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## TRAFFIC CHANGES

Front Drive

NO ENTRY

between  
the hours  
of

8am–5.30pm

Buses & Delivery Vehicles  
Excepted

JUNIOR SCHOOL

The area before the  
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JUNIOR SCHOOL

The area after the  
crossing





## *From the Headmaster . . .*

The school has experienced tremendous success recently in Public Speaking and Debating and this is due in part to the fact that all students from Kindergarten to Year 12 are required to participate in Public Speaking and in Years 7-12 all students are expected to participate in House Debating.

Last week Aiden Telfser (Year 7) and Stephanie Ferguson (Year 8) represented the school in the Western NSW Final of the Legacy Public Speaking in Dubbo. Both students excelled as they have done in previous competitions and debates with Aiden winning the Legacy Public Speaking and Stephanie finishing as Runner Up. Aiden Telfser will now progress to the NSW Semi Final to be held at Parliament House in September.

This follows the success of Calhan Behrendt who won the Senior Section of the Western NSW Final of the Sydney Morning Herald Plain English Speaking Competition last term and also went on to the Semi Final late last term. He found the experience enriching and worthwhile and performed very well.

Our Stage 3 Debating Team won the Western Associated Schools section of the HICES Debating Competition last term and debated against Nowra Anglican College last Tuesday in the Preliminary Finals. It was a very close debate on a challenging topic about the changing role of newspapers in the media. At the finals stage in this competition they only have one hour to prepare the debate from the time they receive the topic so it is a very challenging task for students so young. They lost the debate but have gained a great deal from their debating experience this year.

I would like to acknowledge the tremendous work of our teachers from the English Department and the Junior School for their role in preparing all of our students in the area of Public Speaking and Debating. I wish to particularly acknowledge the work of Mr Mottram and Mr Maher with the Public Speaking and Mr Lee with the HICES Debating. Our tremendous success is due in no small part to their commitment, enthusiasm and coaching.

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The Scots School is a beautiful school with extensive grounds and a lovely range of predominantly deciduous trees that catch the four seasons of the Bathurst climate magnificently. The beauty of the school is something nearly always mentioned to me by visitors to the school when they first visit the school. Of course, what we have is due to the excellent foresight, planning and hard work of previous custodians of the school and it is our task to ensure the current generation of students, parents and staff does likewise.

To this end, the Foundation Day Parent Weekend will become a key focus each year to ensure that we also leave a lasting legacy for future generations. I am hoping that there will be sufficient interest and support from the school community to conduct a tree plant following the Term 3 Sunday Chapel Service each year. The idea of the Foundation Day Service is to consider our culture and heritage as a school along with our Christian foundations so it is an appropriate focus point each year for a tree plant.

The targeted area for this year will be around the new indoor pool and I am seeking expressions of interest firstly from parents or groups who would be prepared to take a lead in the organisation of this day. Please email me if you would like to be involved in the promotion and organisation of the day.

It is hoped that families will purchase a tree or trees and plant them on Sunday 26 August following the Foundation Day Chapel Service. The Tree Committee will plan and determine the trees to be planted. In the next few Highlanders, a list of trees with purchase price will be provided in the Highlander for families to select. The trees will be purchased and available on the day for planting with most of the preparation of the ground completed in readiness. During the next year we will conduct a tree audit to determine other areas in need of planting along with areas where trees have died and need replacing.

I hope many families choose to be involved in this school community event and enjoy working together for a little while following the Chapel Service.

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I encourage families to attend two important events this week. Firstly, the HSC Music and Drama students will present their HSC performance pieces at the HSC Performance Night on Wednesday 1 August. This is always a good occasion and particularly beneficial for students who intend to study Music and Drama in Years 11 & 12 in future years.

On Saturday 4 August I encourage all of you to attend the Highland Jazz Night where the Pipes and Drums and our Music ensembles will present an entertaining and relaxing evening. I thoroughly enjoyed this night last year and I am sure that our musicians will present a similarly entertaining and high quality event this year.

Have a good week.

David Gates

## To Ponder . . .

When circumstances threaten to pull us under Jesus reminds us...

*“Come to me, all who labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”* ... Jesus speaking in Matthew’s Gospel 11:28-30 (ESV)

Jesus challenges the illusion that our pursuit of happiness is anything but a burden. We are made, indeed commanded, to find our delight in God. Any other source of joy is temporary and leaves us frustrated. Jesus is the one through whom we can know God and in so doing find rest for our souls.

. . . Chaplain

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## Homestay . . . Keystone Visitors

We have a lovely group of Korean students from the Keystone Learning Centre spending this term at Scots. The school is arranging a home visit weekend for the weekend of 8-9 September (from Friday after school until return to school on Monday morning). This year we also have 3 students in Year 7 in the Keystone group. All the students are working very hard to improve their English speaking skills and the offer of a home visit would be greatly appreciated.

If you would be able to have one or more students visit your home, please phone Mrs Jenny Donnelly on 6331-2766 to discuss arrangements.

## Rugby General Auction

Organisers of the Rugby Dinner on Saturday, 25th August have arranged a massive General Auction for the adults (parents and friends) with great items donated by local sponsoring businesses. Please plan to support the auction on the evening. It is always exciting to see who wins out on the great surprises on offer.

Just a reminder to all students and team members ....save up your pocket money too, as there is a great auction for students only. You won’t want to miss out on bidding at the student auction. Great fun and lots of neat stuff!

