



Mudgee News



a proud member of the Cudgegong Learning Community

**Tuesday 7 June
2011**

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****3 pm cutoff time for change of routine
(unless an emergency)**

****Students leaving school premises early
Emergency contact/ID will be required
unless otherwise advised by phone/ writing**

****Have you contacted the school with your
updated/changed details?**

COMING EVENTS

8 June Girls' softball in Orange

9 June Netball in Orange

9 June Rugby Union in Dubbo

9 June Debate against Kandos Public

15 June Regional cross-country in Wellington

20 June P & C meeting – 7pm in library

Debate

Our debating team took on Cudgegong Valley Public School last week and came away with a good win. Congratulations to Evie Endacott, Lochie Henry, Daniel Reinhard and Callan Double who put forward a number of very good arguments and were confident in their rebuttal of Cudgegong's arguments. Thank you to Mrs Baddock who does a tremendous job in preparing the team for each debate. I wish the team all the best as they take on Kandos Public this Thursday.

Athletics Carnival

Today saw the running of our 2011 Athletics Carnival. Once again we saw some outstanding individual performances as well as great

sportsmanship. A big thank you to Mrs Baddock for her organisation of the day and to all the staff who helped. I also want to thank the many parents who helped throughout the day. All the best to each of the students who will now be representing the school at the Zone Carnival.

Biggest Morning Tea

During our Athletics Carnival we also held our "Biggest Morning Tea". The money raised from this event will be sent off to assist with cancer research. If you weren't able to buy something today but would still like to donate to this outstanding cause, please pass your donation on to our office by the end of this week. Another big thank you to all students, Mrs O'Hara and parents who were involved in making this event happen.

Sport News

Our girls' softball team heads off to Orange tomorrow for the final phase of the Western stage of the State knock-out. Mrs Charter and Mrs Gardner have been working hard with the team and we wish the girls every success tomorrow.

Our girls' netball team will be in Orange on Thursday to compete in the next phase of the State knock-out. The girls have been training well with Mrs O'Brien and we wish them all the best.

Thursday will see our boys' rugby team travel to Dubbo to compete in the Western Region gala day, which is part of the State knock-out. Good luck to Mrs Leathem and the boys.

Wednesday next week will see a number of our students representing our Zone at the Regional Cross-Country event in Wellington. Good luck to all those attending.

Email Trial

Thank you to the 70 families who have sent us their email addresses for our email communication trial. I am working with our office staff to finalise the trial which we plan to have before the end of the term. If you would still like to put your name down, forms are available in the front office, or you can phone the school and leave your email address with us.

Relieving Principal

I would like to inform you that from Wednesday next week I will be Relieving School Education Director for our group of schools. Mrs Rogers will be Relieving Principal here until the end of term.

**Mark Young
Principal**



Student of the Week

Week 6 Term 2

KA	Nathaniel Lowe
KM	Lachlan Cremona
KW	Angelique Hyland
K/1/2	Thomas Knezevic
1W	Lachlan Crook
1L	Josie Williams
2K	Lily Smith
2B	Felix Caspar
1/2N	Hannah Rayner
3R	Toby Rayner
3/4M	Kristian Chadwick
4C	Mitchell Sandry
4/5P	Jessica Harrison
5R	Kara Morgan
5/6G	Mitchell Hastings
6E	Josie Ager-McConnell
6W	Gus Watts
JG	Ben Baird
TM	Hallie Oakley
LG	John Baird

Canteen News

The current canteen roster is:

Monday	Shannon Smalle Thelma Smith
Tuesday	Kim Stubbs
Wednesday	Tracey Drewe
Thursday	Samantha Browne Sharron Beard
Friday	Lorraine Stewart Heather Notson

Rove Beetle

We have been informed by a parent that their child has a suspected Rove Beetle bite. Please be aware of these beetles and ensure that your children know what they look like and know to avoid them, as they can cause quite severe reactions.

