Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Uniforms
As it starts to get colder, parents need to address the issues of winter uniforms. For girls, the uniform is tartan pants and a red school jumper. The boys’ uniform is grey pants and a red school jumper. These uniforms are available from the uniform shop which is open on Monday and Thursday afternoons from 2.30pm to 3.15pm. Can parents please ensure their children are in the appropriate uniforms. Please remember that hats are worn when children are playing on the oval and in the garden. Caps are not part of our uniform.

School Photos
Our school photos will be taken on Wednesday 27th May. Envelopes have been sent home and students need to return them on the day. Parents are able to pre-pay for their photos via the internet link but still need to send in the envelope. ALL STUDENTS NEED TO BE WEARING THEIR FULL WINTER UNIFORMS. NO SOUTH FOOTBALL JUMPERS ON THIS DAY PLEASE. We do have a supply of lost jumpers which will be washed and used for children to wear if they do not have a red jumper.

Barrier AFL Players
This week Harry Butcher, Aidan and Adam Slattery are representing Barrier at the NSW State AFL carnival in Bankstown. We congratulate them on their selection and wish them well in their games.

Broken Hill Cross-Country
Congratulations to all our students who participated in the Broken Hill Cross Country on Friday. It was a very chilly day but Alma students were very competitive. Three students, Bryce Langdon, Locke Cole and Ripley Celotto have been invited to be part of the Broken Hill squad to attend the Barrier Carnival at Buronga on Friday 29th May. We wish them all the best of luck on this day.

NAIDOC Merchandise
If your child would like to order merchandise for the NAIDOC Day, the orders close on Monday 27th May and can be handed to teachers or to the front office. Our NAIDOC Day will be on Wednesday 10th June and parents and caregivers are invited to join in with our celebration on this day. More information will be sent out over the coming weeks.

Regards
Sharon DeGoumois
Relieving Principal

Tackle Football
Students are reminded that while playing football on the oval during break times there is NO TACKLING ALLOWED. This is for the safety of all students.
PSSA Cross Country Results

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The following students received awards at last week’s assembly

**BRONZE AWARDS**

- Elley-May Adams 3-4J
- Kaylee Adams 3-4T
- Jackson Bendall 2S
- Evie Biore KW
- Harrison Butler 5-6D
- Teneal Butler 2S
- Kael Delbridge KM
- Rihanna Everett 2S
- Makayla Hammond KW
- Janaya Haring 1M
- Jack Harris 3-4T
- Daniel Howell KW
- William James 3-4J
- Jakiah King KM
- Bryce Langdon 3-4T
- Wyatt Lovegrove KM
- Joshua Nicholas KM
- Kacee Nicholls 1M
- Declan Olivieri 1M
- Rusty O’Neil KM
- Elijah Pelgrave 3-4T
- Taite Philp KM
- Marcus Purcell 3-4T
- Tiah Riley KW
- Sam Rouse KM
- Aidan Slattery 5-6D
- Jedd Smith KM
- Nate Sparrow 2S
- Kaiden Stenhouse KM
- Kobe Stenhouse 2S
- Will Stephens KM

**STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

- Noah Butcher RRF-3-4J
- Mason McCully RRF-3-4J
- Emily DeGoumois RRF-1M
- Tayah Pelgrave RRF-1M
- Ruby Manoel KM
- Taite Philip KM
- Joshua Nicholas KM
- Makayla Hammond KW
- Karly McKeller KW
- Lachlan Nicholls KW
- Jack Heffeman 1G
- Caitlyn Slattery 1G
- Tarkyn Williams 1G
- Bryton Lines 1M
- Benjamin Roberts 1M
- Myleigh Quintrell 1M
- Cobe Hoskins 2M
- Shaylan James 2M
- Tayla Hocking 2M
- Bella-Jade Edge 2S
- Clare Slattery 2S
- Tempany Ferguson 2S
- Dakota Quintrell 3-4J
- Siarne Olds-Kemp 3-4J
- Elley-May Adams 3-4J
- Reece Butcher 3-4T
- Locke Cole 3-4T
- Bri-Hanna Robinson 3-4T
- Jake Adams 5-6C
- Leticia Langdon 5-6C
- Tannya Everuss 5-6C
- Toni-Rose Cunningham 5-6D
- Brock Cicak 5-6D
- Lance Jovanovic 5-6D
- Maleke Dutton 5-6M
- Ty Parker 5-6M
- Connor Daddow 5-6M
• Does your child have an existing or new medical condition? Has the school been notified?
• Is your child’s Asthma, Anaphylaxis or Health Care Plan up to date? Does the school have a copy of your current plan?