## Boarder End of Term Travel

Countrylink has asked that parents consider the travel needs for their children for the End of Term 3.

Important dates for reservations are:

- \***Bookings due before August 17th**
- \*Amendments by August 31st
- \*Final date for cancellation Sept. 10th



HICES debating crew at Broughton Anglican after the Preliminary Final Round.

Ms Fogden & Mr Lee with Gab Boshier, Gab Morrison, Andrew Knox and Jorjana Micalos

A fantastic effort by the students in their very first impromptu debate. They went down narrowly to Nowra Anglican College.

### Vaccinations Wed., 1st August 2012

Please make sure you have returned any permission notes to Mrs McFawn. The vaccinations will take place on Wednesday this week.

## *From the Deputy . . .*

This week I wish to commend to you the work of students who contribute to the creative life of the school. I have always admired the number of musical instruments many students play, their commitment to private lessons and practice and the diversity of ensembles we have at our school. Similarly, students have shown great enthusiasm for Drama and Visual Arts. These programmes are part of our responsibility to creative thinking, tolerance of character and the development of lifelong learners.

I therefore commend to you the Highland Jazz Night to be held this Saturday, 4th August in the Aikman Hall commencing at 6:30 p.m. It is a joyous occasion where the talents of the students are rightly showcased.

On Wednesday, 1st August in the Performing Arts Centre at 6:30 p.m. the Year 12 Music and Drama students will present their major works/performance pieces in their Trial Examination. The excellence of these works is always to be anticipated and commended.

I thank all students for their continuing commitment to the Winter sports programme. I particularly thank those students and parents who apply for appropriate leave well in advance of any match fixture that they may miss. The value of teamwork and commitment across a season cannot be understated.

*Mrs Lynne Fleming  
Deputy Head*

### **RACE WEEK ACCOMMODATION REQUIRED**

The Visitor Information Centre urgently needs extra houses of all sizes to rent out for race period between 4 - 7 October. If you're going to be away over that period why not make some extra cash!

If you're staying at home you could take in paying guests for bed & breakfast, sleep in your own bed and make some extra dollars.

So if you're interested or you know someone who might be then please pass them on. If you would like to ask any questions please contact Karen or Trish at the Visitor Information Centre [www.visitbathurst.com.au](http://www.visitbathurst.com.au) via email or give us a call on 02 6332 1444 Don't delay - we need you now.

(Application forms are available from Mrs Shillabeer at Scots on 6331-2766 to have a set emailed to you.)

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### Senior School Term 3 Calendar

Tue 31 English Competition

#### **AUGUST**

Sat 4 ISA Rugby Rnd 8 v St Paul's @ TSS

Tue 7 TSS Athletics Carnival (Snr)

Thu 9 K-12 Chapel

Sat 11 ISA Round 9 v Oxley @ TSS

Sun 12-Wed 15 HICES Music Festival (Snr)

Tue 14 HICES Debating Quarter-Finals  
Mathematics Competition

Thu 16-Fri 24 Year 12 HSC Trial Examinations

Sat 18 ISA Rugby Semi-finals (tbc)

Fri 24 Netball Dinner 6:00 pm

Soccer Dinner 6:00 pm

PARENT WEEKEND

Sat 25 **Bathurst OPEN DAY 11-2**

ISA Rugby Finals

Boarders P&F Meeting 4:00 pm

Rugby Dinner 6:00 pm

Sun 26 **FOUNDATION DAY SERVICE\***

Wed 29 TSS P&F Meeting 7:00 pm

Thu 30 TSS Athletics (Snr) Reserve Date

HICES Debating Semi-Finals

#### **SEPTEMBER**

Thu 6 HICES Debating Grand Finals

Tue 11 ISA Athletics (Snr) @ SOPAC

Wed 19 NSW CIS Athletics @ SOPAC

Fri 21 Valedictory Assembly 12:30 pm

Classes Cease 3:20 pm/Boarders Depart

Valedictory Dinner 6:30 pm

The Scots School Bathurst invites you to the

# Highland Jazz Night

A cabaret style concert,  
featuring our talented musicians, vocalists  
and the Pípes & Drums

Saturday August 4th, 2012

Aikman Hall, 6:30pm

*(Doors will open at 6pm)*

**Admission: Adults \$10 Children \$5**

Pay at the door on the night

*BYO drinks, nibbles or dessert*

*Tea & coffee will be available at interval*

**RSVP would be appreciated by Monday 30<sup>th</sup> July August 2012.**

You may like to reserve a table for you & your guests let us know how many.

Ø Lynda Ireland: [asherton@bigpond.com](mailto:asherton@bigpond.com)

OR 0408 675 642

All proceeds will support the  
Pípes and Drums and the Music Department

## MUSIC NOTES – Performances and Rehearsals –Term 3 - 2012

### Term 3- Performances and Rehearsals

- Week 3 – Wednesday 1st August- **Year 12 Trial Performing Arts Nights- Music and Drama in PAC**
- **Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> August – HIGHLAND JAZZ NIGHT** in Aikman Hall
- Week 5- Sunday 12<sup>th</sup>- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>- HICES Music Camp at Meroo/Sydney Town Hall
- **NO Orchestra or STAGE Band rehearsals in Week 5 (13/8 and 16/8)-Mrs Garland at HICES**
- **Week 6 – Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August – OPEN DAY – Recitals by Year 10, 11 and Year 12 Music students in Performing Arts Centre**
- **SUNDAY 26<sup>th</sup> August – Parent weekend CHAPEL service- 9.30am** (Foundation Service)
- **Weeks 8 and 9 – HSC Music Practical Examinations**
- **Week 10 - Bathurst Eisteddfod – on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> September**

