Beginning next week (Week 6), Monday, 18th August the primary start time will move to 9.00am with a morning assembly bell rung at 8.55am. Students are expected to remain at school until afternoon assembly or will need to be signed out through the front office, as per usual procedures.

This will be trialled for the remainder of term 3 and we will evaluate whether the new times continue in Term 4. There are no other structural changes and bus times remain the same. There is more information within this newsletter and a reminder letter will go out to all parents at the end of the week.

This weekend there was some activity that resulted in considerable damage to the football club as a result of a fire lit in the men’s toilets. The school was also hit with minor damage caused - a fire was also lit in a covered area, tables overturned and bins stacked into towers with a number of alcoholic cans spread over an area. The matter has been reported to the police and if you have further information to share please contact the police or me.

On a brighter note the Stage 5 HSIE students are heading off to the Temora Aviation Museum on Wednesday and the Boys/Girls afternoon will be tomorrow in school hours. The focus tomorrow is on resilience which is part of a wider program called ‘You Can Do It’ that explicitly teaches school and community values and focuses on positive social skills to counteract bullying.

The P&C meeting is on Tuesday night and I look forward to catching up then.

Mr Dunn

**Canteen Roster**

Friday, 15/8/14 – L Harper, R Baker
Monday, 18/8/14 – T Buerckner, S Dart

**P&C News**

P&C Meeting

Our P&C meeting will be held tomorrow evening. The meeting will be in the school library, commencing at 7.30pm. We look forward to welcoming as many parents (and grandparents) as possible.

Mick Denyer – P&C President
Please note that new items are in bold

**THIS WEEK (Week 5A)**

**Monday, 11/8/14**
- School Counsellor Visit

**Tuesday, 12/8/14**
- ICAS Maths
- Girls'/Boys’ Afternoon – Years 2-4
- Musical Practice – 3.30-4.30pm
- P&C Meeting – 7.30pm (School Library)

**Wednesday, 13/8/14**
- Stage 5 HSIE Excursion to Temora

**Thursday, 14/8/14**
- HSC Trials exams
- Year 9/10 Debate v St Anne’s

**Friday, 15/8/14**
- Moral Comedian Visit

**NEXT WEEK (Week 6B)**

**Monday-Thursday 18/8/14-21/8/14**
- Primary starts at 9am

**Friday, 22/8/14**
- Primary starts at 9.25am

**Tuesday, 19/8/14**
- Musical Practice – 3.30-4.30pm

**Thursday, 21/8/14**
- Little Athletics visit – 9am – 12.45pm

**Friday, 22/8/14**
- Spelling Bee – Years 3/4 and 5/6
- Book Week Day

**Whole School News**

**Musical Practise**
Thank you again to those parents providing transport and support for their child’s involvement in practise for the Musical’s major roles. Students continue to be very focussed in their practise and are attempting to learn their lines well. The Musical will be held on the last Thursday of this term.
Mrs Drumore

**Little Athletics to Visit APCS**
We will have a visit from Little A’s next Thursday 21st August (Week 6) according to the following timetable:
- 9.00am – 9.45am – Clinic - 7/8/9/10
- 10.00am – 10.45am - Clinic - 3/4
- 11.00am – 11.45am - Clinic - 5/6
- 12.00pm – 12.45pm - Talk - K-2

**Book Week**
Next Friday 22nd August we will be holding our Book Week Celebrations with a Character Parade, a Book Fair and an Amazing Literacy and Numeracy Race. All parents are invited to attend for the day. Our book character parade will be during recess and our Book Fair will be from 11.20-1.30pm.

The themes are Connect to reading ~ Reading to connect. Connect to reading is about enjoying the experience of exploring story and travelling to other worlds. The reflected slogan “Reading to connect”, has a broader social meaning, suggesting that reading assists in creating a bond with others. Within the world of the contemporary child, this is also relevant as they read books and they read to connect through a variety of media.

The Scholastic Book Fair theme is Garden – Catch the Reading Bug.

All students, parents and teachers are invited to dress up as their favourite book character or as something to do with the themes. For example, a bee, a flower, Wally (Where’s Wally), Dorothy from the Wizard of Oz.

Please note that the costume does not need to be too elaborate. We would encourage parents to use dress-up clothes from home for the event. Children are also encouraged to bring
their book along to school with them if possible.
Miss Ostle

World Book

At Ariah Park Central School we offer World Book Online to all of our families whilst at home and at school. With World Book we have different subscriptions which help our children gain knowledge from a reputable source as well as the most current information you can find.

