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Newsletter

Wednesday 26th October 2016

Term 4 Week 3

Dear Parents,

Today we welcomed our Perthville Possums to commence their transition program. A short meeting was held with parents and everyone had a super start to big school. Thank you to Mrs Keough who is running her last transition program at Perthville before she starts in her new role as Assistant Principal of Bathurst West School. We also thank Mrs Fidock who will be here every week to help with the program and our new practicum teacher Ms Ledden. The program will run for five weeks concluding with a teddy bears picnic and another meeting for mums and dads. The last meeting to be held on Wednesday 23rd November will include bus and uniform information. Pictured are some of the new Kinders with their buddies.



Beau



Peyton



Brax



Georgie



Edith



Harry



Ava



Amelia & Grace



Tayla

Perthville welcomes new teacher Tamara Woldhuis

Today we also welcomed our new teacher for 2017 Ms Tamara Woldhuis. Tamara will be the Kindergarten teacher next year and is really looking forward to starting at Perthville School. Tamara is currently teaching at Coonabarabran School and will soon move to the Bathurst area ready for the new year. We know she will love it here at Perthville.

Jack Fenton – Previous student and a great country lad!

It was very sad to hear of the passing of previous student Jack Fenton. Jack was a leader at Perthville School in 2010 and was also awarded the Nairne award for Citizenship in the same year. I taught Jack most of his Primary school life, both at Black Springs and Perthville and I was deeply saddened to hear this terrible news. Our whole school's thoughts and prayers go out to Darren, Rachel, Ebony and Isabella and we are thinking of your whole family on this very sad occasion.



After School Care

Our After School care program is anticipating a start date of Term 1 next year. Our tender will be advertised shortly and the successful tender chosen by the end of Term 4. If you will require After School Care in 2017, please contact the front office so we can add your children's names to the list. It is important that we have the expected names and numbers this term. Please contact Suzanne at the front office to confirm your place.

Blue Star award Winners

Congratulations to the following students who received Blue Star awards at our last assembly – Lenard McD, Mahalia I, Jenna G, Almira K and Riley L.

Gold Award Winners

Congratulations also to Isabelle Murray who received a gold award at our last assembly. Isabelle is a positive, hardworking and caring student. She constantly helps teachers and other students. A great school citizen!



Kookaburras Win House Points

Congratulations to the Kookaburras who took out this Fortnight's house points!



Presentation Day 12pm
Friday 9th December
Around the World in 80 minutes!



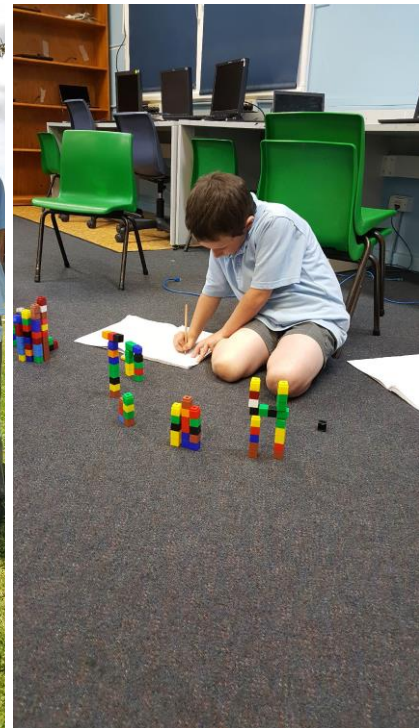
Enviro Matters Talk Visits Perthville

Last week each class had a visit from the Bathurst Council where we discussed sustainability, looking after our environment and recycling. Pictured is Year 1 with some of the items discussed in the program.



Continuum Groups – Gonski Funding making a big difference at Perthville

Continuum groups for this term include Volume and Capacity and Worded Problems. There has been incredible learning taking place in Numeracy, well done to all staff and students. Pictured are students from Ms Naylor's class working on measurement. Well done kids!



IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR Year 6

Year 6 to Denison College - Kelso High – Full Day Orientation with all schools!

Year 6 will participate in their last transition to Kelso High school this term. This day is the state wide transition day on Wednesday 7th December. **This is an all day event.** Transport to and from this event is by private arrangement. Canteen facilities are available and students can order their lunch in the morning upon arrival at Kelso High. Mr Dickson will NOT be accompanying students on this day.

