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2015 open soon.
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To Ponder . . .

Losing your temper is foolish; ignoring an insult is smart.

... Proverbs 12:16(ESV)

It does not take much thought to remember the last insult we suffered. What good will it do us to ignore the next?

. . . Chaplain

Father's Day Breakfast and Book Fair . . .

Elysia Whittaker and
her dad enjoyed the
breakfast last Friday



Winners of the Reading Challenge: Alexia Mazzotti, Izaak Scott, Chelsea Price, Nate Lee, Charlie Bennett, Kirilee Scott and Andrew Knox. Simi





From the Headmaster . . .

The Junior School Book Fair and Father's Day Breakfast last Friday was a wonderful morning. There were many fathers and grandfathers who enjoyed a very special time with the children, a BBQ breakfast supplied by some of the mums and a good reason to be a little late for work.

The total income from the Book Fair was \$3315, a new record! Many families donated to the Classroom Wish lists, giving new books to all the classrooms that the teachers wanted. We had a fantastic result with the sponsorship - \$1485! Thank you to all the sponsors who will be acknowledged in the Highlander over the next few weeks. All this money went to buying new books for the library, with sponsors also acknowledged in each donated book. The greater level of sponsorship meant that the direct benefit back to the school was even greater as a little under \$2000 would have been spent on books for the school. Hopefully all the students have a new book to read at home too.

In addition to this, we will receive a 25% commission from Scholastic on top of that to spend on more books or resources for the Junior School.

Mr David Hazlett helping his granddaughter Charlotte choose a book at the book fair on Friday.

Thank you to the Book Fair Coordinator Lynda Scott and helpers Lisa Henson, Mandy Agustin, Don and Joan Hicks and Fleur Webster for all of your work. Thank you to the mothers who prepared the breakfast - Sally Rosin, Rhonwen Hazell, Jenny Morrison and Lisa Knox. Thanks to the teachers for putting together the activities. Thanks to all the dads and granddads for coming and supporting their children.



The fathers enjoyed the various choirs who showcased their Bathurst Eisteddfod pieces and also the challenge of the Tug of War. I also enjoyed making the choice of Headmaster's pick from all the books on display and also presenting the prizes to the child in each class who really took on the challenge of reading which was a key Junior School focus for the month of August.

Congratulations to the two sporting teams who have made it to the Semi-Finals of their respective competitions after a very successful season. The 16 Years Girls' Soccer Team coached by Miss Dunkley played their Major Semi-Final on Saturday. Although they went down to the top team all season they are still in the competition as a result of their ladder position. Congratulations also to the Thirds Netball Team coached by Mr Cameron. They also finished in second place and play All saints in the Major Semi-Final next Saturday. Well done to the girls in both teams!

It is pleasing to see such success from the girls following on from the success of the boys in the ISA Rugby Competition this season.

Scholarship applications for 2015 open September 10th 2013 through until February 10th 2014

Scholarship testing to be held Saturday March 1st 2014

Registration fee is \$93 (inc gst)

**Types of scholarships: Music Agriculture All-Rounder
Pipes & Drums Highland Dancing Academic**

Congratulations to Mrs Garland and all the musicians who have represented the school so well in the local Bathurst Eisteddfod this year. Music is very important at The Scots School and our students have acquitted themselves extremely well. The following is a summary of our success this year:

Bathurst Music Eisteddfod results are as follow:

- 1st – Open Orchestra Section
- 1st – Open String Ensemble
- 3rd – Secondary School Stage Band

Our students also performed in the Open Instrumental Ensemble; Choir K-12; Primary School Choir and Infants Choir.

Have a good week...

David Gates

**The photos from the Eisteddfod
are being sent by separate document
with this Highlander.**

The Scots School
Community Calendar for 2014
Photos Needed!

All photos of Junior and Senior school activities gratefully accepted!

*They could be sporting photos, band photos, musical photos, boarding photos, Highland Gathering photos,
funny photos...*

**Just save your photos onto a disk or USB and drop them into the school office before the 20th September.
(Larger file size photos are preferred)**

The calendar will have all TSS key events listed for the year and will be available for pick up
on Speech Day Friday 6th December.

Any enquiries please contact Barbara Baker linbarb@bigpond.com

This is a Boarders P&F fundraising activity!

