Principals Message
The cold weather has finally arrived and with it comes the problem of clothes being left at school with no name tags. Please label everything as already there have been jumpers and jackets left behind.

On Wednesday the Year 6 students travel to Moree for the GRIP Leadership day. Thank you to Natasha Marchant for offering to help drive to make this day possible.

We had our annual visit from Outback Scripture today.

Our Cross country is on Friday commencing at 2pm. We will need some help with road safety, recording etc. All are welcome to come and cheer on the children.

The NAPLAN tests will commence next Tuesday for all Year 3, 5, 7 and 9 students across Australia. Please make sure your child has a good sleep each night and has breakfast so they can concentrate. The exams will run from the 13th to the 15th. Thank you to Rick and Di Lindberg for holding raffles last Friday to assist with our excursion this year. It is much appreciated.

On the weekend due to the generosity of Phil & Jodie Bornholt and Ken Knox the school oval received a much needed top dress in the areas that have died back. We really appreciate Phil and Jodie supplying the equipment and Ken for his time spreading the sand.
As always if you have any concerns please come and see me at the school.

Kind Regards  Mick Collins

**BOOK CONTRIBUTION**

The school supplies the majority of books, stationary etc. This is covered through the school book fee of $50 per child or $90 Family. It would be appreciated if this fee could be paid ASAP.

**STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

**Primary**

Jamie and James for a great start to the term.

**Infants**

Jett for his effort in Cross Country Practice.

Isabelle for being a friendly student.

Neatness awards go to Chantal and Jessie
**LIBRARY**
Infants have library on Tuesdays and Primary have library on Wednesdays. Daphne will be loaning and returning the children’s books for this term.
Lots of students have outstanding books at home. If books are not returned children cannot borrow new books.

**HOMEWORK/ HOME READERS**
These are required back each Friday.

**GRIP LEADERSHIP COURSE YR. 6**
Year 6 students will travel to Moree to attend a leadership course on Wednesday.

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**Reminder notes**

**SCHOOL FRIDGES**
We are now down to one fridge as the smaller one has decided to go on strike.
I would really appreciate if you remind your child to put their lunch etc. in the fridge if they have food that requires refrigeration. *The school does not supply plates, spoons etc. so please send these in with your child if required.*

**UNIFORMS**
Anyone wishing to purchase uniforms please see Donna Adams 02 67535302.

**ABSENT NOTES**
If your child is away please remember we will need a note explaining the absence when returning to school.
These notes can be sent to school in advance if you know they will be away before the event.
BUS TRAVEL
If your child is not catching the bus as per usual for some reason please let the school and bus driver know. This is particularly important if your child is going to the pool after school, has swimming lessons or dance lessons etc.

SCHOOL HATS
It is a requirement that students wear a wide brimmed hat to school. Each child has had their name put in the hat. We will not be giving any more free hats out. Any hats required from now on will need to be purchased from Donna Adams for $10

COMING EVENTS 201
TERM 2
MAY
7th May Grip Leadership in Moree
9th School Cross country
13th – 15th – NAPLAN
23rd Moree Zone Cross Country
26th Music Visit
29th Science Day
JUNE
5th – Life Ed Van
13th Regional Cross Country
25th Baker Cup Athletics - Boomi & Garah at Boomi
End of Term Friday 27th June

TERM 3
Monday 14th July First day for Teachers
Tuesday 15th July first day for students
End of term Friday 19th September

TERM 4
First day of Term 7th October
End of Term 17th December for students

P & C MEETING
There will be a P&C meeting on Tuesday 6th May at 3.15pm.
BOOMI CO-OP NEWS
The Boomi Store will now be open between 11am and 5pm on Saturday and Sunday

POOL HOURS
Winter hours started on Monday 28th April.
9:00am to 12:00pm - 2:00pm to 5:00pm.

MOTHERS DAY TENNIS AND AGM
Mother’s Day Tennis and Tennis Club AGM will be held Sunday 11th May at 11am. Everyone welcome for a hit of tennis and lunch. Bring your own meat and salad for lunch. Dates for tournaments will be discussed so please bring your diaries. All Welcome. Sam Hickson

Ladies, come and be spoiled- join us for

HIGH TEA at “Barra”
On Sunday the 18th May at 10 am
- RSVP Annette by
12th May 0267535326
Cost-$20

'All proceeds will aid in buying supplies for an Australian regional Medical Team which will be travelling to Uganda later this year to work in Villages and Watoto Orphanages.'