Welcome back to Term 3 and I hope everyone had a fantastic break. The weather has turned quite cold so it is important that our students wear plenty of warm clothes. Please let me know if you are having difficulty with warm items of uniform, so I may assist you in providing these items.

I would like to welcome Rebecca Williams to our staff who will be teaching Science and Agriculture for the remainder of the year. Rebecca comes to us from Queensland, so I am sure she is making some adjustments getting used to the climate down here.

Welcome Rebecca.

Student reports were sent by mail on the first week of the holiday break. Please let me know if you didn’t receive them and I will provide another copy. Parents will have an opportunity to discuss their child’s progress with their class teachers during week 3. Further details in the newsletter.

The gymnastics program begins today for years K-6 in the school hall. This is an exciting program that the students in which love to be involved. All the activities are run by a trained gymnast and we are lucky to be able to provide this program.

P&C Meeting is on tonight, Tuesday at 7.30pm in the Library.

Great to be back.

Mr Dunn

Congratulations to Jacob Penfold, who was presented with the Student of the Month award for June 2015. Jacob’s certificate noted the following:

- Showing improvement in reading, writing and comprehension
• Always tries his hardest in Maths
• Always willing to have a go at new skills in PE and computers
• Growing in confidence – participating in class discussions
• Always polite and well mannered

Well done Jacob
APCS Staff

CANTEEN ROSTER

Roster
Friday, 17th July – D Edis, E O’Hare
Monday, 20th July – R Denyer, B Stevens

P&C NEWS

Our next meeting will be held tonight, 14th July in the school library commencing at 7:30pm.
All welcome

SCHOOL DIARY

Please note that new items are in bold
This Week (Week 1A)
Tuesday, 14/7/15
Primary gymnastics program begins
Wednesday, 15/7/15
Farmer’s Field Day (Hospitality Students catering)
Thursday, 16/7/15
TAFE
PSSA netball knockout - Ardlethan

Next Week (Week 2B)
Monday, 20/7/15
Prac Student – Stacey Barber (3/4 classroom)
Tuesday, 21/7/15
Work Readiness – Rhonda Heffernen (to talk to students about work placement)

Wednesday, 22/7/15
Hospitality Prac – Coolamon
Thursday, 23/7/15
TAFE
Friday, 24/7/15
PSSA district athletics carnival – Ardlethan

WHOLE SCHOOL NEWS

Whole School Assembly
A Whole School Assembly was held on the last Friday of Term 2. The following items were presented:
Staff Awards

These awards were presented to both primary and secondary students. Primary students will have previously been presented with at least 4 merit awards and in the secondary, students will have received at least 6 merits. Congratulations to:
Isabel Fairman, Theo Fairman, Amelia Haddrill, Georgia Pursehouse, Phoebe Banfield, Charlotte Bell, Lachlan Buerckner, Gabrielle Fairman, Sophie Maxwell, Kate O’Dwyer, Summa Watts, Thomas Writer, Charlotte Brill, Brooke Denyer, Bella Fairman, Blake Forsyth, Annelise Golder, Taylor Heath, Alexander Ingram, Harrison Judd, Riley Judd,
Src Awards

Awarded to those students who have received 8 merit awards in primary and 12 merit awards in secondary.

Congratulations to:
Lachlan Buerckner, Sarah Speirs, Rafferty Edis, Maggie Johnstone

Salvation Army – Red Shield Collection Certificates

Stage 5 - Film Adaptations of Shakespeare

As a part of their study of Shakespeare's Much Ado About Nothing, the students will be watching two versions of the play on film. The 1993 version, directed by Kenneth Branagh, is rated PG and the 2012 version, directed by Joss Whedon, is rated M for sex scenes. If you would prefer your child not to view the Whedon version for its rating you can opt-out and your student will be provided with alternate work for the couple of periods that the viewing will require. Please contact the Front Office at the school if you wish your child to opt-out of this viewing.

Miss Farrell
Primary News

Primary Excursion – Mogo Original Gold Rush Colony - Tuesday 10th – Friday 13th November

This year, Years 3-6 will be going to Mogo for their end of year excursion. The cost of the excursion will be $280.00.

