Amy achieves a personal best at the NSW PSSA State Cross Country Carnival

Last week Amy Crighton travelled to the Eastern Creek Raceway in Sydney to compete in the New South Wales PSSA State Cross Country Carnival as part of the team representing the Riverina region. Students from Sydney, North and South Coast, Hunter, North West and Western regions were also competing at this carnival.

Amy had qualified for the 12/13 Years Girls 3km event. This is the third consecutive year she has represented the Riverina region at the NSW PSSA Cross Country Carnival and her goal was to improve her 2012 and 2013 placing's.

Amy ran a great race and completed her 3km event in a time of 14.49 minutes, placing her 49th out of 76 competitors. Not only did she better her 2012 and 2013 placing’s, Amy was the second Riverina student to cross the finish line, improving on her 5th placing at this year’s Riverina Carnival.

On behalf of the school we would like to congratulate Amy on her achievements in this sport and wish her further success in the future. Thank you to the Crighton family for transporting and supporting Amy at this carnival.

Caroline Stewart

Education Week 2014 celebrates 60 years of Education Week with the theme "Lighting the Way to a Better World". This same theme was used in 1954 when we celebrated the very first Public Education Week.

What is it that we do in schools that lights the way to a better world? So many things come to mind when contemplating this question but perhaps the most obvious act is when we provide children with the skills to think critically, synthesise and analyse information, we are in fact giving them the ability to be life-long learners and this in itself holds the key to a bright, light filled future.

Through Quality Teaching and Quality Learning processes, individual students are nurtured by providing them with relevant information in a supported environment. From this they gain the skills to continually develop their depth of understanding and then apply this knowledge and understanding to make sense of a constantly changing and complex world. To complement the academic component of teaching we strive to impart and develop the social values of care and compassion, doing your best, a fair go, freedom, honesty and trustworthiness, integrity, respect, responsibility, understanding, tolerance and inclusion to give our students the best possible chance of a bright future.

The achievements and ongoing development of students as well as the value of an inclusive and comprehensive education are the things that we celebrate in Education Week and I look forward to sharing the educational journey with the students, staff and community.

Kerrilee Logan

Have you seen the Ardlethan Central School Website?

www.ardlethan-c.schools.nsw.edu.au

Featuring a range of resources and information that support your children’s education

Ardlethan Central School Newsletter NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE!
Yr11 Visual Design—Students lit up the Art room by designing and building their own innovative and modern lighting creations.

Yr11 Visual Design students, Ethan Lane, Courtney Church and Liam Osborne have just handed in their lighting task to Ms Dunne at Oaklands Central School.

The students had to explore lighting and then make their own light. Ethan made the LED light table! Courtney the cup and fork lamp and Liam the Chinese takeaway globe lamp!

Students had previously explored and made model chairs. Next they explore Set designs and costumes!
P&C Need you!

The P&C hold a meeting on the second Monday of each month unless it is school holidays. In these instances it will take place on the next available Monday. To be able to run this meeting there needs to be a quorum of 5 or more people in attendance. Unfortunately the meeting to be held last Monday was unable to progress as there were not enough people to form a quorum.

The P&C meeting notice is available on the ACS website www.ardlethan-c.schools.nsw.edu.au and includes an agenda and the dates of our coming monthly meetings. We will also be commencing the use of a messaging service to your mobile phone to remind you on the day.

The P&C supports our children by providing students and teachers with resources that can be used for more effective learning. Not only is the P&C for parents and grandparents of the school to attend, it is open to the whole community, so if you would like to attend or you know of someone that would, please come and be a part of our meetings. Your input would be appreciated and valued.

The P&C starts at 7pm and usually concludes within the hour.

Lorraine Carnie
President

P&C Meeting
28th July 2014
7pm
in the Staff Room

Each morning K-2 and 3/4 have been practicing some ‘Cosmic Kids’ yoga. This has been great to help stretch our bodies and get our minds ready for our big day at school.

K-2 have been busy painting and creating their flags for the CWA projects. Here are a few photos of K-2 preparing their projects.

Below are some artworks completed by 3/4 students inspired by the famous pop art of Andy Warhol.
Ardlethan Central School
Providing quality opportunities in a caring innovative environment

Education Week Activities

Monday July 28-Friday August 1

Monday 28
Primary Colouring Competition
Secondary Photography Competition

Tuesday 29
Breakfast with the stars...8.30am-9.00am. Join us for an Egg and Bacon Roll and share with us your stories about school in your day and how education was important to you.

Wednesday 30
Combined Church Service 9.05-9.35
Open Classrooms 12-1pm
Community Picnic Lunch 1.00pm-1.45pm
Games Through the Years 2.00-3.00pm

Thursday 31
School Ensemble perform at Griffith Regional Theatre
Riverina Access Partnership Expo 10.40am—11.00am

Friday 1
School Ensemble perform at Griffith Regional Theatre

While academic excellence is highly valued, our school is committed to encouraging all students to participate in a wide range of learning activities — cultural, sporting and social.

