

# SOUTH SCOOP

Term 4 - Week 4

Friday 8 November 2019

## Making Music with John Morrison and Jacki Cooper







South Campus was honoured to host Australian Jazz musicians John Morrison and Jacki Cooper for a full day of workshops on Friday 1 November.

Throughout the day John worked with our Jazz and Concert bands, and Jacki workshopped pieces with our choir.

The afternoon finished with some of our elective music students performing for them and engaging in masterclasses with these two fantastic musicians.

Both John and Jacki, who both visit schools around the country, commented on how impressed they were with our students. They mentioned how polite, engaged and enthusiastic they were and are already communicating with me about working with our students again.

### What a fantastic day of Music!

### What's On

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5	11 November Semester Two Exams P & C Meeting	12 November Semester Two Exams	13 November Semester Two Exams Yr 6 Mini Lessons	14 November Semester Two Exams	15 November Semester Two Exams
6	18 November Semester Two Exams	19 November Semester Two Exams	20 November Semester Two Exams	21 November Semester Two Exams	22 November Semester Two Exams
7	25 November	26 November	27 November	28 November	29 November
8	2 December	3 December Year 6 ORIENTATION DAY	4 December	5 December CHRISTMAS CAROLS	6 December

#### Principal's Message

The next few weeks see us leading into a busy time of year with Yearly Examinations, Reports, Year 7 Orientation and Year 10 Transition Week to name but a few. I wish all students the best of luck for the upcoming exams and encourage them to do the best that they can.

The introduction of our new mobile phone policy has led to positive feedback from staff, students and the community. Some comments from Year 8 students:

'The YONDR pouch is really good and everyone is actually talking to each other.'

'Thanks for the YONDR pouch, it makes my school life more social and happy!'

Students are commenting that they are more focused in class with teacher's indicating significantly less disruption and distraction in class. I wish to thank parents and the school community for their ongoing support of our policy.

Next week we will host the Dubbo AECG meeting with the meeting commencing at 1.30 after a 1.00 pm lunch. We look forward to seeing our local schools and community members in attendance at this meeting.

We are in the process of electing our school leaders for 2020 and it was pleasing to see the number and quality of applicants nominating for these very important roles. I look forward to announcing these leadership positions in the near future.

Ms L Macleod **PRINCIPAL** 

### Taste Testing

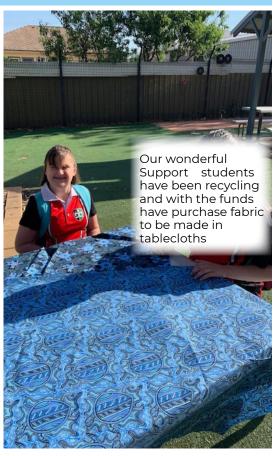


Year 9 Child Studies students have been studying the unit "Food and Nutrition in Childhood". This unit involves learning about breastfeeding and bottle feeding, weaning and nutrient requirements for young children. In a practical lesson, students had the opportunity to experience foods that were suitable for weaning babies from breast milk to solids. Exploring the textures and tastes of different food combinations was an interesting experience for the students.

### Congratulations to our Support Unit







### **DON'T FORGET!**

Please register for the new Dubbo College South Campus Parent Portal If you haven't already received your email with the instructions, please contact the school.

https://dcsth.sentral.com.au/portal/login

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#### NEWSLETTER TERM 4 WEEK 4

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

The latest count has seen that 17 Clontarf students have gained part-time jobs around the community. From working a few hours after school to working on weekends. We are really proud of these students and their efforts and dedication to a part-time job and showing the ability to continue with their employment and learning lessons on being an employee and the responsibilities. Employers range from McDonalds, KFC to Bob's Pet Barn. This term Clontarf are setting up worksite visits to the local NSW National Parks and Wildlife Parks Service and also to the local Woolworths outlets. The aim is to create more education around specific jobs for these young men and in turn planting a few seeds of future prospects or work experience.

#### WELLBEING

On 22 October we had Senior Constable Marty Paice (Police School Liasion) pop in for contact time to talk to the boys about choices to make when they are faced with situations that may result in violence. Marty also talked about his experiences and lessons he has learnt throughout his life. The students were able to have some great conversations around the topic and can hopefully make some positive choices out in the real world.

### *LEADERSHIP*

Term four, our Clontarf students have shown leadership in volunteering in community events by helping set up various events at the Disability Athletics Carnival, they have also made themselves available to cook a barbeque for all year 6's at a recent touch football competition. Our Clontarf team are very proud of these young men who are always putting their hands up to assist in such events. Their leadership skills are excelling and these students are growing into fine young men. We also took a couple of volunteers to help at the local soccer 6's competition. The young men helped set up bins and tents and then we were able to watch some great soccer skills on display for the day.

#### SPORT

Term Four at Dubbo South Academy will see our boys continue their heavy hand in the sporting arena not only as participants but also volunteers. On Wednesday Week Two, six of our more senior students assisted at the Annual

Disability Athletics Carnival as ground marshalls and field event measurers.

Looking forward, we have a Clontarf partners Oz-Tag challenge in Sydney for a select group along with many afternoons of sport amongst ourselves and our neighbouring academies. What a way to finish!

On 23 October, six of our boys travelled to Bourke to attend a Clontarf Cricket Carnival. Academies from Delroy Campus, Narromine High School, Narrabri High School, Brewarrina Central School and Broken Hill High School attended the carnival with the Bourke Academy students as hostesses. While in Bourke we also spent a few hours enjoying the Darling River with some of the other academies and then finishing the day with a whole region dinner at the Bourke High School hall.

The cricket carnival was held at Davidson Oval in which the regional academies played a round-robin style of cricket, each academy had the opportunity to come up against one another to play the sport. Following the cricket carnival, the academies were welcomed to the local pool where the boys were entertained by the water park, water rugby, touch football and an obstacle course. Special thanks to Mission Australia for providing the academies with fruit and water for the day, as well as a barbeque lunch. We ended the day with Chinese food for dinner at the Bourke Bowling Club, followed by a movie back at the Bourke Public School.

Our final day was 25 October with each academy returning home. Thank you, Billy Dodd, Jack Williams, Jamin Whyman, Zion Hands, Dillan Roberts and Leighton Knight for being respectful, responsible and for showing great leadership constantly while away on camp.













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