Please complete the expression of interest note in this newsletter and return with a $30.00 deposit if you wish your child to attend. The remaining $250.00 can be paid off in 5 instalments or in one final payment on 29th October.

Here is an outline of activities in which students will be taking part:

Day One – Tuesday 10th
Arrival & Welcome to Gold Rush. Koori Cultural Stories. Listen to the tales of our local Culture by the eerie light of the Campfire (Fire bans permitting)

Day Two – Wednesday 11th
Gold History Tour and Gold Panning - Engage with the tour guide for an exploration of the pioneer village. Look at gold history, Australiana, mining and day to day life; and learn more about the times you are experiencing. Life on the Goldfields - Listen to life in school, make a traditional toy and enjoy the delights of the Diggers staple food DAMPER.

Traditional Games. Bush Dance Preparation - Work together to prepare the Community Hall for your Bush Dance. Traditional Bush Dance- Twirl to the sounds of live music and experience good old fashioned entertainment.

Day Three – Thursday 12th
Depart the Gold Rush Colony for Mogo Zoo, take a packed lunch with you. Gunya Building. Camp Fire Sing a long (fire bans permitting)

Day 4 – Friday 13th
Depart the Gold Rush Colony, travel to Canberra. Activity in Canberra TBA.

Return to Ariah Park 4pm.

Payment Schedule – Primary Excursion

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Primary Parent-Teacher Interviews – Week 2/3

Parents who would like a parent teacher interview with their child’s classroom teacher need to book in two available time slots. Teachers will be available during the day in their release time or on Tuesday 28th July from 4-6.30pm. We have allowed 2 options, with the Tuesday 28th July for families with children in more than 1 class and the other days for parents who only need to see one teacher or during school time suits better. All primary parents need to ring the office and book a 15 minute time slot.

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Multicultural Public Speaking Competition
On Tuesday 23rd June, Rafferty Edis, Louise O'Hare, Bella Fairman and Taylor Heath went to Temora to take part in the Multicultural Perspective Public Speaking competition. All students spoke very well and the speaking was of a very high standard. Bella and Louise received highly commended awards.

P prac student – 3/4 classroom
Ariah Park Central School has been lucky enough to have Stacey Barber from the Charles Sturt University selected to undertake her final professional experience commencing Week 2 on Monday 20/07/2015 and finishing at the end of Term 3. Stacey will be working with our Year 3/4 students and for the first five weeks will be observing, teaching small groups and teaching some lessons across all Key Learning Areas. In the final five weeks of the term, Stacey will be teaching 80% of the teaching load within the 3/4 classroom. We welcome Stacey to Ariah Park Central School and are very excited for her to begin her time with us.

Miss Pollard

Talent Show – Education Week - Friday 31st July
There will be a talent show for Education Week this term. Students will be able to audition this Friday if students from K-12 want to take part.

Rafferty Edis

Gymnastics
Students from K-6 will be taking part in a Gymnastics program every Tuesday this term. Trained instructors run the program, bringing all the equipment that is needed.
Youth Group
We are having an evening of youth group on Friday 24th July, 7pm to 9.30pm for School ages Yr 6 to Yr 12. Meeting at Endeavour Hall (next to the Baptist Church) Please dress warmly and wear shoes you can run around in and bring along some supper to share.
Peter Harper, Elizabeth Davey and David Finch.

Northern Jets Junior Netball Results – Round 11
On Saturday we made the trek to Coleambally, on what was forecast to be a very dull, wet and cold day, thankfully the rain held off and we had some wonderful games of football.

Under 11’s Report
The team had another good win in windy conditions. Jack Hawthorne had another great game at centre half back to win the Landmark $10 award. Wilson Gaynor had a great game on the wing to get the Sportsman Warehouse voucher. Travis Field tried very hard all game and came close to kicking a goal to win the Ardlethan Pharmacy socks. Everyone had a great game, goal kickers today were Charlie McCormack and Harry Roscarel with two each. Singles to Alex Ingram, Harry Collis, Tom O’Dwyer and Josh Bell. Sensational stuff boys.
Final score Jets 8 - 13 - 61 def Coleambally 2 - 0 - 12