Community News

Confirmation Photos

From St Mary's Catholic Parish Mudgee

Sr Alice wishes to let parents of those children who were confirmed at St Mary's Church in May that the photos are back and are available for collection from St Mary's Parish Office. The Parish Office is open every day except Wednesday. There is no cost for the photos.

Family Disco

1st Mudgee Scouts are holding an 80's disco on 24 June from 6.30 to 9.00pm at the Scout Hall, cnr Church St and Madeira Rd. \$3.00 entry – dress 80's

Barnardos Triple P Program

Children and television.

Many parents are concerned about the amount of violence their children watch on TV, but television is not all bad, and can even be informative. It is, however, a passive activity that can take time away from other activities that children could participate in.

If you want to play a larger part in monitoring your child's viewing habits, there are a few tips you can follow.

It is important for you to establish rules and routines for family TV watching. Decide how much TV

you want your child to watch. A good suggestion would be no more than one hour on school days and a little more on weekends.

Tell your child about the new rules and that they can only watch programs that you have approved of. Make sure you enforce the rules and also that you reward your child for keeping to the rules.

Documentaries, special movies and the occasional hired, suitable video can sometimes be used as rewards for sticking to the rules.

For more information on the Triple P program go to www.triplep.net or phone Leza at Barnardos Mudgee on 63721422.

Gulgong Horse Sports Day

This event will be held on Monday 27 June starting at 8.15 am at the Gulgong Pony Club Grounds. Entry forms are available at the school office

Dento Ryu (Non contact Karate & Self Defence)

Open to all ages 5 years and over. Family/mixed classes. Classes from \$3.50 per person.

Where: Mudgee Public School Hall, Denison Street.

When: Tuesday & Thursday from 6pm – 7.00pm.

Contact: Sensei Harvey Bloxham 6373 8304 or just come along.

Music Tuition

Music tutor available for Brass (Trumpet, Trombone, Euphonium), Guitar, Bass and Drums. \$20 per half hour lesson. First lesson is FREE. Telephone Ross on 0416 052 899

JACKEROO RANCH

Bingletree Station, Upper Turon
Winter School Holiday Riding Camps

Sat 2 July to Sat 9 July

Sat 9 July to Sun 17 July

A wonderful farm experience your child will treasure forever!

Previous riding experience not necessary – beginners to advanced riders are catered for.

Enquiries: Mrs Pattie Hudson

Ph: 6337 7173 (evenings are best)

Take Home a Big Brother or Big Sister

Give your children the wonderful opportunity to have an international big brother or big sister by hosting one of our exceptional international students arriving in Australia in July for their 5 or 10 month programs. Our international students from France, Germany, Italy, Spain and the Scandinavian countries will live as a local, attend a local secondary school, arrive with their own spending money and comprehensive insurance cover – all arranged by Southern Cross Cultural Exchange. Visit us at www.scce.com.au, email scceaust@scce.com.au or call us toll free on **1800 500 501**, request our little booklets of international student profiles, and capture the spirit of family and friendship!

Mark Schwarzer

Competition

Win a signed Mark Schwarzer book!!

Are you 14 years old or younger? Do you love football? Have you ever wanted to play for your favourite team like Barcelona, AC Milan or Chelsea?

If this sounds like you, then all you have to do is tell us, in 100 words or less, about your love for the game and your hopes and dreams of becoming a professional soccer player.

Do this and you could be one of five lucky youngsters to win a copy of Socceroo goalkeeper Mark Schwarzer's latest book about Mogs.

And the best thing, each copy will be personally autographed by the man himself, Mark Schwarzer!

So be sure to send your entries into the Mudgee Guardian by Wednesday, July 6 and the five lucky winners will be announced in the Guardian on Friday, July 8.

Entries can be sent to dean.benson@ruralpress.com or "To the Sports Editor of the Mudgee Guardian, 9 Perry Street, Mudgee, 2850".