Principal’s Awards

Last week’s champions are:

- Fletcher Campion—using fantastic strategies and showing improved fluency in Reading
- Wallace Hughes—doing his best in all areas
- Isaac Behsman—enthusiasm for reading and writing
- Jack Gavel—excellent efforts during Science lessons
- Coby Smith—for being a quiet sensible student who tries his best
- Duncan Hughes—explaining a variety of strategies when solving mental algorithms
- Tuihana Ropiha—great efforts in Writing

Reminders

School Fees Way Overdue

Whilst the State Government does fund schools, the amount of funding does not fully cover student needs, especially for a progressive school, like North.

Funding avenues such as; P&C fund-raising, and ‘school fees’, are an important and essential way of ensuring we can maximise opportunities for our students.

If this payment has slipped your mind I would urge you to drop by the office (or send in a cheque) for the following applicable amount:

- A single student at the school= $80
- More than one student at the school= $95

Excursion monies and notes due!

- Stage 1 (Echuca), Stage 2 (Melbourne), Stage 3 (Ballarat)

P&C Meeting Tonight

The next meeting of the school P&C will be held in the staffroom tonight, commencing 6:30pm.

All welcome to attend!

Eimear Gogarty, Brodie Barlow, Holly Amor, Matt Pitt, Will McKern and Harley Hicks make a fine half-dozen GOLD award winners. Legends!

Deni North Skoolbag App—IT’S FREE!!

To install the school’s free app onto your phone, just search for our school name... "Deniliquin North Public School", in either the Apple App Store, or Google Play Store.

Please note that the app is now available for Windows 8.1 and beyond, and can be accessed through the Windows Store.
Year 7 Entry to Selective High Schools in 2017
Opportunity for Current Grade 5 Students
Information packages for parents/carers of current grade 5 students, that are interested in their child attending a selective high school in 2017, are available at the front office.

NB. The closest selective high school to Deniliquin is Yanco in Leeton.

We Value Values
Well done to the following students who last week received awards for being top value at:

- 'Being Organised'
  - Riley Reynolds—trying hard to organize his belongings
  - Reagan Behsman—being well organised every day
  - Ruby Caruso—organized and enthusiastic
  - Sophie Murray—always very organised
  - Storm Barlow—for always being well organised and enthusiastic about her learning
  - Sophie Hay—well prepared and organised
  - Peta Thomas—for always being organised

This week’s value will be:

- 'Being Neat and Tidy'
Stage 2 Melbourne Excursion
Students in grades 3/4 will be up bright and early on Thursday for a 6am departure, as they head off on a road trip to the Melbourne zoo.
Students are reminded to bring food, drinks and a hat, and to come in school sports uniform. Spending money is limited to a maximum of $25, but is not required. The bus will return to the school bus shelter at 6pm.

Grandparents Day Next Thursday
Grandparents’ day will be celebrated throughout the nation, next week, and our very own Northern grandparents are invited to come along to the school for a special assembly on Thursday, commencing 12:20pm, to be followed by a luncheon at 1pm.
To assist with catering, families are asked to complete the form attached to this newsletter, and return it by Tuesday, Oct 27.

Echuca Lions Club-Lego Display

Progressive Term Pointscore

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There was a tie between the Spiders and the Men in last week’s competition.

The Social Sciences team (Tournament of Minds), pictured above, have been acknowledged for their recent efforts with a regional ‘excellence’ award.

Expect the Unexpected!!
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Athletes Return from State Carnival
Elena Mulham 2nd in the State Discus

My memory, which goes back a long way, but at the same time is fading fast, can’t recall a student from North over the past 30 years that has actually finished in the placings at a State Athletics carnival, so perhaps, maybe, Elena Mulham’s 2nd in the Junior discus, just might be a first for the school in that period. Either way, it is indeed a remarkable achievement. Elena, also just missed a podium finish in the shot put, finishing 4th, whilst in the long jump she was back in the pack. Not so fortunate was Elena’s mother, Leanne, who is sporting a non-athletic injury, after a stadium mishap.

Elena’s brother Adrian, carried on the Mulham discus tradition, finishing 25th in the Senior Boys event at the carnival.

800m specialists; Hannah Dunmore and Charlotte Strong also contested the State carnival and performed admirably against some very tough opposition.

Well done to all students on their outstanding representation, and best wishes to Leanne on a speedy recovery!

GRADE 6 CUP CAKES DAY
Every Monday at recess
Cup cakes 50c-$1

Email Comment (and photo) from Sue Hall (Riverina Manager) Elena Mulham did a fantastic job in the Junior girls Discus winning a Silver medal. She displayed excellent sportsmanship and represented your school wonderfully.

JUNIOR CRICKET TO START
Junior cricket will commence this week for the Junior Rhinos (Years Kinder to Year 3) and Primary (Year 4-6) divisions.

Junior Rhinos (formerly Milo) will be held this Thursday October 22 at the High School Oval between 4 - 4.45 pm.

