



Term 2 Week 10

Monday, 27 June 2022

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Stuart Ferguson

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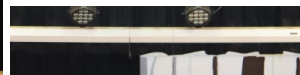
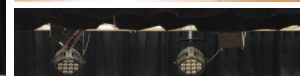
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TERM 2 ASSEMBLY

Last Thursday we held our end of term assembly where students received awards for merits they have been awarded over the Term. Our age champions for both swimming and athletics were also presented with certificates.



Principal's News

A huge thank you to our parents and school community for your understanding and support over what has been another busy and sometimes challenging term with both student and staff illness on top of the ever present COVID. The great positive though, despite this, has been our ability to ensure every student, every day has been able to continue their learning through the additional lessons taken by teachers and our amazing group of casual teachers.

The term two assembly held last Thursday was a great celebration of all that our students have achieved over the past semester. It was great to see so many of them receive their Bronze Award as well as other sporting achievements. We hope that next term will see even more students being recognised for their positive attitude, commitment and achievement.

As already announced this Thursday there will be a 24-hour strike by teachers. The school will be open but with minimal supervision and a very different timetable arrangement for anyone who attends. I apologise for the inconvenience this causes our community.

This Tuesday our Year 12 Hospitality students ably supported by their teacher Mrs Tammy Nash will hold a High-Tea for the staff. The students have prepared the menu and will do both the cooking and serving of the morning tea. This event will also raise money for the Cancer Council with all participating staff making a \$5 donation. What a very generous initiative and great way to meet their assessment requirements.

Neryle Smurthwaite
Principal

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Year 10 Work Experience



YEAR 11 AUTOMOTIVE

This semester Year 11 Automotive students are continuing to design and fabricate their own individual projects. The main focus is to use old unused automotive parts and construct a usable item that can be utilised elsewhere.



Chester Durant made a working clock out of an old clutch plate. Here he is proudly showing off his finished clock.



Logan Frost has decided to clean up an old V8 motor block and using the polished pistons he is planning to make a coffee table with a glass top.



Faith Bartimote is also creating a table, however she has decided to use a collection of smaller mechanical parts and submerge them in epoxy resin. Faith is still developing ideas for the base and the leg.



Mitch McMahon is creating a set of stools using brake discs as the base and coil over struts for the main support. His timber seat section has been carefully cut to size by his grandfather.

Mitch Stephens has decided to polish up some used pistons and connecting rods as a coat / hat rack. He plans to attach them to a recycled piece of timber that will be dressed and have a burnt Chevrolet emblem place in it.



Rianna Reeves has taken on a huge project of designing and fabricating a floor lamp. She has spent a lot of time polishing the base which is an old bellhousing, she will attach an open gearbox that will support the main pipe section. Finally, Rianna is currently looking for an old air cleaning housing and paper filter to house the light.

DEBUTANTE BALLS

On Friday June 10th and Saturday June 11th, students from Year 11 and Year 12 at Canowindra High School participated in two, back-to-back Canowindra Debutante Balls held at the Canowindra Services Club, making up for a COVID affected year in 2021. Six Year 11 Debutantes and their partners participated in Canowindra's 51st Annual Debutante Ball on Friday night and seven Year 12 Debutantes and their partners then participated in Canowindra's 52nd Debutante Ball on Saturday night.

Mrs Kath Balcombe (dance teacher) alongside Mrs Peta McKenzie managed to take 13 blundering dance couples and transform them into ballroom stars. Both Friday and Saturday started early with last-minute dress adjustments and make-up appointments, before a swift drive to the home of Lorraine Daly (Year 11) and 'Noojee Lea' (Year 12) for photos to be taken. The Debutantes then made their way to the Services Club for their nights to begin. On both nights, our MCs, Carolyn Austin (Year 11) and Mindy Dixon (Year 12), helped the evening flow and we are grateful for their help. Each Debutante and their partner were formally presented to Mrs Bron Cahill and Mr Warren McKenzie (Year 11) and Ms Patricia Daniel and Mr Michael Harrison (Year 12) in front of many family and friends, before beautifully performing two dances (Foxtrot and Cha-Cha). Formalities were finished with speeches by Debutantes, cake cutting and photos. After a delicious meal provided by the Canowindra Services Club, everyone hit the dance floor with the talents of local DJ Kevin Reid encouraging everyone to pull out their best dance moves.

All in all, we had two amazing nights, made possible by the support and hard work of the Canowindra High School P&C and parents of Debutantes and partners. Debutantes and partners wish to express their sincere thanks to everyone who attended and helped make each Ball memorable nights. We encourage everyone in Year 11 2023 to take part in next year's Debutante Ball when the opportunity arises.

Jackson Stacey Year 12



Applications for Aurora College are now open

Any students that are currently in Years 7, 8 or 9 that are wishing to apply for Aurora College for 2023 should contact Aurora College on 1300 287 629, visit www.aurora.nsw.edu.au or contact the school and ask to speak to Ms Daniel. Applications close by Friday 22 July 2022.

