

## SCHOOL PERFORMANCE P&C BBQ

5pm onwards

Water Bottle \$2

Poppers \$1

Zooper Dooper 50c

Sausage and topping in a  
roll \$2.50

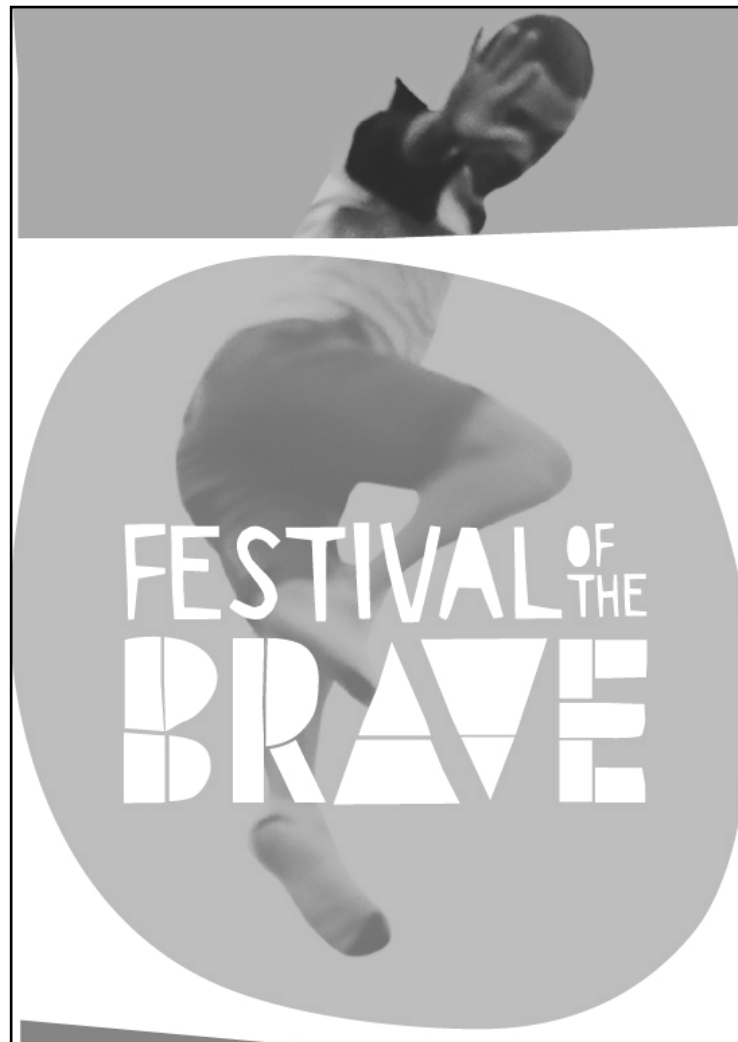
Bruschetta \$2.50

If you would like to help  
please come along and  
report to Tina Long.

## Noticeboard

- Family Relationship Centre
- Exchange Students Families needed
- Tuition
- After School Care
- Bridge
- Hockey
- NECOM
- Piano Tuition
- Orienteering

If you would like more information on these events please  
call into our office and check out our Community  
Noticeboard.



Remember Silver City in 2012?  
Were you there for Rainbow Ridge in 2013?

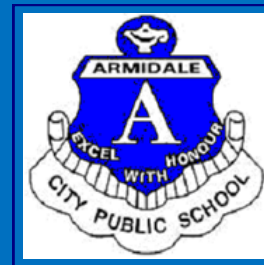
**YOU ARE INVITED TO BE A PART  
OF THE INAUGURAL  
FESTIVAL OF THE BRAVE  
2PM UNTIL 9PM, 13TH DECEMBER 2014  
ARMIDALE SHOWGROUNDS FREE!**

The Festival of the Brave brings the whole community  
together for a day of music, dance, art, food and celebration

**VISUAL ARTISTS' MARKET • CULTURAL FOOD STALLS  
PROJECTIONS • INTERACTIVE PERFORMANCES  
SPOKEN WORD & HIP HOP PERFORMANCES  
DANCE • SONG • & MORE!**

The Festival of the Brave is managed in partnership  
between Beyond Empathy (BE), Armidale Dumaresq Council,  
Armidale Local Aboriginal Land Council and Arts North West.

