Northern Inland Steer Competition 2014

On the 19th November the Year 9-10 Agriculture class travelled to Walcha to compete in the Northern Inland Steer Competition. The competition included 19 schools from northern inland NSW and is open to all schools large and small. Students who represented the school included Joesie-Lee Morley, Renae Brown, Chloe Schneider, Emily Minos, Phoebe Burbury, Tayla Warwick, Isaac Bultitude and Cody Burns. The event began on Wednesday 19th with students competing in the paraders and junior judging competitions. Isaac Bultitude was very successful in the junior judging competition, placing 5th out of the 73 students in his age group.

The following day our animals competed in the Led Steer/Heifer or hoof competition. The school took five animals to the show named Joe, Trent, Henry, Scarlett and Quentin. Joe, Quentin and Scarlett competed in the class 2 division for animals ranging from 401kg-430kg. In this competition, Scarlett picked up a 5th place ribbon. Trent and Henry both competed in the class 4 division for animals ranging from 461kg-490kg. In this competition, Henry placed 4th and Trent placed 3rd. Following the led competition, a presentation was held and Joesie-Lee Morley was presented with 5th place in the Herds Person award which is awarded on a student’s work ethic and care for their animal.

After the events in Walcha are finished, the animals are processed to compete in the Hook Competition and our animals continued their winning ways. In class 2, Joe picked up a 2nd place ribbon and Quentin a 5th place. In the class 4 division, Trent picked up a 2nd place ribbon.

The students who participated in this competition should be very proud of their efforts knowing they were competing against some of the elite agricultural schools in the district, including Farrer, NEGS and PLC, and had a great deal of success. To take away 5 animals and come home with 8 ribbons in total is a great achievement. Well done to you all.
Congratulations to all Primary and Secondary students who participated in the NSW Premiers Sporting Challenge during Term 3.

We have exceeded our expectations with Secondary averaging a Silver award and Primary averaging a Diamond award. Well done!

**School Dates**

4th December - Year 10 RAP interviews  
10th December - Presentation Night  
11th December - Years 3-6 Excursion  
12th December - Years K-2 Excursion  
15th December - K-6 Concert-at night  
17th December - Students last day for 2014  
18th -19th December - Staff Development Days  

**2015**

Tuesday, 3rd February - Staff Development Day  
Wednesday, 4th February - School resumes for Years 1-12  
Thursday, 5th February - School starts for Kindergarten  

**Parents / Carers**

Years 9 and 11 students are asked to pay their 2015 jersey fees by Friday, 5th December, 2014 so they can be ordered, paid for and ready for the students to accept by day 1, Term1, 2015.

Year 9, who fund raised, will be subsidised and required to pay $40.00 whilst Year 11 are required to pay the full amount of $65.00.

Your assistance in early and prompt payment will be much appreciated.

Thank you  
Mr M Pintus & Mrs Foelz  
Year 9 Fundraising Committee
SCHOOL LOCKERS

Lockers are available for any Year 9 students wishing to apply. The period of hire will be November, 2014 until December 2015. A key deposit fee of $10.00 applies. This will be refunded upon return of the key at the end of 2015. Any student who loses his or her key will forfeit the fee, to allow for the cost of replacing the key. Year 9 students wishing to apply for a locker must bring the $10.00 fee to the school office by Friday 28th November. After this date, lockers will be offered to Year 8 students. Lockers will be allocated on a first in best dressed basis.

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Ashford School Canteen
ORDERS TO BE PLACED BY 11.30am for Lunches Please

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HOT FOOD

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Small Chips $0.50
| JJs             | $1.00 |               |       |
| Pop Corn        | $1.00 |               |       |
| Chips           | $1.00 |               |       |

DRINKS

| Water           | $1.50 |               |       |
| Poppers         | $1.60 |               |       |
| LOL             | $2.00 |               |       |
| Small Flav Milk | $2.00 |               |       |
| Large Flav Milk | $3.00 |               |       |
| 300ml OJs       | $2.00 |               |       |
| 600ml OJs       | $3.00 |               |       |

FROZEN TREATS

| Animal Pops     | $0.50 |
| Frozen Fruit Cup | $0.50 |
| Zooper Dooper   | $0.50 |
| Frozen milk Cups | $1.00 |
| Milk Icy Pole   | $1.00 |
| Ice Cream Cup   | $1.50 |
| Frozen Yoghurts | $2.50 |

SAUCES

| Tomato / BBQ | $0.50 |

To Heat / Toast food From Home $1.00 - To supply food container $.50 extra
Plastic cutlery $.05 each - NO ACCOUNTS AT CANTEEN
Over the next week the PBL program will be focusing on PLAYGROUND RESPECT. Students will be encouraged to focus on the following key areas:

★ Only eat your food
★ Put rubbish in the bin
★ Use electronic devices according to the school policy

The PBL program provides positive awards to students who demonstrate a commitment to the focus areas each week. Please reinforce this at home as students are learning about it in class.
**Thought For The Week**

**VEGETARIAN:**
Native American definition for “lousy hunter”.

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**Ashford Bushfire Brigade**
Next meeting will be held on **Wednesday, 10th December, 2014,**
7.30pm at the fire station.
All members are asked to attend.