### HIGHLAND JAZZ NIGHT 2012

*This year's Highland Jazz night will be on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> August in the Aikman Hall. All parents, friends and students are welcome to come along to enjoy a showcase of performances by The Scots School Pipes and Drums, The Stage Band, The String Ensemble, The Orchestra, Vocals and Year 12 musicians. As the name suggests there will be music from the Highlands through to Jazz and popular items.*

**Cost of Concert: Adults \$10, Students \$5.** Tickets will be available at the door. The doors open at 6pm and the show will begin at 6.30. The audience is seated at tables (which range from 4 to 10 seats). Tables can be booked (see information sheet), or you can come along and make your own on the night. You are encouraged to bring a basket tea (or pick up a pizza on the way), nibbles and own drinks. Tea, coffee and slices will be provided.

We are looking forward to seeing you on this night.

Mrs D Garland-Director of Music

## **This Week in History . . .**

The first Modern Olympic Games were held in 1896 in Athens, Greece. These Games brought together 14 nations and 241 athletes who competed in 43 events. After the success of the 1896 Games, the Olympics entered a period of inactivity that threatened their survival. The Olympic Games held at the Paris Exposition in 1900 and the World's Fair at St Louis in 1904 were side-shows. The Games at Paris did not have a stadium; however, this was the first time women took part in the games. The St Louis Games hosted 650 athletes, but 580 were from the United States. These were probably the lowest points of the modern games. The Games rebounded when the 1906 Games were held in Athens. They attracted lots of attention and a large field of participants. These games marked the beginning of a rise in popularity and size of the Olympics.

In 1924 the first really successful Olympic Games were held in Paris, with more than 3,000 athletes, including more than 100 women, from 44 nations. The first Winter Olympic Games were also held that year.

At the 2000 Summer Olympics in Sydney, more than 10,000 athletes from 200 countries competed, including 4,000 women. In 2004, the Summer Olympics returned



Sunday  
5 August  
3pm  
Orchard  
Room

with Fretworx / Aaron Hopper /  
Georg Mertens / plus special guest

TICKETS: \$ NOTE DONATION  
All funds go to Central West Care

Mitchell Conservatorium  
Russell Street, Bathurst  
Phone 6331 6622

### **ACOUSTIC GUITAR TIM BURREY**



to Athens, with more than 11,000 athletes competing from 202 countries.

The Olympic Games have come to be known as the leading international sports competition.

*by Erik Kristensen-Tulip*

# Junior School Highlander

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### BOOK CLUB - ORDERS DUE

#### WEDNESDAY 1<sup>st</sup> AUGUST

August is shaping up to be a big one for reading with the August Reading Challenge, starting with Book Club and ending with our annual Book Fair on August 31, with our Fathers Day breakfast.

Everyone from Pre-K to Year 6 should have received their book club catalogues. There are lots of great books, including some related to the Olympics. Book Club is a great way to stock up on some extra books for the Reading Challenge.

Thanks for your support of Book Club.

*Lynda Scott*  
*Book Club Coordinator*

#### Bastille Day Celebration

Everyone thoroughly enjoyed an afternoon of French food and games on Thursday. Thank you to Mr Lee and Stage 3 students who organised the celebration. Thank you also to the students who had coloured in posters to decorate the area.

#### HICES Debating and Chess Teams

Congratulations to the students involved in the finals of HICES Debating in Sydney and our school Chess teams who competed at St Philomenas School this week, we look forward to hearing about your experiences. Thank you to Mr Lee and Mrs Inglis for making these opportunities available to our students.

#### Athletics

We have commenced training for the Athletics Carnival during sport time on Fridays. Four groups rotated through track and field events, providing instruction and skill development in High Jump, Long Jump, Shot Put and Sprinting. Our program will continue for the next few weeks leading up the school, WAS and HICES Carnivals. Last Friday, we were fortunate to be able to escape the rain and practise our marching and ball games for the big day!

#### Pies and Sausage Rolls for Lunch

As part of the Year 6 fundraising, students will be able to purchase pies and sausage rolls for lunch every Thursday. It will operate on a pre order system, with orders being finalised every Monday. The order must be written clearly on a brown paper bag, with the child's name, class and

order. Money should be placed in the bag and the amount enclosed recorded. Please try to use correct change if possible. Pies and sausage rolls will be ordered through the dining room and delivered fresh on Thursdays from Roberts Bakery. We really appreciate the assistance of Mrs Robertson and the dining room staff in making this possible. Orders can be collected at 1pm from outside the Stage 3 classroom. Our first Pie and Sausage Roll Day went smoothly with the children very excited and appreciative of hot food on such a cold day. The Year 6 girls did a great job under Mrs Weal's guidance in preparing and delivering the orders. Our service will extend into Pre Kindergarten this week.

#### Olympic Games

All classes have commenced their study of the Olympic Games which will continue for several weeks leading up to and during the games in London. Already there has been obvious excitement and enthusiasm generated in classroom learning. Stage 2 and 3 were enthralled with the Ancient Olympics and the Greek Gods. Stage 1 has commenced some beautiful craft work around the flags of competing countries and Kindergarten children are astounding Mrs White with the amount of information they are absorbing and were worthy winners of the class cup this week! Our Interactive boards are proving invaluable in this unit with so many quality resources available on the net. Our Mini Olympics will be a great way to finish our study.