For more go to [be.org.au/festival-of-the-brave](http://be.org.au/festival-of-the-brave) or call 02 6772 0101



# The Blue and White Armidale City Public School

*the heart of Armidale*

*Quality teaching since 1861*

Principal: Mr Matt Hobbs

School Captains: Lucy Cook, Mangarchot Maluach

School Executive: Mrs Cherrie Paterson, Mrs Leonie MacGregor, Mrs Jodie Ridley

**26 November 2014**

## GRANDPARENTS' MORNING TEA



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## CALENDAR

28.11.14	K-2 Sports Morning
01-15.12.14	Yrs 3-6 Water Safety Program
03.12.14	11am School Performance - Matinee
03.12.14	7.30pm P&C Meeting
04.12.14	5pm BBQ Dinner
04.12.14	6.30pm School Performance - Evening
10.12.14	Presentation Day Rehearsal
12.12.14	Presentation Day
15.12.14	Year 6 Dinner
16.12.14	Helpers Morning Tea
17.12.14	Last Day of Term 4 for Students
18.12.14	Staff Development Day

THANK YOU THANK YOU  
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A MASSIVE THANK YOU TO TINA LONG, KYLIE REES, ANDREW SIMPSON AND VIRGINIA ROBERTSON FOR THE AMAZING JOB YOU ALL DID WITH THE PIZZA MEAL DEAL.

OVER \$900 DOLLARS WAS MADE.....

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT—WEEK 8

Our school leaders for 2015 were announced at assembly yesterday and all students are to be congratulated on their election to the position of school captain and school councillors. **Fraser Wilson, Javan Smith, Emilie Gates, Hamish Doak, Bayley Mitchell, Zoe McShane, Airlie Walsh and Esther Eickhoff** are school councillors. The School Captains will be announced at our Presentation Day. Well done also to the other Year 5 students who stood as candidates for these positions - your efforts are to be admired. The entire school community wishes our new leaders all the best in their roles and know they will lead Armidale City Public School with a sense of pride and responsibility, setting an example for all students at our school.



Students are currently working very hard in preparation for the school play - 'The Case of the Missing School' next week. The performance has a wide range of acts in it and it promises to be another wonderful event presented by the students and staff of Armidale City Public School. Tickets cost \$2 each and are available for purchase from **Mrs Roach** in her room from 8.30am each morning. There will be approximately 300 tickets per performance - the matinee on Wednesday 3 December which will commence at 11am and night show on Thursday 4 December which will commence at 6.30pm. The performance will run for approximately one hour and a half. The P&C will be running a BBQ before the night performance and this will commence at 5pm. We look forward to seeing family and friends at the show next week.

On Monday 24 November from 10.15am we held our Grandparents Day at Armidale City Public School. Grandparents came into school and saw the great work their Grandchildren do in their classrooms every day and the majority of feedback we have had has been extremely positive. Thank you to parents and staff for voluntarily providing morning tea with a wide selection of food items for our Grandparents. We had a large number of Grandparents in attendance and we thank them for giving up their time to join with us on this special occasion.

If parents have any friends who may be intending to send their child to Armidale City Public School next year and they have not let the school know ask them to contact the office as soon as possible. This enables us to plan our class structures effectively for 2015.

Individual student reports are currently being finalised for Semester 2. Reports are written based on progress made in Semester 2 against syllabus outcomes for individual students. Effort levels and overall grading information per key learning area is provided as well as comments from teachers. Parents are encouraged to contact their child's teacher when they receive reports with any questions they may have.

