Touch Teams

Pictured below are the Junior and Senior Girls’ touch teams who played at the carnival in Inverell last week.

Back row: Miss Macdonald, Tegan Brown, Joesie-Lee Morley, Renae Brown, Emika Denzel, Summer Stevens, Joanne Costigan, Dannica Smith, Mrs. Alexander.

Front row: Tayla Warwick, Shayla McClellan, Claire Stevens, Miss Jerrard, Chloe Charles.

The girls won two games and lost one. They made it to the semi-finals but unfortunately lost. If the girls had won this game they would have been going to Dubbo for the Central Schools Finals.

Senior Girls back row: Miss Macdonald, Katie Pintus, Katlin Beveridge, Tegan Lavender, Phoebe Beveridge, Letitia Hartley, Tegan Brown, Mrs. Alexander

Front row: Rahni Kelly, Dannica Smith, Bridget Rooney, Chloe Charles.

The girls won one game, lost one game and drew one game. They missed the semi-finals on for and against points. They then drew the play off game.
On Thursday the 22nd and 23rd May, the under 16's and Open boys travelled into Inverell to compete in the first rounds of the Central School's state touch football competition. The 16s team was comprised of Darryl Morgan, Dylan Corbett, Isaac Bultitude, Victor Littlehales, Dillan Archer, Fred Gillon, Jamie Kliendienst, Luke Howard and Dale Smith. The 16s had a day of mixed success going down to Bundarra 7-2, Bowraville 3-1 and Woodenbong 8-1. Drawing 4 all with Manilla. Then winning against Walcha 4-2 and Barraba 3-2. The 16s finished up 4th overall for the carnival and missed out on progressing to the next round.

The open boys side included Adam Press, Ray Voss, Jesse Rollinson, Dean Rollinson, Darryl Morgan, Dylan Corbett and Dillan Archer. The Opens also had a day of mixed success going down to Bundarra 4-1, Woodenbong 3-0 and Barraba 2-1. The boys had good wins over Bingara 4-0, Manila 3-0 and Walcha 3-2. The Opens boys finished up 3rd for the day and very narrowly missed out on progressing on to the finals in Dubbo.

Both groups of students were a pleasure to coach and should be commended on their behaviour both on and off the field. Well done boys.
School Dates
19th June - Yrs 7 & 8 musical Bingara
27th June - Principal’s Assembly
27th June - Last day Term 2
14th July - School development day
15th July - Term 3 begins for students

Central Schools’ Netball
100 Club winners: Michael Rollinson
                 Paul Simpson
                 Sara Krauss

Pre-school
Change for Week 8
Next week (Week 8) the Monday Transition and Wednesday pre-school days will swap days. The students who usually attend on Monday, 16th June will instead go on Wednesday, 18th June, and vice versa.
The swap is only for this week so that Sally Sander-son can attend and help with preparation for the children who will be attending Kindergarten in 2015.
If you have any concerns, please contact Georgie Krauss on 67254211 or Julie Morris on 67254101.

School Uniforms
Please order any school uniforms before 20th June, 2014 to receive them this term. Uniforms ordered after this date will not be received until Term 3, 2014.

Changes to Food Technology, Middle School and Hospitality Cooking Fees for 2014
Due to administration and purchasing requirements in Food Technology, Middle School, Technology and Hospitality, cooking fees will be required to be paid in advance, each term.
A discount will be offered if this fee is paid by Week 2 of each term. Fees must be set at a fixed rate as ingredients need to be purchased in advance.
With changes in the purchasing requirements of DEC, it will be necessary to bulk buy ingredients. These subjects are elective subjects and students are required to pay for the ingredients that are used. The fees for next year will be as follows:

Middle School
Fee: $20.00  
Discount if paid by Week 2: $18.00
Students in Years 5, 6, 7 and 8 will only have one payment for the year.

Technology
Fee: $20.00  
Discount if paid by Week 2: $18.00
Students in Year 7 Technology will be cooking in their Healthy Snack Unit.

Year 9 /10 Food Technology
Fee: $25.00 per term  
Discount if paid by Week 2 of each term: $22.50

Year 11/12 Hospitality
Fee: $30.00 per term  
Discount if paid by Week 2 of each term: $27.00
Uniform hire: $30.00

Students not paying the Cooking Fee will have to bring their own ingredients.
**Thought For The Week**
Children: You spend the first 2 years of their life teaching them to walk and talk. Then you spend the next 16 years telling them to sit down and be quiet.

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**Ashford Bushfire Brigade**
Next meeting will be the AGM held on **Wednesday, 11th June, 2014, 7.30pm** at the fire station. All members are asked to attend.

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**Bun Bun Playgroup**
Ashford Bun Bun Playgroup held every Wednesday (except school holidays) between 10am and 1pm at the Ashford Memorial Hall. All mums and bubs welcome.