#### Speeches

Our final speech for the year was sent home on Friday and will form the major part of Homework in Week 3. Speeches will be delivered to peers in class on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> August.

#### August Reading Challenge

We will all be catching the reading bug again this year as we take on the August Reading Challenge hoping to reach 1 000 hours before the end of the month. Students will be issued with a recording sheet which should be returned to school each Friday to be tallied. If we can reach our target we can look forward to another fun Bike Day at the end of the term. Children can be read to, read with you, to you or independently. There will be a prize for the student who reads the most in each class, which will be presented at the Fathers' Day breakfast and Book Fair.

#### WAS Gala Day

The WAS Gala Day which was to be held at Blue Mountains Grammar School has been postponed at this stage.

**There will be no swimming lessons this term.**

## Year 5&6 Canberra Excursion

On the 13<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> of June Stage3 went to Canberra for an excursion to learn more about Government and the history of Canberra.

On the first day we went to the CSIRO. Firstly we held some stick insects and most of them stuck to our jumpers. We then watched a 3D movie about some of CSIRO's projects. We then put on some lab coats and did some little experiments like looking through a microscope at different things like a butterfly wings. We then did some activities like trying to get out of some ropes without taking them off. We all really enjoyed CSIRO.

We then visited The Australian Institute of Sport (AIS). At AIS we had a tour. On our tour we saw the new swimming pool, we also saw where all the athletes train, workout and practise. It was a great experience when we saw the gymnasts practising for the Olympics. The last thing we did at AIS was really fun. We went to the Sportex which showed us how some athletes felt when they trained and we also did some activities like playing basketball in a wheelchair.

Next we went to Parliament House. After we went through security and got our bags checked, we went into the foyer where there was marble everywhere. Then we pretended we were a part of Parliament and learnt how laws were made, as they started off as a bill. We saw The Senate and The House of Representatives. Parliament house was very fun.

On Thursday the 14<sup>th</sup> we went to Questacon and had a great time! We went on the drop and found out that when hot air and cold air meet it makes a storm. We also learnt that Canberra had a fire in 2006.

After Questacon we went to the War Memorial. We saw all the people's names that fought for us in the war on the wall with all the poppies. We also saw the eternal flame. We also saw the tankers that they used in the war. We all learnt a lot about World War 1 and 2.

On the last day we went to the Electoral Commission we had our own election we had to vote for apple, pear, orange, banana or peach. We then tallied the votes and apple came out on top. We then went into the learning area and we did heaps of activities like working out what to do when you're away on an election day. We all had a great time at the Electoral Commission.

On the Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> we went to the National Museum. At the National Museum we went to Circa it had a lot of television screens and they all had different pictures on them. It also turned around to see the other screens. After Circa we went to the other part of the museum. We saw Phar Lap's heart, it was massive, much bigger than a normal human and horse heart.

After the museum we went to the Art Gallery we broke up into two groups and walked around it. We saw the painting Blue Poles, it had sticks and cigarettes in it. We also saw the lifestyle of Ned Kelly.

In conclusion, Stage 3 has learnt quite a lot about government and the history of Canberra. Everyone had a great time and enjoyed every minute of our excursion. We would all like to go back one day for another visit.

By. Hannah, Makeeley, Isabella and Genevieve



# Pre-Kinder Highlander

Week 4 Term 3

## Sounds Program-

This week we will be learning all about the letter “b”. Our song this week is ‘ Ben’s big boot b,b,b’ and our Letterland character is ‘Bouncy Ben’. For craft you can expect to see some balloons, bananas, bikes, boats and lots more.

## Pre Kinder Olympics day -

Next Monday 6<sup>th</sup> August the Pre Kindergarten classes will have an Olympics day. Children are to dress up in one of the Olympic ring colours (blue, black, red, yellow and green). Pre Kinder will participate in some paper plate discus, bean bag ‘shot put’ and other fun novelty games.

## Thursday Pie and Sausage roll Fundraiser –

If your child attends on a Thursday they are able to take part in having a warm pie or sausage roll for lunch. Please return your lunch order bag to your classroom teacher if you would your child to participate.

## Toilet rolls

Please bring in your toilet rolls as we need some for our craft activities.

## Names in Jumpers

Please make sure your child has their name on their jumpers, gloves and other winter pieces.

## Supermarket Vouchers-

The Junior School along with Pre-Kindergarten are collecting the Coles and Woolworths shopping vouchers to assist with Sports and Literacy Programs. If you have any of these dockets they can be given to your child’s teacher or put into the boxes provided in the front foyer of the Junior School building. Thank you.

## Student Portfolios-

Just a reminder that there are a few more Student Portfolios to be returned from both classes. It would be wonderful if these could be returned to your child’s teacher early this week as we already have new work samples to add from this term.

## Up Coming Events-

Bathurst City Library- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> August  
Scots School Open Day- Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August  
Father’s Day BBQ & Book Fair- Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August

## Mitchell Young Voices are PIRATES!

This year’s highly anticipated musical concert from Mitchell Young Voices and penned by their fabulous conductor Mitchell Conservatorium teacher

Michelle Griffin, is *Pirates!*

*(Michelle is a visiting teacher at Scots)*

A swashbuckling adventure on the high seas awaits, come dressed as a pirate for your chance to bag a prize for best dressed pirate.

