

MHS Newsletter

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

I love a sunburnt country,
A land of sweeping plains,
Of ragged mountain ranges,
Of droughts and flooding rains.

When it has been dry for so long, it is easy to imagine that it may never rain again. That said, I remember an old Narrabri cocky once said to me that every day that passes in a drought is a good day as it brings us one day closer to the next rains. With that in mind and Dorothea MacKellar's words above, it is easy to imagine the joy had across the district after this weekend past when we finally arrived at that last day.

Rain at last!

And what a monumental downpour we had. Officially 50mm, in almost as many minutes, on Sunday.

At the end of this week, Friday 2 March, we will run our annual swimming carnival. The swimming carnival date corresponds with the opening of the Mudgee Show. If ever a combination read like a recipe for drought alleviation, this must surely be it! I think I will keep the umbrella close.

As a record, I have included a photograph of the Denison River – a little-known tributary of the Cudgegong – flowing nicely last Sunday afternoon. Perhaps some entrepreneurial type may offer cruises and fishing holidays next time it is in flood...

This week, students at Mudgee High are being reminded about what it takes to earn "Gold" level and the potential short-cuts to achieving this recognition.

Quite simply, if a student conducts themselves in their learning and socialising in a safe, respectful and responsible manner, they will achieve "Gold" just as a vehicle driver in NSW who has a blemish free driving record will be offered the opportunity to renew their licence as "Gold" at the end of five years and at a reduced rate. The driver need not be caught doing the right thing. The driver need only do the right thing.

"The right thing" at school includes attempting all learning to the best of one's ability. It also includes behaving in a manner that allows teachers to teach and other students to learn; being both a regular attender and when absent, explaining that absence with a note from home, and; wearing uniform and when this occasionally is not possible, explaining an absence of uniform with a note from home.

Simple stuff.

At our weekly assembly, students from each Year are recognised by their Year Advisers for the positive difference they are making around the school. This recognition takes the form of a P&C sponsored award. Equally, a random draw from the Safe, Responsible and Respectful (SRR) list takes place and the person drawn is acknowledged on assembly, and through this newsletter, for the positive contribution they are making at school.

Earning Recognition Certificates for work well done, community spirit, sporting representation, cultural representation and any number of other "above and beyond" efforts around the place is a way for a student to fast-track their respective way to personal "Gold." That too will be part of the discussions had with the students this week.

*A Member of the
Cudgegong Learning
Community*

PLEASE SEE OUR WEBSITE
FOR THE COMPLETE
CALENDAR OF EVENTS



COMING EVENTS

- Mar 1 - Parent Teacher evening - Yrs 7, 11 & 12 4pm - 7pm in Gym
- Mar 2 - Swimming Carnival
- Mar 6 - School Photos
- Mar 7 - School Photos catch up day
- Mar 15 - Parent Teacher evening - Yrs 8, 9 & 10 4pm - 7pm in Gym
- Apr 6 - 13 - Year 12 1/2 yearly exams
- Apr 13 - Last day of Term 1

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Parent/Teacher evening for the parents and carers of Years 7, 11 and 12 is on this Thursday 01/03, between 3.45pm and 7pm in the Gym. Booking sheets are out there for what is a great way to discover what your children have been learning, their personal levels of understanding and where to from here. I would encourage anyone with a child in these Year groups to take the opportunity to meet and speak with the other important adults in your child's life. You should also feel free to bring your child with you so that the triangular partnership that is the foundation of successful school education – a solid working partnership between teacher, student and parent/ carer – can be reinforced.

... and if your child is in Years 8, 9 or 10, Parent/ Teacher evening for these cohorts is scheduled for Thursday 01/03, between 3.45pm and 7pm in the Gym.

Until next week...

TERM 1 WEEK 4 AWARDS

P & C AWARDS:

Jake Reid - Yr 7, Thomas Wheeler - Yr 8, Shania Aylett - Yr 9,
Morgan Hurrell - Yr 10, Laura Treverrow - Yr 11,
Taylah Ralston - Yr 12

SRR AWARD: Spencer Broom - Yr 7



SWIMMING CARNIVAL

The swimming carnival is on this **Friday 2nd of March**.

It is **compulsory for years ALL students at Mudgee High School** to attend the swimming carnival. Students can be dropped off at the pool from 8.20am onwards or if they catch the bus get off at St. Matthews School and walk to the pool supervised by staff members. The roll will be marked as students enter the pool grounds. The carnival starts at 9am and students are expected to be there before this time.