From the Deputy Head . . .

Year 12

I congratulate Year 12 on the completion of their Trial Examinations and the submission of their major works. However, the great danger is that a relaxed and complacent attitude will take hold. The last three weeks of school are vital in preparation for the Higher School Certificate. Each minute of every class contains an opportunity for revision and clarification of material covered. The most effective preparation for examinations is now the preparation of practice responses in each subject. I urge all Year 12 students to make the most of the time with their teachers. Similarly their holiday time represents a gold opportunity as we have three weeks for revision and preparation.

Year 12 students have been personally emailed an appointments schedule for:

- *Early entry application sessions for CSU, Wollongong, UNE, Southern Cross, Canberra
- *UAC application sessions

I urge Year 12 students to consult this email or the daily notices or the personal scaffolds issued to them to ensure that they have provided for as many possible paths of study as are available to them. Similarly students with issues for EAS applications need to consult with Mrs Fleming this week regarding completion of these applications.

Year 11

The Year 11 examinations will take place next week, Week 9 (beginning 9th September). I remind students that a grade will be submitted to the Board of Studies for each course of study and will be recorded on the ROSA.

Illness and Misadventure: Should illness or misadventure occur in the examination period it is vital that the following protocols are observed:

- a. Notify Mrs Lynne Fleming **immediately** of the illness or misadventure. Mobile phone number 0412 910 861.
- b. Attend the examination if at all possible. The existence of **both** an examination mark (however affected by illness or misadventure) **and** an assessment mark provide the Board of Studies with the maximum amount of data to make a fair decision for the student.
- c. Obtain all possible documentation regarding the illness or misadventure, e.g. doctor's certificate, accident report on the day of the illness or misadventure.
- e. Provide Mrs Lynne Fleming with copies of all documentation.

*Mrs Lynne Fleming
Deputy Head*

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Calendar - Senior School Term 3

SEPTEMBER

Mon 2	HICES Debating Grand Final
Tue 3	WAS 7-12 Athletics
Mon 9-Fri 13	Y11 Preliminary Final Examinations
Tue 10	ISA Athletics @ SOPAC
Wed 18	NSWCIS Athletics @ SOPAC
Fri 20	VALEDICTORY DAY
	Valedictory Assembly – 12:30 pm
	Classes Cease 3:20 pm/End Term 3
	Valedictory Dinner 6:30 pm Dining Hall

Junior School News . . .

Fathers' Day

With such glorious weather over the weekend I hope all families were able to enjoy the vibrancy of spring and time with Dads on Sunday. It was lovely to see so many dads and grandfathers at school on Friday morning to encourage the love of reading in their children and support our annual Book Fair. It was a very successful fair as Mrs Scott indicates in her report. Our thanks to her for taking on the mammoth task of organising the fair again this year. Thanks also to the Friends of Junior School Mums who assisted her and cooked breakfast for us to enjoy. The **Reading Challenge** will continue for the next two weeks with recording to be done in school diaries. This will allow us to reach our target of 1000 hours.

Eisteddfod

Both Junior School choirs performed very well at the Bathurst Eisteddfod last week. Their reports were very positive and both marks in the high 80's. Thank you to parents who supported them by joining the audience at the performance. Thank you to Mrs Garland for her work in preparing the choirs. The guests at Fathers' Day breakfast also enjoyed hearing the choirs perform on Friday morning.

HICES Athletics

Our best wishes go with the Junior School athletics team as they travel to Homebush on Tuesday to compete in the HICES Athletics carnival. Mrs White and Mrs Mann will accompany the team along with an enthusiastic band of parents. It should be a fantastic day.

Netball Season

Congratulations to all our Netta and Netball players who completed the 2013 season on Saturday. Without doubt, each team played their best game to date. The excitement of the Cuddly Cubs scoring a goal was the talk of the town! We can be very proud of the way our girls represented Scots throughout the season for their consistent enthusiasm, good sportsmanship and team work. The Lionesses were placed equal fourth on the ladder but missed out on a semi final place when for and against statistics were calculated. Our winter sport presentation will be held on Friday 13th September at 4pm.

