Thanks for great 9 weeks. At the start of the term I said it would be fast and furious and it was. PSSA, sports carnival, Leadership conference, an excursion in every stage, competitions, gardening, cooking, art and music. Thanks to all the parents who supported our school uniform policy. It is coming into winter and we still have senior students choosing to wear a jumper other than the school uniform. I understand that it is difficult to dry uniforms in winter but when students are choosing to be out of uniform they will be given a jumper to wear at school and they can return it at the end of the day. School jumpers are very affordable and are only $16 dollars and can even be purchased using Buninyong Bucks. Expensive jumpers have gone missing and it seems such a waste when uniform can be worn. Students will be unable to attend functions outside the school if they are not in full uniform. This includes Mission, sport, excursions and representative duties. If you are having difficulties getting your children correct uniform please contact the school. We are happy to help.

P and C News
See you on Wednesday Night at 6.30pm at the SaCC. Also a huge thank you to everyone who sold and purchased tickets for the firewood. The winning ticket will be drawn this Friday at the morning assembly.

School Disco Thursday Night
Theme: World Cup. Where: BPS Hall. When: Thursday 26th June, 4:30-5:30pm Infants, 6-7:30pm Primary. Cost: $5 entry, this includes a drink and snack. What to bring: your dancing feet and best manners. Students will be issued with an invitation to bring to the disco. The invitation will be given out Thursday. No invitation no entry. If you do not attend school on Thursday you will be unable to come to the disco. Being part of extra curricula activities is a privilege not a right. Please be prompt collecting students at the finish time. It will be cold and no one wants to wait out in the cold.

Congratulations
The winner of the PSSA uniform competition is Carla Petterson. She will receive a refund of her bus costs and a $5 canteen voucher. The other voucher winners are Shannon Kassel and Chelsea Readford. And to Mrs Tania Pilon. Congratulations! She will be the relieving Assistant Principal at Dubbo North for the rest of 2014. She will be replaced here at Buninyong by Mrs Ruth Graves. We wish her all the best on her new career journey. Mrs Graves comes to us highly recommended and with many skills that will be a positive inclusion for our school community.

Facebook
Reminder to like our Facebook page. Once we get 200 likes there will be a draw, the winner receiving a family zoo pass to Taronga Western Plains Zoo.

Reports
Reports will be sent out to parents on Thursday. Please check your child's bag for their envelope.

Return to School
First day back at school will be Tuesday 15th July. See you then. Keep well and warm.

Anne van Dartel
Principal

PBL FOCUS
We keep our hands and feet to ourselves
Athletics Carnival results
Congratulations to all our students for their participation and sportsmanship. The champions from the carnival where:
Junior Boy—Tyrone Jenkins-Bamblett
Runner up—Tyrone Wilson
Junior Girls—Emily Fardell
Runner up—Zachiah Riley
11 Boys—Jamari Fernando-Stanley
Runner up—Matthew Morris
11 Girls—Chyshanna Johnson
Runner up—Chloe Arnold
Senior Boys—Josh Jenkins-Bamblett
Runner up—Tyreak Shillingsworth-Byers
Senior Girls—Mirrikie Shaw
Runner up—Ashlyn Jansen and Jaida Giblin
Several of our place getters will be invited to our Dubbo Districts carnival next term.

Library
Please return all library books to the library before Friday 27th June.
Thank you, Miss Mercuri.

Ear Bus
Although the Ear Bus Project is taking off the committee needs more help. The demands on them are mounting and as they are all volunteers they are now struggling to keep up.
Can you help with things like- Computer work, maintaining our website, searching for big company Grants to apply for, applying for grants, maintaining events in the Community Connect, assisting with Publicity, coordinating our Dinner Party 31st August, taking photos at events, manpower at events, liaising with local councils and Lions/ROTARY Clubs, Presenting our slide show at P and C meetings/ Rotary/LIONS Meetings. If you are able to help please contact Rachel Mills 0413687671 and Donna Rees 0419534447.

Dubbo Touch Association
Dubbo Touch Junior comp for 2014 starts in August. Info night Monday 30th June and Monday 14th July 4pm-6pm. Games will be played on Mondays at the Riverbank Ovals. Cost is $50 per player. For more info visit www.dubbotouch.com.

Thursday 26th June
Event: FREE PARENT INFORMATION SESSION
Topic: Anxiety Awareness in Children
Time: 9:30am – 11:30am
DUBBO WEST PUBLIC SCHOOL HALL
Morning tea provided.
RSVP: Mrs Read (Primary Campus) or Mrs McKinnon (Infants Campus)

School Holidays
Winter 2014
Week 1:
Monday 30th June 2014 – Friday 4th July 2014
Week 2:
Monday 7th July 2014 – Friday 11th July 2014
Time: 9am – 4pm (charges apply for extra hours)
Cost: $25.00 per student per day
Must be a member of the club $5.50 per child per year

All children must wear enclosed Shoes, bring a Water bottle, Morning Tea and Lunch.
(Hot chips are available for lunch at $2 a bucket)
Activities the children are involved in throughout the day are: Gymnastics, Dance, Arts and Crafts and Indoor Sports
BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL.
For further enquires please contact Dubbo PCYC on 02 6882 3273, email: dubbo@pcycnsw.org.au or drop into PCYC.

Apollo House School Holiday Activities
Week 1:
Monday– Loom bands and Storm Co visit
Tuesday– Community Clean up
Wednesday– fixing bikes with Men’s Shed, outdoor activities, netty and footy for fun and a bbq @ Lunar Park.
Thursday– Dance workshop, PCYC computer van and Fire Brigade talk.
Friday– Library excursion, “picture this”, loom bands and fixing bikes with Men’s Shed.

Week 2:
Monday– Kids activities @ Buninyong and dance workshop.
Tuesday– Kids activities @ Buninyong and kids karaoke.
Wednesday– Kids activities @ Buninyong and games @ Lunar Park.
Thursday– Kids activities @ Buninyong and outdoor games and activities.
Friday– Kids activities @ Buninyong and loom bands.