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**Lions’ Junior Citizen of the Year**
The Ashford Lions Club is calling for nominations for Junior Citizen of the Year. This award will be presented at the Australia Day celebrations at the Swimming Pool on 26th January, 2015. Ashford has a number of very good junior (under 18) citizens and we should give them the recognition that they deserve. Nominees should show citizenship by doing helpful things in the community, not just sport. Nominations are to be in writing to the Lions Club, PO Box 79, Ashford and close on 10th January, 2015.
Please help us to find the 2014 Junior Citizen of the Year by making your nomination.

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**Ashford Roosters’ RLFC Meeting**
The next meeting of the Ashford Roosters’ Rugby League Football Club will be held on **MONDAY, 8th December, 2014** at 6.30pm.
The meeting will be held at the Ashford Memorial Bowling Club.

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**ASHFORD GOLF CLUB**
Sun 7th Dec - NEDGA Pennants - Deepwater
Sun 14th Dec - AGM & Skins
Sun 21st Hambrose Xmas Party

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**Ashford Presbyterian Church**
Pastor: Trevor Ewart
Sunday Service - 9.00am
Bible Study - 9.30am Wednesday at the Manse.
All welcome. Stay for a cuppa and a chat.
Email: trevorewart@activ8.net.au
Phone 67258761
mobile 0448876161.

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* All health care needs * Wound care
* Distance dispensing service * Baby care & nutrition * Sunglasses
* Health & beauty products
ASHFORD MEMORIAL BOWLING CLUB

Lucky Members Draw $480  WEDNESDAY
3rd December, 2014 Between 6.30 & 8.00pm
FRIDAY, 5th December, 2014.
Lucky Member’s Draw, drawn 8:30pm.
Progressive Members’ Draw starts 7.15pm @ $20. If not won increases by $10.00 every 15 minutes till 8.00pm. Meat tray raffles starting at 6.30pm.

Saturday, 6th December, Euchre 2.00pm start
Saturday, 6th December, 2014
Social Twilight Bowls 6.00pm start.

Happy Hour - Wednesdays 5.30 - 6.30pm
Ham & Turkey Sunday, 14th December
3.00pm. Children's Xmas Party Sunday 14th
1.30pm.

CATERING ON FRIDAY NIGHT
6.30–8.30pm • Bookings desirable.
Phone 67254202

Catering available on alternative days for private functions. Minimum 20 people. Bookings essential.

THE LIONS’ CORNER

Our Lions’ meetings are held the 1st Tuesday of the month at the Bowling Club 6.30pm for 7.00pm start. Our next meeting is the 2nd December, 2014. It is our Christmas Party which is being held at Robert White's home on the 9th December. Ladies, bring a dessert please.

LEOS

Our next meeting is 10th December in the Science room at lunch time. Please try to attend. LEOS, as it will be our Christmas party, we will have a few nibbles and a chat about our year. Please remind each other to come.

BINGO

Held at the Bowling Club on the first Wednesday of the month. STARTING TIME: 1.00 pm. Our next day is Wednesday, 3rd December, 2014. Come along and have a great afternoon of FUN with us. Ladies and men, it is our Christmas BINGO. Come along and have FUN with us. Cost of the books is $5.00 each and jackpot tickets are $2.00 each. Our jackpot is $45.00 and 53 calls. Starting time Eyes Down at 1.00 pm. Hope to SEE you there. Try and bring a friend along if you can. Thank you to my loyal players who come along each month.

MINI - LOTTO

Winning numbers are 2,3,4,13,14,18. Drawn 21/11/14. JACKPOT is $9343.00. The jackpot is nearing the $10,000 mark so keep playing to win.

Driver Reviver

JUST A REMINDER It will not be long before the next lot of school holidays so if anyone would like to volunteer to give us a few hours and serve tea & coffee and have a chat to the travellers stopping in for a break, it would be much appreciated.

You can contact Helen Hilton on 02 67254 204 if NO Answer please leave your name and number and I will return your call.

CHRISTMAS CAKES

DO NOT FORGET TO BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS CAKES FROM KIKI’S CAFE NEXT TO SQUIRES RURAL IT IS THE ONLY OUTLET FOR THEM IN TOWN THIS YEAR

That’s all from the DEN.

Lion Helen Hilton
President
ASHFORD SHOW SOCIETY

OK Dudes put your thinking caps on.
We need your ideas! The Show Society is seeking ideas for the use of the showground facilities. We have a wonderful resource which is not being used to its full potential, so start thinking.

How can we make better use of our fantastic showground? Maybe a country fair or a food and fashion spectacular?

What are your ideas? Tell US.
Simply write them on a piece of paper and send them to PO Box 20 or drop them in to the Ambulance Station.

COME ON ASHFORD!
GET CREATIVE!

Euchre Club
Come to Euchre $2.00 for 10 games every Saturday at 2.00pm. 1st prize $20 meat tray.

Claiming the Date
Friday, 12th December, 2014.
Wallangra Christmas party.

