

The Scots School
Bathurst
and
Lithgow

The Highlander



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10 March 2014

Meetings this week: **To Ponder . . .**

**Kindergarten
2015
Information
Night
Thursday
13th March**

*Good and upright is the Lord;
therefore he instructs sinners in the way.
He leads the humble in what is right,
and teaches the humble his way.
All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness,
for those who keep his covenant and his testimonies.*
... Psalm 25:8-10(ESV)

It's interesting how God directs the step of the *sinner* and of the *humble*. Before God, no-one is able to rely on their own standing... instead one should trust in God's goodness. These are those whom the Lord guides into His way; *steadfast love* and *faithfulness*.

In this issue:
Castle Construction
Helpers Needed

As we move into the second week of Lent, remember that God would have us trust in His goodness. As we turn to Him we will learn and experience His love and faithfulness.

... *Chaplain*

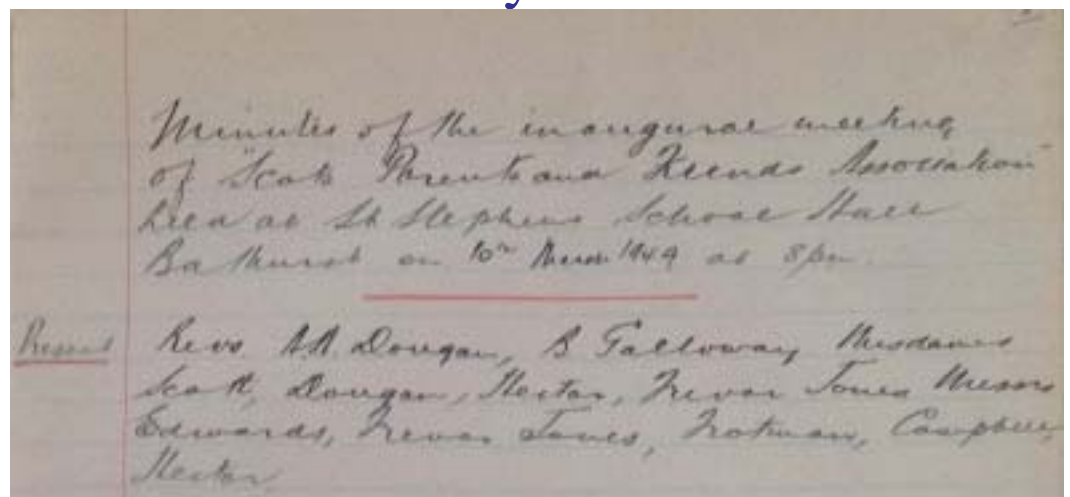
Ceilidh Saturday,
22nd March

**Happy Birthday
Scots Parents & Friends Association
65 Years today -- March 10th**

**SPECIAL PHOTOS
Order Now --
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Due before 26th Mar.**

**Pavilion Building
Fund -Information**

**Relay for Life
donations needed
please!**



Present: Rev. A.H. Dougan, B. Galloway, Mesdames Scott, Dougan, Hector, Trevor-Jones. Messrs Edwards, Trevor-Jones, Trotman, Cowphere, Hector

**THE HIGHLAND GATHERING --
SUNDAY 23rd MARCH 2014**





From the Headmaster . . .

Congratulations to the following two students for their recent outstanding success in representing the School:

Emily Watts (Year 8) finished in sixth place at the NSW All Schools Triathlon and will now represent NSW at the Australian All Schools Triathlon at Bendigo from 8-11 April. Emily came from behind with swimming her weakest leg of the triathlon. She was the second fastest competitor on the bike and the

fastest in the run. Well done Emily.



Emily Watts (Y8) will compete at the National All-Schools Triathlon in Bendigo April 8-11

Robbie Hayward (Year 12 and School Captain) won the Zone level of The Lions Youth of the Year in Orange on Sunday representing Bathurst Lions Club and The Scots School. Robbie won the Public Speaking Section and the overall Youth of the Year. This is an outstanding achievement against quality competition. We wish him all the best at the District Final on Sunday 30 March. This is the level before State. Robbie is pictured below with the other competitors and the judges following his selection.



