WEEK 5—PBL FOCUS

Playground Achievement

Keep and maintain a calm environment

Have a plan for play

To comply with the Department of Educations WHS policy, all parents who wish to see their child/ren during school hours are asked to sign in at the front office. Please note playground supervision does NOT start until 8.30am.
Kindergarten Orientation Days

Children who are beginning Kindergarten in 2016 are invited to the school to participate in our orientation days. During these visits, the children will participate in gross motor activities with K-2 students, have recess, work on literacy and numeracy tasks with Mrs Watters in the Kindergarten room, followed by a library lesson and then stay for lunch and play time.

These children will also visit the school on Wednesday lunch time to eat their lunch and play.

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We look forward to meeting the children starting school in 2016 during these orientation visits. For more information, contact the front office on 67254101.
Music Tutor Program

Last week marked the beginning of a cutting-edge Music Tutor Program at Ashford. In conjunction with the Primary Music Institute, students were able to access top notch music tutors from Sydney via video conference. The program has been several weeks in the setting up as technology bugs had to be sorted out between Mr Simpson and the Institute.

Students will now be able to access very high quality Sydney tutors should they wish to learn a musical instrument right here in town instead of having to travel. At this very early stage, keyboard lessons are being offered. However, we hope to also offer violin lessons next year as well. The program is free at this experimental stage, but will have a small cost next year. There has already been a big interest from students.
PRIMARY SPORT – SWIMMING

Pupils in Years K-6 will be swimming every Friday during sport. All pupils, except season ticket holders, are to bring in $2.50 each week for entry to the pool.

Pupils must please bring their swimmers to school in a plastic or waterproof bag. ALL clothing and towels must also be labelled.

If your child is not going to swim on the day, they must have a note to excuse them from participating in swimming.

A permission note is also required for pupils in Years 3-6 who wish to stay at the pool after sport.

Intensive swimming, where students swim for an hour every day for two weeks, will be held in Weeks 8 and 9. Lessons will therefore be from 23th November to 4th December. Pool entry has been reduced to $2.00 for these sessions.

Please note that the front office will NOT be ringing home for any forgotten swimming items.
### School Dates 2015

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### Come to our Book Fair!

**Buy One, Get One FREE**

**Monday 16th - Friday 20th November, 2015**

- Open all lunch times and all day on Thursday 19th November
- Dress up as your favourite book character on Thursday 19th November
- No parade or prizes, just a fun dress up day!

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**Ashford Central School P & C Meeting**

**Wednesday, 18th November, after school @ school**

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**Ashford Central School P & C**

Will be holding a Lorraine Lea Linen Party on Monday, 23rd November, in the school’s Library after school, 3.15pm

Everyone is welcome to come and join us!
Thought For The Week
The right to be hear does not automatically include the right to be taken seriously.

Ashford Bushfire Brigade
Next meeting will be held on Wednesday, 9th December, 2015, 7.30pm at the fire station. All members are asked to attend.

Bun Bun Playgroup
Ashford Bun Bun Playgroup is a supported playgroup for parents/grandparents/carers of 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 0427227660 or like us on Facebook. All welcome.

ASHFORD GOLF CLUB
Sat 14th Nov Tfield open Stableford
Sun 15th Nov Stableford
Sun 22nd Nov Stableford
Sun 29th Nov Stableford

Monthly Show Meeting
Thursday 12th November, 2015
7.30pm
Ashford Memorial Bowling Club
ASHFORD MEMORIAL BOWLING CLUB

Friday, 13th November, 2015
Lucky Members’ Draw $320 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.

Wednesday’s Progressive Members’ draw starts at
6.30pm at $100. If not won drawn every 15 minutes
till won. Last draw 7.00pm.

Happy Hour - Wednesdays 5.30 - 6.30pm
Thursdays 5.00pm—6.00pm
Euchre - Saturday, 14th November,
2.00pm start
Social Bowls- Thursday, 3.30pm start
Saturdays 5.30pm start

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

Catering available on alternative days for private
Phone 67 254 202

Ashford Medical Centre Information

Doctors Visiting Ashford
Dr Abbas, from Texas, is at the Community Health Centre, Saturday 8.00am for blood tests and normal surgery from 9.00am to 5.00pm.
There is a hospital at Texas. The phone number for the Doctor on these days is:- (02) 67262000.
Phone Number for Dr at Texas Surgery is
(07) 46531363.
To make appointments any other days call Campbell & Freebairn Chemists Ashford on 02 67254013.

