PRINCIPAL: 
Mrs Dawn McCauley

AST: 
Mrs Cassandra Turner

AST: 
Mrs Christine Edmunds

Acting AST: 
Mrs Hayley Heazlewood

SBM: 
Mrs Debra Lade

School Association: 
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Vice Chair 
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Mrs Rebecca Kitchin

Parents & Friends 
President 
Ms Cath Kilner 

Duty of Care: Parents are reminded that duty of care on the school grounds begins at 8.30am

Issue No. 31: 13 October 2016
FROM THE PRINCIPAL
Welcome to Term 4! Over the holidays maintenance to our PA system was undertaken as we had dead spots across the school which was a risk for us in regard to emergencies e.g. evacuation or lock down. I am happy to report the school is now much safer for staff, students and the community. Shortly we will practice both fire and lock down procedures so everyone is rehearsed and stays calm in the unlikely event that either of these two events occur.

Congratulations
I am delighted to announce that Sharlie Hodgetts and Dylan Hall have successfully placed in the state-wide National Water Week Poster Competition. Dylan, Sharlie and their families have been invited along to a prize presentation ceremony at the Launceston Linc on Thursday October 20 at 4:00pm. Well done also to Katie Ambrus, Summer Burke-Aronsten, Nicole Bowerman and Tessa Walters who received commendations and a certificate for their posters.

Primary Basketball Tournament - Grade 3/4
This weekend our 2 Grade 3/4 basketball teams travel to Launceston to compete in the Primary Basketball Tournament. We wish them all the best and thank Clint Lette and Jodie Mather [Girls coach and manageress respectively], and Jodie Hall [Boys coach and manageress]. Thank you also to Mrs Auton for doing the organising on behalf of the school.

T20 Blast Cricket
All Grade 5 and 6 students are off to the Recreation Ground tomorrow to compete in the annual T20 Blast Cricket tournament. Students leave school at 10:10 and return at 2:20. They need to take morning tea, lunch and drinks. There will not be a canteen operating on the day. School sports uniform is to be worn plus they need to take their school hat. This event is used as a trial day for the Country Gold Team that is chosen later in the term. Good luck everyone!

Dawn McCauley
Kinder students having fun with their igloo made from milk containers

Playground Award Winners
Congratulations to the following students who received playground awards at the end of Term 3:
Cienah Lette, Eliza Auton, Kye Hall, Darcy Kennard.
Cody Johnson, Declan Knight.

Hats
Children are required to wear hats as of the beginning of next week. Children without hats are only permitted to play in shaded areas.

ACER testing
Next Monday October 17th, 20 Grade 6 students have been selected to sit the National Assessment Program: Civics and Citizenship (NAP-cc) Assessment. This is an online test which is part of research studies conducted across many Australian schools. If you would like more information please contact Cassie Turner.

Playground Token Winners

School Banking
School Banking will finish on Wednesday 30th November. This is to allow time for delivery of rewards before the end of the school year.
If you are unsure of how many tokens you have please ask at the school. There are many children entitled to rewards.
In Term 4, two new reward items from our Outback Savers range become available to redeem!

- Bush Fly Fan
- Wriggly Glow Worm
COMMUNITY NOTICES

Vicki’s Family Day Care – Scottsdale
I currently have some vacancies for child care, on a Monday and Thursday – whether for work, study or just for a respite. I am diploma qualified, have 14 years experience in the industry and I am registered with Northern Children’s Network.

I offer play-based learning with a focus on social skills and language, to help children become confident and competent.

Centrelink rebates are available to eligible families. Bookings being taken now for 2017.

Please contact Vicki on 0427 809 190 to make a time to catch up and discuss your child care needs.

Milo Cricket
Starts Sunday 16th October
11am to 12 noon
Scottsdale Cricket Ground
Returning & new participants welcome
Ages 5 & up, Contact Jeffrey 0474279384

NE Bushrangers Junior Cricket Club
Come and Try Junior Cricket Fun Game and BBQ Friday 14th October from 3:15pm – 5:00pm at Scottsdale Rec Ground. If your child is keen to play, please see below for contact details. Age taken as at August 31st.

For Further information please contact
Troy Milne - 0413126863
Danny Mather - 0402600509
Neil Lamont - 0418643220

Key Dates
October
14 – T20 Blast Cricket
14 – N.E. River’s Festival – Art Show WDHS
17 – Nat Assessment Prog Civics & Citizenship
20 – SHS visit Gr 6 students
21 – Student Free Day
25 – P/1 excursion
26 – Grade 6 students to SHS
28 – Assembly 3/4 Griffin
31 – Kinder screening - speech

November
1 – Ditto Program – Bravehearts ECE
4 – Assembly 3/4 Carter
7 – Long Weekend holiday
8- School Association
8 – Grade 6 students to SHS
8 – 18 – Swimming & Water Safety Program
17 – SHS visit Grade 6 students
21 – Grade 6 orientation day
24 – Country Gold Cricket
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25 – Volunteers Morning Tea

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