PRINCIPAL

1. Good luck to Alyce and Emma Parker who are representing Riverina at the Girls’ State Cricket Championships in Armidale from today. They are our first Riverina representatives for the year.

2. Congratulations to Jaya Cheetham who has been selected in the Riverina Senior Dance Ensemble for 2015. She joins students from Albury, James Fallon and Murray High School in the ensemble.

3. A reminder to all parents/carers that students need to wear black, fully enclosed leather shoes to school. Students will be unable to participate in practical subjects if they are wearing the incorrect footwear.

4. Congratulations to the students who donated blood to the Red Cross Blood Bank last year. The school was the third ranked school in NSW in terms of the percentage of students 16-18 years of age who were involved. Thanks to Mr Campbell for his continued co-ordination of this important activity.

5. Thanks to all the parents who attended the P & C Meeting last week. The next meeting is the AGM and it will be held in Week 9 on 24 March 2015.

The P & C has some frozen meat and bread left over from the Swimming Carnival.

- Packs of 40 steakettes $40.00
- Packs of 50 sausages $40.00
- Frozen bread $1.00.

Please contact the school if you are interested in purchasing any of these items.

The school is currently reviewing our promotional and publicity material. There will be some important announcements coming out shortly in this regard.
HENTY SHOW
Billabong High School once again sent an enthusiastic team of 9 students to Henty show to exhibit the school’s sheep.

After judging the team had won the Champion and Reserve Champion South Suffolk ram and ewe, as well as the Champion Group of 1 ram and 2 ewes. The champions then competed against other winners in the interbreed section and came away with the Champion Interbreed Group (in a field of 10 contenders).

It was great to see several new members from Year 7 joining the team and the older students sharing their skills and knowledge to guide them. We now look forward to continuing our success in Canberra at the Royal National Show which will be held at the end of this month.

Captains/SRC Induction Ceremony
Change of Date

Due to unavailable clashes with school excursions and CHS sporting events, the SRC/Captain/House Captain Induction is now to be held Friday 27 February 2015 at 9.15am in the school hall. (Not Thursday 19 February as previously informed).

Parents of all students involved are invited to attend this ceremony, which will be followed by light refreshments.
Billabong Highlights

Sports News
Zone Swimming will be held next Tuesday at the Lavington Swim Centre, the team and notes will be finalised this week.

Next Monday both the Senior and Junior Cricket Teams play Corowa High School in a semi-final. Winners will progress to the Grand Final. Juniors play at Billabong while the seniors are at the Culcairn Sportsground.

A new look senior team minus Year 12 students will play Tumut High School in round 1 of the Davidson Shield Knockout next Thursday at Billabong. All notes need to be returned ASAP.

We wish Emma and Alyce Parker all the best this week as they represent the Riverina Girls’ Cricket Team at the State Carnival in Armidale.

Holbrook Netball Club
Junior registrations will be held on Thursday 19 and 26 February 2015 from 5.30pm-6.30pm.

Registration Fees:
- 18 years and over $115.00
- 11-17 years $85.00
- 8-10 years $75.00
- 7 years and under $70.00

Please note that senior grades are encouraged to take part in our pre-season fitness training each Monday and Thursday evenings from 6.30pm.

Enquiries: holbrooknetball@gmail.com

Senior Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews
Interviews for our Stage 6 students (Year 11 and 12) will be held in the school hall this Wednesday 18 February from 4.00pm-6.00pm.

Bookings are available online, students have been issued log on codes.

Please note that bookings will close at 12.00pm on Tuesday 17 February and schedules will be available from 1.30pm Tuesday.

Wombats Hockey Club
Interested in playing hockey or learning to play hockey? We are looking for boys and girls for all our teams, that are Under 9s, Under 12’s Under 14’s and Under 16’s right though to seniors and veterans. Registration day is Sunday February 22 at the Albury Hockey Centre in Cadell St (athletics entrance area) from 10.00am until 12.00pm. Please come and see us on the day (look for the green and gold banner) . Alternatively you can email us at committee@wombatshockey.com or give Cayte Campbell a call on 0402 435 433 or Andrew McMillan a call on 0438 216 085
Culcairn Debutante Ball 2015 Call for Debutantes

If you would like to make your debut at the 2015 Culcairn Debutante Ball, please call or text Lauren Howard 0439 330 325.