Under 13’s Report
A great win to the Jets this week and a big morale booster. A big thanks again to the 11’s boys who fill our side each week Nate Doyle and Riley Judd and to Joe Ryall who helped out this week. The awards today went to Blair Mclean who received the Geoff Fairman coaches award. Jim Griffin the $10 Ariah Park Hardware award and Sully Walker received the Sportsman Warehouse Voucher. Tom Denyer was in our best today and won the Mirrool Hotel socks, and the Roscarel brothers had their usual solid performances. Goal kickers today were Blair Mclean, Harry Morris and Josh Roscarel with two each and singles to Fraser Harper, Tom Denyer, Brodie Jones and Tom Roscarel. Congratulations boys.
Final Score Jets 10 - 12 - 72 def Coleambally 2 - 4 - 16

Under 15’s Report
Once again the game of football was the winner on the day as Griffith comprehensively won the game as the young Jetters fought it out to the final siren. Our best players were Tom Lawrence winning the Jason Bryce Spreading $10 award for an outstanding performance in the backline. Jed Litchfield had a superb game as well in the backline to win the Delta socks. Will Roberts who kicked and tackled all day and never stopped trying to win the Sportsman Warehouse Voucher award. Tom McGrath did some great physical contesting at fullback to let Griffith know that we weren’t going down without a fight, Ben Carmichael tried hard all day with some heavy tackles in all over the ground. Ethan Neyenhuis was at his best again with some great kicking and marking around the ground. We kicked all our goals in the last
quarter with a great team celebration after each when Lachlan Jones and Will Clemson kicked truly. Tom and Will Clemson were once again a welcome boost to the team with many possessions in the forward and wing. We now look forward to playing Griffith again next week at home.

Final Score  Griffith Reds soundly defeated the Jets
Next week we take on the Griffith Reds at Ardlethan in all grades.

Northern Jets Junior Netball Results – Round 11

U11’s
The under 11’s came away with a win against Colembally 21 -7. Best on Court was Annabelle Cassidy who led a great defence that was able to keep Colly’s team from only scoring in two of the four quarters. Emma Morris was awarded the Canteen Encouragement Award for her consistent effort and support on the wings. Izzy Gaynor was a standout in the Centre Court all game and our shooters Mae Lucas and Paige Brown were amazing in the goal circle. Thank you to Bethanie Durham for umpiring the girls.

U13’s
The under 13’s won a thrilling heart stopping match by one point against Colly! The girls were up by 2 at the first change with Hayley Buerckner and Abbey Doyle, a flawless combination in goals. We were up by 3 at half time with Lily Walker in GD (no, it’s not a typo) teamed up with Hannah O’Dwyer and Georgie Quade shutting the Colly attackers down. At the third break, we were down by 3, not being able to capitalise on the turnovers that Josie Gaynor and Katie Doyle were getting. In the last quarter, Hayley got 3 quick goals to even the score with the help of some great passing into the ring by Erin Brown and Olivia Harper. It was goal for goal till the very end and Josie got the intercept that we needed to break the dead lock and got the pass into Abbey Doyle to put us up by one. The awards this week went to: Hayley Buerckner players player canteen award and the Bowling Club $10 to Josie Gaynor. Thanks again to Sherrie Brown for umpiring.

U15’s
The Under 15’s turned up in what was meant to be a cold and rainy day and started the game well. The Jets had a handy lead after the first quarter, but as the game progressed Coleambally, in their 50th anniversary game, came through with a win. Coleambally’s defence was outstanding, but our girls didn’t give up and kept trying until the final whistle. The final result was Coleambally 28 defeated Jets 23. Awards for this week, Bowling Club $10 went to Chloe Minchin and the Elders Players Player Laura Maslin. Thanks to Marney for umpiring. Congratulations to Coleambally for hosting a terrific day.
Bland Shire Council – Family Day Care
There has been a change of dates for the rest of the year for Mirrool as the dates we had scheduled collided with Ariah Park playgroup.

The following dates for Mirrool are:
22 July
19 August
16 September
28 October
25 November
9 December

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attending the Major Primary Excursion to Mogo Original Gold Rush Colony, Tuesday 10\textsuperscript{th} –
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I have enclosed a deposit of $30.

Signed: …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………
Name of parent / caregiver: ………………………………………………………………………………………………………

\textbf{Please return this note to school by Friday, 31\textsuperscript{st} July 2015}