

# Menindee Central School

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**November 2018**

**TERM 4**

**WEEK 5**

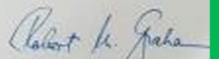


  
Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute

*This certificate is presented to*

**Connor Hayes**

*For outstanding achievement in Science at Menindee Central School  
recognised by the Victor Chang School Science Awards 2018*



Professor Robert M. Graham  
AO, FRAC, MD, FRACP, FACC, FAHA,  
Executive Director

 **Victor Chang**  
Cardiac Research Institute



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ASK



# Around MCS this week



Students from  
Turrumurra High  
School attending an  
art lesson with  
Mr Ball.



K/1/2 did a maths investigation to work out how many blocks were in the tub. Students had to problem solve and develop their own strategies to calculate how many blocks there were. They used skip counting and grouping strategies to keep count of the blocks. Students were investigating the most efficient strategy to use for counting such a large number of blocks.





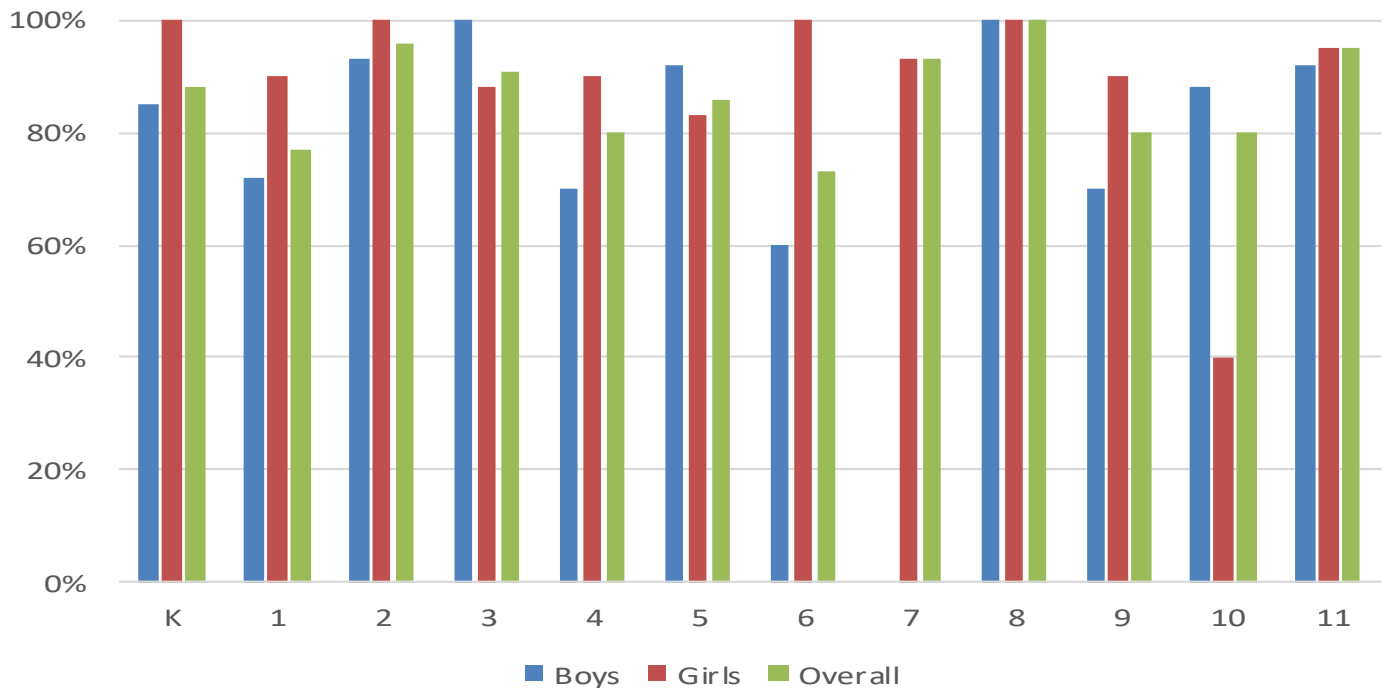
Girls: 89% (overall)

Boys: 84% (overall)

100% attendance

Girls: Kindy; Yr 2 Yr 6 Yr 8

Boys: Yr 3 Yr 8



# AWARDS

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS WHO RECEIVED AWARDS AT LAST TUESDAY'S ASSEMBLY

Kaleb; Walter; Tyson K; Tyreece; Destiny; Analee; Isiah; Malachy; Kieharni; James; Cheyenne; Chloe; Honey;



Congratulations Connor for your nomination as School Based Trainee of the Year in the Far West NSW Excellence in Business Awards!