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- open Tuesday 21 June 2022
- close Friday 22 July 2022

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For enrolment information, please visit:
<https://aurora.nsw.edu.au/about-our-school/enrolment>



Premiers Debating Challenge

Year 7 student Darcy Palmer participated in two debates as part of the Premier's Debating Challenge for Aurora College on Friday the 17th of June. The first round against Byron Bay High School was on the topic "that the school day should be longer". The second round against Banora Point High School was on the topic "People over 60 should complete technology lessons". The students won both debates convincingly with Darcy's performance being a stand-out debater. Good work Darcy and we look forward to hearing how the next round goes.





Improving Learning

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June 2022

Mrs Neryle Smurthwaite
The Principal
Canowindra High School
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CANOWINDRA NSW 2804

Dear Mrs Smurthwaite,

Re: IEA's Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study – Field Trial for TIMSS 2023

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your school's participation in the Trends in International Mathematics and Science Study (TIMSS) field trial, which took place in March 2022 in your school. More than 100 000 students from 60 countries have taken part in this trial, which has been an essential step in refining the tests before they are used in the main study next year.

We really appreciated all the help Duane Rhall and Renato Marcantoni provided to ensure TIMSS ran successfully at your school and especially to Daniel Smith who took on the role of Test Administrator, after the Test Administrator assigned to your school fell ill.

To recognise your school's contribution to the Field Trial, I am enclosing a Certificate of Participation for your school and each of the participating students.

An Australian report is produced from each TIMSS cycle. The Main Study will take place in 2023 and the results will be reported for Australia in December 2024 to coincide with the IEA releasing the international report.

For more information about TIMSS, please visit the National TIMSS website at <https://www.acer.org/timss>.

Once again, I convey ACER's thanks to you, your staff and student's contribution to this important trial.

Yours sincerely,

Nicole Wernert
TIMSS National Project Director

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TIMSS Student Certificates of Participation

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SENTRAL FOR PARENTS

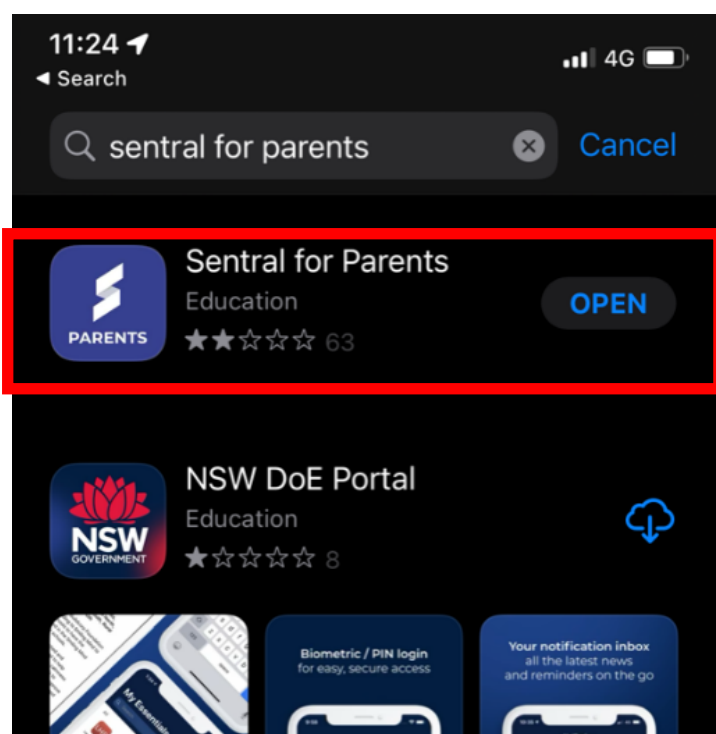
If you haven't downloaded the Sentral for Parents app through your respective app store please do so ASAP. We will be using the app for upcoming Parent Teacher Interviews.

If you have not received an email with information on how to use this app please contact the school urgently.

You can use the App for:

- Past and future absences
- Booking parent teacher interviews
- Viewing your student's reports
- Viewing the school calendar
- Viewing your student's timetable

If you require any assistance with anything Sentral for Parents related please don't hesitate to contact the school.



The HUB CANTEEN

All lunch orders must be placed before the end of recess.



NEW WINTER MENU

See the attached new menu! Lots of yummy winter warmers.

THIS WEEKS SPECIALS

CHICKEN SNITTY BLT WRAP \$6

CHECK OUT THE BOARD FOR DAILY SPECIALS
THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

\$5 Lunch Order Voucher Winner!