Parent Orientation Night – Kelso HS 29th November

Year 6 Parents who have children attending Kelso High next year are also invited to a parent Information evening at 6.30pm on Tuesday 29th November at the Kelso HS hall.

Year 6 Special Assembly – Friday 25th November

A special assembly will be held for Year 6 on Friday 25th November. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Year 6 Baby Photos

Year 6 are requested to bring in 3-4 baby photos. Mr Dickson will be putting together a short DVD for a special keepsake!

Year 6 Big Day Out – Wednesday 14th December

Year 6 will enjoy their big day out on Tuesday 14th December. More information will be sent home with year 6 when everything is booked. The approximate cost of this day is \$40

Year 5 Student Leader Speeches – Friday 11th November 10.30am

Year 5 students who are wishing to become student leaders in 2016 will prepare and present speeches during week 5. The speeches should be written at home and be ready for presentation on Friday 11th November. We wish all candidates good luck! Assembly on this day will commence at 10.30 to allow us to fit in all speeches.

Term 4 Gala Day

Our last Term 4 gala day will be held on Wednesday 23rd November at CSU. This day is where we celebrate the achievements of the children in the Small Schools Sporting teams. This will be our last time so we are looking forward to the event where our ball games team will hopefully shine through! A permission note is attached to this newsletter and we will be travelling by bus so a small cost will be involved. Please return the note by Friday 18th November.

Enrolments for 2017

Our anticipated enrolments for 2016 are 131. The magic number to establish 6 classes is 130 so at this stage six classes look likely. It is very important that I know of new families or families that are relocating as soon as possible so that I can allocate staff appropriately and organise classrooms and resources. If you know of new families moving to our area, that have school age children, could you please ask them to contact our school for an enrolment interview and viewing. I thank you in advance for this request.

Last Half Staff Development Day

Our last half Staff Development Day will be held Tuesday 8th November from 3.30-6.30. This will be our last day which replaces our Staff Development Days scheduled for the end of the year. Staff, along with students will then finish the school year on Friday 16th December. This term we will be focussed on Mandatory CPR and anaphylaxis training.

**Iceblocks Now Available on Tuesday and Thursday at
Recess 1.45 - Fangdangles \$1.50, Icy Poles \$1.00**

Assembly This Friday 28th October 10.45am



BATHURST SMALL SCHOOLS

*Burruga PS · Black Springs PS · Meadow Flat PS · O'Connell PS
Perthville PS · Rockley PS · Sofala PS · Wattle Flat PS ·*

Dear Parents,

On Wednesday 23rd of November students in Yrs 3-6 are invited to the Term 4 Bathurst Small Schools Gala Day.

The day will involve an assembly where students will be recognized for their sporting achievements for 2016. A BBQ lunch will be cooked \$3 for sausage sandwich & drink.

Following the assembly students will be involved in a number of sporting clinics where the emphasis will be on participation and having fun!

Who: Students in Years 3-6

Where: Charles Sturt University

Start time: Perthville Students will be travelling by bus. Start time 9.45am to commence promptly at 10.00am

Finish time: 2.00 pm

What to bring: hat, sunscreen, recess and water **BBQ Lunch \$3 per sausage sandwich**

What to wear: Full school sports uniform

Cost: \$2 for the bus + \$3 BBQ Lunch

Students in Kinder and Year 1 and Year 2 will be taught at school as normal.

Please complete and return the following permission slip and return it to the school by Friday 18th November 2016.

