



SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Term 4 Week 10

Tuesday 17th December 2019



COMING EVENTS

TERM 4 - WEEK 10 WK B

Tuesday 17th December

Rewards Excursion

Wednesday 18th December

Last Day for students

2020 TERM 1 - WEEK 1 WK B

Tuesday 28th January

Staff Development Day

Wednesday 29th January

Years 7,11,12 return

Thursday 30th January

All years return

was a fantastic morning and demonstrated the outstanding work the students have completed throughout the year and how great the staff who work with these students are.

Well done to all our award winners at both the School Presentation Night and Clontarf Awards Ceremony. It is great to see the accomplishments of our students in sporting and academic areas.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a Happy and Safe Holiday.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Congratulations to our Year 12 HSC recipients. Ruby Walker was the dux. Well done to Bailey Thomas and Angus Walsh who recieved Band 6 for Industrial Technology. Angus also recieved a Band 6 for Primary Industries. We wish all Year 12 good luck in their future endeavours.

Last Thursday I had the pleasure of attending the annual Support Unit Christmas Concert. It



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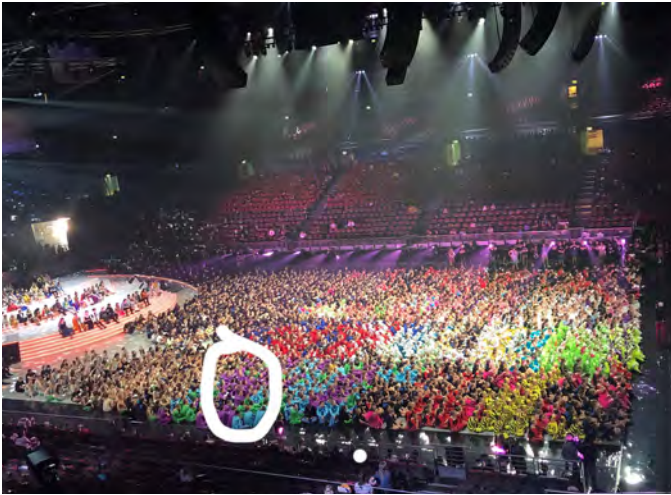
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SCHOOLS SPECTACULAR

Inverell High School was very well represented in the 2019 Schools Spectacular with dancers in the Combined Dance Ensemble and the D'Arts Ensemble.

The School Spectacular experience is much more than a chance to perform in a professional show it is an opportunity to hone some of the life skills which come with making your way around the city. Students develop a sense of comraderie with over 5000 students and how each person had a vital role to play to ensure that the show is a success. The girls and I would like to pass on a very special thank you to Teena Myler and Julieanne Rodgers, who once again gave up their time to travel with the group. Their cooking expertise ensured that everyone received 3 square meals each day plus snacks and that hair and make-up complied with the complex specifications from the choreographer. Without their help the trip would not be able to happen each year. We would also like to thank Cammy Alliston who joined the group on Saturday and ensured that everyone was up bright and bushy tailed ready to meet the train for the journey home.





SHOW TEAM UPDATE

Northern Schools Glen Innes 2019

On Wednesday 20th November, the following show team members left with Miss Rawson and Ms Willcocks to attend the 2019 Northern Schools Steer Competition at Glen Innes Showgrounds. Whitney Ellery, Georgia Hobday, Ebony McLennan-Fletcher, Ashley Imber-Garrett, Emily Sisson, Damon Murphy, Jaydan Cox, Alex Hill and Ethan Kent.

Despite the heat, wind and smoke blowing in from the bushfires, we had a great time, participating in Junior Judging, Paraders and a new live animal assessment.

We were very glad that Deakin Berkley and Tomas Simpson from the IHS Support Unit were able to attend this show. Tomas had a great time talking to his friends on the show team and watching the events while Deakin competed in the Paraders Competition, leading Shazza.

The following students made it through to the finals of their age division for Paraders; Jaydan Cox, Ashley Imber-Garrett, Damon Murphy, Alex Hill, Ebony McLennan-Fletcher and Ethan Kent. Ashley Imber-Garrett was awarded 7th place in the Intermediate age division.

Congratulations to Yr 8 student Damon Murphy who was awarded Reserve Champion Parader. Damon won the Intermediate age division leading school bred steer 'Russell' and was narrowly beaten for Grand Champion Parader by a much older student from Farrer.

In the Junior Judging, Damon Murphy placed 4th in the Intermediate age division. Well done Damon!

In the hoof competition, our school bred steers and heifer achieved the following results;

'Shazza' 4th place in middleweight class 2

'Dazza' 5th place in heavy weight class 2

'Russell' 7th place in heavy weight class 2

In the hook competition we achieved the following results;

'Shazza' 6th place in middleweight class 2.

We must thank Ms Melissa Willcocks for being our bus driver, Mr Neil McLane for all his behind the scenes work and support and Mr Jeffery Hobday for transporting the steers to Glen Innes.

Lastly, a huge thank you must also go to our sponsors, without whom we would not be able to attend these events.



Our first show for 2020 is the Herefords Northern NSW Youth Heifer Show being held at Inverell Showgrounds from 17th –19th January 2020. We wish the following students the best of luck; Alex Hill, Damon Murphy, Ebony McLennan-Fletcher, Emily Sisson, Georgia Hobday and Whitney Ellery. Miss A Rawson
Show Team Organiser

PRESENTATION NIGHT



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YEAR 8 VISUAL ART

Mrs East and Mrs Hahn have been teaching 8VART1 and 8VART3 this semester and both classes have been working enthusiastically. They have been focussing on the Principles of Art and this has included working with Patterns, Movement and Unity. Recently they all completed a lino print each, and they have been displayed outside Room 32.

8VART3 have also created some beautiful fans using water colour.



SALEYARD VISIT

Year 10 Ag students and Year 11 Primary Industry students visited the Inverell saleyards where they were able to see how the saleyards run. They got to witness the cattle sale and how the office side with record keeping and farmer and buyer information.



YEAR 7 INTENSIVE SWIMMING



YEAR 6 TRANSITION

On Thursday the 28th of November Year 6 took part in a full day transition at Inverell High School.

The day consisted of students taking part in classes from a variety of subjects. These classes included- Drama, Music, History, Math with a BBQ lunch and a PDHPE prac lesson in the afternoon. The students had a great day and are excited for next year. A huge thankyou to the Inverell High staff that help out on the day



SUPPORT UNIT END OF YEAR CONCERT

Week 9 was the annual Support Unit Christmas Concert. Once again this had to be moved to the Welch Hall as the little concert has grown in popularity. We would like to congratulate the recipients of well deserved Merit Awards, and bid farewell to our Year 12 students Emi Campbell and Joshua Dunn. Both students have been a wonderful asset to Inverell High School and we will miss them. Well done to our performers, who have spent many hours perfecting their acts to provide our entertainment. We wish everyone a happy and safe Christmas and we are looking forward to another fun filled year in 2020.







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