Education Week Photography Competition
judged by Contemporary trained Photographer

Miss Amanda Bishop, who is completing her first prac as an Art/History Teacher at ACS, has judged the photo competition.

Miss Bishop, who didn't know the students, staff or parents at that stage, judged the competition using her freshly acquired photography skills from Uni.

Anyone wanting feedback about their photo, should see Miss Bishop before her prac ends next week!

There was a good range of skilfully taken photos entered into the competition from all age groups. Congratulations to all competitors!

All the pictures in this publication are the winners of each category. Second and third placed photo’s will be published in the next two newsletters.

Right: The winning photo in the Year 4-6 Portrait Category. Picture taken by Katie Doyle

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Canteen Roster
Week 7(A)
Mon 25th August
CLOSED
Fri 29th August
Jade Barlow
Terri-Ann Caldow
Scripture Roster
Wed 27th Aug
Lou Clemson

August
26th Aug—Yr 8 Elective Evening
10th Sept—Parent/Teacher Interviews
10th Sept—School Photo’s

Please note that Canteen will be CLOSED on
Friday 22nd Aug 2014 and
Monday 25th Aug 2014
P&C apologise for any inconvenience
STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

K/1/2
Isaac Maslin
Library Worker of the Week
Andrew White
Great progress in Reading

3/4
James Smith
Enthusiasm and progress in Accelerated Reading
David White
Excellent effort and results in Maths and Library Worker of the Week

5/6
Amy Crighton
Excellent results in Addition and Subtraction assessment
Tyler Carnie
Improved effort in Maths
James Strickland
Library Worker of the Week

Fantastic narrating in our play preparations

Trying hard to improve his work

An excellent work ethic

Jo Bray
Connor Osborne
Charlie Hawthorne

Good Sports Award
for a Primary student who displays great sportsmanship qualities

Alice Doyle
Excellent participation and determination in PE
Brodie Semmler
Excellent Sportsmanship and Rugby skills

3/4 in Action for Maths

We have been studying volume and capacity in our maths lessons recently. Students had to measure in informal units, litres and millilitres. Everyone was so engaged and enjoyed this outdoors hands on component of maths.
Enviroweek challenges young Australians to take positive everyday action for a sustainable Australia.

As a part of Enviroweek 2014, ACS will join over 108,000 young Australians in participating in eco-challenges to learn smart ways to live for a greener future. From Monday 25 August to Wednesday 27 August, all primary students will be encouraged to participate in the ‘NUDE FOOD’ CHALLENGE.

Students are encouraged to fill their lunch boxes with healthy food in either no packaging or biodegradable packaging such as paper bags. Sandwiches (not in plastic wrap) and fresh fruit and/or vegetables such as carrot and celery sticks are a great option. Water in a reusable water bottle is the best choice for a drink. Home made cakes and biscuits packed in their lunch box are also great treats. Join us in this challenge to eat healthy and reduce waste!

A prize will be awarded to the class with the most students participating in packing healthy ‘nude’ food options.

Agriculture at ACS

Some welcome rain saw the Agriculture and Primary Industries students checking their Wheat crop at the Showgrounds and trial crops and vegetables in the Ag Plot. All crops seem to be progressing well.

Paul Bray

This week we have announced the winners of the inaugural Ardlethan Central School Education Week Photography Competition. We were overwhelmed by the number of entries and excited at the standard. The judges certainly found selecting winners a challenging job. The winning photos will be displayed in the foyer of the school front office and are well worth a look. A sneak peek of the photos can also be found in the newsletter. Thank you to all those who submitted entries, we will look to run this competition each year in Education Week so remember to keep those cameras handy to capture the perfect shot.

Many people may have seen media articles recently commenting on the results of the 2014 NAPLAN tests. The information contained in these articles has been taken from the release of a preliminary summary report. Individual student’s reports will be issued around late August/early September. If you have any queries about the release of NAPLAN results please feel free to contact me at the school. The school is buzzing with excitement about the upcoming Snow Excursion; we are up to the point where we count down the number of sleeps. This excursion should be a fantastic experience for the students; the snow conditions are looking amazing. I am looking forward to hearing some terrific stories from this adventure.

To be happy is a choice we make...

Have a great week, Kerrilee Logan

Parent/Teacher interviews will be held at Ardlethan Central School on Wednesday 10th September from 3.30pm - 7pm. This semester we are using an online booking system for interviews. You can now book interviews at times that suit YOUR FAMILY BEST as outlined below:

Go to: www.schoolinterviews.com.au Enter the school event code: 6YV2N Then follow the 3 simple steps.

When you click finish, your interview timetable will be emailed to you automatically - check your junk mail folder if you do not receive your email immediately.