The Primary Cricket competition (Years 4-6) commences this Friday afternoon, October 23 at the Edward River Oval. All players are asked to be at the oval promptly at 4.45 pm. A sausage sizzle and drinks will be available on the night for participants and supporters. Team lists will be published on the Deniliquen Junior Cricket Facebook page this Thursday evening so please check out the page.

Training for Primary Cricket will be held at the High School nets this Thursday October 22 between 4.15 - 5.00 pm.

The High School competition will commence the following week - further details will follow early next week.
‘1 2 3 Magic ‘
Managing behavior in Children 2 – 12 years

Being a parent can sometimes be very tricky! At times children act in ways that can be very frustrating.

‘123 Magic and emotion coaching’ is a program designed to help parents and care givers find different ways to manage their children’s behavior in a positive way.

You will learn practical things that help like: using counting to manage difficult behavior, encouraging positive behavior, and helping children manage their emotions.

Cost: This is a FREE program

When: Wednesdays: 28/10, 4/11, & 11/11

Time: 9am – 11am

Where: Deniliquin North Primary School Library

Morning Tea provided.

Are you a parent of a young person?
Do you sometimes feel like a broken record?

If you have young people between 12 and 18 years of age, join us for a free program that will help you better understand the young people in your house!

The program ‘Understanding Adolescents’ talks about practical parenting tips that work, and information such as:

Asking the question – Is it serious?
What’s worth reacting to and what’s not,
How to hold those difficult conversations more successfully,
Understanding adolescence:
A time of reconstructions, redeveloping social landscapes’, brain snaps and body make-overs, and
Understanding your job as a parent of a teenager- observer, advisor, negotiator, director.

When: 3 sessions: Thursday 29th October, 5th and 12th November, 2015
Where: Deniliquin North Public School Library
Time: 9:00 am – 11 am
Morning Tea provided.

To register for both or either of the opportunities, contact: Libby Barker
Phone: 03 5890 5252 please leave a message with name and phone number.
Email: libbyb@intereach.com.au

This week's newsletter was proof-read by super-editor, Samantha Hughes.
Here are some cool poems from some students in 5/6S:

Partners in Crime
I have two lizard friends,
They are sort of picky.
One is named Michaelis,
And the other Mikki.

Michaelis spends his time with Mikki,
Bathing on the rocks.
Wearing tweed jackets,
And really long socks.

Michelle, AKA Mikki,
Likes to wear band merch.
She is one of those rebels,
That never goes to church.

Together they are,
Partners in crime.
Stealing all the money,
Getting every single dime.

Michaelis may have pink skin,
And Michelle may have blue.
But when there’s a bank,
They know what to do.

By Calypso McKenzie & Jess Smith

The Storm
She was dark,
But once in a while there was light.
Only for a few seconds,
Shining bright all through the night.

Trees whipped in the wind,
Stinging my skin,
Ripping through my clothes,
The sound was a din.

The rain felt like bullets,
And I was under attack.
Thinking about home,
And the coat that I lack.

It sits there on the wall in a frame,
Oh how I wish it were warm.
But I know it’s only just,
A painting of a storm.

By Lizzie Lostroh and Rosie North

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Deniliquen Pastoral & Agricultural Society
Invites you to join in the growing of the largest pumpkin

Now is the time to plant for
the Deniliquen Show on Sat March 5, 2016
Reg time 9-30 to 11 am

Prizes Charlie Carp products
plus cash

No room to grow a pumpkin
Enter our heaviest tomato competition.

Further details contact
John Russell on 03 58813607
Ken Allitt on 03 58814207

$1 per packet of seeds. Orders to front office by Thursday.
From Monday, October 26 it’s Grandparents’ Week throughout the nation and to celebrate, all North’ grans, grandmas, pops and grandads are invited to a special assembly and luncheon on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29. The assembly begins at 12:20pm and will be followed at 12:55pm by a delicious luncheon.

To help with catering, could parents/carers complete the form below and return it to the office before Tuesday, October 27.
Percy loves his paragraphs. In each of these paragraphs, one box tells about the paragraph, and one does not. COLOUR the box that tells about each paragraph.

### FOR KINDERGARTEN

I can catch a crab. I can catch a fish. I can catch a shark.

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### FOR GRADES: 1 and 2

Santa Claus is coming to my house in his sled. His sled is packed with toys. It is pulled by 6 reindeers.

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Santa will climb onto my roof and then he will go down the chimney. He will put my toys by the fire.

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### FOR GRADES: 3, 4, 5 and 6

Ballarat has many great places to visit. It has museums, aqua-pools and Sovereign Hill, to name a few.

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Sovereign Hill is perfect for school visits. Students can enjoy gold-panning, as well as demonstrations.

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For those that are feeling a bit hungry, Ballarat has the best bakeries in Victoria. Rock cakes are a specialty.

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To have a chance of winning a prize, pop this sheet into Croc’s Box.

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