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## To Ponder . . .

*When pride comes, then comes disgrace,  
but with the humble is wisdom. ... Proverbs 11:2(ESV)*

The wise teacher instructs that disgrace follows pride. This pride is not the joy of a job well done, or the delight over an obedient and faithful child. The pride that leads to disgrace is that which sets oneself over others.

However, life's lessons learned well teach us to treasure God and neighbour.  
... Chaplain

The Scots School Bathurst invites you to the

## Highland Jazz Night

A cabaret style concert, featuring our  
Talented musicians, vocalists  
and The Scots School Pipes & Drums

**Saturday July 27th, 2013**  
**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 basket dinner***  
***Tea, coffee & slices will be available at***  
***interval***

**RSVP essential by Tues July 23<sup>rd</sup> to book your seat/s**

[Tables seating 4–10 are available. Group bookings welcome]

Liz Lennon: [lennojoh7@bigpond.com](mailto:lennojoh7@bigpond.com) or  
Txt: 0429 377 601

All proceeds will support  
The Pipes and Drums and the Music Department



## *From the Headmaster . . .*

Firstly I wish to welcome everyone back to what should be a very full and enriching term full of opportunities in many areas. The winter sporting season is drawing towards its end with a number of teams performing very well, the Junior School preparing for their production of Peter Pan in a few weeks, Emelia Inwood and Aiden Telfser about to represent the school in the Legacy Junior Public Speaking next week in Dubbo and Zachary Gates representing Combined Independent Schools at the NSW All School's Cross Country in Sydney on Friday. On Saturday 27 July we have our last home game for Rugby followed by the Highland Jazz Night. I encourage parents to be involved in supporting the Home Rugby matches and the Highland Jazz Night which is also a great event for extended family and friends.

Last week Gina Jessett, Jonathan Gates and I spent two very full days at the Mudgee Small Farm Field Days and we were kept very busy on both days. Apart from the obvious opportunity to speak to prospective parents looking for the right school for their child, it was a great delight to catch up with current parents and students and also past students and parents. What was clearly evident in all the conversations was the great sense of affection and pride people have for this school. People always like to hear how the school is going and to be remembered to those still at the school who know them. I am very grateful to Gina and Jonathan for their work on these two days and to those from our current community who took the time to drop by.

At the end of last term I had the privilege of reading all the reports for students from Kindergarten to Year 11; Year 12 students receive their reports early Term Two and again in Term Three. I trust you found these reports helpful and have had an opportunity to sit down with your children to go through them. I encourage you to make this a really positive experience of affirmation, encouragement and goal setting for the semester ahead. I encourage you to focus more on your child's engagement with learning, effort and organisation rather than the final outcome and to look for positive ways to encourage improvement in those areas that need attention. I also encourage you to be prepared to support your children in the learning process by encouraging them in homework, assignments and reading on a regular basis and in a way that will allow them to learn and grow.

I would like to wish Year 12 all the best for their last term of academic learning before they sit the HSC in Term Four. I encourage them to work hard, focus on the important goals they have set and to seek help from their teachers.

Have a good week.

David Gates

## *From the Deputy Head . . .*

I welcome students and parents/carers back for Term 3, after what I hope was a restful holiday. This is a very busy term in the life of the school and I would like to highlight some particular programmes which will occur this term.

- Year 12 Parent/Teacher Interviews – Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> July – 3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
- Year 12 Information Session for parents – 6:30 p.m. Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> July
- Year 12 Trial Examinations – (Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup> through Friday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>) – a study day will be provided prior to the trials on Wednesday August 14<sup>th</sup>. Students should continue with their steady application to their programme of study provided to them last term.
- Early entry applications:
  - University of Wollongong - 29<sup>th</sup> August
  - University of New England - 20<sup>th</sup> September
  - Charles Sturt University - 20<sup>th</sup> September
  - University of Canberra - 20<sup>th</sup> September
  - Southern Cross University - 13<sup>th</sup> September
- University admissions – on time applications close September 20<sup>th</sup>.
- Education Access Scheme applications – on time applications close September 20<sup>th</sup>.
- Major works for Year 12 due dates:
  - Textiles & Design – Monday, 12<sup>th</sup> August
  - English Extension 2 - Friday, 16<sup>th</sup> August
  - Drama – Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> August
  - Design & Technology – 9:00 a.m. Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> August
  - Visual Arts – 3:00 p.m. Monday, 26<sup>th</sup> August
  - Music – Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September
- Subject Selection Information Evening, Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August. These are for parents of students entering Year 11 and Year 9 in 2014. The subject selection process will conclude by the end of Term 3.