We invite you to come in for a visit to see the great education on offer for your child.

Enquiries: 69782046
Ardlethan Show Society Inc.

is having a Street Stall on
Friday 8th August.
All donations of saleable goods would be appreciated.
If anyone is able to work at the stall please contact Pauline on 69782190

ACS CHOOKS
Please contact the school on 69782046 to arrange pickup
$12 EACH

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CLAIM THE DATE

LIONS CHRISTMAS CAROLS & TWILIGHT MARKETS

14th December 2014
$15 a stall. Must have insurance. If not see Janice for form to fill out—extra $5.
♦ Markets start at 4.30pm
♦ Carols start at 6.30pm
Lions Barby—Santa appearing

Ardlethan Community Luncheon
on Friday July 25th at
12 noon.
in the School of Arts Hall.
Cost $7
All welcome.
If interested in attending please contact Lyn on 69782007 or Dell on 0457 905 005

Ardlethan Show Society Inc.
Meeting
Thursday 24th July
at the Showground commencing 5.30pm
Stewards please bring details of your judges.
All welcome—all apologies please phone Elizabeth on 0410 103 085

Ardlethan Show
Saturday 20th September 2014
Don’t forget to start knitting your Crocheted Hat or Beanie suitable for a person undergoing chemotherapy. All exhibits donated to Wagga Cancer Centre.
For further details please contact:
Elizabeth Menzies on 0410 103 085

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Huge thank you to Ardlethan IGA for their generous donation to the Trophy Kart Track/Show Committee. We hope to put the cheque towards infrastructure for the Showground.

Thanks also to our existing supporters and new sponsors. The track is progressing well. TKD (Tim Davies) has finished building jumps and clearing. Plenty of 100lt shuttles have arrived but still need lots more. Please feel free to drop them at the Showground, or contact us for bulk pickup’s — 69782269

Next steps are general clean up, stumps etc. and adding some amenities. We have a lot of racers interested in attending, hope to have approximately 25 karts from SA, VIC and NSW, giving the crowd some action packed racing.

Please contact Steve or Reckell Jones for details.

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The Under 13s continued on their winning way 49-10. Kacy Bell won the $10; Players Player went to Alyssa Denyer and Keisha McLean won the Canteen award.

The Under 15s had to win their game to ensure 2nd spot on the ladder. The first quarter was close, but the girls had the stronger will to win and came out on top 43-25. Emma Doyle was awarded the Beckom Hotel towel with a nearly flawless shooting display, Jess Durham won the $10 Ariah Park Bowling Club award, Sharnie the Canteen/Landmark Drink bottle.

Training this week is at Ardlethan. Game times are still subject to discussion so I will let you know.

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The Kelpies Bark Community Newsletter
Vote Count will be held on the Tuesday evening following the last round i.e. Tuesday 29th. Only the Coach and Manager from each team are required for this. It will be held at the Ariah Park Clubrooms, please let me know if this doesn’t suit.

**Football:** A foggy start to the day on Saturday saw us out played across all grades by some classy Narrandera football teams.

**Under 11’s**
Our boys tried hard all, but couldn’t match it with Narrandera on Saturday. The whole backline played well, with the Ardlethan Pharmacy socks going to the tackling machine in the back pocket, Josh Bell. Riley Walker played great at centre half back and in the ruck to win the Landmark water bottle/Mirrool Hotel canteen award. The Landmark $10 went to the “old faithful’, ever reliable fullback, Fraser Harper. Jack Hawthorne, Nate Doyle and Zac Dart all were among our better players. One game to go, let’s make a win boys.
Final Score Narrandera 13 - 19 - 97 def Jets 0

**Under 13’s**
Well it was a big ask for the boys today, coming up against the second top team of the competition. They all fought hard and never gave up. Once again we were undermanned and relied on our U11’s, thanks boys. Our better players for the day were Brodie Semmler taking home the $10 coaches award, Mitchell Doyle and Joe Ryall received the $10 Ariah Park Hardware award. Charlie Hawthorne ran and ran to win the $5 Ariah Park Supermarket/Landmark water bottle award, Oscar Day won the socks, our goal kickers were Jack McCormack and Jed Litchfield and Max Harper was also in our best. Our last game is at Ardlethan next week against Coleambally, so let’s see if we can go out on a win.

