

SCONE PUBLIC SCHOOL

SUCCESS FOR ALL



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PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

Thank you to everyone who contributed to our fundraiser for Ride for Sick Kids last Friday. We raised just under \$1200 towards this charity that supports Ronald McDonald House. We also raised around \$400 towards the Missing School charity that provides a telepresence 'robot' to help connect sick children to their class and learning. A big thank you to the Rotary Club of Scone and our P&C for providing the yummy breakfast for those who attended and the riders. It was lovely to see the excitement on the faces of Josh and Breannah who were the winners of the bikes that were raffled during the morning. We are all sending our well-wishes to Avi and her family as she battles through her treatment over the next few months.

Congratulations to Harmony White who received a Dance Scholarship to the National College of Dance in Newcastle at the Kia Ora concert on Friday Night. Students across the Upper Hunter performed at the concert after a thrilling three days of workshops. Kia Ora Music Camp is a wonderful opportunity for our students to experience different forms of music and performing arts.

On Monday, our Boy's Basketball team played Merewether PS and came away with a win to cement the place in the top eight across the state. We are extremely proud of the boys and their achievement and wish them luck as they head into the next round.

On Tuesday, our Boy's Rugby League team plays in the State Grand Final against Bathurst. They will play at Cessnock and we will have a bus of SPS students go down to support them. This is a wonderful achievement and we wish them the best of luck as they take on the winners of the Southern part of the State.

Deborah Fisher
Principal

DATES FOR THE CALENDAR

- Sept 13** Homeless Awareness Day
- Sept 13** PSSA Rugby League Cessnock
- Sept 14** Kinder in Class Experience Day
- Sept 15** Rugby League u10's and Open Boys Singleton
- Sept 15** PSSA Girls Basketball
- Sept 16** Girls League Tag
- Sept 16** Willow Tree Horse Sports
- Sept 16** K-2 Sports Fun Day
- Sept 21** Year 6 Mini Fete
- Sept 22** Public Holiday – National Day of Mourning
- Sept 23** Last Day Term 3



CANTEEN ROSTER

Week 9

- 12 September 2022 Rachel Johnson
- 13 September 2022 Rachel Johnson
- 14 September 2022 Rachel Johnson
- 15 September 2022 Rachel Johnson
- 16 September 2022 Sharna S & Aimee W

Week 10

- 19 September 2022 Rachel Johnson
- 20 September 2022 Rachel Johnson
- 21 September 2022 Rachel Johnson
- 22 September 2022 Rachel Johnson
- 23 September 2022 Kara M & Joy M

Friday Assembly Times

K-2 Assembly 12.45pm KH Hosting
3-6 Assembly 9.30am

UNIFORM SHOP OPENING HOURS

Monday–Friday 8.30am–11.30am

School Holidays - October 6
9.30am to 12.30pm

**PBL: Week 9
Focus**



Being... **Considerate**
By... **Accept everyone**

Playground focus area is... **The Yarning Circle and The Fairy Garden**

Bluey Awards are handed out in Assemblies on Fridays. 3 Bluey Awards means you earn a Bluey Badge.



REVIEWS FROM THE ALADDIN SHOW

It was good. I liked the new people, funny people. I like that the Kindy's enjoyed it. I liked that they supported how we can make our dreams come true and not giving up. Also, that it was aimed at the older kids too. Shaelee 6D

I thought it was very good and that the sword fight was very funny. Harper 3T

I liked the sword, and I liked the music. Hamish 10



Kia Ora

Forty seven Students from Scone Public School attended the Kia Ora Music Wednesday, Thursday and Friday last week, participating in Marimba, Dance, Junk Percussion, Choir and Concert Bank culminating in a concert held at Scone Public School on Friday Night

Congratulations to all the students who received merit awards for their hard work and enthusiasm with an extra congratulations to Harmony White who received a scholarship to the National College of Dance.



