**Calendar Dates to Remember**

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**PRINCIPAL’S NEWS**

**ABORIGINAL HEALTH CHECK**

Mr Crouch and Mr Graham are in the final stages of interviewing Aboriginal students and parents, non-Aboriginal students and parents and school staff to ascertain the health of our school in respect to Aboriginal Education. The report will provide us with incredibly valuable information and data that will then enable us to plan for the future. I appreciate so much all the input given by community members and thank Mr Graham and Mr Crouch for their insightful questioning. The school has a fine reputation but we all understand that we can do things better. The report provided will be distributed to you via our next P and C meeting. I am sure the report will generate valuable conversations.
LITTLE NAIL CAN HILL
School staff and students will be joined by parents to give our Little Nail Can Hill a spruce up tomorrow as part of our Clean up Australia Day. It is in desperate need of some TLC so any help would be appreciated! Forks and shovels will be an advantage.

John Dent
Principal

SPORTS NEWS

SWIMMING
On Monday 7th March, Mr Arnott will be the Albury Team Manager at the Albury pool for the Riverina Carnival. Eva Richardson will be representing Albury at the carnival in the 50 metre junior backstroke. Good luck Eva!
At the Albury Zone Swimming Carnival we had three ribbon winners - Eva Richardson, Angela Butt and Kane O’Regan. Well done.

TRIALS
● Cricket – Congratulations to Sam Bakes who represented Albury on Monday. Sam has now been selected to represent the Riverina at Barooga later in the year. A great effort.
● AFL - good luck to Lenny Foard and Sam Bakes who over the next two Thursdays will be trying to make the Albury AFL team.

ATHLETICS
At school we are all working hard to qualify for our Athletic sports at Alexandra Park on Thursday 7th April in Week 11.

Bruce Arnott
Sports Coordinator

P & C NEWS

WHAT’S GOING ON WITH THAT PILE OF WEEDS?
Little Nail Can is looking a bit wild at the moment as the weeds are trying to take over. This Friday some of the students will be working with staff and some parent helpers to rip out the weeds from the roots and spread the mulch. This will also give us a good sense of how many of the plants have survived the heat. Come Autumn we will be planting some more natives into the space and then we can watch it grow into a great shaded outdoor learning area.

CALLING ALL CHOOK LOVERS
Over the next few weeks our girls will be returning to bring clucking, feathers and eggs to the school. Our team of three bantams will take up residence once again next to Mrs Conibear’s class and then there is talk that a gaggle of Isa Browns will come back to the other chook yard near the veggie garden. If any parents are chook lovers and want to help with our chook program please let Mrs Riley or Mrs Baily know.

Narelle Vogel
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CANTEEN NEWS
*Weekly Canteen Specials*
* Taco Thursday - Chicken / Beef $3.00 or 2 for $5.00
* Freshly made Sausage Rolls available Thursday’s $2.50
* Strawberries & Choc Chip Custard cups 60 cents daily
* Fresh fruit salad cups 60 cents daily

Deb Beacroft  Canteen Manager