World Book Kids - Simple navigation, colourful illustrations, activities for young students, and more.

World Book Student - The complete World Book encyclopedia plus multimedia, web links, periodicals, and more.

World Book Advanced - Primary source documents and ebooks fully integrated with encyclopaedia content plus timelines, citation builder, and saved research.

World Book Discover - A collection of resources for differentiated learning including read-aloud, text translation, video, and clear, easy-to-read information. Go to http://worldbookonline.com/

Premier’s Reading Challenge
Here is a repeat of the Premier’s Reading Challenge notice. There is still time for your child to participate. If you need assistance please contact me at the school. The challenge finishes on 1st September.
The NSW Premier’s Reading Challenge (PRC) is available for all NSW students in Kindergarten–Year 9. The Challenge aims to encourage in students a love of reading for leisure and pleasure, and to enable students to experience quality literature. It is not a competition but a challenge to each student to read, to read more and to read more widely.

- Registration has now opened on the PRC website: www.schools.nsw.edu.au/premiersreadingchallenge
- Students log on using their DET username and password. On their first logon for 2014, students record their previous school, if applicable.
- Students are encouraged to complete their own online records at school, at home and the local
library. Parents can assist students to enter books read.

- The easiest and most reliable way to enter PRC books is by their ID number.
- Check the website homepage regularly for important messages and updates.
- The Challenge **closes on 1 September**. We recommend that students complete their records by 25th August.
- Students must complete a set amount of reading to meet the Challenge, see table below:

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**Temora Shire Youth Council Forum**

Nancy French, Ellie Walker, Sharnie McLean, Harry Walker, Jayden McLean and Paige Breust represented Ariah Park Central School at Friday's Temora Shire Youth Council (TSYC). The TSYC was hosted by Mr Rick Firman, with Ms Katrina Hodgkinson MP, Mr Ryan Kennedy and Councillors Graham Sinclair and Ken Smith, with students from Temora High School and St Anne’s School also attending. Our students spoke well and were commended on their excellent appearance, as all were wearing full school uniform. Topics discussed included the forming of a Youth Council, an appropriate venue and set-up structure for young people in Temora to have their "Room" hours (including the possibility of assistance with or supervision of homework), feedback from Council's Careers Expo, and the impact of the proposed Subway development.

With respect to Ariah Park, it was indicated that an invitation from the Ariah Park Youth Council to meet with Council would be well received, especially as the Youth Hall is being utilised and Ariah Park youth are grateful for Council’s assistance with this. Council was also reminded that Ariah Park would appreciate provision of transport for young people to attend further youth events in Temora.

Both Mr Firman and Ms Hodgkinson reminded students of the importance of giving back to the local community. Overall, this was once again a very beneficial opportunity provided by Temora Shire Council and we are very proud of our young people.

Mrs Drumore
Containers for Food Technology and Hospitality
Just a reminder that all students participating in Food Technology and Hospitality need to bring a container for their food. The days are as follows:
Mondays – Year 9/10 Food Tech and Year 11 Hospitality
Tuesdays – Year 9/10 Hospitality
Wednesday – Middle School Cooking
Friday Week A – This Week – Year 7/8 Food Technology

View Club Debate vs St Anne’s
Our 9/10 team will be debating again this Thursday 14th August at 12pm-approx 12.40pm for the Temora View Club. This debate will be a prepared debate, the first this year, and we look forward to our revenge on St Anne’s! Good luck to the four boys involved.
Mrs Drumore

Moral Comedian
Mrs Alice French has kindly organised for a comedian, Mr Dallas Atkins, to visit the school on the morning of this Friday 15th August, to give a moral message. He will perform in the school hall for secondary students from 9am to 10am and for primary students from 10am to 10.46am. Parents are also welcome to attend.
Mrs Drumore

HSC Trial Exams
HSC Trial Exams will begin across the RAP cluster this Thursday 14th August. We wish all of Year 12 (ie. our school captain, Paige Breust) the best of luck in her exams.
Mrs Drumore

Secondary Excursion Payments
We have reprinted the payment schedule for this excursion in the notes section of this newsletter.
The next payment is due this Friday, 15/8/14 (instalment number 4).
Thank you.
Mrs Drumore
Secondary Excursion Co-ordinator

UPCOMING ASSESSMENT TASKS
(Please note that new items are in bold)
Stage 4 - Agriculture Week 8
in class assessment
Stage 4 - Geography
Due: Friday 8th August 2014
Stage 4 & 5 Science Week 9
Assessment task – Students are to choose 3 practicals they have completed in class over the year and write up in correct scientific format.
Stage 5 - Geography
Due: Friday 15th August 2014
Stage 5 - HSIE excursion
Wednesday 13th August 2014