Saturday, 11 August 3 pm

Sunday 12 August 3 pm

All Saints’ Cathedral Hall

Church St., Bathurst

Tickets at the door: \$12 Adult/\$8 Child/Concession  
\$35 family of four

# Lithgow Pre-Kinder Newsletter

## Week 3 & 4 Term 3

**Welcome to week 3!!!** How quickly the term is going .... week 3 already! We have all settled into our normal routine after the holidays and we would like to offer a great big friendly welcome to all our new families.

Welcome Jorja, Jacob, Cohen and Mitchell D. We know that you will fit right in with the rest of the class and have a fabulous time learning along with us. I've seen you making new friends already. Families if you have any questions please see us as soon as possible.

## **Sounds Programme**

This week is a revision week and we will be learning all of our letters over again. This is a great opportunity for the new guys to catch up with us and for staff to see how clever they are already, and for all the others to keep up with their learning. Ask your child about all our letters and see if they can sing some songs for you.

Next week we will be looking at the letter K and our song is Kangaroos Kissing kkk. Expect to see koalas, kings and kangaroos around the room.

## **Calendar Orders**

Money for these needs to be paid this week please. Art work needs to be sent off shortly so that they are returned to us in plenty of time before the end of the year. Unfortunately we cannot offer photos for these this year. Our computers do not have high enough resolution to achieve optimum results. However, the art works we do at school always look fabulous.

## **Cold Weather**

Please pack a jacket and hat for your child each school day. Even if it's wet in the morning it can be clear enough for play and run around later in the day and we need hats and jackets at these times.

## **Kite Day**

Unfortunately due to some timetabling issues we will not be having our Kite Day at Endeavour Park on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> August. We will just have to do it at school. Sorry for the disappointment, but hopefully we can make it up later on in the year with a visit somewhere else.

## **Upcoming Events**

Start Planning for.....

Book Week Parade	Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August (all kids welcome to join us)
Pyjama Day	Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> September (Wednesday kids only)
School Photos	Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> September (all kids welcome to join in )

Take Care

Liz, Tracey & Lorelle

# *Sport Bulletin*

Secondary School Sports Bulletin Week 3 Term 3

## **1<sup>st</sup> VII in good form**

Our 1<sup>st</sup> VII netball team has resumed this term with three impressive victories. The girls are really combining quite well and demonstrating some outstanding netball skills. Wins against Collegians, All Saints 2nds and Prestige Embroidery have the girls full of confidence but they cannot become complacent as they face the top two teams in the next two weekends. Come along and lend your support at 2.15pm this Saturday at the Bathurst netball courts.

## **Junior Sport Report on 2BS 1503**

Thank you to the four students who expressed interest in reporting the sport for Scots on radio 2BS. Tune in each week from about 7.40am (our students will be on after the 8.00am news) to listen in. Last week Elyse Owens did a great job and this week Robbie Hayward will have the honour.

## **Make up games**

A huge thank you to the players, supporters and coaches for all the additional make up games played last week. The 4<sup>th</sup> grade ladies soccer team (our 1<sup>st</sup> XI) played 3 games in 5 days!

## **Athletics Coaching**

A reminder for any secondary students interested in being coached for sprinting and middle distance running to join with the squad on Monday afternoons from 3.45pm to 4.45pm going through until week 8. It is a very worthwhile program for the development of correct running techniques, mastering a crouch start, acceleration drills, plyometric training methods and developing power and flexibility. Please see Mr. Adams to add your name to the squad list.

## **1500m and 3000m**

Any students wishing to compete in the 1500m or the 3000 metres for the school carnival are reminded to attend the races next Thursday (2<sup>nd</sup> August). The 1500m will be run at lunch time (1.05pm start) and the 3000m after school (3.30pm) and then students are to go to sports training.

## **Presentation Dinners**

As we near the various sport presentation dinners we remind students and parents to return the booking forms for Rugby, Soccer and Netball.

## **Bathurst Edgell Jog**

The Edgell jog is on the 9<sup>th</sup> of September. Students need to consider preparing for the 7.5km fun run over the next few weeks. We intend entering a large team for this fantastic community event. Entry forms will be completed in coming weeks.

## **Upcoming sport events**

Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> August	TSS Inter House Athletics Carnival (McKibbin Oval)
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> August	WAS Athletics Carnival (12 to 16 years KWS)
Fri & Sat 24 <sup>th</sup> /25 <sup>th</sup> August	Netball/Soccer/Rugby Dinners
Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> September	Bathurst Edgell Jog
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> September	ISA Athletics Carnival (Homebush)

Mr. Justin Adams (Sportsmaster)

[jadams@scots.nsw.edu.au](mailto:jadams@scots.nsw.edu.au)