The annual Old Boys and Girls Sporting Challenge is on this Sunday with the Old Boys playing Cricket against our First XI from 10am and the Girls playing Netball from 11.30am. We will all join together for lunch at 1pm. Thank you to Mr Adams for all his organisation and to the students who will take on the challenge.

Whilst on the Old Boys and Girls theme, I encourage all current parents who are Old Boys and Girls of The Scots School to get right behind the resurgence in this association by participating in two events on the Highland Gathering Weekend – 22 & 23 March.

At 2pm on Saturday 22 March the **AGM of the Old Boys and Girls Association** will be held in The Lamrock

Performing Arts Centre. This will be followed with a **‘Back to Scots’ event at the Ceilidh from 5pm.** This is a fantastic social event for all the school community however there will be a special tent for Old Boys and Girls to gather. Current parents are strongly encouraged to support this event and past students are very welcome to catch up with each other in the tent. I wish to acknowledge and thank Mr Ian Quant, President of the Old Boys and Girls Association and his committee, for all the work they are doing to make this a very important part of our school community for our past and future students.

I am very grateful to the parents who gave up a great deal of time over the weekend to complete two significant projects at the School. The first was a thorough clean out of the Parents & Friends Shed. A great deal was taken away and some very interesting P & F School Records were found (See the front page especially). The other significant task was completing the installation of the Year 6 Gift to the School from 2009. This group, currently in Year 11, had a wonderful vision of supplying a Friendship Chair. The idea is a great one but they didn't have enough money to realise the completion of the ideal at the time. Further fundraising from The Friends of Junior School and P & F assistance over the last few years has led to the completion of the project. Thank you to the parents who installed the chair around the Pin Oak near the Performing Arts Centre on Saturday. The Friendship Chair was built by Jeff Reeks, the School carpenter. Children who are feeling left out and want to join a game are encouraged to sit on the chair and other students will ask them to join in their activity or it can be a place to sit with friends to talk.

From the Headmaster, continues . . .

On Thursday 13 March the 2015 Kindergarten Information Evening will be held at 7pm in the Lamrock Performing Arts Centre. I encourage all parents of the school who know anyone considering The Scots School for Kindergarten next year to make sure they know about this very important event and to encourage them to attend.

Have a good week.

David Gates

From the Deputy Head . . .

Year 12 Half-Yearly Examinations

Examination notifications have been provided to all Year 12 students by their subject teachers. I urge Year 12 to consult these notifications as they plan their course of study to prepare for the upcoming examinations which begin on 27th March.

Highland Gathering Roster

A roster has been prepared and will be distributed to students this week to indicate where and when they are required at the Highland Gathering on Sunday, 23rd March. I ask that students turn up at their various stall locations just a few minutes ahead of their allocated time-slot to make the transitions run smoothly. I remind parents that The Highland Gathering day is a compulsory attendance day on the school calendar.

Parent/Teacher Interviews - Friday, 21st March Years 7 - 11 - 12

This week students in Years 7, 11 and 12 will be provided a sign up sheet to book interview times with their subject teachers. Interviews will be held in the school library and are of 10 minutes duration only. Should parents have matters which will take longer than 10 minutes, they should contact their student's stage coordinator to arrange another suitable time/date.

A brief information session for Year 12 will take place from 7:00 to 7:30 p.m. in Room 25.

Mrs Lynne Fleming

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| Contact details for Mrs Fleming: Please do not hesitate to send an email or text message regarding any issue of concern. *email: lfleming@scots.nsw.edu.au *mobile: 0412 910 861 Please also feel free to make an appointment with my secretary, Mrs Shillabeer (6333-4711). |
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From the President of The Scots School P&F

I'd like to thank all those who attended our Pavilion Launch on the Parent Weekend. I hope you all enjoyed the afternoon. The interest shown as well as the questions and ideas put forward are greatly appreciated.

