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Term 3

Week 9

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Newsletter

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**Alma Supports
Australian
Farmers!**



Alma students support Australian farmers with a fundraising 'Dress as a Farmer Day' (more details and photos inside)

**NO ASSEMBLY
THIS WEEK**

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From the Principal

Welcome to Week 9.

Dress like a Farmer Day

Last week students participated in the 'Dress like a farmer Day' to raise money for our farmers who have been hit hard by the drought. The amazing efforts from the students, school and community, raised a total of \$388.10. Awesome work!

Promotions Awards

Friday last week saw us celebrate our students who are now achieving Gold level. This is a time to recognise the efforts of students who have consistently worked hard throughout the year. It was a special moment for parents, carers, staff and students as we celebrated the achievement of these students.

Silver City Show Display

To complement this amazing work Alma was awarded 1st in the Infants section of the Silver City Show Display Competition. After viewing the display, you can clearly see the dedication, enjoyment, and creativity by all involved in the display. Truly Amazing work Alma!

Footy Colours Day

Tomorrow, students are involved in 'Footy Colour Day'. Footy Colours Day is a national fundraising campaign held during the month of September where participants are encouraged to wear their favourite team's colours and host an event at their school, organisation, group or club to raise funds for kids with cancer. The campaign was established in 1995 to help fund Fight Cancer Foundation then Bone Marrow Donor Institute's programs, including the establishment of the Australian Bone Marrow Donor Registry. Since 2005, funds raised through Footy Colours Day have helped young learners continue with their education while receiving treatment for cancer.

Attendance

As we near the end of the year 'Attendance' is an area that can make a substantial difference to a child's educational development. Encouraging regular school attendance is one of the most powerful ways you can prepare your child for success—both in school and in life. As a parent, you can prepare your child for a lifetime of success by making regular school attendance a priority. By figuring out the reasons for your child's absences, whether they are physical or emotional, and taking advantage of support services you can help set your child on the path to success.

Growth Mindset

In a growth mindset, people believe that their most basic abilities can be developed through dedication and hard work—brains and talent are just the starting point. This view creates a love of learning and a resilience that is essential for great accomplishment. This is something I would actively encourage with all students and makes for a great discussion as a parent/carer.

Jonathon Thomas
Relieving Principal

This Week's Reminders....



***TOMORROW** is
Footy Colours Day

***THURSDAY** is
student banking

***FRIDAY** is Gala Day
for Girls Basketball &
Boys Cricket

10 Growth Mindset Statements

What can I say to myself?

FIXED MINDSET	INSTEAD OF:	TRY THINKING:	GROWTH MINDSET
	I'm not good at this.	① What am I missing?	
	I'm awesome at this.	② I'm on the right track.	
	I give up.	③ I'll use some of the strategies we've learned.	
	This is too hard.	④ This may take some time and effort.	
	I can't make this any better.	⑤ I can always improve so I'll keep trying.	
	I just can't do Math.	⑥ I'm going to train my brain in Math.	
	I made a mistake.	⑦ Mistakes help me to learn better.	
	She's so smart. I will never be that smart.	⑧ I'm going to figure out how she does it.	
	It's good enough.	⑨ Is it really my best work?	
	Plan "A" didn't work.	⑩ Good thing the alphabet has 25 more letters!	

(Original source unknown) @sylvia duckworth

Dress as a Farmer Day



Pictured above and on the cover are some of our Alma students who came to school dressed as a farmer to raise money to support drought stricken Australian farmers

Breakfast Club

The Breakfast Club is in urgent need of donations of items such as vegemite, jam, honey, margarine, milo, juice, large disposable plastic cups etc. Breakfast Club is run by volunteers through the school canteen. It opens at 8.30am each morning and is very popular with the children. Breakfast Club relies heavily on donations and has previously prepared around 2,177 breakfasts over a seven week period. **Any donations would be greatly appreciated towards this wonderful program.**

Stage 2 Excursion Lake Cullulleraine

The Stage 2 Excursion to Lake Cullulleraine is approaching very quickly. Please ensure permission notes have been returned and payments are being finalised, and notify the school if your child will not be attending the excursion.

Pie Drive Orders Collection

Pie Drive Orders can be collected from the P&C Room (G Block) **Between 1.30pm and 2.30pm Wednesday 26th September.** Please ensure your orders are picked up between these times as there is no refrigeration storage available on site.

Save the Date – Term 3

SEPTEMBER

Tuesday 18th

Footy Colours Day

Friday 21st

Gala Day: Cricket (B), Basketball (G)

Monday 24th – Wednesday 26th

Stage 2 Excursion Lake Cullulleraine

Wednesday 26th

Gala Day: Soccer (G), Basketball (B)

**School ends Friday 29th September and
Term 4 begins on Monday 15th October**

★ Assembly Awards ★

Congratulations to the following students who received awards at assembly last week!

POWER TO LEARN AWARDS

Arana Jeffery, Maddison Harrap, Blaityn Olds-Kemp, Kaitlyn Dumbleton, Ella-Hope Jovanovic, Maddison Hocking, Zoe Jeffery, Eileen Newman, Boston Pelgrave, Lilly-Grace Lawn, Jazmin Harrap, Isabella Butcher, Brax Marcon, Colby Dowling, Stella Pedergrana, Liam Turner, Eli Pistotnik, Dakota Staker, Gemma Jones, Imogen Cullen, Zell Banning, Braxton Edge, Brayden Haugum-Hoare, Dashanti Johnson, Lincoln Casey, Arie Symes, Savannah Marcon, **Cleo** Banning, Ruby Manoel, Kalistar Thomas, Teneal Butcher, Chloe Daddow, Preston Greeney, James Lawn

PROMOTIONS AWARDS

Bronze: Eli Pistotnik **Silver:** Tigerlily Dunn, William James, J'Kye Love, Ashton Morris, Taite Philp, Lily Watts

Gold: Kaylee Adams, Jagg Banning, Zell Banning, Adrianna Benedetti, Mackenna Black, Evie Blore, Isla Blore, Amity Bray, Bethany Bugmy, Jeb Bunney, Peyton Burns, Jack Bussell, Tye Bussell, Isabella Butcher, Jayla Butcher, Reece Butcher, Teneal Butcher, Lincoln Casey, Jordyn Chapman-Henderson, Aniyah Cox, Alan Coxon, Imogen Cullen, Chloe Daddow, Millie Dalwood, DeAndre De Silva, Grace Delbridge, Lucas Delbridge, Aisha Dodimead, Harmony Dowling, Kaitlyn Dumbleton, Tigerlily Dunn, Bella-Jade Edge, Sophie Evans, Tempany Ferguson, Ella Fitzgerald, Eric Forbes, Harper Fraser, Willow Frizell-Beggs, Skey Fry, MacKenzie Fuller, Andrew George, Alexis Grantham, Isobella Hamilton-Frizell, Maddison Harrap, Chelsea Harrison, Blade Harvey, Destiny Harvey, Zoey Harvey, Daniella Heffernan, Jack Heffernan, Tylah Henderson, Kynli Higgins, Maddison Hocking, Tayla Hocking, Freya Holden, Zahlia Hoskins, Daniel Howell, Ella Hurley, Boden Jackson, William James, Arana Jeffery, Dashanti Johnson, Roy Johnson, Gemma Jones, Anika Jozanovic, Millie Judd, Arie Kakoschke, August Keenan, Bryce Kemp, Abu Khatri, Lilly-Grace Lawn, Avery Lennox, Saxon Locke, J'Kye Love, Asha Maguire, Jagger Mannion, Ruby Manoel, Brax Marcon, Blade McConnell, April McCully-Gorman, Erin McInnes, Kayle McInnes, Karly McKellar, Jett McLeod, Matthew McNamara, Mayla Mitchell, Ashton Morris, Amber Murphy, Eileen Newman, Kane Newman, Cecelia Noel, Tiara Noel, Tiara Noel, Kayleigh Olivieri, Lucy Olivieri, Lila Parker, Grace Payne, Emanuel Pedergrana, Stella Pedergrana, Boston Pelgrave, Tayah Pelgrave, Kallum Philp, Taite Philp, Eli Pistotnik, Sophia Pittaway, Brooke Rafferty, Tasman Rankin, Emily Roberts, Deni Ryan, Caitlyn Slattery, Clare Slattery, Jedd Smith, Kaitlin Smith, Maya Smith, Nahla Sparrow, Piper Spencer, Dakota Staker, Justin Staker, Brycen Stenhouse, Kai Stephens, Will Stephens, Waylon Talbot, Kalistar Thomas, Maddisyn Thompson, Sadie Thornton, Duggy Waites, Lily Watts, Max Watts, Laylah Westley, Savannah Wheatley, Ella Williams, Tarkyn Williams



Community News....

YOUR DESTINATION FOR SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN – BOOK TODAY

ACTION BREAK HOLIDAY				
Kids Bootcamp (ages 6-12)	Broken Hill Regional Aquatic Centre	4 & 11 October	4:30PM - 5:15PM	FREE for members \$5 for non-members
Waterslide (All ages)	Broken Hill Regional Aquatic Centre	6 & 13 October	1PM - 4PM	Included in pool entry
Kids Zumba (ages 6-12)	YMCA Broken Hill	5 October	11AM - 11:45AM	FREE for members \$5 for non-members
Introduction to Teen Gym (ages 11-15) <i>Sign up and go in the draw to win a 6 month free gym membership</i>	YMCA Broken Hill	4 & 11 October	1:15PM - 2:15PM	FREE
Kids Yoga (ages 6-11)	YMCA Broken Hill	4 & 11 October	10AM - 10:45AM	FREE for members \$5 for non-members
Mini Pool Inflatable (ages 5-9)	Broken Hill Regional Aquatic Centre	2 & 9 October	1PM - 4PM	FREE
Jumping Castle (ages 5-13)	Broken Hill Regional Aquatic Centre	6 & 13 October	1PM - 4PM	FREE
YMCA Swim School Assessments (ages 3-16) <i>Enrol into swim school and win a block of swimming lessons</i>	Broken Hill Regional Aquatic Centre	3, 4, 5, 8, 10, 11 & 12 October	12:15PM - 12:45PM	FREE Bookings essential. Call 8080 3510.

Kindergarten 2019 Orientation Dates

Visit 1 on Wednesday 24th October from 10am – 11am.

You are also invited to join us to celebrate National Children's Week in Sturt Park on Wednesday 31st October. **Please make sure you bring in your completed enrolment forms and other documentation as soon as possible.**

Bugdlie Preschool 2019 Applications

Bugdlie Preschool is now accepting 2019 Waiting List Applications for Indigenous children. Waiting List Application forms are available from Alma Public School's administration office.

Kindergarten 2019

If you have a child starting Kindergarten next year (2019) please complete the form below and return it to school. Children must turn 5 years of age before 31st July 2019 for enrolment in Kindergarten. If you are aware of neighbours or friends who have a child due to start next year please pass an enrolment form onto them.



Kindergarten Enrolment —Year 2019

Name of Child

Date of Birth

Parents' Name

AddressPhone.....

Preschool Attended

Name of older brothers / sisters attending Alma Public School.....|.....|.....

10-11:30am

*Registrations for Juniors & Seniors

*Fun cricket games & activities for everyone

*Junior Ability Grading

10:30-12pm
BBQ & drinks
Cake Stall Fundraiser

11am (approx. 45mins)
Junior Cricket Community Forum and Coach Workshop for parents and volunteers Presented by Matt Ellis (Cricket NSW Far West Junior Formats Development)

12-4pm
Community Coaching Course (Level 1)

Run by Matt Ellis
Free (must pre-register & 1hr of online pre training to be completed prior to course)

Great for teachers, coaches/assistants, parent helpers
Expressions of Interest being taken now (min. 8 required) 14yrs+ eligible
Contact:
Kylie - 0422580933



Sunday 23rd Sept Jubilee Oval

For new & old, all Juniors & Seniors and their families for a fun, social, informative kick-off to the new cricket season

Wear Club or BHJCA tshirts (or BBL/CA fan wear)



For more info message us on Facebook:

Broken Hill Junior Cricket Association