Jarred McClellan

Jarred has been busy working with Mr Luckett in TAS Life Skills. Last week Jarred assisted in the marking out and completing all the painting on two hop-scotch courts under the COLA. Earlier in the year Jarred, Darryl Morgan, Luke French and Summer Stevens assisted in the marking out and painting of the hand ball courts. Thank you to these students.

WEEK 10—PBL FOCUS

Playground Respect

Review all areas

Revisit areas of need for your class
Ag Excursion

On Saturday, 21st November, Year 9/10 Agriculture students travelled to Tumbledown, Mr and Mrs Lewis’ property, to have the opportunity to watch and learn about ET (Embryo Transplant) and AI (Artificial Insemination). Over the past 10 weeks we have cared for 36 Wagyu heifers which we fed, weighed and looked after at the Ag plot. Each week most increased and some decreased in weight as we prepared them for the ET and AI procedure. Around eight days before this procedure began, we injected CIDRs and their injections. When these eight days had finished, the heifers were transported to Mr and Mrs Lewis’ farm for the program. Peter and Penelope, the Vets, completed the ET and AI process on Saturday. During the day both Peter and Penelope showed us the way ET and AI was performed. We all had the experience of helping out. We examined the ultrasounds to find CL (Corpus Luteum) and follicles. We got to examine the embryos before they were injected in the heifers. We all learnt new and interesting things during the day. After the very hot day (38 degrees) we also went swimming in the Severn River which was quite enjoyable. It was a great experience for us all.
University of New England Direct Early Entry
The following students have been offered Early Entry into the University of New England for 2016 should the students wish to take advantage.

Offered Undergraduate Courses
Dean Bentley - Bachelor of Engineering Technology
Bethany Cook - Bachelor of Psychological Science
Letitia Hartley - Bachelor of Nursing
Adam Press - Bachelor of Engineering Technology

We wish these students the very best in all of their endeavours!

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Year 11 Hospitality—Mini Cafes

As part of their assessment for SITHCCC103 - Prepare Sandwiches and SITHFAB204—Prepare and Serve Espresso Coffee, Year 11 Hospitality have run a series of Mini Cafés this term. They have served the staff and students a variety of sandwiches and coffee in a professional and efficient manner. The students involved were Jarred McClellan, Summer Stevens and Paige Whalley.

The following types of sandwiches were served at the mini cafes: Tea Sandwiches, Wraps, Club Sandwiches and Open Sandwiches.

The students have made the following coffees: Cappuccino, Espresso, Café Latte, Flat White and Long Black.
# Canteen Menu

Our canteen operator Denise will be finishing on the 27th November. The following limited menu will be available from Monday 30th November until the end of the year at the Ashford School Canteen. Please note that heating food from home will not be an option during this period. Lunch orders are to be placed at the school office before school, or at the canteen at recess. A new operator will start in 2016.

## Drinks

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## Hot Food

| Muffin Pizza | Muffin with tomato paste and your choose your toppings—ham, cheese, pineapple | $1.00 |
| Pie | | $3.50 |

## Cold Food

| Meat Sandwich | Ham or Chicken | $2.50 |
| Salad Sandwich or Wrap | | $4.00 |
| Meat and Salad Sandwich or Wrap | Ham or Chicken | $5.00 |
| Salad and Meat Tub | | $6.00 |

## Treats

| Zooper Doopers | | 50c |
| Frozen Fruit Cup | | 50c |
| Ice Cream Cup | | $1.50 |
| Small Chips | JJs or Red Rock | $1.00 |

## Fruit

| Watermelon Pieces in a Bag | | $1.00 |
| Kiwi Fruit | | $1.00 |
| Apples | | $1.00 |
| Orange Cut in a Bag | | $1.00 |
School Dates 2015

10th December - Sunhaven Christmas Party 12pm
16th December - 10.30am Santa’s Visit

Returning Dates for 2016

3rd February - Staff will be returning to school on Wednesday
4th February - Students Years 1 – 12 will return on Thursday
5th February - Kindergarten will start on Friday

To comply with the Department of Education’s 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.

Transition

Preschool- Monday
The school has reviewed our programs and the transition preschool day (Monday) will not be continuing in 2016. We are planning on using the funding within the school setting and to integrate more transition days throughout the year.