I would also like to thank the P & F sub-committees for their time and the consideration they have given to how they may best support the Pavilion fund raising efforts. I acknowledge that each sub-committee has a particular focus and I am grateful for any commitment that they may make toward seeing our Pavilion built.

There are already commitments coming in and I want to acknowledge our first family contribution of \$400. Our families, past and present, are our greatest asset and in talking with this family we agreed that if each of our current families could contribute just this amount we would be well over halfway to our goal.

We will be providing regular updates of fund raising activities and will keep you up to date with our account balance.

With sincere thanks for your support

Lindsay Wilde

Senior School Calendar -- January - April 2014

***denotes COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE**

MARCH

- 11 Mar WAS Hockey Trials @ KWS
WAS Boys Touch Trials @ KWS
- 12 Mar P&F Meeting 5:30 pm in Library
- 13 Mar 2015 Kindergarten Information Night
- 16 Mar Showjumping at St Stanislaus College
- 21 Mar P/T Interviews Years 7,11,12
- 22 Mar Blayney Show
Lithgow Show
TSS Rugby & Netball Trials - tbc
Ceilidh @ TSS Main Oval 5:30 pm
- 23 Mar **HIGHLAND GATHERING***
- 24 Mar AICES Girls 16s Hockey @ Bathurst
- 25 Mar TSS 7-12 Cross Country - pm
- 26 Mar HICES Debating Round 2
- 27 Mar-3 April Y12 Half-Yearly Examinations
- 27 Mar ISA Swimming @ SOPAC

APRIL

- 4-6 Apr Scots PGC Warwick Visit
- 7-11 Apr Cattle - Sydney Royal Show
- 8 Apr AICES Touch Football @ Penrith
- 10 Apr **Classes Cease 3:20 pm/End Term 1**
- 28 Apr Staff Dev Day/Boarders Return 4pm
P/T Interviews Years 8, 9, 10
- 29 Apr **Classes Commence - Begin Term 2**
NSWCIS Swimming @ SOPAC - tbc
- 29 Apr-1 May Year 8 Cadet + Leaders Camp

Thinking of The Scots School for your child in 2015?



2015 Kindergarten Information Night

7.00 pm Thursday. 13th March

Performing Arts Centre -- The Scots School

ALL WELCOME

To RSVP or for more information,
please phone Mrs Lynda Ireland 63312766
or let your Pre- Kindergarten teacher know that you are coming .

Dear Parent,

Special Photo Orders

To purchase this year's photographs, choose the Groups required from list below, enclose the CORRECT money and return this envelope to the school before the **return date** which will be advised by your school.

PLEASE ORDER CAREFULLY AS UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL A REFUND OR EXCHANGE BE AVAILABLE ON INCORRECTLY ORDERED SPORTS PHOTOGRAPHS

| NAME OF TEAM/GROUP | QUANTITY | NAME OF TEAM/GROUP | QUANTITY |
|--|----------|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Junior School Leaders (with names) @ \$18 | | Bulkeley House (no names) @ \$15 | |
| Prefects (with names) @ \$18 | | Galloway House (no names) @ \$15 | |
| | | Browning House (no names) @ \$15 | |
| Cadet Rank (no names) @ \$15 | | Flynn House (no names) @ \$15 | |
| Cadet & Band Rank (no names) @ \$15 | | Ives House (no names) @ \$15 | |
| Children & Granchildren of Former Students (no names) @ \$15 | | Lang House (no names) @ \$15 | |
| Band Family (no names) @ \$15 | | | |
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TOTAL: _____ \$ _____

All late orders received after the schools sports return date will incur a **\$10.00 handling fee.**

TOTAL ORDER \$ _____

PLEASE ENCLOSE THE CORRECT MONEY AS NO CHANGE WILL BE GIVEN

Please make cheques payable to advancedlife
Drawers name and address on the back of cheque.

Young Life Starting at Scots!!



Starting this week, Young Life is establishing a Club at Scots in Aikman Hall initially on Mondays, 5-6:45pm. This is a wonderful opportunity for our High School students and their friends to be a part of an excellent and highly regarded support youth network which has been running in Bathurst for just over 6 years.