### **REPORTS**

If there are any issues arising from student semester reports, parents are invited to contact the Head of Department concerned.

### **Uniform**

I thank students and their parents/carers for the excellent standard of personal presentation apparent to me at roll calls this morning. It is vital that students maintain their uniforms in good order and condition, appropriately labeled and adhere to regulations regarding hair, footwear, school bags and jewellery. I regard school uniform as a clear indication of school culture and student self esteem.

*Mrs Lynne Fleming  
Deputy Head*

## Holiday Activities ..... Agriculture Students at Trangie

Monday the 1st of July was the annual Trangie Junior Judging day held at Trangie Research Station. Three of our boarding students, Josh Woods, Tyla Comerford & Rebecca George, competed during the holidays.

The competitors judged 2 lots of cattle, 2 breeds of meat sheep, Merino sheep, 3 types of grain, cotton & wool. It was a very successful day for The Scots School students with Tyla Comerford coming 5th in cattle, Josh Woods 3rd in cattle (Junior division) and Rebecca George coming 4th in cattle (Senior division) & 4th in wool.

It's a great learning day for all ages & I encourage anyone interested in Agriculture to come & compete next year.

Written by Rebecca, Tyla & Josh.



Tyla Comerford, Josh Woods and Rebecca George  
at the Trangie Junior Judging Day

# Junior School News

Welcome back for an exciting and busy Term 3. All staff and students are looking forward to our annual term 3 events with enthusiasm.

## Staff Development Day

The PreK-6 staff participated in a Staff Development Day presented by the Association of Independent Schools. It focused on the implementation of the new Australian Curriculum in English due in 2014.

## Jump Rope for Heart

Our jump-off at the end of last term was a huge success and a great way to finish the term. Thank you to Mrs Milligan and the parent helpers who assisted at the various stations. We can be very proud of our students who have raised over \$2000 for the Heart Foundation during the Jump Rope for Heart program.

## Keystone Visitors

Keystone students from Korea will be visiting us this term and will join our classes on the 22<sup>nd</sup> July for the sessions after recess following their intensive English program in the mornings. We are looking forward to the cultural exchange and friendship opportunities which arise when we host international guests.

## Peter Pan

The date for our Peter Pan Concert has been set for Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> August at 6pm. Ticketing details will be advised. Please set aside the date for what should be an entertaining show for the whole family.

Costumes are being finalized this week and children will be issued with details of their individual requirements. We will need your support in making the costumes and if you are willing and able to make a second costume, the same, for our Keystone visitors it would be appreciated. If you need clarification please do not hesitate to contact your class teacher.

## Peer Support Program

Our Year 6 leaders enjoyed their two day traineeship enabling them to become Peer Support Leaders. Their badges will be presented at assembly on Friday before the commencement of the program. The leaders will work in pairs with mixed groups of students from Kindergarten to Year 6 each Friday this term. The unit of work will focus on Anti-Bullying and is titled "Speaking Up". The leaders are briefed each week before their lesson and are provided with the materials needed to deliver an activity session relevant to their group. In conjunction with this program there will be a

## Fruit Salad... Yummy Yummy!

Fruit salad is a great idea for Crunch&Sip\*, full of colour, flavour and nutrients.

Why not chop up your child's favourite fruit and pop it into a sealable container. Don't forget a fork!



parent information session on Thursday, 25<sup>th</sup> July at 5pm in the Year 6 classroom and all parents from Pre K to Year 6 are invited to attend. It focuses on developing the following skills

- Decision Making
- Problem Solving
- Assertiveness
- Empathy
- Relationship Building

In the first session the children will have time to think about the types of bullying and what their own experience of bullying has been.

## Term Planner

The Term Planner for Term 3 will be sent home this week once all dates and details have been finalised.

## Chess

The 2013 NSW Junior Chess League Interschools Tournament will be held on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July at St. Philomena's School commencing at 9am. Students will be given details and a permission note regarding the day.



**The Scots School  
Bathurst**

**Junior School P & F  
Pie Drive**



One of our major fund raising events for this term is a pie drive, so stock up on these delicious freshly baked items, ask family and friends if they would like to purchase as well. Roberts Bakery will supply us with a freshly baked range of family size meat pies, fruit pies and quiches on **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August**. Make your choice from the list below and return to school along with the money by **Monday 29<sup>th</sup> July**.