*Front Office Buzz*

**FRONT OFFICE** Mon-Fri 8:00 am to 3:15pm

Phone: 80914 409 Fax: 80914 377

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Uniform Shop: Mon-Wed 8:30 –12:00



*School Starts @ 9:00am*

# November-December

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

Every Thursday	School Banking (info from FO)
<b><u>NOVEMBER</u></b>	
<b>Tuesday 20th</b>	<b>Student / Parent Meeting 3:30pm Connected Classroom</b>
<b>Tuesday 20th-Monday 26th</b>	<b>School Spectacular—Sydney</b>
<b>Monday 26th-Friday 30th</b>	<b>Killara High School visit (Bus out Thurs pm and Friday)</b>
<b>Friday 30th</b>	
<b><u>DECEMBER</u></b>	
<b>Monday 3rd-Friday 7th</b>	<b>Yrs 4,5,6 Swan Hill/Ballarat Excursion</b>
<b>Friday 14th</b>	<b>Presentation Day /Assembly 11:30 followed by Lunch Carols by Candlelight – School Oval from 7pm</b>
<b>Wednesday 19th</b>	<b>Last day of School for 2018</b>
<b>FEBRUARY 2019</b>	<b>SCHOOL STARTS TUESDAY 5TH</b>

## Primary Big Day Out

Primary Years K-6. Friday November 30th

More information will be sent home soon

Remember that students still need to maintain their 85% attendance level and have no suspensions

# NO BUS

Due to excursions, there will be no bus runs as marked on the calendar above. This notice is also added to our Facebook page & Skoolbag app.



# PARENT News

Year 12 fundraiser

Car Wash

Wed 28th 3.30pm to 6pm.

At the station next to the community hall.

Cars \$10 outside + \$5 inside.



## Year 12 Fundraising News!

Our year 12 students have started fundraising for their overseas trip that will happen at the end of their HSC year, 2019. They have already run a successful bingo night and have made plans for several fundraising events over the next few weeks. We appreciate the support the community has given so far 😊

**NEXT PARENT and STUDENT  
MEETING**

**When: Tuesday the 20<sup>th</sup> of  
November**

**Where: Connected Classroom**

**Who: YR 12 Students**  
**What: Fundraising Meeting**  
**When: Tuesday  
Lunchtimes**  
**Where: Library**  
**Why: Fundraising ideas,  
plans and activities to get  
us overseas!**

**DESTINATION – WATCH THIS SPACE!**

The destination will be confirmed this week; students have started voting.





MCS Year 6 Student Fuila attended the barrier PSSA Annual Blues Dinner on Friday night. He received and Award for Outstanding Performance in Sport 2018.

Photos - Top: with MCS teacher, Adam Bailey  
Centre: with Marcus Wilson from Team Australia, Invictus Games.







L-R Aunty Maureen O'Donnell *Wiljakali Elder* (Welcome to Country), Indiah Clark *Year 5 Burke Ward PS Wiljakali Student* (Acknowledgement of Country), Peter Macbeth *DEL FWPN*, Mayor Darriea Turley *Broken Hill City Council*, Professor Roland Stocker *Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute*

## Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute Award Recipients 2018

**Stewart Williams**  
Broken Hill High School

**Lee Evans**  
Coomoalla High School

**Ashton Tilley**  
Coomoalla High School

**Connor Hayes**  
Menindee Central School

**Tanvi Singh**  
Willyama High School



Education  
Public Schools

### Master of Ceremonies – Welcome and Introduction

Judith Selby, Broken Hill Education Office

### Welcome to Country

Maureen O'Donnell  
Community Elder

### Acknowledgement of Country

Indiah Clark  
Burke Ward Public School

### Welcome to Broken Hill City

Darriea Turley, Mayor Broken Hill City Council, Broken Hill

### National Anthem

Broken Hill Public School Choir

### Department of Education Welcome

Peter Macbeth, Director Educational Leadership, Far West Principals Network

### Road to Discovery

Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute – Media Presentation

### Occasional Address

Professor Roland Stocker, Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute

### Presentation of Awards

Roland Stocker, Professor Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute & Peter Macbeth, Director Educational Leadership, Far West Principals Network

### Closing Comments

Peter Macbeth, Director Educational Leadership, Far West Principals Network

Attendees are invited to remain for refreshments following the ceremony.