FOR SALE
2 Roller Doors
Model: Firmadoor S 2
Height 3.000mm Width 4.100mm
Colour: Gully $1,000 each.
1 Brahman bull
5 years old very quiet
Phone 67 254 075 AH

FREE To A Good Home
The school has been given a large number of VHS videos and a VHS player.
We have been asked to give these videos and player to a family with small children free of charge.
Anyone interested please contact the school front office or ring the school on 67254101.

Ashford Garden Club
The selections for the Christmas Light Competitions are:
Section 1  Best overall scene
Section 2  Best Christmas tree
Section 3  Nativity scene.
An award will be made for the Best Decorated Block.
Judging will take place between 8.30pm and 11.00pm on December 18th, 2014.
LEO’S

WHEN: 7TH DECEMBER 2014
WHERE: TOWN OVAL TWILIGHT MARKET FUN DAY
TIME: 4.00 PM TILL 7.00 PM
COST: CARS $10.00 4 WD’S $15.00

LET US MAKE YOUR CAR NICE AND CLEAN

Twilight Christmas Markets and Family Fun Day!

Sunday, 7th December 2014
Ashford Football Oval
4pm to 9pm

- Market stalls
- Live Entertainment
- Aboriginal Dance Workshop
- Boomerang Throwing

Heaps of fun for the whole family

For more information please contact
Leeanne Shaw 02 6725 4023 or Lorraine Riggs 0467 689 177
Markets in the Park
The Texas Lions Club
Is proudly holding a
“Markets in the Park”
Sunday, 7th December
AT
APEX PARK

CONTACT:
Trevor Ellis 07-46530483 6pm-8pm (leave message)
Or see Lion Les at the Texas News For Bookings 07-46531384

Everyone is invited to book a site. As is the saying, one man’s trash is another’s treasure. So please join the Texas Lions to make this a great day.
H*ears 2 U
Handcrafted Jewellery and accessories by Anne Foley
will be at the Rural transaction Centre
( AKA Post Office)
From 9am until 4pm

Friday 5th December
Friday 12th December
Friday 19th December

As well as at the Town Oval for the Twilight Markets
On Sunday 7th December
From 4pm until 9pm

A great selection of handcrafted earring, hair clips, necklaces, watches and lots more.

Great Christmas ideas with lots of NEW items as well as your old favourites.

LAY-BYS WELCOME
HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!!!
ASHFORD SHOW 2015

PIE EATING COMPETITION

Who can eat an apple pie loaded with inches of whipped cream the fastest ……

--- with your hands behind your back so you can’t stop it from moving around?

Have FUN at the Ashford Show

Saturday 21st February

ASHFORD SHOW SOCIETY

Monthly Meeting

Thursday, 11th December, 2014.

7.30 pm DST.  Ashford Bowling Club

Annual Membership now due

✓ LIKE Ashford Show Society Facebook page

Bun Bun Playgroup

Ashford Bun Bun Playgroup is a supported playgroup for parents/ grandparents/carers with children aged 0-5 years. It is held every Wednesday (except school holidays) between 10am and 12.30pm at the Ashford Memorial Hall.

It is free to attend and brunch is provided. For further details call Ashley on 67224351 or like us on Facebook. All welcome.

FOR SALE


Registered to June 2015.

243,000 kms. Full service history.

$3,000 Good reliable car.

Phone Karen Brunt 67258740
ASHFORD LOCAL ABORIGINAL LAND COUNCIL
25 Albury Street, Ashford NSW 2361
Ph (02) 67254411  Fax (02) 67254422
Email: landcouncil@ashfordlalc.com

1ST AID COURSE

9TH & 10TH DECEMBER
This is a free course delivered by TAFE New England, open to the whole community. There is a maximum of 18 participants & will be first in best dressed, so please contact us asap to register your attendance.

Ashford LALC Members & Families
Christmas Party
Thursday 11th December 2014 3.30pm
@ Ashford Memorial Pool

Integrated Chronic Care Clinic Testing for Aboriginal people 15+
Don’t put it off any longer. PRIVATE & FREE testing for: Diabetes, Kidney & other chronic diseases
WHERE: Ashford Community Health Centre
WHEN: Wednesday 17th December 2014
TIME: 10am – 2pm

For further information please contact the Ashford LALC or
Ashford Community Health Centre on 02 6726 2030.
WHAT’S ON!

Joblink plus  Wednesday 26th November
#Vet  TBA
Accountant  Thursday 18th December
Ashford Business Council meeting  Thursday 10th December
Ashford Bowling Club 6pm

*Please contact the RTC on 67254455 for bookings and/or information.
#Please contact the Inverell Vet Clinic for bookings on 67210266

SANTA IS COMING TO THE RTC

Santa will be at the RTC on

Sunday 30th November 2014

for family photos

Cost is $15 per session, which includes:-
Two 5x7” prints  Two 8x10” prints
One sheet of wallet/small sized photos  Photo keyring

Please book in at the RTC
New England Mutual
proudly supports
Ashford Central School.

new england mutual
at the heart of our community

Inverell branch: Shop 4, 103-121 Byron Street 6722 2111
Service Support Centre: 132 067