Young Life Australia is a non-profit Christian organisation that has been mentoring and building resilience in young people in social settings and providing leadership, tuition, sports coaching and guidance at high schools and with young people in the community for almost 40 years in Australia. Young Life seeks to instil a sense of purpose, meaning and values in teenagers to grow resilience academically, emotionally and socially. This is achieved by giving young people the opportunity to connect with adults who model the love of Jesus Christ.

Apart from the cost of camps, everything Young Life Australia does is free of charge. And everything they do is driven by earning the right to be heard, and then providing friendship, leadership and guidance, when young people need it most. Whether teenagers are seeking empowerment, answers, or just acceptance, Young Life is here for them, with a desire for fun, a compassionate understanding heart, and a powerful message of hope.

I strongly recommend Young Life as an excellent opportunity for our students and their friends and am very grateful for their beginning service to our community.

Mr Gittins (Chaplain)



Dear Parents/guardians,

On Saturday 15th March *The Scots School SRC* will be entering a team in the Cancer Council's **Relay for life**. Relay for Life is a fun, outdoor overnight fundraising event that brings communities together to celebrate and remember the lives of those who have battled cancer. Teams take turns to walk or run around a track whilst enjoying entertainment, activities and moving ceremonies.

The **Relay for Life** will be held at Bathurst Showground, commencing at 3.45pm and concluding Sunday morning. The event will be supervised by Mr Dawes and Mrs Ireland and parents are encouraged to participate with their children.

To donate to The Scots team simply go to <http://relay.cancercouncil.com.au/> and click on the "DONATE" link. Then search "The Scots School".

Information and permission forms will be sent home this week to those students' interested in joining the **Relay for Life** team

Mr Dawes
Director of Student Welfare

Women in Aviation Week

Report from Mrs Gillian Gates

Girls from Scots had a 15 min joy flight at Bx airport. Alice Gates, Zoe Behrendt and Sophia Iwasaki went together, and Sophia flew the plane at the beginning (you can see her through the plane window) and made it take off! (The pilot told her what to do).

I went up too, and managed 2 photos of the school. It was hard to get, as I had to bend back over my shoulder and avoid the wing, so it's not in the middle of the photo.

Mrs G. Gates



Sophia Iwasaki flew the plane at take off!



The school grounds looked lush and green from the air



We had a great view of Mount Panorama





THE SCOTS SCHOOL PAVILION BUILDING FUND

Donations are being accepted for the new pavilion to be located near the Main Oval. Plans for the proposed building are available on the school website and the school office. This is a building which will serve the sporting needs of the school for many years to come and will also provide canteen facilities, shelter from the sun, additional classroom and meeting space.

We ask that all school families consider how they can support this fantastic new development. All donations are tax deductible. Please include the form below along with your donation. Thank you!

The Scots School Pavilion Fund - 2014

Name: _____

Contact email address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

EFT Deposit: BSB 06 2504 Account: 1009 2712

(Please identify with your name/pavilion fund)

Cheques payable to : The Scots School Building Fund
(please notate: Pavilion Account)

Mail to: The Scots School Bathurst
 Accounts Receivable
 4173 O'Connell Road
 BATHURST NSW 2795

THE HIGHLAND GATHERING – SUNDAY 23rd MARCH 2014



SPONSORSHIP

The Committee would love to hear from any businesses that would like to sponsor a prize in the band competition. The Highland Gathering is a high profile event and there is great opportunity for your business to be promoted. Please contact Michael Ireland if you are interested asherton@bigpond.com



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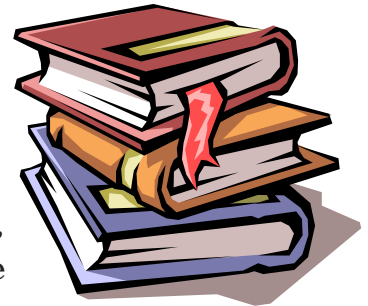
find any “treasures” you would like to donate for the **TRASH & TREASURE STALL**? We will take furniture, kitchen equipment, bric-a-brac, clothing in good condition (especially kids), sporting equipment, toys, tools, paintings....