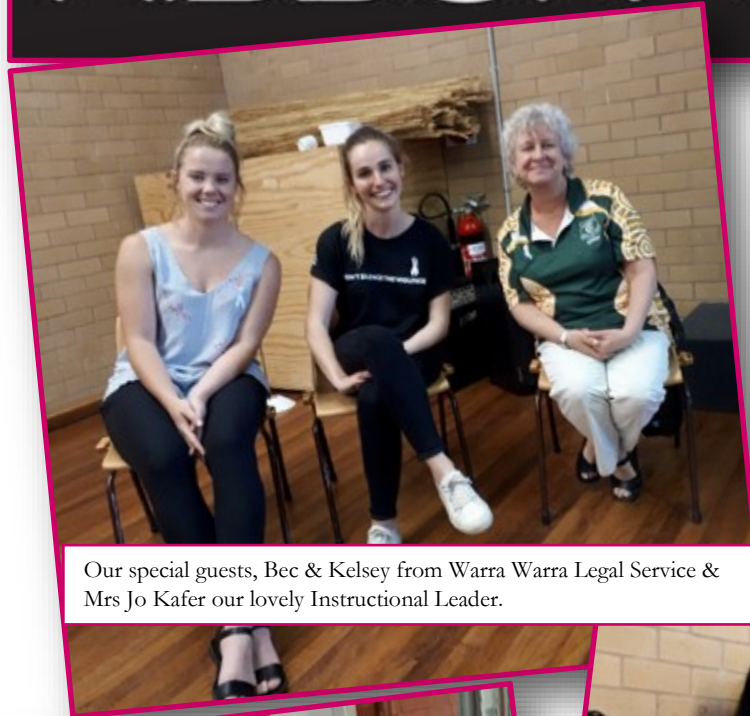
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*Centre:* Parents

*Bottom:* Broken Hill City Council, Broken Hill PS Choir & Teachers.





Our special guests, Bec & Kelsey from Warra Warra Legal Service & Mrs Jo Kafer our lovely Instructional Leader.



Kelsey from Warra Warra Legal Service taking about Domestic Violence against Women



Cohan, Fuila, Shontaye & Analee waiting to perform at the assembly.



Miss Kiara selling the cupcakes after the assembly.



Our captains Telicia and Kade presenting at the White Ribbon Assembly.

## Stand Up Speak out

Was this year White Ribbon Assembly motto.

We had a variety of guests including Bec and Kelsey from Warra Warra Legal Service, The Deadly Mix dance crew with Honey and Cohan from 4/5/6 performed at our assembly. We also say thanks to our parents and families for coming along and supporting White Ribbon.

Thank you also goes to our captains Telicia and Kade and our Instructional Leader Mrs Kafer for presenting at our assembly. We also say thanks to our parents and families for coming along and supporting White Ribbon.

We managed to raise \$207 dollars. The money will be sent back to White Ribbon to help support this worthy cause.

# COMMUNITY NEWS



**Menindee Charities-Lucky ball numbers: 3-4-6-11-15-18**

**Date: 20/11/18 Jackpot: \$1,068.00 Numbers: 1-18 Winner: Nil**



SUNSET STRIP PROGRESS  
ASSOCIATION INC. (9895710)  
PO BOX 7712  
SUNSET STRIP  
NEW SOUTH WALES 2879

## COMMUNITY NOTICE

### SUNSET STRIP VILLAGE – COMING EVENTS

The Sunset Strip Progress Association Inc. wishes to advise the Sunset Strip Community of the following coming events.

#### **Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November – Back to the 60's Dinner Night.**

Village residents are invited to attend the "Back to 60's Dinner Night" on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November. Bookings are essential. Book at the Post Office or ring Peter Cox 0456 666 370.

#### **Saturday – 1<sup>st</sup> December at 6pm – Christmas Party.**

All Sunset Strip residents are invited to the Community Christmas Party on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December starting at 6pm.

#### **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December – Sunset Strip Sport & Recreation Group – Christmas Party.**

Sunset Strip Sport & Recreation Group will hold their Christmas Party on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December.