Microsoft Tablets

The tablets and storage trolley have arrived at the school and are currently being configured for the school network. Staff will undergo in service in the coming

weeks and we hope the tablets will be in use in classrooms before the end of term.

Friends of Junior School AGM tonight at 7pm

Junior School Peer Support

2/9/2013

This is the second week that we have focused on the behaviour of bystanders during Peer Support. This week, children will practise ways of responding to bullying whether they are directly involved or not, by talking to the child doing the bullying, the child being bullied or a responsible adult. We use a turn, talk or tell model to support children to develop strategies for dealing with bullying behaviours. This is not easy for many young people so your child may need encouragement to persevere.

BOOK FAIR

The Book Fair on Friday morning was a wonderful success. Our total income was \$3315, a new record! So thank you to everybody who made a contribution, including all the dads, granddads and children who bought books. We really appreciated all the sponsors, business and personal sponsors, for their amazing generosity. Please remember to support the business sponsors when you are around town. We have been able to buy so many new books for the children as a result of the sponsorship. Mrs Robinson will now have a 25% commission to spend on books or resources as well.

To all those who ordered books, they will be returned to the class teachers as soon as they arrive.

My special thanks to the team of helpers who helped me, especially Lisa Henson and Mandy Agustin. You were fantastic and I could not have done it without you. Thank you also to Don Hicks, Fleur Webster and Joan Hicks for your wonderful contribution. Thank you to those who did the BBQ and to the Headmaster and teachers for their support. Congratulations to all the winners of the Reading Challenge. We hope everyone enjoys their new books.

Lynda Scott
Book Fair Coordinator

VACATION CARE

Eglinton Vacation Care enrolment is attached to this newsletter. Please note that it only runs through Monday, 8th October. (Scots has an additional week at this time of year).

Father's Day Breakfast and Book Fair



Izaak Scott with his father and grandfather



Coordinator Lynda Scott with Mandy Augustin and Lisa Henson

Kerry Robinson, Sally Rosin and Lisa Knox cooking the bacon and eggs rolls for the breakfast.



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Kinds versus
Dads
tug-o-war

Lots of hungry guests to feed!



**A HUGE THANK YOU TO ALL THE
SPONSORS OF THE 2013 BOOK FAIR**

Friends of Junior School

R.C.L. Forestry

Kelso Truck Tyres & Mechanical

Red Chair Boutique

Leigh and Lynda Scott

Ukochany Highlands

Eagle Boys Pizza Bathurst

Stephen Smith Building Contractor

Bathurst Car Cosmetics

Luke Bennett Maintenance

Knox family

John Matthews & Co Pharmacy

The Flower Box

Gillian Gates

Jenny Dutton Hand & Upper Limb Physiotherapy

Stephanie Scott

Rhonda Scott

Eilish Reen

Sienna Jessett

Simon Reynolds

Greg and Tracey King

James Johnson

Please support these businesses.



Book stall with Kindergarten Art



Claire Halpin with here dad



The Infants Choir above and the Primary Choir below sang for our guests.
It was good practice for the upcoming Bathurst Eisteddfod.



Pre-Kindergarten Highlander Week 7- Term 3

Pre-Kindergarten Highlander

Week 8

Learning Program- This week we will be learning the 'b' sound continuing with our Jolly Phonics program. You can expect to see some butterflies, bubbles, balloons, bees, bears, boats and lots more for our morning craft sessions. Our social skills theme this week will be Kindness and in Maths we will be exploring Patterns.

August Reading Challenge- We would like to congratulate all of the Pre-Kindergarten students who returned their reading log sheets for the month of August. We were very excited to announce that we totalled 119 hours! Our winners were announced at the Father's Day Breakfast and Book Fair. In the Blue Class Alexia Mazzotti reached the most hours, along with Izaak Scott from the Gold Class. Well done to everyone who took part!

Father's Day Breakfast & Book Fair- Thank you to all of the Dads and Grandfathers who came out early last Friday morning to celebrate Father's Day. It was a fantastic morning with lots of yummy bacon and egg rolls, games and a stroll through the Book Fair.

Fire Station Visit- Last Monday we were treated to a very special visit from the Bathurst Fire Station for 'f' week. It was great to have Georgia's dad from the Gold Class and Bridgett's dad from the Blue Class come and speak to us along with two other officers about fire safety around the home.

