Making kebabs for Friday’s cooking lesson with Mrs K.
Dear Parents,

Well I can’t believe that we are almost halfway through term 3! Time definitely flies when you are having fun.

This week is packed to the brim once again with learning opportunities and experiences. On Thursday Connor and Taila will be venturing off to the Riverina Environmental Education Centre as part of a science research day. They will have the chance to collect some organisms for scientific research and work with their peers from other schools to answer questions. Thank you to Karla for providing transport for the day.

Friday is the Highlands Athletics Carnival to be held in Tumut. We hope the weather is fine and wish our competitors good luck. Thank you to all parents assisting on the day.

Last week Mack, Tilly and Bella joined our Small Schools friends for the Trent Barrett Shield. Tilly made a number of crucial tags in defence while Bella scored a number of tries and was awarded players player for her team. Mack proved to everyone that a committed Rugby Union player can mix it with the Rugby League players as he made some tough tackles and hit the ball up hard. Well done to all our competitors and to Mrs McCalister and Mrs Annettes for assisting on the day. Thank you to all parents for providing transport and throwing your support behind our students.

This Thursday is the annual street stall to be held in Tumut beginning at 9:30am. Our wonderful P&C have put together some beautiful home cooked goods while the students have been working hard at cooking vine ripened tomato chutney from the garden as well as play dough which they have been making during their mass lessons in maths. Some preloved children’s books will also be available for purchase. A wood raffle will also be on sale as well as a chance to win an RM Williams bath robe. Anyone who is donating cooked items to the stall is reminded to add the ingredients list to the wrapping.
Congratulation to Bella Lucas, this week’s student of the week. Bella wins her award for her excellent sporting achievements and her consistent work in class.

Last week our students had the opportunity to take part in a virtual excursion to Botany Bay via our Video Conference facility. Our students had the chance to work with an artist to create a nature artwork that included native flora and fauna from our area. It was a great experience working with students from schools around the state through modern technology and the artworks look amazing.

**Brad**

**COMING EVENTS**

13 Aug   Year 5 REEC Wagga
         Tumut Street Stall
14 Aug   Highlands Athletics Carnival – Tumut
24/25 Aug Cabramurra Ski Camp
7 Sept   Art Day Wee Jasper
11 Sept  T-Ball Binalong
14 Sept  P&C Meeting
15 Sept  Yr 6 REEC Wagga
17 Sept  School photos
18 Sept  Last day Term 3

**P&C NEWS**

Tumut Street Stall
Thursday 13 August

Next P&C meeting
Monday 14 September

Bunnings Belconnen BBQ
Sunday 27 September

**Spelling Awards**

Week 4

Jack and Taila
What is your greatest memory so far of Bongongo Public School? The Sydney excursion.

If you could teach any subject at school, which would you teach? PE or History.

Where would be your favourite spot for this year’s school photos? ANZ Stadium.

What would be your favourite pet? A fox terrier.

Which would you choose, one million dollars or a school made of chocolate? One million dollars.

What is the best thing about living in Brungle? Having my cousin and uncle next door.

Who is your idol and why? Jonathan Thurston because he inspires me to play good footy.

What do you want to be when you grow up? Play NRL or be a butcher.

Where is your favourite holiday destination? ANZ Stadium to see State of Origin.

Our video conference art work