Dear Parents and Friends,

Last Thursday the whole school travelled to Brocklesby for a day of multicultural activities. They enjoyed a performance by Sam Derchie, a native of Ghana. Sam told the children about life in Ghana, showed them African musical instruments and related the story about how Ananse the spider brought stories to the world. Following the performance the students were involved in a variety of drama, art and sport activities.

Behaviour and social interaction during the day was excellent. Congratulations to all of our students who made new friends, participated well and had fun.

The K/1/2 class are writing some stories that will be included in next week’s newsletter.

Paul Kelly Cup

Last Friday Flynt Trimble and Nate Kohlhagen were members of the Walbundrie Small Schools Football team who participated in the Paul Kelly Cup.

The team won every game that they played during the day. Well done to the boys and thank you to Sue Trimble for providing transport to Albury.

Southern Riverina Athletics Carnival

The Southern Riverina Athletics Carnival will be held at Alexandra Park on Thursday June 4th.

The following students have qualified to attend: Madison Lieschke, Tilly Phegan, Will Klingsporn, Tabitha LeBusque, Kelsey Lieschke and Madeline Watkins.

Permission notes and further information are attached to this newsletter for those involved. Please return completed permission notes by Monday.

St Paul’s College Performance

St Paul’s College is presenting a free performance of their variety show, Comic Relief, at 10.30 am on Friday June 19th. The senior class is invited to attend. Students will walk to the college for the performance and return by recess time.

What’s Happening in the Senior Classroom?

During Mathematics lessons the senior class have been learning times tables, working hard on fractions and are about to commence decimals and percentages.

During English lessons they have created their own Dust Jacket for a Junior Picture Book. The Dust Jackets will be assessed and must be completed and handed in by Friday of this week.

The children are also working with a partner or by themselves to produce a magazine advertisement. They are using their computer skills, language skills and artistic talents to produce their advertisements.

Personal Development lessons have been about ‘Being a Winner’. The students have also discussed what they want to be when they grow up and the qualities you need to be successful.

I am very pleased with the improvement in the spelling standard. Each week the students break their words into syllables and this is certainly helping to achieve better test results.

Keep up the good work seniors. Remember that if you concentrate and do your best, you will achieve better results and reach your goals.

School Photos

School photos will be taken on Wednesday June 25th. We would like all students to wear full winter uniform for this occasion.

Photo envelopes are attached to this newsletter. Please return with money enclosed prior to photo day. If you would like a Sibling Photograph, please pick up the appropriate order envelope from the office.
Photography Day

Next Friday we are having a Photography Day. If possible, could each student bring a camera to school. We realise these can be an expensive item and if not possible that's okay, but it would be very helpful.

Cameras may be left at the front office until needed, and please make sure that the camera is labelled with your family or child’s name.

Thank you,
Cameron Odewahn

P & C News

- Once again thank you to everyone who ordered pies. We made $625.00 which is a great effort, and everyone gets to fill their freezers with yummy pies. The pies will be delivered to the school on Friday at 11am. If anyone has a few couple of hours to spare to help sort the pies out, that would be terrific.
- Thank you to everyone who made something, or helped serve and clean up on Saturday night at the Bowling Club. Your support in helping our school is very much appreciated. Congratulations to Jess Torrens for her professionalism in serving the meals, and surviving her first catering job with us. It was great to have you Jess!!!

Shelley Schilg

lunchtime Activities

The SRC Committee is organising lunchtime activities for all school days.

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By Madeline Watkins

Dates for the Diary

- **Thursday June 4th** – Southern Riverina Athletics
  Alexandra Park
- **Friday June 5th** – Photography Day
- **Thursday June 11th** – Riverina Cross Country at Gundagai
- **Monday June 15th** – P&C Meeting 2.00pm school library
- **Friday June 19th** – School Disco 5.00 pm-7.00 pm
- **Wednesday June 24th** – School Photo Day
- **Friday June 26th** – Student reports sent home.
  - Last day of term

School Banking

Every Monday morning. Bank books to be handed in at the Front Office.

Canteen Roster

- June 1st: Tania Watkins, Jess Torrens
- June 15th: Natalie Wenke, Maria Bruckmann

Community Notices

KID’S SAFETY ON FARMS

The Downsise Community, along with local agri-business and WorkCover NSW, is holding an Interactive Fun and Informative SAFETY AWARENESS DAY with the aim to provide kids with knowledge to minimize safety risks on farms.

- **Mums, Dads, Kids - THE WHOLE FAMILY IS INVITED!**
- **FACT:** Farms are fantastic places to grow up and live
- **FACT:** Farms are also workplaces with REAL hazards
- **FACT:** Kids who live on farms are more likely to be hurt than kids who live in town
- **FACT:** Kids are at GREATER risk of injury or death than their farming parents or other farm workers

Kids Fashion Parade, COLOURING competition, presentations and interactive demonstrations
Sausage sizzle, sandwiches, tea, coffee, and drinks available for purchase

**Downside Hall**
Downside Yarloop Rd, Downside via Wagga Wagga NSW
Sunday 31st May 2015, 12pm – 3pm
RSVP: www.downside.com.au/events or truckenorth@ig.com.au or (02) 308 196
Wear your everyday farm clothes and enclosed footwear

Set aside the evening of **Friday 28th August** for the St Paul’s College Parents and Friends Charity Auction.

You can invite neighbours, family, people with past connections to the College or none. The more the merrier! Some amazing bargains are guaranteed.