Term 4, Week 6
Monday 9 November 2015

Year 10 Work Experience
Monday 9 November
Class Transitions begin
Tuesday 10 November
Wednesday 11 November
Thursday 12 November
Art in a Suitcase
Friday 13 November
Kinder Start Program

Week 7 - New Zealand Trip
Week 7 - Year 10 Work Experience
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16 November
17 November New Zealand Trip
18 November New Zealand Trip
19 November New Zealand Trip
* New Zealand Trip
20 November
* New Zealand Trip
* School Banking
* Kinder Start Program

Week 8 - New Zealand Trip
Week 8 - Year 10 Work Experience
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23 November New Zealand Trip
24 November New Zealand Trip
25 November New Zealand Trip
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26 November
27 November
* Kinder Start Program
* Luke Kennedy ‘Well Being’ speaker Years 7-12 Period 3
28 November
29 November
30 November
31 December

Week 9 - Year 10 Work Experience
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30 November
1 December
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3 December School Banking
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Primary Canteen Roster 2015 Term 4

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| 6    | 9 November Cheryl Spence | 11 November Kelly Phillips | 13 November | 15 November trenches
| 7    | 16 November Beck Groth | 18 November Bek Keighran & Jackie Lott | 20 November Tracy Thompson & Dale White |
| 8    | 23 November Nicole Trotter & Bec Russell | 25 November Sue Perek | 27 November Tammy Wade & Bobby Coombes |
Thank you to Stacey and Jim at Barraba IGA for the kind donation of food to the Variety Postie Bike Bash. We appreciate your continued support.

Parents/Carers

If your child has misplaced any school clothing this year please come to the primary office to enquire about the lost property pool.
Last Thursday our primary and infants performed the musical Currawong Creek. They did a great job and I believe all parents, grandparents and community members enjoyed the performance. Many thanks must go to Mrs Hawxwell for all of her organisation and the teachers for their support of this event. Thanks also to the P&C who provided supper for the evening performance.

This Wednesday 11 November 2015 is Remembrance Day. At exactly 11am on November 11 each year we dedicate a minute of silence for those who died in war, especially soldiers from as far back as World War I. The school will be holding a service at the secondary campus that everyone is invited to attend. The service will start at approximately 10.45am.

Most yearly exams and assessments have been completed and all teachers are busily completing their class reports. This week students in Years 1-6 will be handed their results of standardising testing that is carried out at school twice a year. These assessments are designed tasks to guide ongoing literacy and numeracy planning for teaching. These letters also include some ideas for how you can assist your child’s learning at home.

Remember that these assessments are a snapshot of how your child is progressing in Numeracy and Literacy (including spelling, reading and comprehension). I would encourage you to read these reports and discuss this feedback with your child’s teacher(s).

Previously I wrote about the expectations and legal requirements for school attendance. I also mentioned the importance of establishing routines and patterns at home which will support this. Of course there are times when a child may need to stay away from school. These include if they are too sick to attend, if they have been injured or if they have an infectious illness (such as chicken pox or measles). If you are unsure about anything to do with school attendance, please contact the school as a simple phone call can often clarify situations before they become a problem.

Transition has gone smoothly with all students settling into routine quickly and adjusting to new teachers and classrooms. If you have questions or concerns please contact the school.

Next week many of our secondary students are off to New Zealand to experience the sights and the smells of life over the ditch. We wish them well and look forward to hearing about their adventures.

P&C meeting will be held tomorrow Wednesday 11 November 2015 at the primary campus from 6:00pm in the staff room.

New Zealand Meeting

As there is only one week to go we are holding a meeting for all interested participants and parents to attend on Wednesday 11 November at 3.30pm in room G2 at the secondary site. The purpose of the meeting is to go over some details including the itinerary; details about the accommodation; clothing; medications; passports; travel times etc. It will also be a great time to discuss any last minute questions anyone may have as part of the group. We hope to see as many people there as possible. If you are unable to make the meeting and have any queries please feel free to contact me at the school any time.

Scott Good
Head Teacher