



HAWAIIAN DISCO THIS WEDNESDAY

MONEY OVERDUE

**Costs for this excursion are now overdue.
Please deliver the outstanding money to
the Front Office ASAP.**

Staff attending the excursion are: Cathy
Gallagher, Colin Louwen, Rachael Hogden,
Teena Besgrove, Deb Craggs & Ailsa Watton.
Buses driven by: Colin Louwen & Mark Gallagher



YEAR 7-10

'THE TOPS' Secondary Excursion

5-8 December (Week 9, Term 4)

Approximately \$450 (TBC depending on numbers)

\$100 deposit paid by 21 October

Jamberoo Action Park

The Tops Conference Centre

- Abseiling
- Archery
- Kart Racing
- Giant Swing
- Leap of Faith

AP NEWS

A big thank you to Miss Joeli Morris and Mr Johnty Pettet who finished their four-week practicum last Friday. The students of Year 1/2 and Year 3/4 will miss them terribly and we wish them all the best with their teaching careers. Congratulations to Zac Johnstone for being our 'Catch of the Week' and winning the FISH draw. Zac demonstrated great skill in communicating respectfully with his teachers and peers. This week's focus is showing gratitude and comes from the 'Make their Day' principle.

Last Friday the Infants students enjoyed an ice cream at the park for their Level 4 FISH Reward. Next week it will be the Primary students turn for those who have reached Level 4 in their FISH books. These students will be heading to the pool after lunch on Wednesday (7th) and need to remember to bring their swimmers and towel to school.

Mrs Gallagher had a fabulous time with the Earlybirds for this year's Kindergarten Orientation Program. The children enjoyed their days of activities and very much look forward to coming along to Big School next year.



The Infants Intensive Swimming Program has started well. Compared to the last couple of years, it feels strange not to have cold rainy weather! We look forward to seeing the growth in our little ones' swimming ability. As you can imagine, there will be many tired and cranky children as the days go on, so please encourage early bed times!

The end of year disco is tomorrow night (Wednesday). Infants/Primary starts at 6.30pm and Secondary at 8pm. The Earlybirds are invited to the Primary disco and Year 6 are also welcome to attend the Secondary disco. The theme for the night is "Hawaiian".

Don't forget Award Night is happening on Tuesday 13th December in the school hall. Everyone is welcome as we celebrate the achievements of our students throughout 2022.

Ben Kline

Assistant Principal

Dates for your Diary

WEEK 8

Infants Intensive Swimming

Tuesday, 29 November

- Donna Lane Squash Shield @ Parkes

Wednesday, 30 November

- SRC Disco

Sunday, 4 December

- Step Up Dance Concert

WEEK 9

Infants Intensive Swimming

Secondary Excursion

Wednesday, 7 December

- Level 4 FISH Reward (Primary) Pool Visit

Friday, 9 December

- Year 6 Graduation Assembly @ 9:15am
- Year 6 Big Day Out

WEEK 10

Monday, 12 December

- Year 10 Department Day

Tuesday, 13 December

- Award Night

Friday, 16 December

- LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

2023 SCHOOL RETURNS

WEEK 1

Tuesday, 31 January

- Years: 1-6, 7, 11 & 12 return

Wednesday, 1 February

- Years: K, 8-10 return



Please do not bring any nuts or foods containing nuts into our school.
We appreciate your understanding in this matter.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Breakfast Club occurs Thursday morning at 8:30am.
- Our second hand clothing pool is getting low. We are accepting donations of outgrown school uniforms.

SECONDARY AFTERNOON STUDY—LAST FOR THE YEAR

Secondary Afternoon Study will run again this year for secondary students. Afternoon study is staffed voluntarily and provides students with the opportunity to access computers and/or extra support with their homework or assignments. It is held in Room 10 on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons from 3:15 until approximately 4:30pm and all secondary students are welcome.

Wednesday

Ms Tyler

Thursday

Mrs C Gallagher



ISSUE 8 OUT NOW

Orders can be placed through Scholastic Book Club Loop by 1 December 2022



WHAT'S NEW IN PRIMARY WITH MRS GALLAGHER

We had so much fun working with our prac teacher, Miss Morris, over the past four weeks. In Science we used our senses to examine how things change, and our experiment involved observing chocolate before and then after placing it in the sun. This was the most delicious experiment, and all students enjoyed using their sense of taste in the final stages of the experiment.

