Week one of Term 4 already done and dusted with students well and truly involved in learning and lots of activities. Mandamah was a wonderful day on Friday. It was fantastic to see all students participating from K-11 and having a great day together. A big thank you to all the parents who came and helped, as well as the P&C, for providing the BBQ. It was a very successful day all round and I think we are all looking forward to another day at Mandamah in the future.

A special thank you to P&C President, Michael Denyer who did those little extras to ensure our safety.

Secondary set off on their five day excursion to Berry with Mr Stevens, Miss Farrell and Miss Rees this morning. I am sure they will have a great week undertaking activities and forming stronger bonds and friendships with each other.

Good luck to our Year 12 students beginning their HSC exams today. You have all worked extremely hard and they will be over before you know it.

Finally on Friday all students will be having a visit from some poets as part of the Mary Gilmore festival which I am sure all students will thoroughly enjoy.

Miss Pollard
Relieving Assistant Principal

Canteen Roster

Friday, 16/10/15 – R Denyer, B Stevens
Monday, 19/10/15 – S Dart, A Pursehouse

School Diary

Please note that new items are in bold

This Week (Week 2B)
Monday, 12/10/15
Secondary Excursion
Tuesday, 13/10/15
Secondary Excursion
Wednesday, 14/10/15
Secondary Excursion
Thursday, 15/10/15
Secondary Excursion
TAFE
Tennis Gala Day - Marrar
Friday, 16/10/15
Secondary Excursion
**Next Week (Week 3A)**

**Wednesday, 21/10/15**
Netball in Wagga

**Thursday, 22/10/15**
TAFE

**Friday, 23/10/15**
Book Club orders due

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**BOOK CLUB NEWS**

Distributed with today’s newsletter were issue 7 book club leaflets. Please ensure all orders are returned by **Friday, 23rd October 2015**.

Thank you.
Ms Ostle

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**Mary Gilmore Festival Poets Visit**

On Friday we have some poets coming to the school for a whole school concert as part of the Mary Gilmore Festival. The Poets will chat about Lawson and Banjo, do a bit on rhyme, rhythm and metre. They will conduct a participation poem involving all students and finally finishing with 'The Man from Snowy River'.

Miss Pollard

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**THANK YOU!!THANK YOU!!THANK YOU!!**

Thanks to all the students and staff who bought iceblocks and made donations last week. With your help we were able to raise $155.60 which has been donated to RELAY FOR LIFE. We had a great day at the relay on Saturday with our family. Thanks for your support.

Hannah, Tom and Kate O'Dwyer

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**SPORTING SCHOOLS**

This term we will be participating in softball. Due to the excursion, we will not start until week 5, and will use the same format as last term, and complete 2 sessions a week for 4 weeks. We are planning on doing Tball/softball activities if we have enough numbers participating. However due to cricket and swimming season starting, we understand that we possibly will not have enough to be able to play in teams, therefore if this happens we will compete in individual sports which will be either tennis, golf or lawn bowls, depending on preferences. Please fill out an expressions of interest so we can decide and organise Sporting Schools by this Friday 16th October.

Thanks
Mr Radnidge

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**Tennis Gala Day**

Please note that the Tennis Gala Day has been moved from Coolamon to Marrar, and we will now be taking a bus so we will have more participants. Another note has been distributed to clarify the changes. Please return the new permission notes by this Wednesday.

Mr Radnidge
2015 HSC EXAMINATIONS

- Make sure that you’re aware of when your exams are on.
- You must be present at least 10 mins before the exam.
- You should complete all HSC Exams, regardless of the circumstances. If there is an issue requiring a misadventure form, please see Mr Dunn or Mrs Drumore immediately after the exam.

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RELAY FOR LIFE - RAFFLE
Winner: Felicity Doyle
Thank you to everyone who purchased raffle tickets and made donations. Your support was very much appreciated.
Louise, Matt, Hannah, Tom and Kate O'Dwyer

Community Caterers AGM – Thursday, 22/10/2015 – 6pm @ CWA Rooms
Important issues regarding the future of Ariah Park Community Caterers will be discussed. Please attend to show your support.

Applications for Financial Funding
Ariah Park Community Caterers are calling for applications for funding from community groups within Ariah Park and District.
A written application stating an amount requested, and how the funds will be used, is to be forwarded to:
The Secretary
Felicity Doyle
161 Robertsons Lane
Ariah Park NSW 2665 or emailed to
pfdoyle72@bigpond.com
NO LATER than 20th October 2015

Notice of the Northern Jets Football Netball Club AGM
Date: Thursday 29th October 2015
Time: 7.30pm, Venue: Ariah Park Football Ground

Inaugural Ladysmith P&C Duathlon
The Inaugural Ladysmith P&C Duathlon, in aid of Ronald McDonald House and supported by Wagga Wagga City Council is to be conducted in and around the beautiful village of Ladysmith, 20 kilometres south east of Wagga Wagga city, on controlled traffic rural roads and using our parks & ovals for a fast flat run the duathlon has something for every aspiring or seasoned duathlete or triathlete.
Plenty of prizes are promised but most of all you'll know that you have helped a most worthy charity and enjoyed a great day out.
More detailed in information is provided in the attached flyer or alternatively go to the event website http://ladymithpduathlon.com.au/
Finance Information Afternoon
presented by Bank Managers
Date: Monday 19th October 2015
Venue: Platform Y, Temora Railway Station
Time: 4.00pm – 5.00pm
This is a great opportunity to speak informally in a friendly, non-committal atmosphere about savings, superannuation or any helpful hints when dealing with financial matters. This free talk is aimed at young people, but anyone is welcome to attend.
Primary Excursion – Instalment Payment
Enclosed please find the following payment (as indicated by a tick) for

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Signed

Date

Please return by Friday 16th October 2015

Sporting Schools – Expression of Interest
Please indicate by placing your name below and then indicating which day would be more suitable to attend TBall/Softball Sporting Schools sessions. Please return by this Friday 16th October 2015.

Student Name/s:

Number 1-3 next to the day on which you would prefer Sporting Schools to be run:

Primary (grades K-6): Monday _____ Tuesday _____ Thursday _____

If TBall/Softball cannot run due to limited numbers which sport would your child/children be most interested in – please number 1-3.

Sports: Tennis _____ Golf ____ Lawn Bowls ____

Please return by Friday 16th October 2015

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