PRIMARY NEWS
Change of starting times – Primary
Starting in Week 6 (18th August), students in Kindergarten to Year 6 will start school at 9.00am. The bell will ring at 8.55am for assembly, then all students will go to class and take part in reading. All parent reading helpers are still needed and will be assigned to Kinder, 1/2 and 3/4 classes. School for Primary will then end at 3.00pm and students will have play until 3.20pm, when they line up for the afternoon...
assembly. There will also be a homework/ tutor centre available for students in that 3-3.20pm timeslot. This will be the routine for Monday-Thursday, with Fridays being the same as our current times as Years 3-6 do sport with secondary.

**Primary Girls’ / Boys’ Afternoon**
Students in Years 2 - 4 will participate in a gender-based social skills afternoon this Tuesday 12\textsuperscript{th} August for the two lessons after lunch. The afternoon will be based around the concept of the successful Girls' and Boys' Nights held for secondary students. Years 2 - 4 students may wear casual clothes. Miss Ostle and Mr Radnidge are in charge of planning activities and it looks like being a practical but informative afternoon.

APCS Welfare Team

**Weather and Pressure Video Conference**

On Friday the Year 5/6 took part in a video conference on weather and air pressure. It was a very interesting science workshop, with the presenter conducting experiments as well as the
students. Students learned about high and low pressure, air temperature and how air takes up most spaces. The presenter was from Fizzics Education and they have a really great website, with many simple experiments that children (and parents) can do. www.fizzicseducation.com.au

Mrs Jenkins

Year 5/6 Homework
Students in 5/6 will only have spelling words as homework for the following 4 weeks while they are working on their science project. Also, parents are reminded that Year 5/6 students should read each day for at least 20 minutes and that they have mathletics online that they can also be doing at home. Mrs Jenkins

Spelling Bee
The APCS Spelling Bee for Years 3/4 and 5/6 will be held on Friday 22nd August at 9.15 am. The list of spelling words will be put on the school website and the school app. All students will take part in this competition and then the winner and runner up will progress to the region finals.

SPORT NEWS

CHS Riverina Athletics Carnival
The Secondary Riverina Athletics Carnival was held Week 4 Tuesday 5th August 2014 in Albury. We had 12 students represent Ariah Park Central School. These students were Paige Breust, Louise Chisholm, Joshua Davey, Emma Doyle, Georgia Ellison, Caleb Harris, Dylon Jennings, Luke Kalms, Keisha McLean, Sharnie McLean, Ellie Walker and Henry Wilson. All students participated well and made the school proud of their athletic abilities. Thank you to Caroline Stewart for managing the team and for the families who transported students to Albury. Our top results were:
- Caleb Harris – 4th Long Jump, 3rd High Jump
- Luke Kalms – 2nd High Jump
- Henry Wilson – 4th 200m, 4th Javelin

Congratulations to Luke Kalms for qualifying for the State Athletics Carnival in the 16 year Boys High Jump. Congratulations on the great efforts from all of our students. Well done.

Miss Rees

RAP Under 14 Netball Trials

The RAP Under 14’s Netball Trials were held at Barellan on Thursday 7th August 2014. We had 6 students represent Ariah Park Central School: they were Sharnie McLean, Nancy French, Ellie Walker,
Keisha McLean, Alyssa Denyer and Shelby Worland. Our girls played with great skill and positive attitudes. I had many pleasing comments about the amazing netball talent we have at Ariah Park. Congratulations to Sharnie McLean, Nancy French, Ellie Walker, Keisha McLean and Shelby Worland who were selected for the RAP team.

Miss Rees
Secondary Sport Co-ordinator
Major Secondary Excursion – Payment
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Signed: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

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Newsletter Advertising: ariahpark-c.admin@det.nsw.edu.au
Swimming Pool AGM
Where: Ariah Park Bowling Club.
When: Monday 25th August, 2014 at 6.30pm.
Everyone is welcome and is urged to attend.
Any items for the agenda or questions please contact Toni McCormack on 6974 1115

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Ariah Park Preschool **drumMUSTER collection**

**Monday 11th August to Friday 15th August 2014**

Sunday 17th August by appointment.

**Where: West Hall, Daveys Lane, Ariah Park**

**From 3.00pm – 5.30pm daily**

Farm pick up service will also be provided for a donation to the Ariah Park Preschool. Minimum pick up 200 drums. Please contact for details.