School Grounds –After hours Use
With the vacation fast approaching it is a good opportunity to remind students about being on the school grounds out of school hours and during vacations.

Students are welcome to be in the school grounds in designated areas. These include the playing fields, COLA, Basketball court and tennis courts.

No students should be in the paved areas of the school around buildings or on the roofs. Scooters, rollerblades and skateboards are not to be ridden around the building areas. Tables and stools etc are not to be used for jumps or for sliding along for the above mentioned activities.

The police have been informed of the above guidelines and they will move students on if they are in non-designated areas or behaving inappropriately in the school.
Thought For The Week
Knowledge is knowing a tomato is a fruit; wisdom is not putting it in a fruit salad.

Ashford Bushfire Brigade
Next meeting will be held on
Wednesday, 10th February, 2016, 7.30pm at the fire station.
Unless notified otherwise. 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.

For All Your Vertebrate Pest Control Needs
ABN: 12 517 260 209
STEVEN AKHURST 0488 276 622
JOHN AKHURST 0427 254 116
67 254 116
Email: stevenakhurst@hotmail.com

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ASHFORD GOLF CLUB
Sun 13th Dec AGM & Skins
Sun 20th Dec HAMBROSE & XMAS PARTY
ASHFORD MEMORIAL BOWLING CLUB
Friday, 11th December, 2015
Lucky Members’ Draw $220 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, 12th December,
2.00pm start
Social Bowls- Thursday, 5.30pm start
Saturday 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

Dear Parent/Caregiver
The Department of Sport and Recreation runs a nine
day intensive Swim and Survive Program each year
in January. In 2016 the program is scheduled from the
4th-14th of January for children aged 18 months to 12
years.

The cost for 9 lessons is $49 for the Wonder/Courage
class, which allows children to familiarise themselves
with the water and build confidence, and $69 for the
older classes, not including pool entry. However, pool
entry will be subsidised to $2.00 (instead of $2.50) for
all participants in the intensive swimming program.

At the moment enrolment levels for Ashford are at an
all-time low. If there are not enough (approximately
13) enrolments by the 27th of December the program
will not run in Ashford and an alternative program
will be held in Inverell.

I would strongly encourage you to enrol your child/
children as the skills that they learn are vital.

For more information or to book, visit sportandrecre-
ation.nsw.gov.au/swimandsurvive or phone 13 13 02

Ashford Memorial Bowling Club
Position Vacant
Casual Bar Person
For more information contact Kevin Stoessel
Ph: 0428 254 094

Ashford Show Society
Ashford Show Society Rubbish Removal -
Expressions of Interest
Expressions of interest are sought for removal of rubbish from Ashford Show Grounds accumulated during
the Ashford Show 20th-21st February 2016.

Duties include - Pick up loose rubbish and empty all bins on Sunday morning 21st February 2016 and
remove waste from the grounds. To be completed by 8am.
Pick up loose rubbish and empty all bins on Monday morning 22nd February 2016 and remove waste from
the grounds. To be completed by 2pm.

Please provide a written quote addressed to:- The Secretary, Ashford Show Society, PO Box 20, Ashford
NSW 2361.
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.

LIONS: Meeting

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

Our next meeting will be held 2nd February, 2016, 7.00pm for 7.30pm. We have our break for the year in January 2016. Our Australia Day Breakfast will be held on January 26th, 2016 at Ashford town oval STARTING TIME 8.00am after the awarding of the Junior Citizen of the Year for 2016 and the raising of the flag. We will then proceed with our Fun Day for the rest of the day. There will be games, races and stalls etc. Come along and have heaps of fun!

LEOS

We meet Wednesday, 10th February in the Science Room at lunch time. It is time to begin our new year so all members and new members come along and sign up on the day.

I would like to thank my LEOs for a wonderful year and look forward to next year.
See you all there Leos.

BINGO

HELD THE FIRST WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH. Eyes Down at 1.00pm. Cost is $5.00 a book of 20 games and $2.00 for a Jackpot Ticket. It is $55.00 in 57 calls.

PLEASE NOTE: No bingo in January 2016. It is our break for the year. Next one is 3rd February. It kicks us off for 2016.

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 $2176.00 at the moment so it is well worth your while to take a ticket. Draw date 4/12/2015 and the winning numbers were 5, 6, 11, 15, 16, 17. How is that for some crazy numbers? WOW! We have kicked over to the two thousand now so let us play hard to get it up to a high amount.