School Photos- All of our photo notes have been sent home. Please ensure that the Order Form envelopes are returned to your child's teacher by **Friday, 6th September**. Mr Colzato will be starting the photo sessions at **9.30am sharp on Monday, 9th September** so please be on time and we really encourage all students to attend even if it isn't their usual day of attendance for the Gold and Blue class photos.

Toy Catalogue Orders- Just a reminder that there are only a few more week left before Toy Orders need to be returned for a Term 4 delivery. This is a great idea for Christmas presents and the items are of great quality.

Upcoming Events-

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| • School Photos | Monday, 9th September |
| • Bike Day | Friday, 13th September |
| • Last Day of Term | Friday, 20th September |
| • Term 4 Commences | Tuesday, 15th October |

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Senior School Sport

Secondary School Sports Bulletin Week 8 Term 3

Winter Finals

Congratulations to the three netball teams and the 16s girls soccer team for making the semi finals. Overall, it has been a very pleasing and rewarding season for our girls sports programme. Of the six secondary school netball teams three have made the semi finals whilst the 1st and 2nd VII's narrowly missed the finals finishing 5th in their respective competitions. We wish the 14As (Year 8 girls), the 16Bs (Year 9 girls) and the 3rd VII all the best next weekend and congratulate them on their good seasons. The 16s Soccer girls played their final last Saturday and will go through to play in the grand final in a fortnight.

Bathurst Edgell Jog

The Bathurst Edgell jog is on this Sunday (September 8th). Students must get their entry forms and money into to Mr. Adams before Thursday recess this week so that the team can be entered. Over 50 entry forms have been given out and we expect a fine weather this Sunday. Any students who change their minds and want to run or walk but have missed putting in a entry form can enter on Saturday morning in front of the courthouse or on the day.

Athletics

ISA Athletics is on Tuesday the 10th of September. The team was placed on the noticeboard last Wednesday. Permission notes will be issued on Monday (2nd Sept) and need to be returned by Friday 6th of September. There is Athletics training on this Tuesday and Thursday afternoons with Mr. Adams and Mr. Bailey. We will be concentrating on race starts, the jumping and throwing events. All team members are encouraged to attend if they do not have sport training for semi finals.

2014 Bathurst Rep Netball Nominations

Any girls that are interested in trialling for the 2014 Bathurst Netball Association Rep teams are encouraged to complete and submit a nomination form. The forms and trial information can be found at the Bathurst Netball Association website <http://www.bathurst.netball.asn.au/> or they can be collected from Mr. Adams.

Radio 2BS Junior Sport Report and Wet weather cancellations

Any one that missed last Saturday mornings Junior Sport report really missed something special from Robbie, Jonty and Stef. The three presenters have been dared to take their pipes and drums into the small studio for a few months now and they took up Grahame's challenge and blasted a few tunes including happy birthday and a drum solo over the airwaves. Not only did they sound great but it was fantastic that they were able to show of their musical talents also. Well Done!

Term 3 Sport Events

10 th September	ISA Athletics Carnival
18 th September	NSWCIS Athletics Carnival

Mr. Justin Adams (Sportsmaster)
jadams@scots.nsw.edu.au

HOCKEY

1st XI v Orange Rebels
Results: 2-5
Goals: Hayden Callan and Reagen Skinner

A good even game, much better structure all round. We did not sustain it consistently and this cost us an even closer game. After an early 1-1 scoreline. Man on man (or woman) matching, midfield discipline in defence and attack all need greater concentration. One more game to get it right! Important last game for our finishing Year 12's.

Good games from Sam Andrew, Jess Morrison, Hayden Callan.

Well done!

The Scots School Winter Sport Schedule 2013 -- Week 7/ Term 3

Sport	Team	Coaches	Date	Opposition	Time	Venue
Transport Details						
Netball						
3rd VII	Mr. Cameron	"	ASC Development	3.00pm	Court 11	Mr. Cameron 2.15 pm
16s	Mrs. Simcock	"	Eglington Waratahs	11.00am	Court 12	TBA 10.15am
Gold	Miss. Crain	"	Collegians Wild Ones	11.00am	Court 14	TBA 10.15am
Soccer						
16s	Miss. Dunkley	"	Semi Finals TBC	TBC	Proctor	TBC

SOCCER

U16 Girls v Eglington Starfish

Results 9-2 win

Scores: Lucy Blackmore (4), Emma Harley (3), Zari Newell (1), GiamiaRadice (1)

Best Players: Rachel Hibbins, who dominated the field space, KanjaLeRoux in mids.