As always the spirit of the carnival is for students to have fun and participate. **ALL** students are expected to participate in at least 2 events. If your son/daughter is not a strong swimmer, there will be assistance available to enable them to swim and earn valuable House points.

Students are encouraged to get into the spirit of the carnival and dress in their house colours. They should also remember to bring sunscreen and hat. Students may wear appropriate swimwear of their choice. (We would prefer one piece swimwear to reduce risk of embarrassment and to enable more competitive swimming; however, appropriate swimwear also includes speedos, one piece, two piece, board shorts and rash shirts.) e.g. bikinis may slip when diving into the pool, so it is at the wearer's own risk of embarrassment if they choose to wear this style of swimwear.

Canteen facilities are available and Yr 12 will run activities throughout the day. All students are encouraged to bring some money to support the fundraising effort.

If students are interested in representing Mudgee High in swimming, they need to see Mr Smith in the Computer Pod between K01 and K02.

We would like to congratulate the following students on their elevation to either junior or senior house captain:

Cunningham – Yellow Isabelle Hauville Jake Crochott Karen Aylett Berrigan Leonard	Blaxland – Red Alexis Douglas Kelly Constable Andrew Burrows Taylor Henwood
Lawson – Blue Rebecca Lowe Freddie May Tayla Riley Ryan Staub	Wentworth – Green Isabella Shearman Samuel Roth Taylah Ralston Jarred Reimer

NAPLAN AND THE CHANGES TO THE HSC MINIMUM STANDARD

The Minister for Education recently announced that Year 9 NAPLAN tests will no longer be linked to accessing the HSC, as had been proposed for all students considering the HSC from 2020 and beyond.

Instead, students considering the HSC from 2020 onwards will be required to sit a separate literacy and numeracy test in either Year 10, 11 or 12 before they can be awarded the HSC.

This change has been made to ensure NAPLAN remains more a diagnostic snapshot of a child's ability rather than a "high-stakes" entry credential for senior high school study, thus reducing unnecessary stress on young people.

Students will show they meet the HSC minimum standard by passing online tests of basic reading, writing and numeracy skills needed for everyday tasks. As mentioned above, these will be made available to sit when students are ready in either Year 10, 11 or 12, as well as after the HSC.

Mudgee High school will offer the first of these tests later in the year.

NAPLAN 2017 test results

Students who achieved Band 8s or above in one or more of the 2017 Year 9 NAPLAN reading, writing or numeracy tests are recognised as having met the HSC minimum standard in that area/s and will not need to sit the corresponding online test/s.

WHAT TO EXPECT?

Visit educationstandards.nesa.nsw.edu.au/HSCminimumstandard to view sample test questions and answers online.

STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Some students with disabilities will be eligible for extra provisions for the minimum standard online tests, or an exemption from the HSC minimum standard requirement.

Students are encouraged to talk to their teachers to determine whether they are eligible for special provisions.

LIFE IN THE LIBRARY 2018

As we creep closer to the mid-point of Term One, our restructured Library has had a substantial increase in 'traffic' using our resources for teaching and learning purposes. All is in 'full swing' accommodating the needs of both staff and students as we settle into our 'core business', meeting the needs of Mudgee High's school community.

Our two dedicated computer classrooms and Central Library have been 'booked solid' on a daily basis for class research, pending first assessment tasks and mandatory skills and safety testing across a range of learning areas.

Our new central classroom area with 'big screen' audio/visual facility is being utilised for whole class lessons on a regular basis. Its sixty seat 'plus' capacity hosts weekly staff meetings as well as Staff Development Days this year.

Simultaneously, we have been accommodating our Stage 6 Distance Education students accessing a broad range of external subjects ranging from Dance, French, Spanish, Italian, Digital Multimedia and ESL. This highlights the scope of subjects available at Mudgee High through our Distance Education partner schools. All students have settled into classes with their new 'via remote' teachers and are motivated in their self-directed learning.

Year 12 have also been doing a commendable job in utilising study periods in the Library undertaking homework, research and coursework. The Library offers not only a place to stay on top of the constant workload associated with the HSC. It also provides printing facilities for student work submission. These Library printing services are available to all students at MHS.

At this point, we are regularly accommodating at any given time over one hundred students when all our Library spaces are booked and this capacity will expand further when our third dedicated computer classroom 'comes online' later in the term.