CLAIRE NEVILLE

Order online via QuickCliQ

<https://www.quickcliq.com.au/>



RECESS (High School only)

Potato Gems in a cup	\$2.00
Ham & cheese toasts	\$2.50
Bacon & egg roll	\$4.00
Muffins - assorted flavours	\$2.00
Homemade pizza—bacon & capsicum, ham & pineapple or pepperoni	\$2.50
Mini Meatball Sub	\$2.50

ALL DAY EVERYDAY

Pie	\$4.50
Sausage roll	\$3.00
Flame grilled chicken patty	\$2.50
Cheese & bacon bun	\$2.00

HOT FOOD OPTIONS**(must be ordered)**

Chicken Tenders	\$2.00
Dino Nuggets	6 for \$5.00
Add salad	\$1.00
Extra nuggets-each	\$1.00
Mac 'n' Cheese	\$5.00
Pasta Bolognese	\$5.00
Soup of the day - with roll	\$5.00
Lunchtime 6 inch pizzas-ham & pineapple, capicum & bacon, meatlovers, or cheesy garlic, pepperoni	\$4.50

DRINKS

Water-600ml	\$2.00
Flavoured milk-chocolate, strawberry, vanilla	
300ml (Primary & High Schools)	\$2.50
500ml (High School only)	\$4.00
Berri 100% Juice-apple, orange, apple/blackcurrant	\$2.50
Juice bombs-watermelon, apple cola, apple raspberry, lemonade, orange, passionfruit, grape	\$2.50
Peach Ice Tea	\$4.50

WRAPS (must be ordered) Toasted or untoasted

BLT-bacon, lettuce, tomato	\$5.50
Chicken Caesar-fresh chicken, cos lettuce, parmesan cheese, bacon, caesar dressing	\$5.50
Chicken Goujon-chicken Goujons, lettuce, cheese, mayo	\$5.50
Flame grilled chicken-flame grilled chicken patty, lettuce, cheese, mayo	\$5.50
Sweet chilli chicken-sweet chilli tenders, lettuce, cheese, sweet chilli sauce	\$5.50
Chicken schnitzel wrap- Chicken schnitzel, lettuce, mayo, cheese	\$5.50

BURGERS (must be ordered)

Sweet chilli chicken burger-sweet chilli tenders, lettuce, sour cream, sweet chilli sauce.	\$5.50
Chicken burger-flamed grilled chicken patty, lettuce, mayo	Add cheese \$0.50
Hawaiian Chicken burger-flamed grilled chicken patty, lettuce, pineapple, mayo	\$6.00
Add Bacon \$1.00 Add cheese \$0.50	
Hamburger-meat patty, lettuce, beetroot, tomato, cheese, BBQ sauce	\$6.00
Add Bacon \$1.00 Add Pineapple \$0.50	
Cheeseburger-meat patty, burger cheese, tomato or BBQ sauce	\$5.00

SANDWICHES/ROLLS**(must be ordered)**

Cheese & salad-cheese, tomato, cucumber, Spanish onion, beetroot, lettuce, carrot, mayo	Sandwich \$5.00 Rolls \$5.50
Ham, Cheese, Tomato	Add ham or chicken \$1.00
Egg & Lettuce	Sandwich \$4.50
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TOASTED TURKISH

Chicken, Cheese & Avocado	\$6.00
Chicken, Cheese & BBQ Sauce	\$6.00
Turkey, Camembert & Cranberry	\$6.00
Salami, Tomato, Spanish Onion & Cheese	\$6.00
Bacon, Tomato, Baby Spinach & Cheese	\$6.50

FRUIT

Apple Crumble	\$4.00
Stewed Fruit & Custard	\$4.00

Weekly Specials

Week	Specials	Friday Super Specials
Week 2	Honey mustard chicken	Fish & potato gems
Week 3	Nachos	Meatball Sub
Week 4	Pasta Carbonara	Chicken Snitty Burger (\$1.00 Parm)
Week 5	Beef & Gravy rolls	Fish & Gems
Week 6	Curried Sausages & rice	Meatball Subs
Week 7	Fried Rice	Chicken Snitty Burger (\$1.00 Parm)
Week 8	Spaghetti Bolognese	Fish & Gems
Week 9	Burritos	Meatball Subs
Week 10	N/A	N/A



The Hub is managed by the High School P&C.
Contact Canteen Manager Cindy Walker on
0429654312 for information or any
questions. Prices and availability subject to
change. (29/04/2022).



**GET UP!
STAND UP!
SHOW UP!**
3-10 JULY 2022



Cowra Information & Neighbourhood Centre

MONDAY 4TH JULY 2022

Meet at Squire Park at 10.45am for the street march at 11am.
March concludes at Riverpark where we will have goodie bags for the children and FREE use of the Obstacle course!
There will also be cultural dance workshops, spear throwing demonstrations, hairspray and tattoos.
There will be lots of service provider stalls and a BBQ lunch courtesy of the amazing Rapid Relief team.



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What's On

Week 10B

Term 2

Monday	27 JUN	
Tuesday	28 JUN	PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS
Wednesday	29 JUN	
Thursday	30 JUN	
Friday	1 JUL	LAST DAY OF TERM 2

Week 1A

Term 3

Monday	18 JUL	FIRST DAY OF TERM 3
Tuesday	19 JUL	
Wednesday	20 JUL	
Thursday	21 JUL	
Friday	22 JUL	

Assessments Due

Week 10B

Term 2

Y12: Biology (2), Investigating Science (2)
Y11: Math Adv, Standard (2)

Week 1A

Term 3

Y12:
Y11: Vis Arts (2)