**Under 15’s**
A football lesson by possibly the best team in the league. Corey Minchin played his part in the ruck and the forward line to win the socks, Blake Harper was good around the midfield and setting up goals to win the Landmark water bottle/Mirrool Hotel canteen award. Hamish Gaynor is hitting form at the right time of the year to win the Jason Bryce Spreading $10 award. Chris Ryall was best on ground along with great games from Matt Seymour and Henry Grinter, single goals to Chris Ryall, Matt Prentice, Max Harper and Joe Ryall. Lets focus on the finals boys.
Final score Narrandera 30 - 19 - 199 def Jets 4 - 2 - 26.
Our last home and away game for the season is on Saturday we will play Coleambally at Ardlethan Go Jets, let’s see if we can come home strong.

Helen, Jenny and Andrew Taylor would sincerely like to thank everyone who attended Laurence’s funeral and expressed their sympathy to us with prayers, phone calls and food.
Thank you to those who helped with the afternoon tea.

Close to our heart he will always stay
Loved and remembered every day.
COOLAMON LIBRARY NEWS

The next “Heart and Soul” gathering is at the library on Tuesday, 29th July @ 10.30am. Our local police officer Constable Brad Hallam will be our guest speaker. He will be providing practical information on road rules and updates of any changes that have occurred.

It still not too late to come in and sign our petition to maintain our funding issue in NSW Public Libraries, we need your support. It will be debated in the Legislative Assembly on August 7th. We are approaching 40,000 signatures statewide which is an amazing result; however we still need some more signatures. Call into the library, your support will be very much appreciated.

Our next Storytime will be this Friday 25th July @ 10.30am. The theme is “Puppy Tales”. Come and join in the fun of stories and songs; we welcome new families to come along.

The Coolamon Library is on Facebook! News, pictures, events and opportunities are regularly uploaded — join us now!

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### ACS Newsletter Supplement—Term 3 Week 2

Due to technical issues, these items were omitted from this week’s newsletter. I extend my apologies to those affected.

### Bowling Club Fundraising Dinner hosted by Ardlethan Branch CWA.

Saturday 23rd of August  
6pm arrival for 6.30pm Seating.
Limited Seats available, Tickets $20 each.
Tickets include: 3 course dinner, a drink, lucky door and raffle tickets (with several prizes up for grabs!).

We will also be holding an auction on the night with proceeds going to the Bowling Club rebuilding effort.

*An enquiries or for ticket sales, please contact Danielle on 0432022904*

### Auskick and Net Set Go

**Auskick** This week the kids focused on activities aimed at improving their handballing and kicking skills. They then jumped into their teams and played a big game with the Jets beating the Swans convincingly. Cooper, James Smith and Tannye-Lee were the goal kickers for the Jets. Whilst Connor and Isaac tried to even the score with a valiant goal and three points. The Swans went down 43 to 9. James Smith won the IGA Auskicker of the week, whilst Isaac Maslin won the Good Sports Award.

**Net-Set-Go** Well what a windy, cold day we had. Our numbers were down but not our enthusiasm! The girls were determined to have fun as usual and put in plenty of effort improving their passing skills, their direction changes and their shooting ability. Ava Smith was awarded the Good Sports Award whilst Matilda Osborne won the IGA Player of the week. On Sunday Chloe, Summah, Isabella and Alice all went to West Wyalong to play in their first Junior Netball Carnival where we joined forces with Ariah Park to enter two Under 8 teams. It was fantastic to watch how much the girls improved over the 4 games. They began to understand the concept of leading into space and calling for the ball. Defensively, the girls started to become aware of where their opposition player was and began to block or intercept passes. It was a wonderful day which I think the girls enjoyed immensely.

**NB:** Sadly, next week is our last week so our Auskick and Net-Set-Go Presentation Night will be held next Friday night 1st August at 5.30pm at The London Hotel after Auskick and Net-Set-Go. Our raffles will also be held on this night. The London Hotel will be providing our Auskickers and Net Set Goers with pizzas on the night and the kids awards will be given out after dinner. So please come along and enjoy yourselves. If you have any queries please contact Renee Doyle on 6978 2441.

### RHYTHM & RHyme

Vocal Production

IN CONJUNCTION WITH ARDLETHAN Lions Club

PRESENT

'PICNIC IN THE PARK'

Sunday 10th August, at 10 am in the Lions Park  
Music from ‘Rhythm & Rhyme’ Students
Bring a chair or Basket & enjoy a relaxing afternoon of entertainment.
Sausages Sizzle, Cakes, Slices, Tea, Coffee, Softdrinks

DON’T FORGET THE AEROGARD & SUNSCREEN

### ALSO ON THE DAY MARKETS IN THE PARK

**For information or to book a stall**  
**Please contact:** Janice Lewis 0493519720
## Education Week Photography Competition

**Photography Theme:** Lighting the Way

**Entries close:** Wednesday 30th July before 12 midday

**Entries:** via email—Ardlethan-c.schoo@det.nsw.edu.au or on thumb drive or drop prints off at the ACS School Office

**Size:** Approx 6” x 4” (14cm x 10cm), no enlargements. Printed on paper or photo paper.

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