**Every 100 drums you deliver earns $25 for the preschool**

Call or email Phil Davey 0427 545 717 or John Dowling on 0427 004 442, apfundraising2665@gmail.com to book them in.

Ariah Park Preschool looks forward to your support in rinsing out, rounding up, and running in all your empty, properly cleaned, agricultural and veterinary chemicals.

For more information, call
John Dowling on 0427 004 442 or
Phil Davey on 0427 545 717 or
Vernon Keighley, drumMUSTER on 0406 745 030.
Preliminary final results and Grand Final Information
Unfortunately the Under 11s went down in a very close Preliminary Final 11-10. The girls have had a fantastic year and have really developed a great little team. Suzanne has done a wonderful job with the girls making sure they are enjoying their netball. Many thanks to Katrina Morris for managing the team in such a professional manner.
So next Sunday we have the Under 13s and Under 15s in the Grand Final at Leeton.
Under 13s start at 12.00. Please be there 45 minutes before the game for photos and to settle the nerves.
Under 15s start at 1.30pm.
Training is at Ariah Park again so we can have use of the courts for longer. Under 13s at 5pm, Under 15s at 5.30.
After the Grand Finals we will head back to the Ardlethan Clubrooms. I will organise some snacks, however it will be BYO.

Semi-Final Report
Saturday saw Griffith host the Semi-finals for the South West Junior and Football Netball League. Our Under 15’s football and our U11’s netball teams were taking part.
Coach Rob Harper said it was a great effort by the boys who never gave in all day. Narrandera kicked 8 goals to nil in the second quarter but the Jets pegged it back to 15 points at three quarter time. The boys’ third quarter was brilliant footy and everyone was pumped with great passages of play. Chris Ryall and Jeromy Lucas were terrific all day, Ben Carmichael and Henry Grinter gave their all. Blake Harper was solid and James Parkinson played his best game for the year to win the Jason Bryce Spreading $10 award. Goals today were kicked by Max Harper, Blake Harper, Oscar Day, Jeromy Lucas, Lachlan Jones, Joe Ryall, Zach Griffin, Ben Carmichael and two to Chris Ryall.
Final Score Narrandera 19 - 10 - 124 def Jets 10 - 4 - 64
Thanks to all the U13’s who backed up throughout the year, without you we wouldn’t have been able to get as far as we did in this competition. To the U15’s boys, thank you for your efforts every game this year and at training.
Thanks to Simon Gaynor for umpiring the U13’s semi-final today your efforts are much appreciated by our club. Unfortunately the U11’s netballers went down in a thriller by a goal, good luck to the U13’s and U15’s netballers who qualified last week to play in the Grand final next Sunday at Leeton.
AAPM Northern Jets Football & Netball

Vote Count

Saturday 16th August
Beckom Hall
6:30pm
$10 Meal — BBQ & Sides
Music Afterwards

See everyone there for a great night!

For information contact Jessica Rees or Bruce Baker

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Serving Regional Australia
Visit the Mobile Service Centre to find out about Australian Government payments and services for rural families, older Australians, students, job seekers, people with disability, carers, farmers and self-employed people.

Near the War Memorial, Cnr Coolamon & Pitts Streets

ARIAH PARK

Wednesday, 13 August 2014
9:00 am to 4:00 pm

For more information, go to humanservices.gov.au and search for Mobile Service Centre or call 132 316.
DJ S.T.A.T.I.C
RnB  Hip Hop  Top 40
Saturday 16th August
from 7:30pm
Bistro open from 6pm
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The Grant is for the ongoing development of a young person, in their chosen sport.

Open to members of sporting clubs (and schools) that are current members of the Temora & District Sports Council.

The recipient must be involved in Junior sport, with a Temora Shire based club and/or school, aged no older than 18 years, as at 1st January, 2014.

Application to include their sporting history, goals, ambitions and why they have a passion for their chosen sport and what they plan to do with the grant.

Applications open on Friday 8th August, 2014 and close at midnight on Friday 29th August.

Applications to be posted to P.O. Box 262, Temora 2666 or dropped at the Temora Shire Council offices.

For further details please contact:
Rick Firman (02) 6977 2021
Brad Carroll (02) 6953 3505

Temora Little Athletics Registration Day
Wednesday 13th August 2014
3.30pm – 5.00pm
Temora Public School Hall
(enter via Anzac St)

* If you have registered and/or paid online, bring your receipt to registration day to collect your Athlete Pack.
* No manual registrations allowed after registration day.
* New registrations must bring proof of age (birth certificate or Blue Baby Book)

Enquiries to Nicola Curry 0488 700 968
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