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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House for Rent
2 bedrooms
Ph: 0428 254 154
For further details

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.
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.

Ashford Churches invite you to their...

Combined Christmas Celebration!!!

Christmas Eve:
6:30 pm at Ashford Anglican Church.

Other Services:
December 26, 2015
Ashford Community Church
(Anglican and Presbyterian)
Carols Service 9.00am at the Anglican Church
Ashford Catholic Church 11.30am mass

Christmas Day
Ashford Catholic Church 11am mass
Expressions of interest are called, from interested parties, for provision of canteen services at the Ashford Show 20th-21st February, 2016. Below are listed the basic conditions of tender.

**Meals to be provided on Saturday**
Breakfast, Morning Tea, Lunch (must not be BBQ), Afternoon Tea & Dinner (must not be BBQ)

**Meals to be provided on Sunday**
Breakfast, Morning Tea, Lunch (must not be BBQ) & Afternoon Tea

10% of the profit to be paid to the Ashford Show Society.

Applications in writing should include:
Name, Address, Phone Number, Organisation you are supporting if charity, Previous experience & Referee(s)

Please send your application to:
The Secretary
Ashford Show Society
Po Box 20 Ashford NSW 2361

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Big square bales 8x3x3
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$35 bale inc GST off farm at Wallangra
$132 per ton
Ph Steve: H 67 254 279
M 0427 236 225
Chef electric stove in excel condition $100
Ph - 0418 196 754

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**Ashford Memorial Bowling Club**
Ham & Turkey Draw Sunday, 13th December, 2015 @ 3pm.
Tickets on sale now!

Children’s Christmas Party
Sunday 13th December @ 1pm

New Year’s Eve entertainment by Todd Charles’ ‘3 Fifty 1’

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**Cherished Memories**
Hand and Feet Impressions & Framing
Single Children – Sibling & Family
Hands Available
D.I.Y Casting Kits Available
Call Kristy: 0409 035 958
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.

It is that time of the year when we have to nominate a person to receive the Junior Citizen of the Year for 2016.

If you know anyone who you think is deserving of this great award, please write a letter of nomination to P.O. Box 79 Ashford or give it to a Lion to hand in at the meeting.

The entry closes on the 10th January, 2016.

The winner will be presented with the award on Australia Day, 26th January 2016, during our BBQ Breakfast and Family Fun Day. We hope you will all come along and have a fun time with us all!

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Fun Fun Fun for Everyone!!

Ashford Lions Club
Tuesday, 26-01-2016
Australia Day Breakfast & Flag Ceremony

8am at the Ashford Sports Grounds
Followed by Family Fun Day

Children's Events:
- Tag-A-Fish Competition
- Lollyman Chase
- Decorated Bike Competition
- Balloon & Water Race
- Three Legged Race
- Egg catching & much more

Adult Events:
- Horse Shoe Pegging
- Lip Puck & Tie Race
- Wheel Barrow Rescue
- & so much more

All events are to be scored on a points system so the team with the highest points wins the day.

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All proceeds go to Lions Club Activity Account.
Contact People:
J. Bennett 0418 258 718
N. White 0477 494 730
P. Burtbar 0419 561 808
ASHFORD GARDEN CLUB

CHRISTMAS LIGHT COMPETITION

SPONSORED BY COMMUNITY MUTUAL

1. BEST OVERALL SCENE
2. BEST NATIVITY SCENE
3. BEST XMAS TREE
4. BEST DECORATED FENCE
5. ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD

JUDGING WILL BE THURSDAY, 10TH DECEMBER, 2015

THIS IS THE LAST YEAR THE COMPETITION WILL BE RUN BY THE GARDEN CLUB!
For Design Survey & construction of earthworks.
Contact John & Maree 0267254116 or mobile 0427254116.
Show Society Meeting
Thursday 10th December, 2015
7.30pm Ashford Memorial Bowling Club

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 4th December
Friday 11th December
Friday 18th December

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

Great Christmas ideas with lots of NEW items as well as your old favourites, all at a reasonable price.

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

WHAT’S ON!

Joblink plus

Wednesday 23rd December

#Vet

TBA

*Accountant

Thursday TBA

Ashford Business Council meeting

Thursday TBA

RTC Meeting Room 6pm

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

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