

Newsletter

Dates for your Diary

March 2019	
Monday 18 th	Walbundrie Small Schools Athletics Carnival – Alexandra Park, Albury Finance Training, Albury
Wed 20 – Thurs 21	Albury/Hume Principals Network Meeting – Tumbarumba
Monday 25 th	Teacher Learning Network Meeting
April	
Wednesday 3 rd	Small Schools Cross Country – Bowna Reserve
Friday 12 th	Last day Term 1
May	
Monday 29 th	School Development Day – Staff
Tuesday 30 th	Students Return to School



STEM Learning

Small Schools Athletics Carnival

A reminder that all permission notes were due last Monday. Please return notes to the office by the end of this week if you have not already done so.

Uniform: year 1 to 6 student to wear school sport representative shirt and kindergarten to wear school uniform shirt with sports shorts.

Please return all laundered school rep shirts as soon as possible following the athletics carnival. We are missing quite a few and do not have enough smaller ones for our students. Thank you.

Please remember to take a hat and sunscreen.

Students are to meet Miss Ryan and Miss Tilyard by 8:45am. Student will need to have their names marked on the attendance list and collect their name tags.

Please note – the 800m event will commence at 8:10am. A program for the day will be sent home with this week's newsletter.

Parents and students will also need to let Miss Tilyard and Miss Ryan know when students are leaving the carnival.

If any parents or family members are able to help on the day, please announce yourselves to the marshalling area. All volunteers are welcome and needed on the day. Thank you.

Personal best, participation and having fun will be the key to a great day!

Recycle Products

We are hoping to collect plastic containers or bottles, boxes of different sizes ie shoe box, cereal box, cardboard insert rollers (not from toilet paper rolls) etc. These items will be used for creative and imaginative play during playtime at school. If you have any of these items at home (clean or washed items only) and would like to donate them to the school, please give them to your child's classroom teacher. Thank you.

Sport News

Congratulations to Ed who has made it to the Eastern Riverina AFL Carnival to be held on the 21st March at Maher Oval, Wagga Wagga. Good luck Ed!

Our swimming relay team, Isabelle, Alex, Tammy and Edward, competed at the Riverina Swimming Carnival on Wednesday. Our students were placed 9th overall. Alex also competed in backstroke and achieved his personal best. Well done!

Library Bags

The Federation Shire Council have presented library bags for our Kindergarten students. These bags contained many items including a book.



Class News

Infants

The K-2 students have been exploring sound in Science and Technology through a range of activities and experiments. This week they began planning and designing their own instruments using the knowledge they have of how sound is made. Students will then use these instruments to create an accompaniment to a short story. If families have any materials to donate such as boxes, toilet rolls, plastic containers etc. could they please send these in to school.

Primary

Throughout term one the primary students have been exploring and learning how to code Lego robots as part of our STEM units of learning. The aim of our exploration is to design a robot that can help fight fires. Working in groups, we designed our robot and built them using We Do 2.0 Lego. Once our designs were created we used the ipads to code the robot so that it could drive over leaves and sticks to get to the fire. Last Friday we gave our robots a test drive to see how they would go in the rough terrain, we will have the opportunity to edit our robots this week and test them again.



Learning Awards

Bonnie – positive attitude to learning and commitment to improving

Isabelle – always having a positive attitude and applying herself to all aspects of learning.