We also accommodate students doing 'school based traineeships' and ongoing staff professional learning courses via our video conference facilities.

The Library has also hosted two 'outside' regional conferences for Principals and SASS staff respectively to this point and a 'White Card' training day for students.

As the above evidences, each day is a case of 'shuffling the deck chairs around the pool deck' to get the most out of our Library for everyone.

In other news, at present we have a display on Ancient China, specifically the 'Terracotta Warriors' on exhibition that was kindly donated to us last year. We are also promoting a 'fresh range' of new books on a wide range of subjects. There are fiction novels as well as non-fiction resources covering a broad range of topics on resilience, adversity, History, Languages and Religion.

All this and we are 5 weeks into the 2018 school year!



'SURVIVOR LIFE SKILLS' WORKSHOP'

The Business Concierge Training and Development Company from Sydney will visit Mudgee High school on **Wednesday, Thursday & Friday March 14 - 16**. This organisation presents 'Survivor Life Skills' workshops on topics such as budgeting, goal setting, work rights and responsibilities etc to secondary students.

The Business Concierge company will provide their expertise to Mudgee High School Years 7, 10 and 11 groups this year.

The workshop topics are:

Year 7 (Wed 14/3) - Financial Literacy, including budgeting & managing money.

Year 10 (Thurs 15/3) - Interview Skills and Techniques.

Year 11 (Thurs 15/3 and Fri 16/3) - Stress and the HSC, Goal setting and Action Plans.

The workshops are practical and interactive and students should gain valuable skills to assist with future career planning as well as general living skills.

Feed back from students who have participated in these workshops in the past has been positive. The overall cost of the 'Survivor Life skills' program is \$11.00 / student which covers the cost of the presentation, transport, accommodation and workbook. As the program is generously subsidised by local Mudgee businesses and Mudgee High School, the **contribution requested from student's families is only \$4.00 / student.**

The \$4.00 contribution will be payable at the door on the day.

If you have any questions regarding any aspect of the upcoming "Survivor Life skills' workshops, please contact Mr Bill Kempton at the school.

YEAR 10 WORK EXPERIENCE

What is **the** best way to assist a Year 10 student make a decision about a career they may be considering post school? The answer is **work experience**.

Mudgee High School Year 10 students have the opportunity to sample careers of choice first hand through the school's work experience program.

Students are asked to participate in the program for up to 1 week, at some stage during 2018. Students are supported in this process, with the school's Careers Advisor assisting with suggestions for placements, making initial contact with employers etc.

Besides an authentic experience in a work place, the record of work experience engagement is also a powerful addition to a student's resume for future job seeking and tertiary training.

Year 10 students at Mudgee High are expected to participate in work experience during 2018 and students and parents are supported in all aspects of arranging and undertaking the placement.

If parents/carers require more information regarding the Mudgee High School Year 10 work experience program, please contact the school's Careers Advisor, Mr Kempton.

SRC - HELPING TO MAKE MUDGEES HIGH GREAT

At the end of last year, the SRC (Student Representative Council) ran two very successful Christmas campaigns; the Giving Tree and World Vision Gifting.

Thank you to all those who helped us to support people in our local community for Christmas as well as people in desperate need in our international community. Without the support of students, staff and parents, the SRC would not be as successful.

This year we have great plans to help build and nurture our school community with activities such as quad jams, socials, a paper plane competition and much more.

Each year group has their own representatives on the Council. Students are encouraged to make themselves aware of who their rep's are and raise any concerns or encourage them, so that Mudgee High can be the best place.



Photos from Quad Jam 2017

SCHOOL PHOTOS

The photo envelopes were issued to students on Monday 19/2/18

On Tuesday 6th of March (week 6) school photos will be taken. Wednesday 7th of March will be a catch up day. All students are to have their photo taken for their ID card, and there is no cost to having their photo taken. ***Students wishing to purchase photographs should pre-pay online or bring correct amount of cash in the envelope on the day as the office is unable to issue change.***

Students wishing to have a family photo taken should collect an envelope from the PD/H/PE staffroom.

Any queries, contact Penelope Smith in PD/H/PE

MT PIPER POWER STATION EXCURSION

Year 8 will be studying a unit of work this term titled Electricity Generation. Having electricity available 24x7 is expected and treated as a right. However, understanding how power generating companies achieve this is the stuff with which only engineers usually need concern themselves.