# Sport Schedule

Sport	Team	Coach	Date	Opposition	Time	Venue	Transport
Rugby	1 <sup>st</sup> XV	Mr Mottram, Mr Marshall	04/08/12	Coaching Clinic	10.00am	Scots	
	15s	Mr Dawes	04/08/12	Coaching Clinic	10.00am	Main	
	14s	Mr Bailey , Mr Mair	04/08/12	Barker 13s	10.00am	Barker	Bus leaves Scots 5.45am
	13s	Mr Bailey, Mr Mair	04/08/12	Barker 13s	10.00am	College	
<b>Netball</b>	<b>Please refer to <a href="http://www.bathurst.netball.asn.au">http://www.bathurst.netball.asn.au</a> for competition draws, results, ladders and information</b>						
	1st VII	Mr Adams, Mrs Inwood	04/08/12	OOT Kestrels	2.15pm	Court 11	Mr. Adams 1.30pm
		<i>Umpire/Time</i>		<i>Jess McG/ 3.30pm</i>			
	2nd VII	Mr Adams, Mrs Inwood	04/08/12	TBA			
		<i>Umpire/Time</i>		<i>Ellie C/ 2.15pm</i>			
	C Black	Mr Cameron	04/08/12	ASC 3	2.15pm	Court 13	Mr. Adams 1.30pm
		<i>Umpire/Time</i>		<i>Kanja/ 3.30pm</i>			
	C Gold	Mr Cameron	04/08/12	OOT Sunbirds	DEFERRED -- no game this week		
		<i>Umpire/Time</i>		<i>Emma B/ 3.30pm</i>			
	Ness	Mrs Simcock	04/08/12	Oberon Tornadoes	10.15am	Court 8	9.30am
		<i>Umpire/Time</i>		<i>Bronte/ 11.30am</i>			
	Lomond	Miss Crain	04/08/12	Collegian Dominators	10.15am	Court 11	9.30am
		<i>Umpire/Time</i>		<i>Alice / 9.00am</i>			
	Lionesses	Mrs Micalos, Mrs Milligan	04/08/12	OOT Eagles	9.00am	Court 1	Nil
		<i>Umpire/Time</i>		<i>Jorjana M/ 10.15am</i>			
	Cubs	Mrs Micalos, Mrs Milligan	04/08/12	Bulldogs Little Gems	10.15am	Court 3	Nil
		<b>Clubhouse duty -</b>	<b>Nil</b>				
<b>Soccer</b>	<b>Please refer to <a href="http://bathurstfootball.net">http://bathurstfootball.net</a> for competition draws, results, ladder and information</b>						
	1st XI	Mrs Denmead, Mr Walters	05/08/12	Bye			
<b>Note 2.40pm</b>	1st XI	Mrs Denmead, Mr Walters	<b>This thurs or next vs KWS (TBA)</b>			<b>4.00pm</b>	<b>KWS</b>
	14s	Mr Dundon, Mr Garretty	04/08/12	Macquarie United (12s)	9.00am	Proctor	8.15am
	14s	Mr Dundon, Mr Garretty	04/08/12	Macquarie United (14s)	12.00pm	Proctor	
<b>Hockey</b>	<b>Please refer to <a href="http://www.bathursthockey.com">http://www.bathursthockey.com</a> for competition draws, results, ladder and information</b>						
	1 <sup>st</sup> XI	Mr Doney, Mrs Taylor	03/08/12	Bye			
	15s	Mr Doney, Mrs Taylor		Bye			
<b>Fitness/Biathlon</b>			Mr Gittins, Mr Gates		04/08/12		9.00am
Scots							

## *Rugby . . .*

### **TSS 13's v. Chevalier**

TSS 12 vs CHEVALIER 34

The boys played extremely well under difficult circumstances, firstly with the early start and long trip to Bowral and secondly we only had 11 players versus their 12. We began the game with significant pressure by Andrew Owens, Jason Corliss, Zane Rowlandson and Patrick Harris; all four boys made excellent runs and were causing a variety of problems for their backline. Our forwards were excellent with John Oh, Aidan Telsfer and Wesley Standfield playing brilliantly in the front row for the first time together. Oliver Simpson, Shaun Kitson and Hamish Andrews were solid in the row and were outstanding at the ruck. Jack Morrissey played half back for the first time and had a commendable performance. Tries by Patrick and Andrew with one excellent drop goal by Andrew for the conversion. Overall the boys performed above and beyond our expectations and we were extremely proud of the boys and their effort. Many positive comments from parents on the day about our structure and ability to play so well as a team.

Well done guys, so proud of you all.

*Mr Duane Bailey*

### **U15's v. Chevalier**

Result: 50 – 0 loss

Scots started the game well and when in possession showed promising signs. It was our defense that let us down throughout the game and injuries to key players didn't help our cause. A determined effort in a tough game against quality opposition. A big thank you to Hugh Lennon, Liam Gray, Jack Rowlandson and Ned Dawson who helped us to make up the numbers.

*Mr Nick Dawes*

### **1st XV v. Chevalier**

The Chevalier 1st XV were simply too big, too strong and too fast for us. It wasn't that we played poorly, we simply couldn't match them. Personally I was pleased with our team's efforts and notably those of a number of players, however at this end of the season we are struggling with injuries to key players which is compounded by a lack of depth.

This coming Saturday the 1st XV and the 15's will be attending a training clinic run by James McLaren from Bathurst Bulldogs. A week without a game will help us in our preparation for our last game of the season against Oxley here at Scots.

Final score: TSS 3 to Chevalier 87

Penalty goal scored by Jock Sinclair

*Mr R. Mottram/Mr B. Marshall*

## *Soccer . . .*

### **Scots 14's v. Eglinton Starfish**

Team played well as a team and scored first. Had many chances in the first half. In the second half the lack of substitutes counted against the team who were very tired in the cold conditions.

