Railway Town Public School
Newsletter
The Best in the West

What’s On?
Thursday 22\textsuperscript{nd} June 2017 – School Assembly 12.30pm
Friday 23\textsuperscript{rd} June 2017 – Boys AFL Gala Day
Friday 23\textsuperscript{rd} June 2017 – Girls Netball Gala Day
Wednesday 28\textsuperscript{th} June 2017 – Boys Soccer Gala Day
Wednesday 28\textsuperscript{th} June 2017 – Girls AFL Gala Day
Friday 30\textsuperscript{th} June 2017 – Last Day of Term 2
Tuesday 18\textsuperscript{th} July 2017 – First Day of Term 3
Tuesday 18\textsuperscript{th} – 21\textsuperscript{st} July 2017 – NAIDOC Week 2017

Pictured Above: Infants participating in the 20m dash

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Congratulations! Our Athletics Carnival on Thursday was a huge success and how blessed were we with beautiful weather on the day? I was extremely impressed with the level of commitment and participation by all of the students and it appears that the extra training during PE lessons certainly paid off. We witnessed some amazing distances and heights reached in our field events, both at school and at the carnival, as well as speed and endurance during the running events.

I would like to extend a massive thank you to Liz Gleeson for organising such a successful carnival. All staff ensured that they did their bit to help on the day, contributing to the smooth running of events. It was wonderful to see such a large number of our families on the day, soaking up the sun and atmosphere. Thank you once again to our canteen volunteers who made sure that everyone was fed and watered! We really do appreciate the time and efforts you make to ensure our carnival days are successful and raising money at the same time for our school.

It is wonderful to see new faces at our P&C meetings this year and we would like to encourage more of our parents to come along. You will find out a great deal about how decisions are made about the school and how are supported through fundraising. Many of our P&C members will be leaving us in the next couple of years, when their children move onto high school. It is crucial that we begin to establish another group of parents who are willing to take on the roles and expectations of the P&C in order to maintain the exceptional level of commitment displayed towards supporting our small school. We can proudly boast that we are one of the few schools in Broken Hill that has a very active P&C and a school canteen run by a manager one day a week and supported five days per week by volunteers. We need your help, so please consider taking up the opportunity to participate as a volunteer. We can guarantee that the part you play as a volunteer will be one of the most rewarding experiences you will ever have.

Kerry-Sue Pascoe
Principal

Engine Driver’s Message

Will be celebrated Week 1 Term 3 the 18th – 21st July 2017. Students will participate in a variety of art, sport and cultural activities.

Any family members that would like to be involved in the week would be greatly appreciated.

Please let Miss Hodges, Mrs McInerney or Miss Williams know.

More information in the coming weeks.
Assembly to be held this Thursday 22nd June 2017
at 12.30pm hosted by Miss Finch and SRC.

Assembly Awards
K1W – Hayden Batson, Blake Nugent
1/2M – Charlie Dyson, Tahlia Hannig
3/4R – Ella King, Kiarah Halliday
4/5G – Logan Ferguson, Noah Daniele
5/6H – Kennith Lohmann, Rebecca Singleton
ML – Cooper Hannig
Library – Malarkai Taylor
Class of the Week- K/1W, 1/2M, 3/4R, 4/5G, 5/6H

Caught Being Good
K1W – Cooper Bongetti
1/2M – Eva Novello
3/4R – Lily Pascoe
4/5G – Jett Collins
5/6H – Cohan Seimer
ML – Alex Stone

Home Readers
125 Night Readers
Lillian Singleton
Peter Singleton

Maroon Award
Malarkai Taylor

Bronze Award Special Assembly will be held next week.
Details will be in the Week 10 Newsletter.
Athletics Track and Age Champions will be presented at Assembly on Thursday. Assembly to commence at 12:30pm.

The field events will be given Wednesday morning at morning assembly.

Congratulations to all the students who participated in events at the Carnival.
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This July, Sarah Hyde and a small group of women will walk 1300km along the Rabbit Proof Fence in the footsteps of Molly (14), Gracie (11) and Daisy (8), whose stories are told in Doris Pilkington Garamara’s book Follow the Rabbit Proof Fence.

The fence was a lifeline for these three young girls, their only means of finding home and their families. As a woman of colonial descent living in Sydney, Sarah hopes to engage more Australians to pay tribute to their story and celebrate the Indigenous bush skills that led the girls home.

Sarah is sharing the Rabbit Proof Fence story with communities across Australia in the lead-up to the walk and will be visiting our School this Thursday.

Cost is $2 per student – All Years will be attending the workshop. 
Please make payment to the front office by Wednesday 21st June 2017.
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Gala Days

Friday 23rd June 2017
Boys AFL Gala Day
Girls Netball Gala Day

Wednesday 28th June 2017
Boys Soccer Gala Day
Girls AFL Gala Day

If your child has been selected as part of any of the above Gala Day Teams you would have received a permission note. Please ensure this is returned to the front office as soon as possible. If your child has not returned their permission note to the school they will be unable to attend the Gala Day.

Buses will depart school at 9am on each Gala Day and return at 2.30pm.

Let’s Help Rhys Get to Sydney

Rhys has been selected to represent Barrier Sports in Cross Country in July 2017.

He is raising money to help him travel over 1,100 kms away to compete.

The front office has raffle tickets for sale from the Barrier PSSA Committee.

- First Prize $500.00
- Second Prize $250.00
- Third Prize $150.00
- 10 x Prizes of $20.00

Tickets are $1.00 each.

Rhys thanks you for your ongoing support.
Classifieds

Lifeline Broken Hill

ART

Exhibition 2017

Thurs 29th June from 6:30pm
@ Geocentre, Crystal St

Come and help Lifeline Broken Hill Save Lives.

Light refreshments and appetizers will be served.
Semi-formal attire.

One of Broken Hill’s social events of the year.
33% of all artwork sold go towards Lifeline Broken Hill.

Entry fee $5.00
Every dollar we raise helps us save lives.

School Banking

Student banking encouragement – every bank from this week gets you a ticket to win a prize drawn on the 26th June 2017.
Reminder that Wednesday is the banking day.

Coaching Staff from the Celtic FC International Soccer Academy are coming to Broken Hill as part of the Winter Australia coaching tour. A great opportunity to be coached by one of the world’s leading Professional Clubs youth coaches for boys and girls from 6 to 20 as a special development opportunity.

Saturday & Sunday 8/9 July 2017

There are 3 specific sessions for both days (cost is for both days) and supported by the Broken Hill Junior Soccer Association:

- Miniroos: 5/6/7 years, 9 – 10am, $20.
- Special Girls Only Session: 12 – 18 years, 9am – 10:30am, $30.
- Youth and Colts Session: 8 – 20 years, 11am – 3pm, $80.

To Register: Please email David Deacon (deacon8@live.com.au) or BHSA President George Bugeja (theresabugeja@bigpond.com). Phone Inquiries: David Deacon – Mob: 0499 321 863.

Payment: Broken Hill Community Credit Union broken hill junior soccer association Account No 37738121 BSB 802 377 – Reference: Celtic FC - Player Name

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