Or should others be concerned?

State and Federal governments continue to make decisions that consume huge sums of taxpayer money. These decisions are related to electricity generation so it's all of our business as well. The trip to Mt Piper will expose Year 8 students to Australia's current (no pun) major means of electricity generation.



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EDUCATIONAL EXCURSION PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION AND CONSENT FORM (DAY EXCURSION)

N.B. SCHOOL UNIFORM MUST BE WORN ON ALL EXCURSIONS

Dear Parent/Carer

Your child/ward has been selected to participate in the **Mt Piper Power Station excursion on Thursday March 29 2018** departing Mudgee High School at 9.30am and returning to Mudgee High School by 3.15pm.

The cost of this excursion is \$14.00 – online payment reference - 337

Instalments welcome but final payment must be made by the close by date.

Travel will be by bus. Students will be supervised by Mr Rae, Mrs McGonnigle, Mr Evans and Mr Hill

Additional information: Students to bring own refreshments and lunch. **Enclosed footwear is essential.**

Teacher in charge of excursion is Mr Rae

IF AN EXCURSION IS DUE BACK AFTER 3.30PM AND THE TEACHER HAS ADVISED THE SCHOOL THAT THE EXCURSION IS GOING TO BE BACK EARLY OR LATER THAN TIME STATED ON PERMISSION NOTE A MESSAGE WILL BE LEFT ON THE ANSWERING MACHINE TO ADVISE EXPECTED TIME

PRINCIPAL – W EADE

**PLEASE COMPLETE THE SECTION BELOW AND RETURN TO THE FRONT OFFICE
(with payment if applicable) BY 22/03/2018 – closes.**

"----- please detach and return to Front Office -----"

I hereby consent to my child/ward _____

participating in the **Mt Piper Power Station excursion on Thursday March 29 2018** departing Mudgee High School at 9.30am and returning to Mudgee High School by 3.15pm. Travel will be by bus.

Special needs of the child that the school is **NOT** already aware of:

Details: _____

Signature of Parent/Carer: _____ Contact Number: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Contact Number: _____

Date: _____

Online payment yes ☐ no ☐

Closes 22/03/2018. Payment/notes will not be accepted after this date

Excursion No: 337 - \$14.00

REFUNDS:

Refunds will only be given for students who are unable to attend the excursion for significant reason/s.

Application for refunds MUST be made in writing within ONE week of the excursion date.

Refunds will now be held in credit against the student to be used for future excursions or fees. If this is an unsuitable arrangement, please make contact with the school's ever helpful front office staff.

Medical Insurance: Parents please note that there is no personal injury insurance cover provided by the NSW Department of Education and Training for students in relation to school sporting activities, physical education lessons or any other school activity. Parents and caregivers are advised to assess the level and extent of their child's involvement in the sport program when deciding whether additional insurance cover, above that provided by Medicare, is required. Personal accident insurance cover is available through the normal retail insurance outlets. **The NSW Supplementary Sporting Injuries Benefits Scheme**, funded by the NSW Government, covers any injury resulting in the permanent loss of a prescribed faculty or the use of some prescribed part of the body.

MOBILE PHONE AND CAMERA USE FOR EXCURSIONS

The security of all personal property will be each student's responsibility

Dear Parents and carers,

While students are strongly advised **NOT** to bring valuable items on excursions, they are permitted to bring cameras and phones on two conditions. First they must have your permission to do so. Second, they must agree to abide by the conditions of use outlined below.

Please complete the form below if your child will be carrying a mobile phone and/or camera with them on the excursion. This will ensure that students use their devices in an appropriate manner and that parents have given permission for photographs or videos to be taken of their student.

Only students who have parental permission can take or appear in photographs or videos.

"----- please detach and return to office -----"

I give permission for my child/ward _____(insert child's full name)

to take and appear in photographs and videos while on this excursion.

I agree that he/she must not publish or share photographs or videos in a way which might be reasonably considered as having the potential to harass, intimidate or humiliate another person or which breaches Mudgee High School's Fair Discipline Code or the criminal law. I agree that my child/ward will not use their mobile phone or camera in manner which might reflect negatively on Mudgee High School.

I agree that my child/ward will seek specific permission from a supervising teacher before publishing or sharing any photograph or video taken while on the excursion.