CHEMIST
The Chemist is open Monday to Friday 9.00am to 12.30pm and then 1.30pm to 5.00pm. Closed for lunch from 12.30 to 1.30. Saturdays 9.00am to 12.00pm.
If prescriptions are needed, they can be dropped at the chemist by 11.30am for the afternoon delivery, which is here by 2.30pm. Any scripts after that time won’t be out until the next afternoon. There is no delivery on Saturdays.

OTHER NECESSARY PHONE NUMBERS
Community Health Centre: (02) 67262000
H.A.C.C. Phone Number: (02) 67254479
Blood tests are done Thursday fortnightly. For enquiries call (02) 67262030

Ashford Memorial Bowling Club

Position Vacant

Casual Bar Person

For more information contact Kevin Stoessel Ph: 0428 254 094

Ashford Show Society

Save the Date
Saturday 14th November, 2015
Trivia Night @ Ashford Town Hall - $5 / table 6-8 people/table.
BYO picnic tea and alcohol.
Supper, tea & coffee will be provided. Great prizes & fun to be had by all.
Ashford Roosters’ RLFC Meeting

The next meeting of the Ashford Roosters’ Rugby League Football Club will be held **Monday, 14th December** 2015 at 6.00pm.
The meeting will be held at the Ashford Memorial Bowling Club.

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Ashford Community Church
Presbyterian Parish Office Warren Richards
Ph: 0267 210 511 Mobile 0425 200 555
Email: wjrichards40@gmail.com

Church services:
Alternate Sundays 9.00am @ the Presbyterian or Anglican Church. Service held at Sunhaven Activity Room Bi-Monthly

Bible Study:
Wednesday 7.00pm @ Anglican Vicarage

Youth Group:
Once a month on a Friday 6.30pm @ the Presbyterian Church
*(Check School News for dates)*

Friday Night Live Church Service:
Once a month on a Friday 6.30pm @ the Presbyterian Church
*(Check School News for dates)*
For more information give Warren a call.

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THE LIONS’ CORNER

LIONS: Meeting

**We meet on the first Tuesday of each month 7.00pm for 7.30pm**

Our next meeting will be held 1st December, 2015, 7.00pm for 7.30pm. Please note the new daylight saving time. We had a lovely visit from our Zone Chairman David Doaks and his wife Judy. John Bennett was awarded a badge for Ten Years of Service. Well done J.B.

LEOS

We meet Wednesday, 11th November in the Science Room at lunch time. Please try and remind each other to attend.

BINGO

HELD THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH. The next time will be 2nd December. It is our XMAS Bingo! Eyes Down at 1.00pm. Cost is $5.00 a book of 20 games and $2.00 for a Jackpot Ticket. It is $45.00 in 55 calls. Be nice to win. We will also have a cuppa at half time. It is included FREE in the cost of your ticket purchases. Come and have some fun with us all.

MINI LOTTO

Is drawn every Friday night at the Bowling Club at 6.00pm. $1.00 a ticket. This gets you 2 games per ticket. The jackpot is $2050.00 at the moment so it is well worth your while to take a ticket. Draw date 06/11/2015 and the winning numbers were 2, 8, 12, 14, 15, 17. We wish you the best of luck.

RECYCLING

Please do not forget to save all your postage stamps, ring pulls and bread clips for our Recycling Project. All monies raised go to good causes. You can drop them off at the R.T.C. for collection.

This is what’s happening in the Lions’ DEN.
Lion Helen Hilton

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FOR SALE

Purebred Santa Gertrudis Bulls

*Classified ~ Quiet ~ Well Mannered* $3000 + GST

Call Doug ~ 0458 254425 or 6725 4425
Northern Lights Energy Efficiency Day

Northern Lights Energy Efficiency Education Officer Pete Stanley comes to groups of people all over the Northern Inland area to deliver information on how to improve energy-efficiency at home or at their business. There are many strategies that we can take to keep household energy costs low and Pete says it is often the case of reminding ourselves that saving energy is as important today as saving money on groceries. Pete’s meetings are fun and relaxed and he has many brochures for you to take home on the day.

