

Railway Town Times

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What's On?

Mon 22nd Aug – Eisteddfod at Civic Centre

Thur 25th Aug – Drumbeat Performance

Mon 29th Aug – Pyjama Day

Thur 1st Sept – Fathers Day Stall

Frid 2nd Sept – Barrier Athletics Carnival

REMINDER :

DRUMBEAT

Railway Town will be hosting a performance on Thursday 25th August for all students. Cost is \$3 per student. Attached is the note to assist you.



Editorial

We are very proud of the students from Railway Town who performed at the Broken Hill Eisteddfod today. Once again they looked great in their uniforms and gave it their best. Thanks to Miss Mack and Miss Vaughan for leading the choir in this year's performances.

Thank you to the students who represented our school in the Broken Hill Athletics Carnival last week. Reports from Mr Parry about our student's performance and behaviour were very pleasing.

On Tuesday the Year 6 are off to the High School for another transition visit at 11:30am - 1pm.

Also on Tuesday we have Tracey Wiggins visiting, she is our Assets Manager for Broken Hill Schools. I will be discussing the finer details of some painting for the outside of the double story building. She will also be doing an inspection on the condition of the classrooms generally.

Thank you everyone for supporting Book Week and the wonderful world of books. It is vital to continue the enthusiasm and encouraging our children to keep practicing their skills. Don't forget coming soon; PJ day, TREC, Public Speaking & Father's Day stall. Have great week.

Principal

SRC Pyjama Day

The SRC are holding a Pyjama Day on Monday 29th August. A gold coin donation is required on the day and all proceeds will go towards Stewart House.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

The Public Speaking contest takes place on Wednesday 31st August. The try outs take place tomorrow at lunch time so for those people who nominated make sure you have your speeches ready for tomorrow. The topic is 'An Environmental Theme'. The time limits are - Juniors minimum 2 mins maximum 3 mins and for Seniors minimum 3 mins maximum 4 mins.

Head Lice

Home remedies for removal of head lice and nits

Whatever remedy you try you should comb through the hair after treatment with a nit comb. 10 days after treatment do the whole procedure again to ensure nothing remains in the hair.

Treat all members of the family even if they are not even scratching. Also it is important to wash towels, bed linen and all other soft furnishings the infected person may have been in contact with.

Head lice - tips and hints for removal

Listerine and white vinegar: Pour Listerine through the hair, cover head with a shower cap and leave on for two hours. Rinse away the Listerine and the head lice too. Then pour white vinegar over the head. Comb through. This apparently removes the gummy stuff that enable nits to stick to the hair shafts. Rinse hair well.

CLASSIFIEDS

Assembly Awards

**Congratulations to all
this weeks' award
winners;**



KR – Bridgette Lannstrom,
Cohan Siemer

1/2M – Maddison Fenton,
Arliah Pearce

2/3M – Kacie-Lea Dodd,
Kaleb Philp

3/4V – Hugh Dening,
Savanna Probert

4/5P – Calin Graham, Luke
Eyre

5/6M – Joeline Galea, Jesse
Cochrane-Adolfson

Principal –

Caught Being Good Awards

KR – Locke Cole

1/2M – Mathew Fisher

2/3M – Holly Appleby

3/4V – Kagen Pearce

4/5P – Courtney

Stuart

5/6 M – Tyler Carswell

Mathletics

Silver

Sage Hocking
Kristi Walton

Home Reading

25 Nights

Georgia Powell

100 Nights

Trent Fenton

125 Nights

Seth Wilson, Chloe Burke,
Tom Burke

150 Nights

Mia Dyson

175 Nights



Assembly Item

This weeks assembly will be
conducted by Mrs McInerney
and 5/6M

General

Book Club

due by 1st

September

Sport Uniform

For those students who
participate in PSSA sport
please remember to wear your
sport uniform on Fridays. We
have students turning up for
competition looking unprepared
and this reflects on the school.
If you have a problem obtaining
the sports uniform please
contact the school. For those
students who have borrowed
sports shorts and have some
already please return them to
the office.

Sporting News

Wednesday Night Netball

*The bus came round the
bend and the team jumped
aboard. This was the start
of Railway Town's
Wednesday night netball.
We have two teams Maroon
Jets and the Blue Moons.
For our first game the
Maroon Jets won 7 nil and
the Blue Moons won on a
forfeit. Best players for the
Jets – Dakota Martin and
Morgan Wheatley. Best
New Talent – Pyper
Mashford.*



PSSA Athletics Carnival

We had some good results
from Fridays Carnival.

800ms – 2nd 11yrs Billie-Jo
Forner

200ms - 2nd 11yrs Billie-Jo
Forner

100ms 3rd 8yrs Casey
Ferguson

High Jump

Junior - 2nd Liam McKee
11yrs – 3rd Ethan George



DRUM-BEAT

Railway Town will be hosting a performance on Thursday 25th August called DRUM-BEAT for all students. Cost is \$3 per child. The performance is being subsidised by the school.

'Drum-beat' is a percussion program designed to inform, interest and entertain. Written and presented by two of Australia's foremost professional percussionists; **Mark Stewart and Tony Azzopardi**

The program features rhythms and patterns used in all types of music and will include an audience participation segment. Instruments featured include drum-kit, congas, bongos, cow-bells, timbales, cymbals, gongs, shakers, maracas, castanets, chimes, whistles, bells, flexi-a-tone, vibra-slap, guiro, claves, triangle, cabaca, crotales, sound effects and electronic drum machines.

Please return the permission note with money to the school by Wednesday 24th August.



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DRUM-BEAT

I give my child _____ of
class _____ permission to attend the DRUM-BEAT
performance on Thursday 25th August. Enclosed is my \$3
admission.