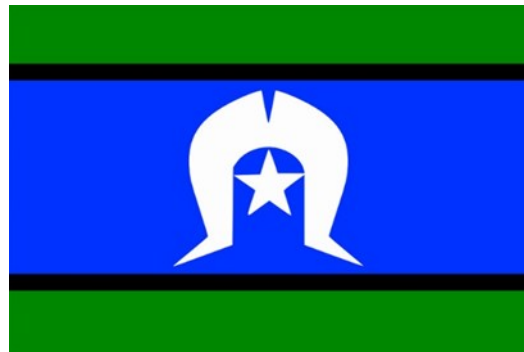
I understand that unacceptable use of photographs or videos may lead to school disciplinary action and/ or police involvement. While on the excursion, phones or cameras that are used in an unacceptable manner may be confiscated by a supervising teacher and returned only to the parent.

I have discussed all of these points with my child/ward.

Parent/caregiver name

Date

Signature parent/caregiver



Welcome BBQ/Close the Gap Event for our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students and Families

You are invited to the Mudgee High School Welcome BBQ. This is an opportunity for our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students and their families to meet with the school and community in an informal and fun way.

As well as a BBQ, we will also be showing some short films to mark Close the Gap day and there will be an opportunity to play some half-court basketball.

Date: Wednesday 7th March

Time: 5pm to 7pm

Place: Mudgee High School gymnasium area; enter the school from Denison Street

An invitation has been given out to all our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families. Please return the slip at the bottom of the invitation to the front office of Mudgee High School to let us know if you will be attending the event. This will allow us to adequately cater.

For further information please call Ms McCann or Miss Windeyer.

We look forward to seeing you.



ADVERTISEMENTS

ROTARY DISTRICT 9670 AUSTRALIA YOUTH EXCHANGE

INFORMATION NIGHT

WOULD YOUR SON OR DAUGHTER LIKE 12 MONTHS OVERSEAS AS A YOUTH EXCHANGE STUDENT?

TUESDAY : 6th MARCH 2018

VENUE: MUDGEES GOLF CLUB

TIME: 5:30pm

The Rotary Clubs of Mudgee will be holding an information night for interested students and parents. Students between 15 to 17 year age group, and must be in year 9,10 or 11 in the year they make application, to spend twelve months attending a secondary school and living with host families in another Country.

Countries that may be available include: Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and USA.

If you are interested in attending the information night, please email, Jenny Dowdy, District Youth Exchange Committee: jenniferdowdy2@gmail.com with your name, age, school attending at present and contact details or phone 0429 658 915. You can also contact David Roach, Chairman on 0428 338 489.



2018 Walk for Autism

One of our proactive parents has asked that you all be made aware of a movement called Walk for Autism.

The group is looking to encourage people to take on the 10,000 steps challenge from the 8-15 April.

From the Walk for Autism Facebook page, the group offers the following:

“Register today at www.walkforautism.org.au and start stepping towards a world where no-one on the autism spectrum is left behind.”



Tuning in to Kids

For parents and carers of children and young people

Parents & Carers skills course March/April 2018- MUDGEE

Tuning in to Kids offers an approach to parenting which supports children's emotional development and intelligence. It also provides strategies for parents to help kids through difficult moments in ways that bring children and parents closer and promotes learning.

Participants learn **EMOTION COACHING** principles and skills to help kids....

- recognise and understand their own and other people's feelings
- talk about and manage their emotions in safe and appropriate ways
- grow in confidence in solving problems and managing disagreements

These skills are often called 'emotional intelligence', and research shows they are really important for kids. Children with higher emotional intelligence:

- enjoy greater success with making friends and managing conflict with peers
- have better concentration, so they are more likely to succeed academically
- are more able to self soothe when upset or angry
- tend to have fewer childhood illnesses
- have more stable and satisfying relationships as adults; and
- have greater career success ...
emotional intelligence may be a better predictor of academic and career success than IQ!



There will be 5 sessions, held weekly on Tuesdays- 13th, 20th and 27th March, and 3rd and 10th of April. The daytime session will run 10am-12midday, and the evening session 6.30pm to 8.30pm.

Cost: \$190 per person / \$295 per couple. Places are limited. For further information call Angela 0412 159 591, or contact via email at angela jean middleton@gmail.com Online registration is available at www.mudgeetherapyroom.com

Angela Middleton is a Social Worker who provides counselling to children, adults, families and couples, especially with interpersonal difficulties, life transitions, and recovery from abuse and trauma. An accredited Tuning In to Kids facilitator, she enjoys supporting parents and carers in finding new parenting tools.

