

NEWSLETTER

10th February 2017

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THE HEAT IS ON

It is Summer in Australia and yes, Summer in Australia is hot, but not always quite this hot. We are extremely lucky at Ardlethan Central in that all our buildings are air-conditioned and so our learning is continuing as normal. Our brains need to stay hydrated to function effectively, research shows that when the brain is functioning on a full tank of water you will be able to think faster, be more focused and experience greater clarity and creativity. This is why we are constantly encouraging our students to have their water bottles with them, giving them drink breaks and even having water available for those times when a student forgets their water bottle.

Coming up...

Wednesday 15th February

- ◆ RAP Summer Sports Trials @ Barellan

Tuesday 21st February

- ◆ Sec Zone Swimming Carnival—Barellan

Wednesday 22nd February

- ◆ Backup Swimming Carnival—Barellan

Thursday 23rd February

- ◆ Primary District Carnival—Ardlethan
- ◆ RYDA—Leeton
- ◆ RAP—Cut off Yr 11 Changing subjects



School Captains , Sarah & Jayson, leading the way in the fancy dress.

The Ardlethan Swimming Carnival last Thursday was a fantastic carnival with student participation amongst the best we have seen. Students were keen to have a go even if they may not have been the best swimmers, and really, isn't that what life is all about...having a go! Thank you to Caroline Stewart for all hours she spends on organising our carnival. Thanks also to all the parents who were able to attend the carnival, your assistance and support of the school is always appreciated. Looking to the next few weeks we have a lot of sport on the calendar and lots of learning opportunities every single day.

Make space for what matters
Kerrilee Logan



ARDLETHAN CENTRAL SCHOOL



ACS Swimming Carnival

ACS TWILIGHT SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Our annual Twilight Swimming Carnival was held on the Thursday 2nd February, 2017. Congratulations to all of the students, who displayed fantastic house spirit, participated in the novelty events, competed in an individual race for the first time, recorded personal best times and received age championship awards. Congratulations to the students of Warri house who were the overall winners of the carnival (590 points to 441 points).

Thank you to our Years 7-10 students who assisted with the carnival preparation and our Year 11-12 students for their fantastic leadership, organisational skills and encouragement and participation throughout the carnival.

Thank you also to the parents, grandparents, friends and staff who assisted with the running of the carnival and for supporting the students in their swimming events. Good luck to our primary and secondary students who have qualified for their respective Zone Swimming Carnivals. **Caroline Stewart**

AGE CHAMPIONS				
CATEGORY	BOYS	POINTS	GIRLS	POINTS
Junior Primary	Max Collis	31	Hayley Myers	24
	Brock Strickland	30	Shyanne Fuller	20
11 Years Primary	Isaac Maslin	28	Jo Bray	42
	Jack Black	15	Alice Doyle	30
Senior Primary	EQ1. Cooper Barlow	12	Emily Scarlett	35
	EQ1. Charlie Crighton	12	Caitlin Woodward	25
Junior Secondary	Jack Hawthorne	42	Mae Lucas	40
	Connor Osborne	12	Hannah Scarlett	29
Senior Secondary	Lachie Jones	47	Amy Crighton	35
	Brodie Jones	37	Leila Verney	5

INCENTIVE AWARDS		
CATEGORY	BOYS	GIRLS
Junior Primary	Seth Morris	Shyanne Fuller
Senior Primary	Jack Black	Jessica Hellings
Junior Secondary	Jack Hawthorne	Hannah Scarlett
Senior Secondary	Jayden Woodward	Amy Crighton

BEST DRESSED AWARDS		
CATEGORY	BOYS	GIRLS
YITHAN K-3	Ben Minchin	Charli Church
YITHAN Years 4-6	Cooper Barlow	Caitlin Woodward
YITHAN Secondary	Jayson Scarlett	Jordan Booth
WARRI K-3	Teddy Gordon	Indilee Menzies
WARRI Years 4-6	Max Collis	Jo Bray
WARRI Secondary	Brodie Jones	Sarah Carnie

Positions Vacant – Temporary Part Time

**Ardlethan Central School
School Administration Officer
Front Office - One (1) day per week.
RAP Administration Office – Four (4) days per week**

Front Office - The position requires applicants to undertake general office duties including word processing, telephone answering, attending to reception and may include assisting teaching staff with administrative tasks. Liaising with and assisting students and parents with enquiries.