ABN: 47976025521

CHARITY NO: CFN/22062





**Following the announcement of the 2019 NAIDOC theme – *Voice. Treaty. Truth. Let's work together for a shared future* – the National NAIDOC Poster Competition is now open!**

**Talented Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists from across Australia are invited to submit an artwork to represent what the 2019 theme - *Voice. Treaty. Truth. Let's work together for a shared future* - means to them.**

**The theme invites all Australians to walk with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in a movement of the nation for a better future.**

**The winning artist of this prestigious competition will have their artwork used as the 2019 National NAIDOC Poster - to be seen by thousands and celebrated across Australia as the centrepiece of NAIDOC Week 2019!**

**The winner will collect a \$10,000 cash prize and they and a friend will be invited as a VIP guest to attend the National NAIDOC Awards Ceremony in Canberra on Saturday 6 July 2019.**

**[Find out more how to enter.](#)**

**The Poster competition will close Monday 4 February 2019 at 5pm (AEDT).**

**NETBALL**

**TUESDAYS**

**Under the COLA**

**Nov 20 @ 6pm**

Where: MCS  
Competition runs  
until  
December 4 2018

See Mrs Browning  
for further details

**VOCAL GROUP**

**TUESDAYS**

**3pm - 4pm**



Where: Music room



**ROBINSON COLLEGE**

Training-Educating-Upskilling

*Training the Region*

**Tracey Dodimead, CEO Robinson College RTO 90449  
Personally Invites You to**

# **ROBINSON COLLEGE OPEN DAY**

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November, 2018  
10:00am to 1:30pm**

**Course  
Information**

**Study  
Pathways**

**College  
Tour**

**Try-A-Trade**

**Horticulture – create your own pot plant to keep  
First Aid – learn how to bandage a snake bite**

**CEO and Teachers available to discuss study and career options  
and fully funded training options for Employers and Individuals.**

**2BH Hill FM Broadcasting Live**

**Machinery on show with  
demonstrations**



**Family Fun Day Out**



**Fire Brigade and Police displays  
and career information**

**While enjoying your day out treat yourself  
to a sausage sizzle and hot donuts**



# Our mission

Our passion is improving quality of life for people in need

## Our motivation

The work of HammondCare is motivated by the Christian principles and values expressed in the words and deeds of Jesus Christ. HammondCare believes in the value of all people as made in the image of God and as loved by God. We are therefore called to show the same love, with compassion and respect, for people in need.

## Our mission in action

We serve people with complex health or aged care needs, regardless of their circumstances.

### How we serve others

#### Listening and relating

We listen to people and seek to understand their needs.

#### Enabling choice

With creativity and wisdom, we enable people to choose and to engage in life through activities they enjoy, find satisfying and from which they derive dignity and self-respect.

#### Tailoring care

We believe that providing excellent and responsive clinical care flows from knowing and understanding the person.

#### Belonging

We believe that feeling safe is crucial for people's well-being. We recognise the value of feeling in control and 'at home'.

#### Partnering with family and friends

We actively encourage family and friends to be our partners in care.

#### Engaging with community

We encourage people to be involved in their community and we will connect with the communities in which we serve.

#### Equity and access

We seek to serve the disadvantaged and those unable to care for themselves.

#### Nurturing the whole person

Our Christian motivation means that we nurture the spiritual well-being of people, as well as meeting their physical and emotional needs.

### How we work together

#### Serving with passion

We only want staff and volunteers who enjoy serving others and demonstrate this in their behaviour and attitude.

#### Learning and developing

We build the knowledge and skills necessary to do our jobs well and develop satisfying careers. We all use what we learn.

#### Being creative and innovative

We seek to research, develop and improve care and services. We encourage creativity and innovation.

#### Communicating well

We communicate honestly, openly and in a timely manner.

#### Respecting confidentiality

We protect the privacy and confidentiality of those we serve and with whom we work.

#### Being wise with resources

We will manage resources effectively and sustainably.

#### Managing risks for better care

We manage risks in an intelligent and measured way rather than seeking to eliminate them.

#### Valuing teamwork and sharing responsibility

We respect and value each other, our different roles, and the diversity of team members. All staff members share responsibility for our services and work together to reach common goals.