Parents and carers are reminded that they must not use the school car park as a drop off or collection point in the morning or afternoon as students and families walk through this area at these times. School staff understand that sometimes car parks are difficult to find but this does not mean parents should park in the school car park. Safety around cars is an integral part of the duty of care for staff and we thank all parents and carers who consider this request when thinking about where they are going to drop off or pick up their child. If you would like to discuss this matter further please contact the school office. Parents and carers are also reminded that our school day commences at 9.10am with supervision provided from 8.40am and the day concludes at 3.10pm with students to depart as soon as possible after this time.

Mr Matt Hobbs  
Principal

[matthew.hobbs@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:matthew.hobbs@det.nsw.edu.au)

## KINDER GREEN NEWS

Wow! We can't believe that it is nearly the end of our time in Kindergarten! Kinder Green has had a very busy term so far. Our favourite thing we have done so far was our excursion to Thalgarrah. We enjoyed meeting Matt and his lizard Bluff. We ate plants for morning tea and had so much fun playing teddy bear games before we had our picnic lunch. We are excited to be focussing on Celebrations in our HSIE unit and are looking forward to starting our Christmas activities over the next couple of weeks. Then we get to look forward to being big Year One students next year!!

Mrs Tina Rubie  
Class Teacher

## 3/4RT CLASS NEWS

It has been a fantastic year here in 3/4RT! We are in the final stages of getting our act for the play ready! It is going to be sensational. The class has learnt a lot about foxes with our information reports and also researched Aboriginal culture such as shelter, food and medicines. In 3/4RT we have learnt a lot, grown in many ways and are really excited in preparing for next year. I would like to congratulate the children on their achievements and making it a pleasure coming to work everyday!

Miss Charmaine Perris  
Class Teacher

# Congratulations

## BRONZE AWARDS

KR	Yoyo Chadar	
3/4RT	Mya Ewen	Tobe Malu
	Alex Lazarev	

## SILVER AWARDS

KB	Ezekiel Toó	Elijah Gaw
	Cooper Galvin	Jade Foster
KG	Sonny Blanch	Zhara Poulter
	Peyton King	Hayley Garrahy
	David Frost	Cooper-Jak Cram
1/2C	Tom Simpson	
1/2K	Meron Mengesha	Illyria Partridge
	Timbie Powles	
1/2S	Jessica Dong	Brendan Bishop
3/4KS	Shian Kim	Reed Dawson
	Bethany Eickhoff	Phoebe Girard
	Sanar Al-Husseini	Harper Bryon
	Rebekah Craven	Aashrita Abbaraju
	Jacob Whitehill	
3/4R	Thomas Tibbs	Belle Mitchell
	Heath Maurer	
3/4RT	Leo Watson-Rote	Delphi Collins
	William Blackwell	Lauren Williams
	Alix McShane	Macuei Chadar
3/4J	Tahli Smith	Cee-Jay Pout-Roberts
5/6K	Cody Cheeseman-Clare	
5/6Mac	Tykeisha Collins	India Zikan
	Eruera Heremaia	Marvin Palad
	Fraser Wilson	Esther Eickhoff
	Kyle Whitton	

## GOLD AWARDS

KR	Danika Smith	William Bursle
	Lilly Thomas	
KG	Eva Pilkington	Sam Ambagtsheer
	Zoe Giles	
KB	Zoe Reeve	
1/2C	Tom Simpson	
3/4KS	Camiele Nadimi	Lilly Green
3/4T	Alex Watson	Alec Showell
3/4R	Amy Bryant	Fynn Eastwood
3/4J	Rubi-Lea Ainsworth	Noah Craven
3/4RT	Amy Rees	
5/6K	Andrew Henderson	Lachie Bryant
	Louella Gayden	Lily Wilson
	Adi Lal	Deekshika Elango
5/6Mac	Anna Dennis	Emily Berryman
	Thomas Swanson	Breanna Boyd
	Danika Hazel	Javan Smith
	Ethan Kirkwood	Paige McKay
	Lilli-Cate McMillan	