Essential: Excellent communication skills. Word processing and knowledge of Microsoft Office products - in particular Word and Publisher. A Working with Children Check (WWCC). Ability to work in a team.

RAP Administration Office – Duties will include liaising with and assisting Head Teacher Access, students, teaching staff and Principals. Timetabling using TimeChart, uploading information to Moodle, setting up Mark books and Reporting in Sentral and other general office duties.

Essential: Excellent communication skills, highly organised and time efficient. A working knowledge of Microsoft Office products. Familiarity with Moodle, TimeChart and Sentral would be an advantage. A Working with Children Check (WWCC).

Both positions are temporary part time commencing on Monday 27th February 2017—for approximately 6 months.

Applications close: **Thursday 16th February 2017.**

Please address applications to: Mrs K. Logan
Principal
Ardlethan Central School
Mithul Street
Ardlethan NSW 2665; or ardlethan-c.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Enquiries: 02 69782046

ATTENTION: Direct Credit Payments

As from 10th February, 2017, Ardlethan Central School is no longer able to receive direct credit payments due to a new system upgrade (LMBR) being implemented.

Once the LMBR system is operational we will resume electronic payment and will advise how to make payments.



ARDLETHAN COUNTRY MUSIC FESTIVAL

Fundraising Lazy Sunday 12th February
from 12 noon at Beckom Hotel
B.B.Q. Chocolate Wheel
Games for the Kids
Entertainment by the Kids
Great Talent

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY MEETING

13th February 2017
Medical Centre at 10.30am
All Welcome

ANGLICAN OPPORTUNITY SHOP AGM

On Wednesday 24th February at 10am.
In the shop.
All Volunteers urged to attend.

ARDLETHAN COMMUNITY LUNCHEON

In the Memorial Hall
On Friday 26th February at noon.
Cost \$10, proceeds to the Hall
All Welcome
If interested in attending
Please ring Aileen on 69782382.

SEWING GROUP

For all interested community
members
Each Tuesday from 9.30am at
Ardlethan Central School
Come along and stitch in time or
just have a cuppa and a chat!

ARDLETHAN SHOW SOCIETY

AGM on Wednesday 22nd February at
6.00pm at the Bowling Club

ADVANCE ARDLETHAN COMMITTEE

Del Garrett / President
Di McDermott / Secretary
Mailing Address c/- 48 Ariah St
Ardlethan NSW 2665
Phone 69 782 055

Email: dianne.mcdermott@bigpond.com

NEWSLETTER 07/02/17

This year started off with our traditional Australia Day Breakfast in the Park and there was a great roll-up with the committee supplying over sixty meals! More than three hundred dollars was raised, which went towards the overall costs of the food. The balance went into the coffers of Advance Ardlethan to be put to good use in helping to fund future projects.

Rannock hosted this year's Australia Day celebrations for the shire and congratulations must go to Anne Trevaskis for being awarded the Australian of the Year community medal within our shire. Over the years Anne has worked tirelessly on many committees in Ardlethan and fully deserves to be 2017 recipient of this award.

Our first meeting for 2017 was conducted at the Memorial Hall all on Monday 6th February and items discussed included the upcoming Country Music Festival in early April and celebrations involving the unveiling of the Frank Bradley statue in May.

It is always useful to be a member of our organisation to be able to have a voice on community matters, either at council level or simply on a local level, where new ideas and concepts have a very valuable place at our meetings.

Next meeting: at the Memorial Hall on Monday 6th March at 7.30pm.

See you there...

Del Garrett / President
Advance Ardlethan

17 FEBRUARY 2017
12PM - 2PM IN THE MULLINS CENTRE



Using Essential Oils

Learn how to use Essential Oils in your life
\$10 per head.
Includes a gift and a sample of the Sugar
Lip Scrub we will be making.

CONTACT DANIELLE ON 0432022904 TO RESERVE
YOUR SPOT

SCRAPBOOKING

Scrapbooking starts 3.20pm on Monday 13th
February

\$15.00 includes — Snakes, Drinks and Stock
Every Monday and finishes at 5.00pm
Ring Janice—0447 667 490

BOOK A MARQUEE

Ardlethan Picnic Race Club are pleased to offer
marquees to the general public for the upcoming
Races. Marquees will be located track side. The
marquee package includes GST, travel costs,
assemble and dismantle and cleaning fee. One
trestle table and 6 chairs also included \$250.
Limited to 10 marquees only



Coming to the Races

Coaches available from
Sportsman's Club Hotel Wagga Wagga
69213245
Cootamundra & Temora
contact Luke 0409603394

COOLAMON SHIRE COUNCIL SENIOR'S WEEK DINNER

To be held on Tuesday March 7th at 7pm
At the Ganmain Sportsclub
Entertainment & meal provided free
Buses will leave Ardlethan at around 5.30
pm.

Names to be in by Monday 27th February,
If interested in attending please contact
Aileen Bound on 69782382.

SHAYNE HICKEYS
LAWN MOWING
&
GARDEN MAINTENANCE
RUBBISH REMOVAL



FOR FREE QUOTE
CALL SHAYNE ON 0423 770 750

**ARDLETHAN PICNIC
RACE CLUB
Saturday 18th March**

**Pre Race Day Lunch and Entry Ticket
Packages**

Includes gate entry and two course meal in
guests marquee

\$60 per person

Limited tickets available –
First in Best dressed

**Tickets available at Delta Agribusiness
Ardlethan Office**

or call Lou Clemson 0409093633

Valid until 11 March or sold out



WAG Snags would like to thank everyone for their continued support. Sausages will be available to order very soon.



Lou 0409 093 633

www.w-ag.com.au

RIVERINA
CONSERVATORIUM OF MUSIC
WAGGA WAGGA

*Parent and Student
Information Night*

*Tuesday February 14
7:30pm - 8:30pm @ RCM*

www.rivconmusic.org.au

Riverina Conservatorium of Music - Parent and Student Information Night
An invitation to all students and parents

Date: Tuesday 14th February **Time:** 7:30-8.30pm

Place: Bannister Room, Riverina Conservatorium of Music

Purpose of the Evening:

- Meet the Heads of Department
- Discuss RCM teaching programs and RCM curriculum
- Talk about the range of programs offered for:
 - New and younger students
 - HSC music students and gap year students
 - Students wishing to pursue tertiary music study
 - Ensembles, bands, choirs and 'Jam Sessions'
 - Music Craft and musicianship classes
 - Recitals and concerts for student performances
 - AMEB options for students

Heads of Department and the Chair of the RCM Curriculum Council will be available to answer questions on these or other issues.

Please RSVP via email to:
RCM Admin at admin@rivconmusic.org.au
Phone Number: (02) 6925 3522

NEWSLETTER DELIVERY FEES FOR 2017

We would like to advise that a yearly \$5 fee will be charged for those who receive the Ardlethan Central School newsletter via Australia Post to cover delivery costs. Please contact the school to ensure that we have the correct postal address. Payment may be made at the school

We also provide newsletters via email at no cost if that would be preferable. If you would like to receive your newsletter via this method please forward an email to the below address and type ACS Newsletter in the subject line. This will ensure that we have the correct email address for you.

ardlethan-c.school@det.nsw.edu.au

If you would like further information please contact the school on 02 69782046, we will be more than happy to help!

**Please forward advertisements/articles for the
ARDLETHAN CENTRAL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER**

ONLY to : ardlethan-c.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Subject: Newsletter articles

Closing time for advertisements/articles is Tuesday by 3.00pm

Term 1 closing dates are: 21st February, 7th March, 21st March & 4th April

NB newsletter will not be published over School Holidays so Term 2 closing date will start with 2nd May

ARDLETHAN SHOW SOCIETY INC

2016 was a wet year and the Ardlethan Show did not go ahead. The Show committee were allowed to hold the Showgirl competition and send a representative onto the next level.

The Ardlethan Show Society Inc. would like to wish Samantha Scarlett all the best at the Zone 7 Showgirl Final next Saturday 18th February at Hillston. The winners from Hillston will go to Sydney for State judging during the Sydney Royal Easter Show.

Advance Ardlethan

Annual General Meeting
Monday 6th March - 7.30pm at the Hall
All Welcome
Di McDermott—Secretary

Ardlethan IGA

OPENING HOURS

Monday to Friday: 8.30am—5.30pm

Saturday: 9.00am—1.00pm

Fresh Produce/Groceries

Delicatessen/Cooked Chooks

COMING EVENTS

12th February	• Country Music Festival—Lazy Sunday
13th February	• Hospital Meeting • Scrapbooking
22nd February	• Show Society AGM
24th February	• Op Shop AGM
26th February	• Community Luncheon
6th March	• Advance Ardlethan @ 7.30pm
7th March	• Coolamon Shire Senior's Week Dinner