Thursday 12th November @ 1.30pm At Ashford Memorial Hall. All welcome to attend.

www.northernlightsproject.com.au

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Expression of Interest

The Texas Races are on the 12th December, 2015.

There is the possibility of running a bus from Inverell if we can get the numbers.

A 24 seater will cost $30 each, or a 57 seater will cost $15 each. Inverell Bus Service are happy to advertise around Inverell to fill the larger bus if needed.

Pick up will be at Ashford at 11.00am on the day and can pick up on the way to Texas. Remember day light saving so we will get there in plenty of time.

The bus will leave around 6.00pm depending on the last race.

Please contact Roberta on 02 67 254 223 (work: Mon, Tues, Wed) and home (at night) on 02 67 258 722.

RSVP: As soon as possible so that we can make the booking.
TRIVIA NIGHT
ASHFORD TOWN HALL

Lucky Door Prizes
Fun Games
Trivia Questions To Suit All

WHEN: Saturday,
14TH November
TIME: 6:30pm start

Hosted By: Ashford Show Society
Organise your tables NOW

BYO Picnic Style Dinner
BYO Drinks
Dessert, Tea & Coffee Supplied

MARKETS IN THE PARK

The Texas Lions Club
Is proudly holding a
"Markets in the Park"
On
SUNDAY 6TH DECEMBER, 2015
AT
APEX PARK
STARTING AT 8.00AM

CONTACT
LION LES COX
AT TEXAS NEWSAGENCY
FOR BOOKINGS
(07) 46531384
ASHFORD LIONS CLUB
CLAIMING THE DATE
26TH JANUARY, 2016
For our Australia Day B.B.Q. breakfast and fun day
To be held at the town Sports Oval.

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 Town Sports Oval 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, 2016.

Please help us to find the 2016 Junior Citizen of the Year by making your nomination.
FREE ASHFORD EXERCISE CLASS

COMMENCING WEDNESDAY - 11TH NOVEMBER
EVERY SECOND WEEK 10AM TO 11AM
THE LANDS COUNCIL BUILDING, ALBURY STREET

Morning Tea provided
Wear comfortable shoes and bring a water bottle
Aboriginal & Non-Aboriginal clients welcome

For more information
Phone Chris Connor
0429 046 691
For Design Survey & construction of earthworks.

Contact John & Maree 0267254116 or mobile 0427254116.
INVERELL SHIRE PUBLIC LIBRARY
2015 JUNIOR READING CHALLENGE
Books Light Up Our World
Competition Dates: 26/10/2015 -15/01/2016
Entry is open to all children from Kindergarten-Year 6 who are members of the Inverell Shire Public Library.
Prizes will be awarded to the child who reads the most books in each of the following sections: Kindergarten-Year 2, Year 3-Year 4, Year 5-Year 6.
All entries awarded during the challenge go in to the major prize draw for $200 in gift vouchers. This draw takes place at the presentation morning tea at 11am on Wednesday, 20th January 2016.
Entry forms and further information can be obtained from the staff at the Inverell Shire Public Library.

FOR SALE

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ASHFORD RURAL TRANSACTION CENTRE
30-32 Albury Street Ashford NSW 2361
Phone 67254455
Fax 67254445
Email ashfordrtc@ashfordonline.com.au

WHAT’S ON!

Joblink plus Wednesday 25th November

#Vet TBA

*Accountant Thursday TBA

Ashford Business Council meeting Thursday 5th November
RTC Meeting Room 6pm

*Please contact Jeff Hannaford for appointments 07 46531155
#Please contact the Inverell Vet Clinic for bookings on 67210266

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You can now use Bank@Post to:-

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- Withdraw cash up to a maximum of $1000- per day
- Perform a balance enquiry
New England Mutual proudly supports Ashford Central School.

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