Childs Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class/Year: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Meat Varieties \$10</b>	<b>Quantity Required</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Plain Meat		\$
Meat & Vegetable		\$
Curry		\$
Potato		\$
Cheese & Bacon		\$
Lean Beef		\$
Chicken & Vegetable		\$
Mexican		\$
<b>Fruit Varieties \$10</b>		\$
Apple		\$
Loganberry		\$
Apricot		\$
<b>Quiche \$12</b>		\$
Salmon		\$
Bacon		\$
Spinach		\$
	<b>Total No:</b>	<b>Total Amount: \$</b>

Please note:

- We are unable to accept late orders and we will require all money to accompany the order.
- Pies will need to be collected on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August as we do not have the facilities to refrigerate them.
- Pies will be delivered to the children's classrooms by lunchtime on the day.

**FORM AND MONEY BACK TO SCHOOL: Monday 29<sup>th</sup> July**

**COLLECT PIES: Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August.**

# Senior School Sport

Secondary School Sports Bulletin Week 1 Term 3

## NSW All Schools Cross Country

We wish Zachary Gates the best of luck as he represents NSWCIS at the NSW All Schools Cross Country this Friday.

## International Netball Match

Helen Woods (mother of Lucy Yr 11) is calling for any expressions of interest to go to the Netball Test match (Aust vs NZ) in the October holidays in Canberra. Please get in touch with Helen if you are interested ([helenwoods007@gmail.com](mailto:helenwoods007@gmail.com)).

## Radio 2BS

We encourage everyone to tune into radio 2BS (1503AM) each Saturday morning from about 7.35am for the Junior Sport Report. Robbie Hayward, Jonty Boshier and Stephanie Ferguson will be sharing the responsibilities this term so tune in and give them your support.

## Term 3 Sport Events

13<sup>th</sup> August TSS Secondary Inter House Athletics Carnival  
24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> August Winter sports dinners  
10<sup>th</sup> September ISA Athletics Carnival

Mr. Justin Adams (Sportsmaster) [jadams@scots.nsw.edu.au](mailto:jadams@scots.nsw.edu.au)

## SECONDARY SCHOOL SPORT SCHEDULE -- Week 1/Term 3

Sport/Team	Coaches	Date	Opposition	Time	Venue	Transport Details
<b>Rugby</b>						
13s	Mr. Hayward	20/07/13	Blue Mountains Grammar	10.00am	BMGS	Bus leaves at 7.15am
14s	Mr. Adams/Mr. Mottram		Blue Mountains Grammar	11.00am	BMGS	Bus leaves at 7.15am
16s	Mr. Adams/Mr. Mottram		No game this weekend			
1st XV	Mr. Mottram/Mr. Marshall		Blue Mountains Grammar	12.00pm	BMGS	Bus leaves at 7.15am
<b>Netball</b>						
1st VII	Mr. Adams	20/07/13	ASC 2nds	2.30pm	Court 11	Mr. Adams 2.00pm
2nd VII	Mr. Adams	"	Bushrangers Bush Gems	3.45pm	Court 7	Mr. Adams 2.00pm
3rd VII	Mr. Cameron	"	Collegians Clueless	1.15pm	Court 13	Mr. Cameron 12.30pm
16s	Mrs. Simcock	"	Eglington Waratahs	8.45am	Court 12	Mrs. Simcock 8.10am
Gold	Miss. Crain	"	Eglington Dragons	9.55am	Court 1	9.15am
Black	Mr. Adams/TBA	"	Under 11s B Reps	12.10pm	Court 11	TBA
<b>Soccer</b>						
14s	Mr. Dundon	22/06/13	Eglington Starfish	1.30pm	Proctor	TBA 12.45pm
16s	Miss. Dunkley	22/06/13	Churhes United Rebels	1.30pm	Proctor	TBA 12.45pm
<b>Hockey</b>						
1st XI	Mr. Doney	19/07/13	Bye			

## Interested in International Netball ?

Would you like to see the Australian Diamonds vs New Zealand Silver Ferns on Sunday 13 October in Canberra ?  
Visit [australiannetballdiamonds.com.au](http://australiannetballdiamonds.com.au)

To indicate your interest please email Mrs Helen Woods ([helenwoods007@gmail.com](mailto:helenwoods007@gmail.com)) or phone 0428 808 962 this week so we can secure the best seats.