week 4</u> | |
| Mon 29 Oct | Active After School |
| Tue 30 Oct | Kindergarten Orientation 11.30 am to 1.00 pm |
| Wed 31 Oct | Year 3 Borambola Excursion |
| Thu 1 Nov | Year 3 Borambola Excursion |
| Fri 2 Nov | Year 3 Borambola Excursion and Holbrook Flower Show |
| <u>Week 5</u> | |
| Mon 5 Nov | State Girls Cricket and Active After School |
| Tue 6 Nov | State Girls Cricket and Public Speaking (prepared speeches) at 2.00 pm |
| Wed 7 Nov | State Girls Cricket and Public Speaking (impromptu speeches) at 2.00 pm |
| Thu 8 Nov | State Girls Cricket |
| Fri 9 Nov | State Girls Cricket and Remembrance Day Assembly at 10.45 am |



If you are interested in purchasing any of the following items, please see the office staff.

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| Marmalade | \$3 to \$5 each |
| Fresh Eggs | \$2 per doz |
| Worm Tea | \$1 to \$3 each |
| 4x Snack Pack Boxes | \$20 each |
| 150x K-2 size chairs | \$5 for 2 |
| 1x HP Laserjet 1000 series | \$20 o.n.o. |
| <i>(incompatible with Windows 7)</i> | |
| 2x Televisions | \$40 each |

ST PAUL'S FLOWER SHOW

Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 will be walking to the 125th St Paul's Flower Show held at the Sporting Complex on Friday 2 November. We will be performing *All Things Bright and Beautiful* with Mullengandra and St Pat's Public School at around 1.30 pm. All parents are welcome to come and watch their child perform, however there is a small entry fee of \$2 per adult, children are free. Please ensure that your child has their drink bottle, hat and appropriate shoes with them.



THE 130th HOLBROOK SHOW - 10 NOV 2012

A reminder that entries must have been made in the last 12 months and entered in the year currently studied at school.

Any entries for "Section Q – Schoolwork" in the Holbrook Show must be handed in to the school office by Friday 2 November 2012.



This year, school children are invited to exhibit 1 kilogram of lamb's wool at the Holbrook Show. Exhibits will be awarded in the form of a prize, voucher or cash. For further details please contact: John Maher – 0429 366 127, Alister McKoy – 0429 362 100, Andrew Emerson – 0407 486 563 or Colin Donohoe – 0407 217 888. **Please do not hand wool exhibits into the office.**

Christmas Party For Special Children



FROM THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL (SRC)

Throughout the year, the SRC has had several projects to raise money for worthwhile causes. These causes have been chosen for you by the members of the SRC as your elected representatives.

The SRC has supported the Cancer Foundation, Stewart House, our World Vision child and helped with NADOC Week celebrations.

This term, we are working to raise money for Smiles and the Christmas Party for Special Children. Our first fundraiser will be held on Melbourne Cup Day when the Year 6 kids will once again become horses and jockeys. We will hold a Smiles fundraiser in early December. All that the SRC asks is that you support our efforts, and we will do all the hard work. All you have to do is bring some money to spend and have a fantastic time.

PRESENTATION EVENING



Our annual presentation evening will be held on Thursday 13 December 2012 at 7.30 p.m. at the school hall. We cordially invite all parents and friends of our students to attend. At the presentation evening we award students who have achieved excellence, consistent improvement, citizenship and sporting achievements. Each year the awards are sponsored by the local community. If you would like to make a donation towards the book prizes this year it will be greatly appreciated. Your name will be listed in our presentation night book as recognition of your valuable contribution to our school. Donations can be sent to the office.

STARS OF THE WEEK



Michael Walters, Year 3



Taylah Schirmer, Year 5

AWARDS



Miss Mills

Hannah McCurdy – A great improvement in reading and writing.

Angus Wright – Increased maturity and being a wonderful helper.

Miss Murphy

Amelia Hearn – For being an excellent class citizen - conscientious, helpful and friendly. Well done Amelia!

Portia Martin – For outstanding work with number patterns and number sentences. Well done Portia!

Mrs Landale

Ella Cheshire – For a great improvement in her spelling results.

Cate Holt – For an improvement with her addition facts.

Mrs Preston

Jack De Steiger – Good assessment task results.

Margaret Jamieson – Excellent work with fractions.

Mr Preston

Lachie Holmes – For excellent results in his maths test.

Max Plunkett – For working well on his speech.

Miss Lavis

Alyce Parker – Thorough, well-researched explanation writing.

Mrs Wedgwood

Isabelle Cottrell – Excellent organisation skills and continuous hard work in English.
 Jake Muller – Always improving skills in English.

VALUES AWARDS – CARE

Senior: Pip Bowler
Junior: Archie Gunn



SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD

Alanah Black, Daniel Grunow, Audrey Lieschke, Maddie Parker, Jack Watson, Seth Webb



COMMUNITY NEWS

Holbrook Pony Club
5th

All past and present Members are invited...