CAN YOU bake a cake or slice or biscuits?

Deliver to the **CAKE STALL** on the day.

CLEAN OUT the bookshelves, CD or DVD Cabinet? The book stall will take them all off your hands.



DIG UP and divide some of your overgrown garden plants or pot some cuttings from the garden. Any vegetable garden produce, cut bunches of herbs, seed packets etc? Please drop off on the morning of the Highland Gathering.

Face Painters WANTED.



Please contact Jenny Morrison

You can drop off your treasures, books etc. outside the Uniform Shop on the veranda or the Maintenance area (just after the dining hall) as you drive past. You can leave things on any day up until the Highland Gathering.

Boarder parents take the opportunity to have a clean out and deliver it all to the School on the up-coming Parent Weekend.

Please contact Jenny Morrison for further information at mjjg_5@hotmail.com

PARENTS please consider helping out on the stalls for the year group of your children for an hour or two.



Years K-2 Trash & Treasure



Years 3-4 Cake Stall



Years 5-6 Devonshire Teas



Year 7 Drinks/Ice Creams



Year 8 Plants



Year 9 Rides



Year 10 Books



Year 11 Entry Gate



Year 12 BBQ

Contact Jenny Morrison for further information at mjjjg_5@hotmail.com

Castles 'R' Us

It is nearly time to construct the castle
– a focal point of the Highland Gathering



Can you help?

- Thursday March 20th @ 5pm to move all the castle sections from storage shed to the oval
(anyone with a flatbed truck is especially welcome)
- From early Friday March 21st to build the castle - the more hands the better.

Any donations of equipment will be prominently acknowledged at the Highland Gathering.

Please contact

Lindsay Wilde

0408 474 995

Thanks to Michael Jenkins at Central Cranes and Jordan Robinson of Dunbar Scaffold for their services.

The Scots School Bathurst

invites you to a

Ceilidh

This is pronounced 'kay-li' and means a Gaelic party. We will gather in front of the castle for a fun, informal evening with music from TSS Pipes & Drums and others.

Saturday, March 22nd, 2014

Scots Main Oval



5pm - 8pm

Gold coin donation

Bring your own rug or chair and jumper in case it's chilly.
If you would like to perform bring your pipes, drums or other instrument and talk to Gill MacKenzie on the night.

There will be a BBQ dinner with steak, sausage and our special 'Scottish Sausage' sandwiches; soft drinks, tea/coffee and slices available for purchase.

Enquiries: Gill MacKenzie 0417 181 808 or Lynda Ireland 0408 675 642

Junior School News . . .

Congratulations

To all students who received their first merit certificate for the year at assembly on Friday. It was a very special moment for Kindergarten students to have Mr Gates our Headmaster present their certificate in front of their fellow students and some of their parents. A merit certificate is earned when the children have achieved 5 lion stamps in their diary for consistent good work and good behaviour in and out of the classroom.

Jessica McGarry will be looking after Scotty this week after displaying excellent manners during assembly.

Family Fun Day

Unfortunately the Fun Day was washed out last Saturday. The good news is that it has been rescheduled for Saturday 5th April at 12:30pm. Please put this date in your diary and join us for some fun and games and the opportunity to welcome new families to our school.

Highland Gathering

The students are very busily creating some fantastic artworks for their families to purchase and collect at the Highland Gathering. There will be a note sent home soon giving you the option to prepay but we would like to display all artworks at the Highland Gathering and ask that you collect it from our stall.

HICES Swimming

Our swimming team has been training before school every day this week in preparation for their participation in the HICES Carnival at Homebush on Tuesday. We wish them well in their endeavour to perform well and improve their previous personal best. The best 2 times from all the heats in each event were selected to represent our school. For those who may be confused about selection of representatives in breaststroke, butterfly and backstroke, schools run these events in ages at their carnival. The HICES Carnival age divisions however are:

- Junior which is 8, 9 and 10 years
- 11 years and
- 12/13 years.