You can return to www.schoolinterviews.com.au at any time, and change your interviews - until bookings close.
Above Left: Landscape K-3 Category. Picture by James Smith  
Above Right: Landscape Year 4-6 Category. Picture by Katie Doyle

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Right: Still Life K-3 Category. Picture by Isaac Maslin.

Left: Portrait—Staff Category. Picture by Leonie Fowler

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Right: Still Life 7-9 Category.
Picture by Jessie Forrester.

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Picture by Peter Taylor.

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Picture by Katie Doyle.
Ardlethan Pre School are again running their annual Ganmain Pie Drive. Orders and payment due:
2nd September for delivery on the 12th September
Order forms available at:
National Australia Bank, Ariaah 62, The London Ho-

Toy Catalogues

Yes it’s that time of year again and Christmas IS coming ready or not!
The toy catalogues have arrived. Please distribute these to friends and family. It’s a great way to shop from home and
the Pre school get 20% back to spend on resources. Orders and payment are due back Tuesday 16th September

ARDLETHAN BOWLING & RECREATION CLUB
Street Stall
will be held on Friday 22nd August 2014.
All contributions of saleable goods or donations would be gratefully accepted.

Ardlethan Show
20th September 2014
If you would like to have a stall at the show please contact Elizabeth—$20 a stall.
8.30am set up.
Ring 0488 519 720 or 0410 103 085—bookings essential
Must have own insurance—$10 extra—Contact Elizabeth 0410 103 085 for form and stall bookings.
NETBALL GRAND FINAL

The Junior Jets were victorious in both the Under 13 and Under 15 Grand Finals.

The Under 13s played Griffith White in a game in which the result was never in doubt, the girls coming out on top 47-12. Best on Court was awarded to Nancy French who never gave the Griffith girls an opportunity to score, ably supported by Chloe Minchin and Emily Buercker. Kacy Bell and Emily Hawthorne were absolutely dominant in the circle, while Keisha McLean ruled the centre court, with great work from Ellie Walker at Wing Attack and Shelby Woraland, Olivia Seymour and Alyssa Denyer stopping the attack at Wing Defence.

The Under 15s was a closer game, with both teams desperate to win. The girls were in front by 8 at half time, however Coleambally came back in the third quarter, with only a 4 goal difference at the final break. The girls pulled out all stops in the final quarter, playing fantastic team netball to claim the title 41-31. Sharnie McLean was awarded Best on Court for her tireless work all over the court. Emma Doyle and Maggie Johnstone combined brilliantly and shot accurately despite a very tall Coleambally defence. Laura Maslin pulled off some brilliant turnovers, playing probably her best game of netball ever. Gemma Fisher and Jessica Durham had their work cut out trying to curtail Coleambally’s League Best and Fairest Goal Attack. Lily Day worked hard to provide space, while Sophie Litchfield was safe and always an option at Wing Attack.

Many thanks to all the parents and supporters for turning up on a miserable day (weatherwise). Crowd support really does make a difference in Grand Finals.

Our next event will be Presentation Day on Sunday 31st August. Netballers are asked to bring a large dessert. Please also return your uniforms so that I can do a stocktake for our next uniform organiser. Please return in a bag with your name on it.

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COOLAMON LIBRARY NEWS

Our next Storytime will be held this Friday 22nd August @ 10.30am. The theme is “It’s Bear Time”. Come and join in the fun of stories and songs; we welcome new families to come along.

Our next “Heart and Soul” gathering is on the 26th August @ 10.30am at the library. The session is called “Introduction to law for our Seniors”. Matt from Commins Hendricks Solicitors will offer helpful and practical legal advice. Everyone is most welcomed.

Book Week celebrations are being held this week, several schools are visiting the library during the week. It still not too late to come in and sign our petition to support our funding issue in NSW Public Libraries, we need your support. It will be debated in the Legislative Assembly later in the year. 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.

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

CELEBRATE 100 YEARS
Beckom Red Cross is holding a dance to celebrate the 100 year anniversary of Red Cross in Australia
Please join us:
Date: 23rd August 2014
Time: 7.00pm
Venue: Beckom Hall, Beckom
Cost: $20 per person or $50 per family
To bring: Your own drinks and nibbles.
For more information please contact:
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When school is a long way from home

PARENTS—Find out if you’re eligible for the PVC subsidy at transport.nsw.gov.au/pvc

If you’re not close to public transport and need to drive a student to a bus stop or school, the Private Vehicle Conveyance (PVC) subsidy can provide twice-a-year payments to help you cover the expenses.

Can’t get online?

Ask about the PVC subsidy at the school or call 1800 010 123 for more information.

To apply online and see full terms and conditions visit transport.nsw.gov.au/pvc