Saturday 17 November 2012

11.30 am for lunch

at the Holbrook Hotel

\$20 Adult, \$10 Child (under 12), \$50 Family

R.S.V.P. 7 November 2012

Janette and Valentine Ross on ph: 6036 9564 or email: holbrookpc@hotmail.com



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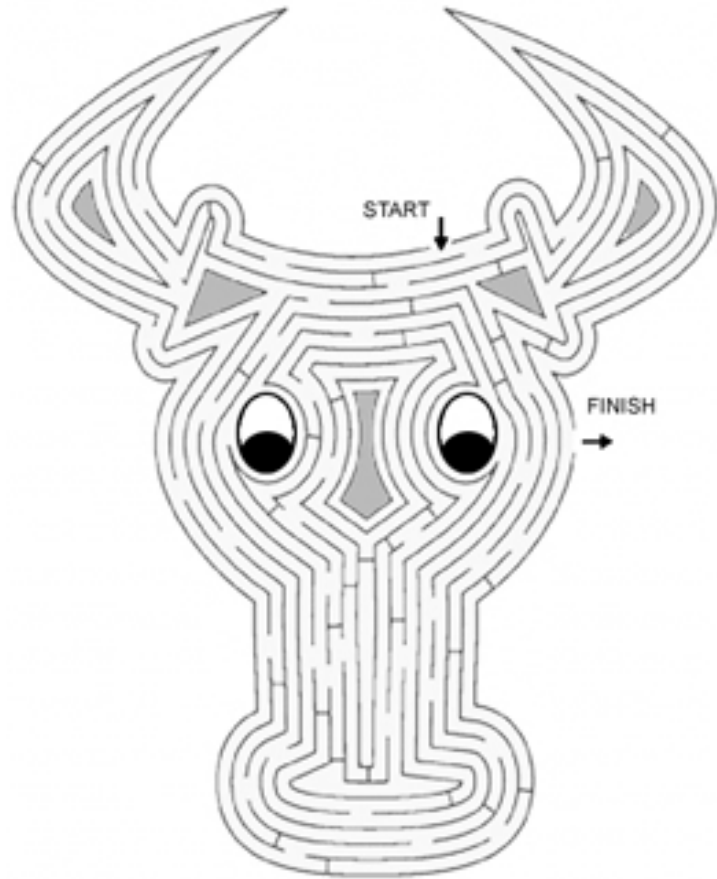
The Tumbarumba Public School has invited Holbrook Public School to compete in the Interschool Equestrian Championships held at the **Tumbarumba Pony Club Grounds** on the **25 November 2012**.

The program includes; riding events, novelties, sporting, jumping and equitation. It is designed to encourage all riders of all levels to participate.


For those interested, the programme is available at:
www.tumbarumba-p.schools.nsw.edu.au
 or you can contact Kate Pollard on:
 02 6948 2048, 0447 628 536 or email:
kate.pollard@det.nse.edu.au for any other info.



Entries close 12 November 2012.



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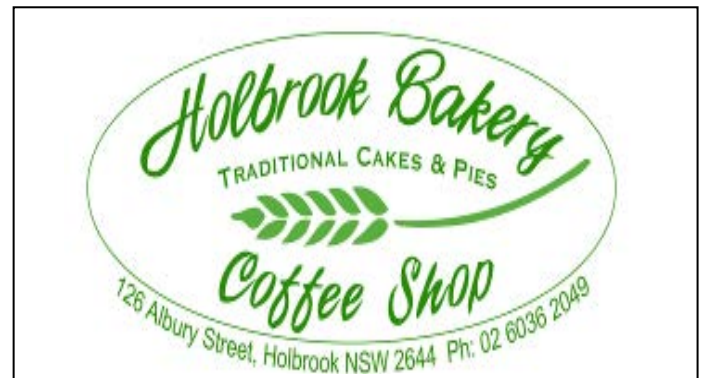


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- Staff help students to discover and develop their talents.
- Facilities at the schools are constantly being upgraded.
- Students achieve great success in academic, cultural and sporting activities.

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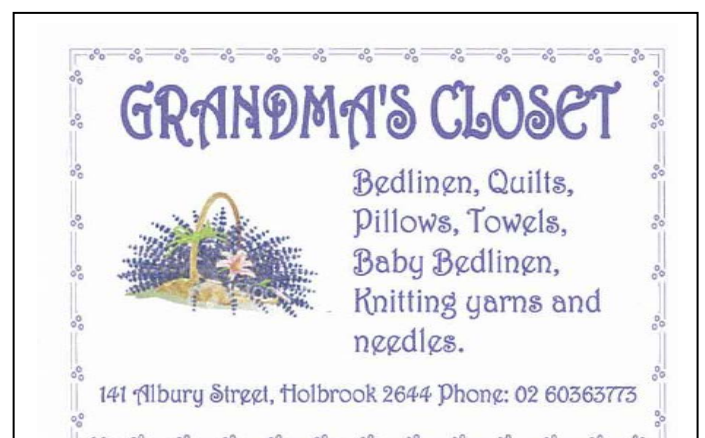
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