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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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**ASHFORD GOLF CLUB**
15th June - Stroke Bundarra 4BBB
22nd June - Stroke
27th/28th June - Sponsors’ Weekend
6th July - Stroke Delungra Open
13th July - 4somes Championships
*(note date change)*
20th July - Stroke Tenterfield 4BBB
27th July - 1st round Matchplay
3rd August - Stroke Texas Open
10th August - Stroke Glen Innes 4BBB
Sat 16th August - State of Origin Ashford
17th August - Stroke
24th August - 2nd round Matchplay
ASHFORD MEMORIAL BOWLING CLUB
FRIDAY, 13th June, 2014.
Lucky Member’s Draw $260 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, 14th June, Euchre 2.00pm start
Social Bowls: Wednesday & Sunday, 2.00pm start
Happy Hour: Fridays 8.30 - 9.30pm
CATERING ON FRIDAY NIGHT
6.00–8.00pm • Bookings desirable.
This week’s special - Roast Pork $11.00
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 7.00pm for 7.30pm start. Our next meeting is 1st July, 2014. Please don’t forget we are still collecting stamps and ring pulls. You can leave them at the RTC for collection.
LEOS
Our meeting will be held on Wednesday, 18th June, 2014 in the Science Room at lunch time. Please try to attend so we can work out our next fundraiser.
BINGO
Held at the Bowling Club, on the first Wednesday of the month. STARTING TIME: 1.00 pm. Our next day is the second Wednesday, 11th June, 2014 due to unforeseen circumstances. Come along and have FUN with us as we all had a ball with all the new games and prizes. Cost of the books is $5.00 each and jackpot tickets are $2.00 each. Our jackpot is up to $70.00. Starting time eyes down at 1.00 pm.
MINI - LOTTO
JACKPOT is more than $6,441.00. We are getting closer to our magic $10,000 so let us try to get there quicker by buying more tickets each week.
LIONS’ CHANGE OVER
The Lions’ Changeover is going to be held on the 26th July, 2014 at the Ashford Bowling Club. If you are interested in coming along for the night, please leave your name at the club for catering numbers. We will be awarding our Citizen of The Year. You can nominate a deserving person by sending a letter to: The Lions Club, PO BOX 79, Ashford by the 14th July, so put your thinking caps on.

That is all from The DEN
Yours in Lionism,
Lion Helen
Lions’ Citizen Of The Year

Ashford Lions are calling for nominations for Citizen of the Year to be presented at the Annual Changeover dinner. Ashford has some very good citizens who do a lot for this community so let’s recognise them.

Nominations to be in writing and posted to PO Box 79 or given to a Lions’ member.

Nominations close on Saturday, 12th July, 2014.

Thank You

Just a quick thank you to those in our community who care about the well being of others, and those who voluntarily dedicate/donate much of their own personal time (local SES), and our professional emergency service responders (on this occasion our local Police). It is reassuring that even in our small community, “help is never far away”.

Whilst it was eventually so noisy that even I heard it, and also briefly exciting, luckily it turned out as a non emergency event (SNR).

Please accept my deepest gratitude to all concerned.

To all those who really know me, know I would not leave it end there, and I add the following.

(To quote and borrow the words of both ‘Mark Twain’ and later ‘Steve Jobs’).

"The reports of my death are greatly exaggerated"

Both these gentlemen achieved much greatness right up till their eventual death.

Unfortunately my recent greatness appears to be restricted to my belly, but because I am still around, may I add some words/sayings of my own that I often use and also some new ones.

"If you are alive and able to complain, does it greatly reduce what you should complain about?"

"What’s that" or "I CAN hear you but sometimes not clear enough to understand you"

"If I'm talking loudly, its because unfortunately I nearly always talk loudly"

And my new ones "Surely you knew I would not let you all off the hook so quietly"

Kindest Regards and Thanks Again To One and All

Bob Mondy

IS THERE LIFE AFTER DEATH?
BE CHALLENGED & LISTEN TO A FIRST HAND ACCOUNT OF A NEAR DEATH EXPERIENCE.
WHERE: PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ASHFORD
DATE: 15-6-14
TIME:9.00AM

BONSHAW CWA

The June monthly meeting of the Bonshaw CWA will be held on Wednesday, 11th June, 2014 at the Bonshaw Memorial Hall starting at 10.00am.

All welcome

Position Vacant
Casual catering position at the Ashford Bowling Club
Enquiries phone 67254202
Severn River Gala Golf Weekend

AT ASHFORDS CHALLENGING 18 HOLE SANDGREEN COURSE

SATURDAY 28th JUNE 2014 10.30am:
- RELAXED 2 PERSON AMBROSE
- $25 EACH INCLUDES SAUSAGE SIZZLE
- PRIZES TO THE VALUE OF $1500
- MAX INDIVIDUAL HANDICAP -27

SUNDAY 29th JUNE 2014 9am:
- THE BIG ONE!
- 4BBB MEDLEY- A & B DIVISIONS (DETERMINED ON THE DAY)
- GOLF LINK HANDICAPS REQUIRED
- $30 PER PERSON INCLUDES HOT LUNCH & DESSERT
- PRIZES TO THE VALUE OF $3500
POSITION VACANT – Rural Transaction Centre Officer

The Ashford Business Council has a permanent, full-time position available at the Ashford Rural Transaction Centre. The successful applicant will be required to work largely on his/her own, while managing all aspects of the RTC. A high level of communication skills, computer competency and time management skills will be required to provide effective customer service and efficient administration of all tasks associated with the Transaction Centre’s services. Services include, but are not limited to, postal services, banking services, Centrelink services, IT services, sales, and coordination of visiting agencies.

Applicants should provide a resume with a cover letter outlining why they are suitable for the position. Applications should be sent to:

The Secretary
Ashford Business Council
1349 Bonshaw Rd
Ashford NSW 2361
Enquiries can be made to Connie Minos on 0477 812 163.
Applications close: 5pm Wednesday, 18 June, 2014.

ASHFORD RURAL TRANSACTION CENTRE
30-32 Albury Street Ashford NSW 2361
Phone 67254455 (RTC and Post Office)
Phone 67254365 (New England Mutual)

WHAT’S ON !

Joblink plus Wednesday 2nd July
#Vet TBA
Accountant Thursday 19th June
Ashford Business Council meeting Thursday 12th June
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