**HammondCare**

An Independent Christian charity

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## Community Care Workers

- Do you want to make a meaningful impact on the lives of others?
- Work in a job where at the end of the day you can confidently say, "I made a difference"
- Casual opportunities available in Menindee

### About HammondCare

HammondCare is an independent Christian charity that exists to improve quality of life for people in need.

We specialise in aged and dementia care, palliative care, rehabilitation, mental health services for older people, and other related health and aged care services. HammondCare seeks to embed evidence based best practice in its services and we provide these services through home care, sub-acute hospitals and residential aged care.

We are passionate about improving quality of life for people in need and are currently looking for people who share this passion. Our 'At Home' services are growing and we are seeking care workers who genuinely want to make a difference in older people's lives, by enabling our clients to maintain their sense of independence and wellbeing in their own home.

### About the role

The role of the *Care Worker (HammondCare At Home)* works within the Mission and Mission in Action of HammondCare to deliver a range of "in-home" aged care services to clients who are in receipt of a home care package and/or other aged care services. The Care Worker works mostly alone in the clients' homes, but under the direct supervision of their Case Manager or service Manager. This role is expected to deliver outstanding levels of client service and to perform delegated duties to a high standard within the HammondCare Mission and Core Values so as to maximise client satisfaction.

The essence of this role:

- Deliver a range of 'in-home' and/or other aged care services according to the care requirements and care plans of each client.
- Enable each client to have the opportunity to succeed at the activities of daily living which promote dignity, self-respect and maintain the client's quality of life and abilities.
- Maintain and update care activities and client status in clients' notes and ensure completion of all documentation, while maintaining confidentiality.
- Abide by all HammondCare Workplace Health & Safety Policies and Procedures, including reporting of hazardous procedures and work areas and anything that has or might compromise the care of the client or the health of the staff member.

### About you

- Commitment to engage and align with HammondCare's Christian Mission, Motivation and Mission in Action.
- No formal qualification necessary, however Certificate III Aged Care is an advantage.



- Experience and passion in providing personal care for elderly people and to care for those living with dementia.
- A current drivers licence and safe driving record. Willingness to travel between HammondCare's sites and from client to client homes throughout the shifts.
- Administrative and computer skills, including the usage of a smart phone.

HammondCare offers its staff competitive salaries, excellent training & development opportunities, a supportive environment and a fabulous benefits program. For more info check out our website: [www.hammond.com.au/careers](http://www.hammond.com.au/careers)

**Ready to make a change? Apply Now!**

For an information pack, including the selection criteria, and details on how to apply, please see our website: [www.hammond.com.au](http://www.hammond.com.au)

For any specific queries not answered by the information pack, please contact Jessica Madley, 1800 826 166

**Closing Date: 23 November 2018**

*All short listed applicants for these positions will be asked to consent to a criminal record check and pre-employment functional assessment.*

*Unfortunately the information pack is too large for our newsletter to publish so please contact direct to Hammond Care for the information. The MCS Newsletter Editor:*

### **MENINDEE OVER 60s CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON**



**MENINDEE CIVIC HALL SUPPER-ROOM**

**TUESDAY 4TH DECEMBER**

Doors open 12 NOON seated by 12.30pm

Lunch: cold meats and salads, dessert

Entertainment

**RSVP by Thursday 29<sup>TH</sup> November**

**to Noeline 0400005462 or Margot 0427437522**

A community initiative from Menindee Charities Inc and Central Darling Shire Council

### **Menindee Working Party**

**Meeting**

**Wednesday November 28**

**Time & Venue  
to be advised**

**Contact Amanda King  
for further details**

# **MENINDEE CHARITIES**

## **CHRISTMAS FAIR**

**NEW TIME TO  
BEAT THE HEAT**

**SATURDAY 24<sup>th</sup> NOV**

**Menindee Civic Hall**

**Doors open at 11.30am when SANTA ARRIVES**

**TOYS – CAKES – PLANTS – LUCKY DIPS**

**FOOD & DRINKS**

**FAMILY CHRISTMAS STOCKING RAFFLE**

**\$10 a stall site – table & chairs provided**

***Come and celebrate in the Christmas Season***

***and kids 'have your photo taken with Santa'***

***Ph: Margot 0427437522 or Barb 0407 427742***

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**11am - Menindee Development Committee  
Christmas Pageant bringing Santa to the Fair**