Marea Farley is a Social Worker in private practice in Mudgee. Her main areas of counselling expertise are child and family, parent and caregiver support, grief and loss, and trauma. She has 40 years experience working with children, parents, carers and teachers across a range of community and therapeutic settings.

Michelle Evans is a Social Worker with 25 years' experience in counselling and family work. Michelle works with children, adolescents, adults and families. She has expertise in trauma recovery and draws on strengths based, dialectic and cognitive behavioural perspectives.

Tuning in to Kids was developed by the University of Melbourne- www.tuningintokids.org.au

SAVE THE REGENT THEATRE



MUDGEES LACKS A DEDICATED MULTI-PURPOSE VENUE FOR THE ARTS, SHOWCASING LIVE THEATRE, MUSIC PERFORMANCES, CONCERTS, CABARETS, SCHOOL CEREMONIES AND THE LIKE, FOR THE COMMUNITY.

THE REGENT THEATRE WAS DESIGNED FOR THIS PURPOSE.

IT IS TIME TO BRING IT BACK

VIEW the newly modified Development Application as of 16 February 2018 here:

DA0081/2018 Regent Theatre at Council offices or on Council website www.midwestern.nsw.gov.au

SUBMIT your objections BEFORE 2 MARCH 2018

FOLLOW US @REVIVETHEREGENT

[HTTPS://REVIVETHEREGENT.WIXSITE.COM/MUDGEES](https://revivetheregent.wixsite.com/mudgee)





Australian

Country Fashion Beauty Pageant Entry Form

2018.

AUSTRALIAN COUNTRY FASHION BEAUTY PAGEANT FEATURES

SIX AUSTRALIAN COUNTRY MODEL OF THE YEAR TITLES AND TWO NEW SOUTH WALES MODEL OF THE YEAR TITLES

Excellent Prizes. Entry fee \$10 per each category entered

Model of the Year Titles are listed below. Please tick each Model of the Year Title you are entering. Entrants must complete personal details section

Event	Entry Fee	Tick
1... Australian Country Top Model	\$10	
2... Australian Country Sportsperson Model of the Year	\$10	
3... Australian Runway Model of The Year	\$10	
4... Australian University Model of the Year	\$10	
5... Australian Country Swimsuit Model of the Year	\$10	
6... Australian Country Junior Model of the Year 15 yrs/under 17	\$10	
7... New South Wales Country Model of the Year	\$10	
8... Central West/Central Tablelands Area N.S.W Model of the Year	\$10	

ENTRANT NAME.....

ADDRESS.....•.....

DATE OF BIRTH.....

PHONE NUMBER.....•.....

All model of the year titles are open to both female and male entrants. The "Pageant" The winners are recognized as Australian Country Model of the Year Titles throughout Australia. Country born students whose parent/parents still live in a rural area and the student is attending college/school/university or working in an urban region can enter, All student attending college/school/university in rural region can enter the Pageant. Confidentiality is assured No Private information as required above will be given to anyone. All funds will be donated to the charities listed on front page. No commissions to anyone.

PLEASE NOTE. All details of payment of entry fees are located on bottom of page "Conditions of Entry" .

ENTRIES CLOSE 10 MARCH 2018

Venue- Panthers Bathurst Club. William Street. Bathurst. N.S.W 2795

Major Sponsors. Caribee International. Honda Australia, Bathurst Priceline BIG W Bathurst, Reliance Bank, Aspire Hair & **Body Spa Bathurst**, **Bob Jane** T-Marts, Bathurst Holden, Coles Bathurst, Bathurst Subaru,

Conditions of Entry

Entry fee of \$10 each Model of the Year entered must accompany entry form

No more than one Australian Country Australian Country Model of the Year title can be won by any one person at the Pageant 2018

Entrant must wear own clothing .Some fashion shops may provide clothing for the entrant to wear but that arrangement is between entrant and fashion shop

Entrants must report to the area supervisor one hour prior to commencement of Pageant

All decisions made by the judging panel are final. No correspondence will be considered.

Note that the latest judging for selection of model titles will be implemented This method of selection is used by major retail business, model agencies. Modelling provides great opportunities in television, cataloguing, online model castings, arts, photogenic models for commercial posters, magazines, tests shots for acting,

Criteria for Entry

Entrants for Australian Country Swimsuit Model of the Year must wear own swimwear

Entrants Australian Junior Model of the Year Titles must be 15 years of age and under

17. Have signed permission from Parent.

Entrants in Australian University Model of the Year Title must have studied or are studying at University, open to all students, and those studying by distant education

Entrants entering Central West/Tablelands model of the year title must reside in region within region from Springwood to Bourke.