The girls played a fantastic game of soccer. They worked exceptionally well as a team, focussing on passing, communication and tea work. Furthermore, they were clever with their passing and goal scoring, accounting for the strong wind. Overall, a fantastic soccer game to watch.

Well done!

Ms Dunkley

14's v Macquarie United 14's

Results: 6-0 loss

Best Players: Ashleigh Brooking, Morgan Bennett, Olivia Warry, Julia Ross

A full team of players eagerly set out to challenge the strong Macquarie team. The defence held out countless attacks and only trailed 2 nil at the half. In the second half fatigue resulted in some poor clearances and allowed easy shots on goal from inside the penalty box. I was very impressed by the skill and determination of many of the girls and can see great potential with this team in future years.

Mr Adams



The 1st XV Rugby players put their hand at Netball against the 1st VII girls

Netball . . .

Scots Cuddly Cubs v Collegians Bluebottles

1:1

On Saturday the Scots Cuddly Cubs played their final game of Netta for the year. The girls had a fantastic game and played the best they had all season. They worked together to pass the ball down the court. The highlight of the game (and possibly the season) was Mia scoring the Cuddly Cubs' first ever goal.

It has been a great season and the girls have come so far, developing both their skills and understanding of the game.

Player of the Week was awarded to Mia Hobson for a fantastic goal!

Scots Cubs v Calare Wildcats

2:15 (loss)

On Saturday the Scots Cubs finished the 2013 netball season by playing the Calare Wildcats. It was a tough game but the girls all played well. They are a great team of girls who work well together. They have developed their speed, ability to strategise and ball skills this season.

Player of the Week was awarded to Kirilee Scott for excellent defending.

Mrs Sarah Milligan



Scots Cuddly Cubs with Mrs Milligan

1st VII Netball v. Blayney Panthers

On the weekend the 1st Netballers played their last game of the season against the Blayney Panthers. All the girls played a strong game and should be congratulated on their efforts throughout the season. A huge thank you to Sharon Inwood and to Mr Adams for their coaching which is greatly appreciated.

by Laura Wright

Scots Gold v. Collegians Thunderbirds

Gold's last game of the regular season round was this weekend with Scots coming up against Collegians Thunderbirds. It wasn't the greatest game we've ever played, but we managed to scrape away with a convincing win 25 to 16. We are now in the semi-finals! Great work Gold!

Best performance: Millie is player of the week!

Scoring for Scots: Alice and Tilly

by Alice Powell

Scots Gold v Collegians Wild Ones

Results: 25 – 12

Scores: Alice, Tilly and Madi

On Saturday, Scots Gold played Collegians Wild Ones. It was a tough game. Starting out even but ended in a loss for Gold 25-12.

by Alice Powell

Scots Lionesses Vs Superstars

The girls played a brilliant game to finish the season on a high. They played as a team and were rewarded with a decisive win although the first half was quite even and tense especially when Genevieve fell and hurt her leg. After some ice and TLC from Dad she bravely took the court again to defend brilliantly and reduce the opposition scoring levels. Aly Cranston was outstanding and should be very proud of the progress she has made in all the skills of Netball this year. Gabrielle Morrison played her heart out as always, repeatedly intercepting and defending doggedly. Anna Wilde and Elizabeth Woodhouse combined magnificently in attack to get the ball to our shooters with safe hands and good anticipation. Amber Rosin and Isabella Retallack were the Players of the Week. They worked really well together, shooting with good accuracy and repeatedly stealing the rebound or regaining the ball from the throw in.

Unfortunately the win was not enough to get us into the semis after the for and against tally, but we should be very proud of our growth and development over the season. Well done girls.

Scots Lionesses 27 Superstars 12

Mrs Kerry Robinson

Scots 3rd's -- Alice Gates passes to Gwen Towart (playing up), with Rebecca George and India Toole.



Scots 1st VII with Mrs Sharon Inwood on Saturday