TELL THEM FROM ME SURVEY

PLEASE HAVE YOUR SAY

An opportunity for parents to give our school feedback is available through the 'Tell the from Me Parent Survey'. We would very much appreciate if parents could access the following link and complete the survey. The information you provide is invaluable in evaluating our current School Plan and planning for the future of our school.

I want to assure you that the survey is confidential. The survey is conducted online and will typically take less than 30 minutes to complete. It will be administered during school hours between 15 March and 1 April. Participating in the survey is entirely voluntary.

If your child is in Years 4-6 and you **do not** want your child or children to participate, please return the form that came home with your child to school by **Wednesday 7 September**

We thank you for your help!

<http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/f673p>



Education Week Awards



Library News

Congratulations to the students who achieved 100% in Week 8.



Library Lesson Timetable

Monday: KH, KL, KW

Tuesday: 6S, 6P, 6D, 3T, 3C

Wednesday: 1G, 1/2W, 1O, 3/4HB, 4R, 4B

Thursday: 2S, 2M, 5M, 5K

Library Bags

To protect the precious resources of our Library it is required that ALL students have a library bag. It should be large enough to fit two junior fiction books in or in the case of primary students the 2-6 books that they may be borrowing each week. The P & C have some great waterproof bags with the school crest for sale at the Uniform Shop.

Author Visit

On Thursday we were lucky to have a local author visit Scone Public School. Mrs Paula Stevenson who wrote "Buster Follows his Nose" entertained Year 2 students with her background stories on how she wrote this book. The students asked some very interesting questions and totally enjoyed their time with Mrs Stevenson.

SCHOOL CROSSING

I wish to advise that there will be **No School Crossing Supervisor** available at the crossing at Liverpool Street, Scone every day.

Wherever possible, cross the road at a designated pedestrian crossing.

- * Stop! Look! Listen! Think! when crossing the road
 - * Take care whenever you cross
 - * Don't run across the road



2022 Year 6 MiniFete

A fun event planned by our Year 6 students

Wednesday 21st September

Tokens available for \$1 each - most activities will cost 1 or 2 tokens

All money raised goes towards a gift for the school

Heaps of fun for everyone!

Crazy hair spray
Finger boarding
Ninja Warrior course



Nerf gun battle



Drawing competition

Cupcake stand



Haunted Hall

Soccer dribbling skills

And so much more!

Tokens	\$1 each
Activities	Cost 1 or 2 tokens
Prizes	Too many to mention!
Need more?	More information to come soon. Tell your friends!



As requested by the P & C, I have been asked to review the Canteen Menu prices.

As a result, some prices may increase.

Rachel Johnson
Canteen Manager

TOO SICK FOR SCHOOL?



Gastroenteritis

A combination of diarrhoea, vomiting, fever, stomach cramps, headaches

Stay home...for at least 48 hours after diarrhoea and/or vomiting stops.

Community News

Rugby League Holiday FUN!

We have an NRL League Stars holiday clinic coming up in this school holidays for kids aged 5-12 years. Our League Stars clinic is a non-contact rugby league skills clinic focussed on learning fundamental skills through fun games that kids love to play.

Registration

Link: <https://profile.mysideline.com.au/register/clubsearch/?criteria=2330&type=player&activity=League%20Stars&gender=&agemin=&agemax=&comptype=&source=rugby-league> then click 'Register' under the Scone option.



HOLIDAY CLINICS

DATE: 4/10/2022
TIME: 10.00am - 1.00pm
AGE: 5-12 years
COST: \$49
WHERE: Bill Rose Sports Complex - Scone



**LEAGUE
STARS**

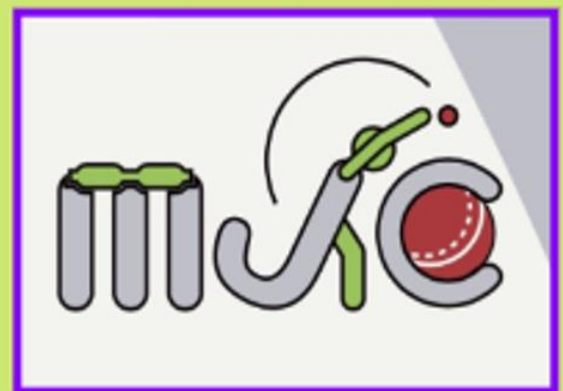


Bloom Markets 2022

Save The Date!