Entrants entering Sportsperson Model of the Year title providing they play any sport can enter. You do not have to wear clothing of the sport. Compare will ask the sport you play.

Entrants may enter as many Model of the Year titles they wish providing they meet the above criteria.

Business Fashion Shop (not named) the charities has donated three pairs of high heel shoes , two in size 37, one in 39 and eight piece of clothing size (S) one size (M). Names of entrants that enter two or more events will go into draw to win one item of shoe or clothing. As the items have been donated and business firm not named no item is changeable

WE WISH TO SINCERELY THANK ALL OUR SPONSORS/SUPPORTERSAS WITHOUT THIER CONTRIBUTION WE COULD NOT PROMOTE EVENT TO RAISE FUNDS FOR CHARITY. WE THANK ALL ENTRANTS FOR ENTERING. YOU ARE ALL WINNERS FOR SUPPORTING GREAT CHARITIES, EVERY MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE-COMMITTEE ARE VOLUNTEERS. THANK YOU FOR DISPLAYING OUR ENTRY FORMS/POSTERS

If you would like one of the Booklets I have written 2018 featuring past winners, Icons of the fashion/model industry I will send you one, but stocks are limited. T.Pratley Founder.

Ph 02-6331 4630

Payment of Entry Fees

Payment by cheque or money order, made payable to T.Pratley 10 Rosehill St Bathurst

N.S.W 2795.Danielle Smith Laughton Close Orange. By cash and entry form to Manager Stormriders Bathurst City Centre Howick St Bathurst. N.S.W

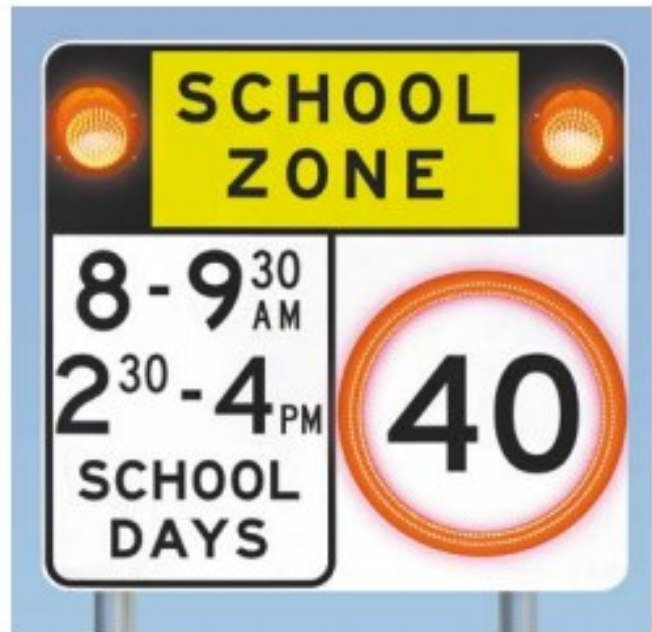
ENTRIES CLOSE 10 MARCH 2018

Please note that with the postal delivery as it is. Letters can take from four days to a week for delivery. You can E-Mail your entry through to danielle62@bigpond.com. Will be accepted including details of payment..

"YES" You can enter online through entry form on our website. Send E-mail with details of payment of fees.

Reinforcing safety in school zones

Seven new school zone offences enforced from 1 February 2018.



To help schools keep the school zone safer for all pedestrians and drivers there are seven new traffic offences with new fines.

None of the seven offences attract demerit points when committed elsewhere on the road but now in a school zone they each come with two points.

The changes are:

1. Stopping in intersection - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$439 and 2 demerit points.
2. Stop within 20m of intersection (traffic lights) - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$439 and 2 demerit points.
3. Stop within 10m of intersection (no traffic lights) - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$439 and 2 demerit points.
4. Stop near bicycle crossing lights - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$439 and 2 demerit points.
5. Obstruct access to ramp/path/passageway - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$330 and 2 demerit points.
6. Not parallel park in the direction of travel - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a \$330 fine and 2 demerit points.
7. Parallel park close to dividing line - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a \$330 fine and 2 demerit points.

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