We've had a great year of learning, and would like to thank our fabulous SLSO's for their support throughout the year. We couldn't do it without you!



WHAT'S NEW IN SECONDARY WITH MRS GALLAGHER

Year 11 Mathematics Standard 2 students are studying the first topic in the Year 12 course 'Networks'. This topic involves looking at examples of networks including bus and rail routes, electrical and plumbing systems and road systems and using graph theory to try to improve them: faster process times, shorter distances, lower costs.

Year 11 Mathematics Advanced are finishing a topic on Exponential and Logarithmic Functions. This topic involves using laws of logarithms to solve problems, the introduction of the number 'e' and differentiation of logarithmic and exponential equations to investigate rates. Practical applications include problems involving Newton's law of cooling, the Richter scale to measure earthquakes and the pH of a solution. The next topic is Trigonometric Functions.

Year 9 Mathematics students are finishing 'Probability' and will commence 'Data Analysis'. We will continue learning new content in Mathematics right until the end of the school year.



WHAT'S NEW IN SECONDARY WITH MR LOUWEN

Rebecca Redding and Shaun Large have done a fantastic job of completing their chess boards. Each have the full board on top, with a drawer for storing the chess pieces underneath. Great work!



What's happening in the library

DCS library is now awarding a Term prize to the top three borrowers from each class from K to 6. Bringing back the love and joy of reading a good book.



Community Noticeboard



ENROLLING NOW FOR 2023

CONNECT FIVE CHILDREN SERVICES
YULUWIRRI KIDS/CONNECT FIVE – MONKEY ROOM
COONABARABRAN AFTER SCHOOL & VACATION CARE
YULUWIRRI KIDS COONABARABRAN PRESCHOOL AND LONG DAY CARE
ARE NOW SEEKING ENROLMENT REQUESTS FOR 2023 FOR CHILDREN AGES 0-12 YEARS.

PROVIDE YOUR INFORMATION AT <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/56HSWJK>
SCAN THE QR CODE AND FOLLOW THE LINK TO FILL OUT THE SURVEY.
FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT CHILDREN SERVICES
ON (02) 6849 2184.



HIDDEN TREASURES HONOUR ROLL NOMINATIONS OPEN

Do you know an amazing woman who volunteers in our community and organisation?

The Rural Women's Network is encouraging everyone to recognize the efforts of women making a difference locally by nominating them for the Hidden Treasures Honour Roll.

Minister for Women, Minister for Regional Health and Minister for Mental Health Bronnie Taylor said honouring the contributions of women in rural communities ensures unpaid work is valued and respected.

"Women play an important role in community development and making rural NSW a great place to live," Mrs Taylor said.

The Hidden Treasures Honour Roll first launched in 2010 and has so far recognised more than 1,000 volunteers across NSW.

Nominations are now open and close 30 November 2022 at 11:59pm. Nominations must address volunteer work undertaken in 2021 or 2022. Women of all backgrounds and ages can be nominated.

To submit a nomination, visit: <https://www.nsw.gov.au/women-nsw/rural-womens-network/hidden-treasures>

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us at ruralwomensnetwork@dpc.nsw.gov.au



Experience a FREE Holiday Break Camp these January School Holidays

Holiday Break is a series of free camps for young people across regional NSW communities.

Inclusions

- 3 day camp inclusive of all meals and accommodation
 - All organised activities, safety equipment and supervision
 - Open to 12-15 year old boys and girls
- With hundreds of places available across seven centres, don't miss your opportunity to book.

Camp details

Centre: Lake Burrendong
Camp Dates:
Tuesday 17 to Thursday 19 January 2023
Friday 20 to Sunday 22 January 2023
Pick Up / Drop Off Location:
Private drop off at Centre

Activities can include:

Mountain biking, slip and slide, archery, kayaking and much more

More info and eligibility sport.nsw.gov.au/holidaybreak or 13 13 02

Office of Sport
Find out more
www.sport.nsw.gov.au/holidaybreak



January 2023 Holiday Program

<p>Monday 2nd Jan 2023</p> <p>SERVICE CLOSED</p>	<p>Tuesday 3rd Jan 2023</p> <p>SERVICE CLOSED</p>	<p>Wednesday 4th Jan 2023</p> <p>COOKING</p> 	<p>Thursday 5th Jan 2023</p> <p>Plaster Casting</p> 	<p>Friday 6th Jan 2023</p> <p>Water Play</p> 
<p>Monday 9th Jan 2023</p> <p>Scavenger Hunt</p>  <p>Scavenger Hunts</p>	<p>Tuesday 10th Jan 2023</p> <p>Food Eating Contest</p> 	<p>Wednesday 11th Jan 2023</p> <p>Escape Room</p>  <p>Can you solve the clues and escape?</p>	<p>Thursday 12th Jan 2023</p> <p>Water Balloon Games</p> 	<p>Friday 13th Jan 2023</p> <p>Wire Sculptures</p> 
<p>Monday 16th Jan 2023</p> <p>SERVICE CLOSED</p>	<p>Tuesday 17th Jan 2023</p> <p>SERVICE CLOSED</p>	<p>Wednesday 18th Jan 2023</p> <p>SERVICE CLOSE</p>	<p>Thursday 19th Jan 2023</p> <p>Tie Dye Socks</p> 	<p>Friday 20th Jan 2023</p> <p>Movie Day</p> 
<p>Monday 23rd Jan 2023</p> <p>Arts n crafts</p> 	<p>Tuesday 24th Jan 2023</p> <p>Minute to win It</p> 	<p>Wednesday 25th Jan 2023</p> <p>SLIP N SLIDE</p> 	<p>Thursday 26st Jan 2023</p> <p>Australia Day Public Holiday</p>	<p>Friday 27th Jan 2023</p> <p>Pupil Free Day</p>

Coonabarabran OOSH is operating, Vacation Care these December/January School holidays Monday 19th December 2022 to Wednesday 25th January 2023. Children who are attending school and are in Kindergarten to year 6, can attend this exciting program. Main activities are planned each day with children & educators planning together other leisure-based activities. If your child is enrolled at school and starting Kindergarten in 2023, they can attend the January 2023 Program. Families are eligible to claim the Child Care Subsidy (CCS) for the service which could reduce fees to as little as \$20 per day. Families who have applied for their NSW Before & after School Care voucher can now redeem the \$500 Voucher with Coonabarabran After School & Vacation Care. Vouchers can be redeemed between now and 31 December 2022. The credit on the voucher can then be used until 30 June 2023.

Fruit and healthy food options will be available for morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea. Children will need to bring their own water bottle.



Dunedoo & District Development Group Inc.

DUNEDOO & DISTRICT AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS 2023

NOMINATIONS CAN NOW BE MADE FOR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTIONS TO OUR COMMUNITY THROUGHOUT 2022.

Certificates of Recognition will be awarded in the following categories. A nomination for a Posthumous Award under any of these categories will be considered by the committee. Individuals nominated in multiple categories is acceptable.

- **Service to the Community (Individual)**
- **Customer Service/Outstanding Business**
- **Environmental Initiative (Individual, Business or Group)**
- **Outstanding Community, Educational Group or Sports Team**
- **Outstanding Community Event of 2022**

The above categories will be awarded to recipients for their outstanding community involvement throughout 2022

- **Long Term Service to the Community**

Tell us about your nomination;

- how are they an inspirational role model?
- what makes them outstanding in your opinion?
- what level of commitment have they shown in their chosen field within the community?

REMEMBER: YOUR NOMINEE WILL BE JUDGED ON THE INFORMATION RECEIVED AND IT IS IMPORTANT TO GIVE AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE.

NOMINATION FORMS CAN BE SUBMITTED TO

POST

Dunedoo & District Development Group
Australia Day Awards
PO BOX 1
Dunedoo NSW 2844

EMAILED

coordinator@dunedoo.org.au

DUNEDOO LIBRARY

Nominations Box

Nominations Close
Monday 5th December 2022



DUNEDOO & DISTRICT COMMUNITY AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS 2023

NOMINEE NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
TOWN:	POSTCODE:
TELEPHONE:	MOBILE:

For (name of award):

Because:

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Nominator Details

Name:

Address:

Tel Number:

Signature:

Date:

Seconder Details

Name:

Address:

Tel Number:

Signature:

Date: