**Teacher's Stop Work This Thursday** – this Thursday 8th September, teachers across NSW will be holding a 24 hour stop work. Our school will be closed as there will be no supervision provided. Parents will need to make alternative arrangements for their children.

**Next Assembly** – congratulations to Ms Mills and the Kindergarten class for their great effort with last week’s assembly. Thank you to all those parents who supported the day. The next assembly will be this Friday starting at 11am and will be run by the Year 2 class, with Star of The Week – Year 1 and Year 4. We hope to see you there.

**Kinder Orientation** – last Wednesday the preschool students again visited our school to learn how to Move It with a variety of fitness activities with Kindergarten students followed by Fruito. They had a great morning and our school really enjoyed having them visit. On Tuesday 18th October will be our schools Kinder Orientation for parents starting at 7pm. This will then be followed up by our Kinder Orientation for parents & children on Wednesday 2nd November from 11.30am to 1pm.

**Riverina Athletics Carnival** – this was held last Friday in Albury with our school having a good representation. Our students all did their best against some very talented students from schools all over the Riverina. Congratulations to all the students for your wonderful efforts and to parents for your great support. Well done to Alyce Parker who made the Riverina Team after finishing 1st in the 800m 11yrs girls and to Olivia Hearn who also made the Riverina Team after finishing 1st in the 100m 9yrs girls. Both girls made the Riverina Team in 2010. Great effort and we wish you all the very best in Sydney in early Term 4.

**Whole School Performance** – an annual event with all the students in our school participating to not only show you their great talents, but for you to support your child and the school as well as have an enjoyable time. It promises to be even bigger and better this year. In the hall this year we now have our new projector screen, new stage lighting and stage curtains. The students really enjoy performing for parents, family and the community. Please make the effort to come and enjoy the performance. Tickets on sale from the school office, don’t delay and be disappointed. The two night performances were sold out early last year.

**Kindergarten Enrolments for 2012** – our enrolment numbers for next year are due with the Department. You can pick up an enrolment form from the school office or ring to organise for one to be sent home with an older brother or sister. Please return the enrolment form as soon as you have filled it in. Thank you to those parents who have already done this.

**Life Education Van Visit** – will be held Wednesday 7th September and Wednesday 14th September at Holbrook Public School with students in Kinder to Year 4 attending. This is a very beneficial and educational experience for all students.

**Environmental Education Visit** – this Friday our Years 5 and 6 students will be visiting the Wirramina Environmental Education Centre at Burrumbuttock. This will be a great educational experience for all students, with lots of enjoyment had at the same time.
New sandpit and re-developed playground equipment area – this is now completed. It involved putting a new border around the playground equipment, new soft-fall, new platforms and a shop front window for the kids. We also put in new borders for a new sandpit, with new sand and a sandpit cover. I’m sure the students will really enjoy the new and improved play areas. We are going to spend some money and buy some new sand toys to be used in the sandpit. A big thank you to the P&C for their donation of funds and to Rob Bulle for his time and effort putting the sand and soft-fall in with his tractor. Very much appreciated.

Jason Weaven
Principal

STATE DANCE FUNDRAISER RAFFLE

Thank you to everyone for buying tickets and supporting our dancers. We raised almost $1,000 from the raffle. A big thank you to Chantell & Taylah Schirmer for all your organisation and hard work.

1st prize N. Livermore ($160 IGA Voucher & $40 Voucher from Tony’s Butcher)
2nd prize F. Mackinlay (Komatsu Pack)
3rd Prize Marg Shaw ($80 IGA Voucher)
4th prize Sharla Gibbs ($80 IGA Voucher)
5th prize E. Gain ($80 IGA Voucher)
6th prize Mackenzie Melbourne ($60 Voucher from Grandma’s Closet, Holbrook Bakery & Holbrook Newsagent)

Thank you to all the local businesses for supporting us.

CANTEEN ROSTER

Fri 9 Sept - Georgie Millard and Jacqui Marshall
Mon 12 Sept - Sally Bulle and Jacqui Marshall
Fri 16 Sept - Narelle Emerson and Irene Lister

BOOK CLUB ORDERS

All book club orders are due back by 11.30 a.m. on Wednesday 7 September 2011.

LIFE EDUCATION VAN VISIT

Just a reminder that the Life Education Van will be visiting Holbrook Public School on Wednesday 7 and 14 September for students from Kindergarten to Year 4. Each class will attend one session on one of these dates. The cost per child is $7.00, which includes the Life Education session, a student workbook and sticker for each child.

CREATIVE CATCHMENT

On Wednesday 31 August we travelled to Table Top Mountain. When we got there we talked about our Sensory garden Project. Then we climbed up Table Top. On the way we stopped at a cave where mad Dog Morgan had once sheltered. When we got to the top we had lunch. On the way back we got lost! Luckily we made it back. We enjoyed it and we had lots of fun meeting other kids from other schools.

Thank you to Sally Bulle for transporting us for the day.

Abby, Ali, Sophia, A.J., Will and Jackson

AWARDS

Miss Mills
Kindergarten – Outstanding commitment to assembly and WSP practice

Miss Murphy
Andrea Seymour – For always being well-mannered and polite.
Seth Webb – For writing a very good recount about his weekend.

Mrs Landale
Aylee Jenkyn – For trying her best in all KLAs
Jade Hunt – For being a lovely friend and including people

Miss McIntyre
Chelsea Brennan – For handing in homework early.
Max Plunkett – For improving each time on his speed test

Mrs Preston
Jessica Taylor – Being a wonderful netball captain

Miss Burton
Josh Walsh – Excellent progress in spelling
Annabelle Walters – Excellent progress in spelling

Miss Walsh
Jordan Eddy – A great effort in all areas of maths
Jemma Lang – For producing excellent major assignment tasks

Mrs Wedgwood
Lachlan Bulle – Consideration, thoughtfulness and sportsmanship
Holbrook/St Pats Senior Boys Red – Determination and never say die attitude

Mr Clifford
Ella Cheshire, Caitlin Holt, Aaron Heritage and Seth Webb – For amazing effort and improvement in reading

SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD

Lachlan Bulle, Jasmyn Adams, Chelsea Brennan, Damon Brennan, Daniel Grunow, Kasey Henry, Georgie Nicholls, Oscar Southwell, Charlie Walters, Jack Webb
**KINDER ORIENTATION**

Pre-schoolers came to join the Kinders for some fitness fun on Wednesday. They had a busy time playing games and running relay races. They then had a special treat when the school’s wonderful dance group performed just for them! Finally, they had worked up quite an appetite and finished off the morning with Fruto which included pears, oranges and apples.

**DIABETES BUZZ DAY**

Diabetes Buzz Day is held across Australia during September to raise funds to help improve the health and enhance the lives of people living with or at risk of diabetes.

To help raise these funds, the SRC will be selling Buzz Day merchandise during September. We have been advised that the merchandise will arrive sometime next week. You will be advised once it does, and the SRC will sell it each day, during the first half of long lunch.

Merchandise for sale will be:
- Enamel bee pins - $3 each
- Buzz Day key rings - $5 each
- Buzz day pens - $6 each
- Buzz Bear - $7 each

Please support this cause and help raise these much needed funds.

Kate Wedgwood, Chrissy Lavis and the SRC

**FUNDRAISING AT SCHOOL**

**WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN**

We are also collecting points for the Woolworths Earn & Learn promotion. Simply shop at any Woolworths store and keep your docket. For every $10 spent points will be added to the bottom of your docket. Bring the docket into school and we will use these points to get great prizes for our school such as books, puzzles and craft supplies. Points start from July 18 to September 18.

Start collecting.

**COLES SPORTS FOR SCHOOL VOUCHERS**

We are collecting Coles Sports for School vouchers again this year. If you shop at any Coles Supermarket or know anyone who does, collect the vouchers and hand them in to school. Great sport equipment is up for grabs. Start collecting. Vouchers will be available from 11 August.

**MOBILE PHONES NEEDED**

Do you have old mobile phones cluttering up the drawers at home? Donate them to our school and not only help us but also the You Can Schools Program.

Donation box is in the front office.

For more details see the attached letter or visit [www.youcanschools.org.au](http://www.youcanschools.org.au)

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**SOUTHERN SPORTS ACADEMY 2012**

Southern Sports Academy is offering scholarships in the following sports. Application forms are available from the school office.

**Prime Basketball Scholarship** for boys and girls turning 13, 14, and 15 in 2012. Trials commence Saturday 29 October 2011 at Bolton Park Stadium, Wagga Wagga.

**Hockey Scholarship** for boys and girls turning 14, 15, 16 or 17 in 2012. Trials commence Sunday 30 October 2011.
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HOLBROOK TENNIS CLUB

Would you like to play Saturday competition tennis? The Holbrook Tennis Club is looking for players to play in the Hume Country Tennis Association's 2011/2012 season. Season starts early October and team nominations have to be in by early September. Please register your name with Lynne Lubke on 6036 2423 or Phil Julian on 6036 2117.

STAR OF THE WEEK

Tia Charles
Year 2

AUSSIES OF THE MONTH

Lily Last
Year 1
Exceptional commitment to this WSP

FLYAWAY GYMNASTICS SCHOOL
HOLIDAY GYMNASTICS PROGRAM

A fun filled program for children aged 5-12 years. Book your child in for 2 hours of gymnastics fun where they will learn to roll, jump, flip and balance in a safe and friendly environment.

September: Tues 27th, Wed 28th & Thur 29th
October: Tues 4th, Wed 5th & Thur 6th
Time: 11am - 1pm
Cost: $15 per session, $40 for three sessions or $80 for six sessions

Bookings are essential.
Contact: Flyaway Gymnastics
Ph: (02) 6041 1127
Mobile: 0432 896 649
Email: flyawaygymnastics@hotmail.com

Child Care - $25 per day
With full rebates available

Hi All
Albury Police Community Youth Club is offering full day care for primary school students for the September / October school holidays.

BOOKINGS ARE A MUST!
ONLY 30 SPOTS A DAY
Phone: 6021 7437
Hannah Scobie
Year 6
Consistent involvement in all school activities

SPONSORS OF THE WEEK

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Tony Beaumont: Ph: 0439 598 298 Holbrook
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HOLBROOK WOOL BUYERS
(Hodge Wool)
Open Monday to Friday
Please ring ahead Mon – Wed
Ph: 0260363154

Jenni Turner 0424626193
Brian Hodge (Albury) 0407066359
112 Albury Street HOLBROOK
Holbrook Public School
Presents
‘Cirque du Schoolé’

At the School Hall
Cost $5 per ticket – seats are limited!
Tickets are available from the School office.
Ph 0260362021
Refreshments will be sold at all shows.

Tuesday 20th September 1pm
(Matinee)
Tuesday 20th September 7pm
Wednesday 21st September 7pm
There have been some changes...

2011 HENTY MACHINERY FIELD DAYS

WE NEED YOU!

All volunteers are supplied with entry tickets to the field days

CLEANING SHED: Friday 16th September 2011
- We need 7 people to clean 2 sheds – travel to HMFD supplied from Holbrook and a delicious morning tea provided!

CATERING SHED: Tuesday 20th, Wednesday 21st & Thursday 22nd September 2011
Due to changes with catering within the field days our hours have been greatly reduced.
- We only need 4 people on each of the days to fill the roster between the hours of 11am - 2pm (3 hours). This means everyone will be home before the school day has finished.

If you have any queries please call:
Sally Bulle 6036 9203 ardrossan@bigpond.com
Anna Watson 6036 7288 bbco1@bigpond.com
Tracy Swan 6036 5292 thebushswans@hotmail.com

If Holbrook Public School is unable to fill the allocated positions we will have to withdraw our support from the field days.

Please respond using the return the slip below.

I am able to assist at the Henty Field days in the BBQ shed (please tick O) and indicate time available
O Friday 16th September 2011 - cleaning shed
O Tuesday 20th September 2011
O Wednesday 21st September 2011
O Thursday 22nd September 2011

Name: ............................................................................................................

Contact number/email: .....................................................................................
Holbrook Tennis Club- School Holiday Tennis Camps

Introductory Camp- Specifically designed for those players starting out or completely new to tennis, emphasising Correct Technique & FUN

Advanced Player Development Camp- For the Developing Player incorporates Stroke Analysis, Statistical Feedback, Physical & On Court Assessments

All School Ages, Levels & Abilities

Tuesday 4th – Thursday 5th October

9.00 am – 11.00 am

HOLBROOK TENNIS CLUB

$25 per day per person, 3rd child half price, 4th child free!

- Contact Sally Bulle -
  Tel: (02) 60369203
  ardrossan@bigpond.com
## September 2011 Vacation Care – WEEK 1

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**Monday 26/09/2011**

- **Rumble Tumbles 9.00-11am**
- **Lunch 12-1pm**
- **Cooking 12-1pm**
- **Games/movie 1-4pm**
- **4-4 pm Movies**

**Tuesday 27/09/2011**

- **Tie dye T-shirt or pillow case 9.00-11am**
- **Cost $2**
- **Live Games**

**Wednesday 28/09/2011**

- **Gymnastics**
- **Cost $2**
- **Goofy Games**

**Thursday 29/09/2011**

- **DIY Clock**
- **Cost $5**

**Friday 30/09/2011**

- **Excursion**
  - To the movies we go to watch
  - Let's roll out the red carpet for a day
  - Cost $15
  - Games
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CLASS Q – SCHOOL SECTION
SPONSORED BY HOLBROOK LIONS CLUB
Steward: M Norris
Entries to Holbrook Public School or St Patrick’s School
by Wednesday 2 November 2011.
Entries to have been made in the last 12 months and
entered in the year currently studied at school.

Section
KINDERGARTEN - YEAR 1 – YEAR 2
1 Paper craft
2 Other craft
YEAR 3
3 Handsewn article
4 Handsewn toy
5 Item or sample of embroidery
6 Item or sample of crochet or knitting
7 Article from rigid material
8 Article from flexible material
9 Article from rigid and flexible material
YEAR 4
10 Hand sewn article
11 Hand sewn toy
12 Item featuring embroidery
13 Crocheted or knitted item
14 Article from rigid material
15 Article from flexible material
16 Article from rigid and flexible material
YEAR 5
17 Article featuring another craft
18 Article featuring handiwork
19 Article featuring embroidery
20 Crocheted or knitted item
21 Article from rigid material
22 Article from flexible material
23 Article from rigid and flexible material
YEAR 6
24 Machine made article
25 Article featuring handiwork
26 Article featuring embroidery
27 Crocheted or knitted item
28 Article from rigid material
29 Article from flexible material
30 Article from rigid and flexible material
SECONDARY
Please state year and age
31 Leatherwork
32 Metalwork
33 Woodcraft
34 Sewn article
35 Any other craft
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