Kindergarten Information Session

At 7pm in the Performing Arts Centre on Thursday evening we will be informing prospective parents about our Kindergarten program and what a Scots School education has to offer. If you know of any interested families please encourage them to contact Mrs Lynda Ireland to register their interest.

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Winter Sport

Please return notes of intention in regard to winter sport so that we can organise teams and coaches. Boys Rugby players who will be attending Friday night sessions at Bathurst Rugby Club need to have registered at the Rugby Club.

Swimming Champions

Our school swimming champions announced in last week's Highlander will be presented with their trophies at next week's assembly.

Social Media

It has come to my attention that quite a few children in the Junior School are active on social media sites such as Facetime, Kick and Snap Chat during out of school hours. Parents are asked to monitor very closely all interactions carried out by their children on their iPhones, iPods etc and be talking to their children about your family's protocol and guidelines which need to be adhered to when using such sites. However there are some cases where children can sign up to a site without parental knowledge and at no cost, so it is vital that you supervise all access to the internet. It is also a good idea to limit time and access to such sites and devices to ensure there is plenty of time for relaxation, playing games and doing homework. As previously stated, there is no reason for most students in the Junior School to carry mobile phones or iPods and they will be confiscated if seen during school time.

Speeches

The speeches presented today were most entertaining and a lot of fun to mark. Thank you to parents for supporting their children in the preparation of their speech. Marking sheets will be sent home this week so that you can discuss strengths and areas for improvement with your child. Our representatives for CWA Public Speaking competition will be selected from Years 3 to 6 on the basis of this speech.

Grayson Jacobson with Scotty the Bear



Kindergarten student Grayson Jacobson took home Scotty the Bear this week after displaying perfect manners in assembly. Congratulations Grayson. Scotty is quite a handful!



Dear Junior School Parents/Carers,
On Saturday 15th March *The Scots School SRC* will be entering a team in the Cancer Council's **Relay for life**. Relay for Life is a fun, outdoor overnight fundraising event that brings communities together to celebrate and remember the lives of those who have battled cancer.

The relay for life is being held at the Bathurst Showground, and we are seeing your support in this very important cause.

If you feel you are able to support our Relay for Life team, please follow the link below to make a donation:

To donate to The Scots team simply go to <http://relay.cancercouncil.com.au/> and click on the "DONATE" link. Then search "The Scots School".

Bathurst City Vacation Care
schedule will be distributed to all
Junior School Students this week.
See Mrs Weal if you need an
additional copy

CYBER SAFETY -- Order your FREE CYBER SAFETY KIT from Telstra!

Telstra has provided tips for Cyber Safety both for students and parents.

Cyber safety kits, available free from Telstra's website, aim to teach children and parents, teens and grandparents (both the cyber savvy and new learners) how to avoid common pitfalls online, including identity fraud, shopping scams and cyberbullying.

Visit Telstra's cyber safety page to download the kits:

www.telstra.com.au/cyber-safety

Pre-Kindergarten - Week 5

Pre-Kindergarten Highlander Week 7

Learning Program- This week we will focus our learning on the 'i' sound. Please refer to our coloured hand out to help encourage the Jolly Phonics actions at home. For our morning craft we will be making, igloos, ice creams, iguanas, Indians and lots more.

Kindergarten Information Night- On Thursday, 13th March at 7pm we will host our Kindergarten Information Night for 2015 enrolments. The session will be held in the Performing Arts Centre, where you will have the opportunity to meet staff and hear further information specific to the Kindergarten program. Letters of invitation have been sent home to all Pre-Kindergarten families, if you have any further inquiries please contact Lynda Ireland in the main office.

Tissues- Thank you to our families who have already donated a box of tissues to the classroom to help reduce the spread of coughs and colds in the cooler months. Any others would be greatly appreciated.

Teddy Bear's Picnic- Our students and Teddies had lots of fun last Tuesday, enjoying a picnic lunch and a yummy cup cake under our beautiful trees.