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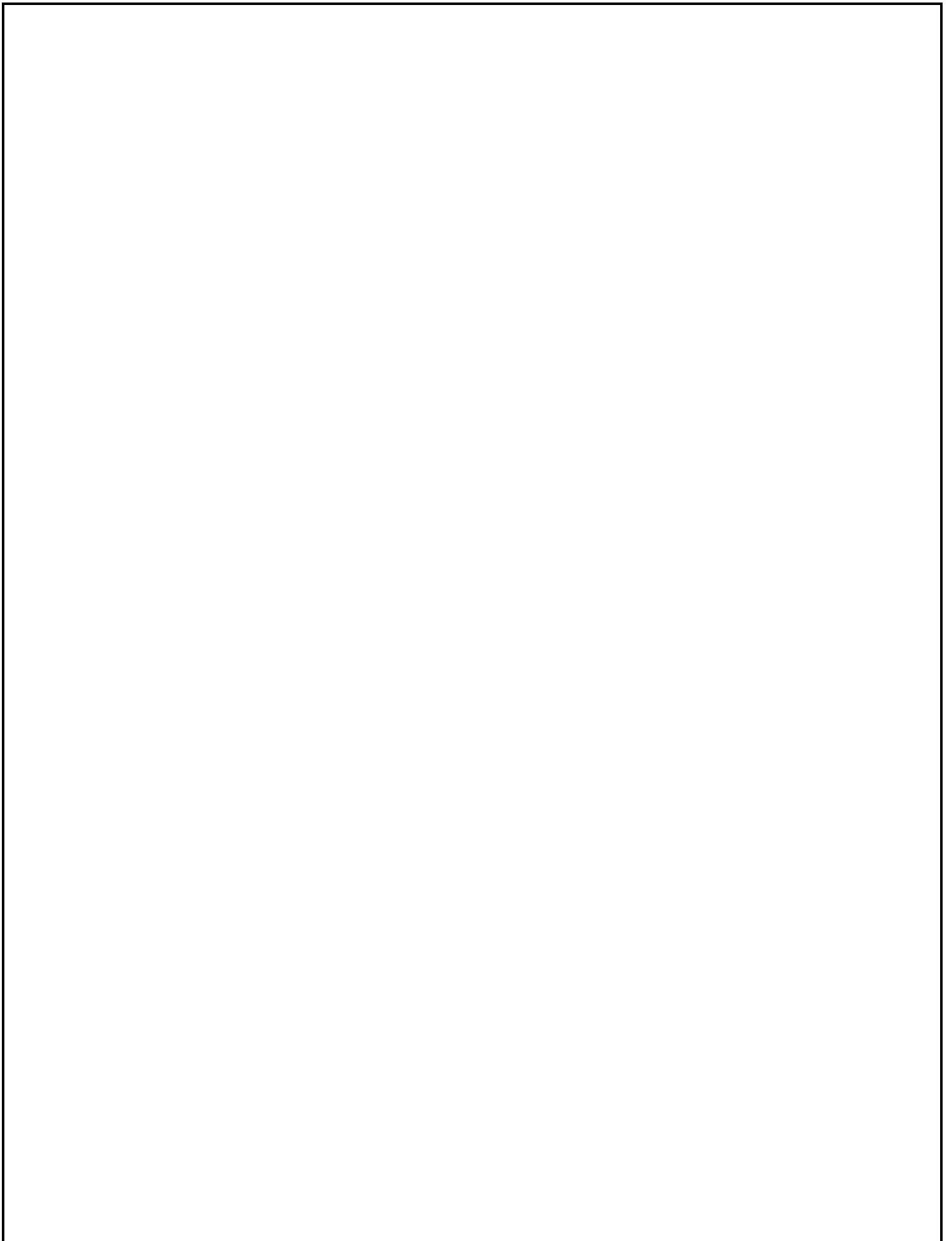
I give permission for my child/ren _____

to attend the Bathurst Small Schools Gala Day to be held at CSU on Wednesday 23rd November, 10am-2pm. I understand that transport is by bus to and from Perthville School in normal school hours.

YES I have enclosed \$5 for bus travel & BBQ Lunch

Yes I have enclosed \$2 for bus only

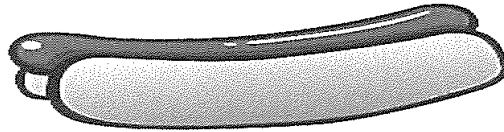
Signed _____ Date _____



Hot Dog Day

Lunchtime Friday 4th November

Cost: \$3 each



Please complete form & attach to paper bag to fit Hotdog. Please fill out a different order/bag for each child. Return to school office with correct money enclosed. All orders must be received no later than Wednesday the 2nd of Nov. No late orders will be accepted.

Hot Dog Lunch Order

Name :

Class:

Number of Hot Dogs :

Please indicate with a tick Tomato Sauce

 B.B.Q Sauce

 Cheese

Enclosed is the amount of :