November 19th
2022

More Information To Come



Muswellbrook
Junior Cricket is
looking for girls
aged 8 to 12 years
to play this
season (October
to March)



Muswellbrook Junior Cricket

\$500



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HOW TO CLAIM \$500

1. Scan QR Code

Or visit **Service NSW** www.service.nsw.gov.au/basc-voucher

2. Click Apply Now Online

- Claim your voucher before **September 30**
- Redeem with Big Childcare and enjoy **FREE** care until **June 30 2023!**

SCAN TO REGISTER
OR FIND OUT MORE



DIVERSITY DASH FAMILY FUN DAY!

Colour run, obstacle course and more!

Thursday, September 29 - 9:30AM
Bill Rose Sporting Complex, Scone



Proudly funded by



JOIN IN THE FUN!!!

**SATURDAY
24TH SEPTEMBER**

10am - 2pm

DK Heavy Plant Services | 39-43 Thomas Mitchell Dr. Muswellbrook



One in five Aussie adults will experience a mental illness every year. That means, every day, **MILLIONS** of Australians go to work experiencing symptoms of mental illness.

**OPEN
DK SHED!**

**FACE
PAINTING!**

**RAFFLES
& PRIZES!**

**SAUSAGE
SIZZLE!**

**COFFEE
& DRINKS!**

**MARKET
STALLS!**

Proudly supporting

**Black Dog
Institute**



DAN EADE!



SPARKLES THE CLOWN!



SCONE FILMFEST 2022

12th SHORT FILM FESTIVAL



AWARD WINNING AUSTRALIAN STORIES

Featuring **Harry Greenwood, Steve Bisley, Fiona Press,
Jackson Tozer & Stephen Curry**



SATURDAY 17th SEPTEMBER

6:30 – 10.30pm

\$20 inc. light supper

MEET OUR FILM GUESTS

Drinks to purchase

cnr Oxford Road & Cooper St, Scone
Tickets HUNT A BOOK Scone, or

www.sconefilms.org.au

Under 18s must be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian
T: 0428 508326





FREE PRESENTATION AND WEBINAR

6:30 - 8pm
Wednesday,
October 19, 2022

Presented by Upper Hunter
Family Day Care & Upper
Hunter Shire Council



A STRENGTHS BASED APPROACH TO SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD'S TRANSITION TO SCHOOL

**WITH ANNABELLE KNIGHT - DIRECTOR OF
STRENGTHS CANVASS**

Join Annabelle as she shares her experience and expertise in empowering and building children's resilience in preparation for school using a strength based approach.

With 40-plus years' experience in early childhood, primary and secondary education, Annabelle Knight is well positioned to guide her clients on leadership, wellbeing and performance. Her core focus is to enable children, adolescents, parents and teachers to be the best they can be.

Annabelle is facilitating the Visible Wellbeing Strengths Stars framework in early childhood services throughout the Upper Hunter and coaching educational leaders in schools.



This is an initiative of Where there's a Will and their mission is to effect cultural change in Upper Hunter schools, families and community through improved literacy of wellbeing and mental health.

Annabelle has a Master of Applied Positive Psychology and has presented at many national and international conferences, including the World Thinking Skills Conference, World Positive Education Accelerator and the International Symposium for Coaching and Positive Psychology. Above all Annabelle is a teacher and a learner, she has four children and nine grandchildren.

**Register by Friday
October 14, 2022**

Provide your name and whether you will be attending in person or via zoom.

To register on behalf of a group, please provide the names of all participants.

Email:
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Phone:
6540 1151

You will receive an email with instructions on accessing the webinar through Zoom.

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