Final score: TSS 1 to Eglinton 2

*Mr J. Garretty*

## *Indoor Soccer . . .*

### **Indoor Soccer 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2012**

The 7/8 Years team were out in force on Tuesday evening against The Incredibles. The two teams were very evenly matched and despite lots of attempts at goal the final score was a nil all draw. There were some very fast and furious passages of play and some very near misses and it was after one of these that Thomas Cox was overheard saying 'It's not just about winning, it's about having fun!' And that they did! The Most Valuable Player was awarded to Kyron Kirkpatrick who had a great game in attack and defence. This week we play Red Dragons at 6pm.

The 9/10 Division team were not as fortunate with numbers and came up against a very strong team in Blasters. They fought bravely throughout tackling for the ball tenaciously and managing to get the ball into a scoring position on several occasions. Belinda Kidd was tireless in attack, with one of her penalty shots so powerful it left the much bigger Goal Keeper stunned and rubbing his hand! Austin had a great shot at goal which narrowly missed after receiving a brilliant centre pass from Sophie. The team did a wonderful job to keep the score to 4 nil. Evan Smith continues to show skill development in his play and received the Most Valuable Player award this week. This week we play Cuddly Killers at 6:15pm.

*Mrs Kerry Robinson*

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## Netball . . .

### Scots Ness v. Out of Touch Hawks

Scots played well but it was a hard game against OOT Hawks. Our defence was under pressure the whole game but still played very well. All of the girls should be commended on their efforts.

Best players for this match: Emma Martin and Bronte Doyle.

Score made by Nastasia Reynolds and Alice Gates

Final result: TSS 5 for OOT 21

by Lily Ross

### Scots Gold v. Collegians Acers

This game was very close until the last quarter. There was only 2 goals in it until then. The girls put in a massive team effort and it was this effort that saw them tire in the last quarter, as we had only the 7 players for the game. Defence in this game was outstanding. All the girls deserve to be congratulated on their fine efforts.

Final score: a 23-30 loss

Scoring for Scots: A. Gates and B. Andrews

Best players this match: Meredith Spence, Natalie Bowles, Maddison Hohnberg

*Mr P. Cameron*

### Scots Black v. OOT Sunbirds

#### A win -- 31-21

In a tight game for the first three quarters Scots Black played as a team to put on excellent defensive effort to draw away in the fourth quarter to win this game. All members of the team played very well. Special mention must be made of the defensive effort of our newest team member, Brittany Dunlop, who out played the GS from OOT Sunbirds, giving her little opportunity to score in the fourth quarter. Daisy Hibbert was another player to join our team and had a great game as wing attack, linking well to get the ball to our shooters. Well played everyone!

Scoring: Mel Hudson and Georgina Simcock

Best performances: GREAT TEAM EFFORT!

*Mr P. Cameron*

### Scots Lomond vs Eglinton

The girls played well together and are starting to connect as a team. There was an improvement with general passing and communication. The team only went down by a few goals in an evenly matched game. Our defence was excellent and our attacking players worked well together getting the ball into the circle. Overall the girls are playing really well and are beginning to utilise the skills developed in their training sessions.

*Miss Belinda Crain (coach)*

### Scots Lionesses

17:4 (win)

On Saturday the Scots Lionesses played netball against Out Of Touch Chicks. The score was fairly even by the end of the first quarter. The girls returned to the court and

took control of the game, scoring goal after goal. Jorjana Micalos and Emma Bond provided a good shooting combination in the second quarter. Gabrielle Morrison fought hard for the ball and Elizabeth Woodhouse made some great intercepts. All of the girls demonstrated good sportsmanship and played fair. It was a satisfying victory for the Lionesses.

Player of the week went to Emma Bond for fantastic passing and shooting and to Bethany Mitchell for the way she moved the ball down the court.

### Scots Cubs

10:2 (win)

On Saturday the Scots Cubs played netta against the Eglinton Smurfettes. We had fantastic shooting from Kirilee, Laura, Jorja, Alyssa and Jessica. Sarah and Alexandra provided a great defence and worked hard to stay with their opponents. Joanna demonstrated strong passes.

Player of the week went to Simi for good ball handling and for positioning herself on the court well.



*Mrs Sarah Milligan*

### Scots 1<sup>st</sup> VII vs. All Saints

Thursday saw the game nearly rained out but luckily we relocated on home ground. We were down in the first few minutes but once we had warmed into the game we managed to turn it around. The scores seem distant but it was quite a challenge! Hours of Mr Adams and Sharon's time is paying off. Well done girls.

**Win of 38-18**

### Scots 1<sup>st</sup> VII vs. Prestige embroidery

Absolutely freezing weather for our second game of the week on Saturday and with numb fingers we took to the court. It was a great game as we began with the basics and then were able to test our skills. The whole team played a dynamic game using all our practiced skills and techniques.

Well done to Caitlin and Charlotte who had a blinding game and Thank-you to Felicity for filling in.

**A win 39-7**

*Anne Christie*

## Hockey . . .

### Scots 1st XI v. Orange

A cracker of a match, hard fought and competitive throughout. Scots actually had the more chances, but just couldn't finish the moves. Jacob Mason scored our only goal. Good games from Cameron Chew and Gulliver Newell in particular, though it is hard to single out any player in such a good team effort. We are competitive with all the top sides and will have to play a challenging team consistent level to take the tight games.