New Student Reports- All of the students in Pre-Kindergarten will be receiving a New Student Report in the mail this week. The report is an overview of how students are settling into the program over the first six weeks of the term.

Sponsor Child Fundraising- The Junior School along with Pre-Kindergarten have been sponsoring a World Vision child in Cambodia for the last 9 years. Her name is Vannida and she is now 17 years old. Over the next few weeks we will be selling some of our produce from the vegetable garden for a gold coin. It will be available on the sign in table in Pre-Kindergarten each afternoon.

Upcoming Events-

Monday, 10th March- Annies Ice Cream Visit

Wednesday, 19th March- Pirate & Princess Day

Sunday, 23rd March- Highland Gathering

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2015 Kindergarten Information Night

7.00 pm Thursday. 13th March
Performing Arts Centre
The Scots School
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Secondary School Sports Bulletin Week 7/Term 1

NSW All Schools Triathlon

Last Thursday Zachery Telfser, Emily Watts and Andrew Knox competed that the NSW All Schools individual triathlon at Penrith.

Emily Watts had an awesome race and finished 6th out of 223 finishers in the junior girls race which has gained her a place in the NSW team and she will now compete at the Nationals. Emily's strengths were in the bike leg where she was the 2nd fastest and the run leg where she was the fastest junior girl. This is a fantastic result for Emily and we wish her the best of luck at the Nationals in Bendigo on the 8th to 11th of April.

Andrew Knox finished 88th out of 223 finishers. This was pleasing result for Andrew as he is only 12 and was competing against 13 and 14 year old boys. He was also pleased with his bike and run legs where he improved from his last major race.

Zachery Telfser finished 33rd out of 138 finishers. This is a great result for Zac as this was his first major competitive individual race, his swim leg was his strength where he exited the first transition zone in 10th place.

Old Boys Cricket and Old Girls Netball

This Sunday we have the annual Old Boys versus the 1st XI cricket match and the Old Girls versus the 1st VII netball match. The cricket match is planned for the Main Oval and at 10.00am and the netball match will be in the Hunter Sports Centre at 11.30am. A BBQ lunch will be served at 1.00pm at the Main Oval.

Mini Swimming Meet

This Saturday morning (15th March) at 8.45am we are holding a mini swim meet for all secondary students who do swimming on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons for sport (compulsory for these students) and for students in the ISA swimming team. This is a great chance to work on our race tactics, starts and relays.

Winter Sport

This week is the final week for summer sports training. Summer sport team photographs will be taken on Thursday. Our winter sport start date is Tuesday the 18th of March.

Netball Trials

Last Tuesday our first trial for senior netball teams was held. We have announced our 1st VII for 2014, but require additional trials to determine the 2nd and 3rd VIIs and our junior teams before registrations are due this Saturday. The 2nd and 3rd senior trials will take place on Tuesday afternoon and girls in year 7 and 8 who have nominated to play netball this year are required in to trial during lunch time on Wednesday.

Summer Sports Photos

Team photos for the summer sports will be taken on Thursday 13th of March from 3.35pm. Correct uniforms will be required.

ISA Swim Team Training

The swimming pool will be opened and supervised by Mr. Adams and Mr. Bailey for additional swimming training sessions for any of the students in the ISA swimming team on Tuesday mornings at 8.00am, Thursday mornings at 8.00am and Friday afternoons at 3.30pm. Training sessions will be 40 minutes.

2014-15 Bathurst District Cricket Trials – (Correction to dates)

The train on squads for the next season of Bathurst District Rep cricket teams is on 14th and 21st of March for the 12s and the 28th of March and the 4th of April for the 14s and 16s.