It is very important for your child’s health and safety that the school is informed of any changes to your child’s health and that all action plans are up to date.

### Attendance 'Matters'

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DAILY TOTAL STUDENT ABSENCE

**SCHOOL PHOTO DAY**

**WEDNESDAY 27th May**

Sibling envelopes available at the front office.

**Please ensure your child/children are dressed in FULL WINTER UNIFORM**

Children are required to bring their envelopes with the **CORRECT MONEY** on the day.

Students who are **NOT** purchasing photos **MUST STILL** return envelopes on the day.

**Please note:** All students will be photographed, even if they have not ordered.

**May**

- **Wednesday 27th**
  - School Photo Day
- **Friday 29th**
  - Murray Darling Cross Country

**June**

- **Tuesday 9th**
  - Ghana Beats
- **Wednesday 10th**
  - Naidoc Day
- **Friday 19th**
  - Gala Day
  - Soccer, Netball
- **Tuesday 23rd**
  - Semester 2 Reports sent home
- **Wednesday 24th**
  - Gala Day - AFL, Hockey
- **Thursday 25th**
  - Athletics Carnival
- **Friday 25th**
  - Athletics - Field Events
  - End of Term 2

**What’s on this term!**

**Photo Time!**

**Semester one reports will be sent home this term so please make sure your mailing details are up to date!**
The students of Alma Public School enjoy many activities in the garden.
Out and about at Alma

On Friday 8th May the students from stage 2 went on an excursion to the wetlands.
Fire & Rescue NSW is hosting its annual Fire Station Open Day on Saturday 30th May 2015 between 10.00am and 2.00pm.

Children and their parents are invited to watch fire safety demonstrations, hop aboard our station’s fire truck, hold a fire hose and chat with firefighters about what they do. This is a fantastic opportunity for children and their parents to meet their local firefighters and with winter just around the corner, which is the worst time of year for house fires, this is a great opportunity to learn as much as you can about fire safety.


PEDAL playgroup
@ ALMA

Time: Every second Thursday from 9AM – 10.45am
Venue: ALMA Primary School, Broken Hill, G Block
Dates: Thursday 30th April, 14th & 28th May Thursday 11th & 25th June 2015

PEDAL stands for Play, Explore, Discover And Learn. PEDAL groups are open to all families with children aged 0-5. Play stimulates learning. It helps children gain a strong sense of identity, connectedness and well-being while becoming confident learners and effective communicators. At PEDAL group play experiences are set up in a way that children choose activities and explore and use resources while being guided by their imagination and creativity. Parents are encouraged to join into their child’s play.

What do you need to do? Come in play clothes; Provide a piece of fruit for a shared fruit platter at morning tea time; Recycle and contribute resources (bottle lids, egg cartons, boxes); Help out when you can (i.e. with preparation of morning tea, pack up).

Upon arrival sign in
For more information: Phone or visit the team at CentaCare Wilcannia-Forbes
1/261 Argent Street PO Box 159 Broken Hill NSW 2880
Phone. 08 8087 3477, Fax. 08 8087 2387

FRIDAY NIGHT ROLLER DISCO
ONESIE NIGHT
29th MAY

Don’t FORGET!
You can access the Alma Public School Website on
www.alma-p.schools.nsw.edu.au