Final score: TSS 1 to Orange 3

*Mr I Doney (Coach)*

### Scots 15's v. St Pat's

Another good team performance with Scots 15's coming from 0-1 to take a tough match 2-1. Laura McFawn scored both our goals. It is important for us to play the full hour of the match in such tight games. All players contributed well and it was a very pleasing team effort.

*Mr I Doney (Coach)*

### Scots U11's v St Pats CRV's Under 13's

A cold raining night with a late game, made Friday evening a challenge from the start. We were playing an Under 13's team who were strong, and hit the ball powerfully around the turf. Darcie Bennett and Belinda Kidd played well in the centres. Jack Baxter joined us for the second half and was strong on the wing. Hannah scored our only goal this week. Angus Crozier had a great game.

Joshua Chew got player of the week for saving 2 goals. Thank you to our parents for braving the cold to support our team.

Score: St Pats CRV's Under 13's 6 Scots 1.

*Mrs Jennie White.*



## Agriculture . . . Cattle

**Michelle Fairall (Year 8) participated in the Junior Heifer Expo in Adelaide over the recent school holidays. Here is a report she wrote:**

### 2012 South Australian Junior Heifer Expo

On Saturday 7 July 2012 my parents and I began our trip to South Australia. We drove the whole 15 hours from Canberra over two days. The Junior Heifer Expo was held at the Adelaide Showground. On Monday we arrived at the showground and unloaded all my stuff, I was staying on ground for the entire expo.

My ballot animal Argyllshire Jackie came in from Penola SA after a five hour truck trip. Once she arrived I got to know her and her feeding needs. As my heifer was a late entrant she arrived straight from the paddock and had not received final show preparation.

I enjoyed the fact that the SA Junior Heifer Expo was busier than any other youth event that I have attended with 186 entrants. I liked how the Expo was organised with day 1 – get to know your animal; day 2 – lectures; day 3 – animal and junior judging; and day 4 – paraders and presentations.

On Tuesday we commenced the education program. Each age group was split into two groups, I was in group one of the sub-intermediates (12-14 years old). There were 44 kids aged between 12 and 14 years old. My favourite information talk was the marketing one as we looked at how to market our beef. My heifer was used in demonstrations for grooming and clipping throughout the day so she looked much different at the end of the day.

On Wednesday we did junior judging and animal classes. In my junior judging class I was one of only five sub-intermediates commended on my attire. In the animal class my heifer did not want to behave and at the first corner of the ring she stood on my foot and I landed on my backside on the sawdust covered cement.

On Thursday we had our paraders classes. I was in the second heat of the sub-intermediates. The two judges picked the top three entrants and then asked them to reverse their heifer as if they were coming off a truck. I was awarded third in my handlers heat.

During my time at the Junior Heifer Expo I met heaps of people around the same age as me who I normally would not meet.

I met people who worked with different breeds and I liked that parading was done in white dust coats instead of breed uniforms. This way you had to recognise the breed by its appearance.

During the expo I was amazed at the knowledge of the other entrants and the high standard of competition. I was happy that at the end of the Expo we were given a score sheet which gave me details of how I went in each section judged over the four days. This shows me what areas I did well in and which areas I need to work at.

# 2011 RUGBY PRESENTATION DINNER

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2012

6.30 pm The Scots School Dining Room

Cost of Tickets: \$35.00 Adults \$25.00 Student/Players

2 Course Meal , tea, coffee, cordial – **BYO** Drinks

**AUCTION TIME!**  
Parents and Friends ... there will be a general auction for some amazing items generously donated by sponsoring businesses.

The Friends of Rugby are hosting the 11<sup>th</sup> Rugby Presentation Dinner on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2012.

All the Scots community is most welcome – Rugby Players, their parents, family and friends are particularly encouraged to attend.

Be part of this evening of celebration which includes:

## Guest Speaker is James Grant, ex-Wallaby and ex-Orange City Rugby

Presentations to the players and coaches, dinner and the comradeship of the Scots Rugby Family.

Most importantly, the evening provides the opportunity to recognize the contribution and achievements of ALL players, coaches and supporters – The Heart of Scots Rugby.

The Presentation Dinner is also a fund raising event and proceeds go to supporting Rugby in the School.

**Auction (for students only) -- So students, save your \$\$\$\$! ..... plus**

## **GENERAL AUCTION for adults with some absolutely amazing items up for auction!!!**

Dress code for Rugby players & Friends of Rugby Dinner: Collared shirt, long trousers, enclosed shoes

Lucky Door Prizes are all generously donated by Parents, Friends and the Bathurst Business Community.

Tickets are only secured by payment in CHEQUE made out to the The Scots School P & F and sent to The Scots School Office **by Friday 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2012 – Payment must be made by this date.**

### **BOOKING FORM**

RUGBY PRESENTATION DINNER

25<sup>TH</sup> August, 2012

*Please make cheques payable to: The Scots School P & F.*

Enclose payment and Booking Form in an envelope marked 'Rugby Presentation Dinner' and post or leave at the School Office **by Friday 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2012 – Payment must be made by this date.**

Name: .....

Contact Phone Number: ..... Amount Enclosed: \$.....

Adult Tickets: \$35.00 Names: .....

13's Tickets: \$25.00 Names: .....

14's Tickets: \$25.00 Names: .....

15's Tickets: \$25.00 Names: .....

1<sup>st</sup> XV's Tickets: \$25.00 Names: .....

Please note: There will be Team Tables for the Players