Upcoming Sport Events

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| 15 th Mar | Scots Term 1 swim meet (Tues/Thurs students and swim team) |
| 16 th Mar | Old Boys Cricket and Old Girls Netball day |
| 25 th Mar | TSS Secondary Cross Country from 2.30pm |
| 27 th Mar | ISA Swimming Carnival (11.00am SOPAC) |

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

**The Scots School, Bathurst
Summer Sport Schedule**

**Week 7 Term 1
Friday to Sunday 14th to 16th of March 2014**

| Sport/Team | Coach | Date | Opposition | Time | Venue | Transport Details |
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| Basketball | Please refer to the following website for draws and results - http://www.bathurstindoorsports.com.au/ | | | | | |
| Scots 1st V Black (Boys) | Mr. Hayward | 07/03/14 | Black Magic | 9.15pm | Court 2 | |
| Please confirm bus times on Thursday - Friday with your coach and on the noticeboard outside the library | | | | | | |
| Scots 2nd V Razors | Mr. Hayward | 07/03/14 | ASC Hurricanes | 7.00pm | Court 4 | |
| Scots Blue | Mr. Ben Slater (External) | 07/03/14 | ASC Cyclones | 6.15pm | Court 4 | |
| Scots 1st V Black (Girls) | Ms. Hughes | 07/03/14 | Tryall | 7.45pm | Court 1 | |
| Scots 2nd V Gold | Ms. Hughes | 07/03/14 | Hop Scotch Mafia | 7.00pm | Court 3 | |
| Scots Slammers | Mrs. Davis | 07/03/14 | Pink Ladies | 7.45pm | Court 4 | |
| Cricket | Please refer to the following website for draws, results and season statistics - http://scotsbathurst.nsw.cricket.com.au/ | | | | | |
| 1st XI | Mr. Adams/Mr. Mair | 16/03/14 | Scots Old Boys | 10.00am | Scots Main Oval | Nil |
| 14s | Mr. Harris | 08/03/14 | Stannies Blue 14 | 8.15am | TSS McKibbin | Nil |
| 12s | Mr. Angus Woods (External) | Season Over - Team Photo on Thursday - Cricket whites required | | | | |
| Tennis | Mr. Maher | Season Over - Internal games on Tuesday - Team Photo on Thursday | | | | |
| Touch | Mr. Coyte | 11/03/14 | WAS Trials | 2.30pm | Scots Old Boys | Nil |
| SWIMMING | Mr Adams/Mrs Inwood | 15/03/2014 | MINI Carnival | 8.45am | Scots Pool | Nil |

Basketball . . .

Scots Razors v. Combined Lithgow

An up and down game in which the lead changed hands several times. The team learnt about playing a game at their own pace rather than following the opposition and now know how to finish out a game after the opposition grabbed a draw with a three pointer in the last second. Final result: a 44-44 draw.

Mr G. Hayward (Coach)

Scots Black v. Django

Even though we went down the team plays one of their best games so far. With the opposition having height on our boys, rebounding was always going to be a problem. However, the boys made the opposition work hard for all their points and were tenacious in offence. Final result: a 60-39 loss

Mr G. Hayward (Coach)

Scots Gold v. Emeralds

The girls displayed patches of well drilled skills in this game but our problem was with our consistency. We allowed our opponents an early start and then tried to chase them for the entire game. The start of the second half was much better and we scored some quick baskets. Poor shooting and passing again gave our opponents some breathing space and we ran out of time to close the gap. Pip Shephard played well under the basket and scored some valuable points.

Final score: TSS 16 to Emeralds 25

Miss R. Hughes (Coach)

Cricket . . .

Scots U14's Cricket

The Scots boys played St Stanislaus' College under 14 Blues this week. Captain Hamish Andrews, won the toss this week and elected to bat. This proved a great move with their innings ending on 2/233 after 25 overs. Stand out performers this week included Wesley Standfield who remains not out on 99, knocking 14 fours and 1 six. Oliver Simpson hit a very impressive century before retiring which included 15 fours and 2 sixes.

Coming out to bowl, the Scots boys bowling attack and fielding was extremely impressive. The only improvement to be made this week were the number of byes (17), that were given away too easily. Highlight bowlers included Aiden Telfser (1/9), Joel Maxwell (1/7), Hamish Andrews (1/16) and Oliver Simpson (1/7). Scots currently lead by 163 runs with the game continuing this coming weekend.

Mr Chris Harris (Coach)