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Newsletter

Term 2 Week 8 Monday 16 June 2025

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From the Relieving Principal

I will be attending the Far West network meeting on Thursday and Friday with other principals. Ben Colmer will be relieving while I am out of the school.



Stage 2 Excursion

We are off!! Stage 2 will be leaving bright and early on Wednesday morning. Students need to arrive at **5.30am** for the bus to leave by **6am**. Please come to the main gate outside the school office. We have had to change some of the activities because our activity provider is not able to make it due to illness. We are now doing fishing, golf, arts and craft board games and sport. Please bring in any medication and medical forms as soon as possible.

PSSA AFL

Last week Javi and Rory represented Barrier in AFL. I received this message from their Coach Joel Wilson - "Last week I had the pleasure of coaching Javi and Rory at the PSSA Australian Football Championships. Both boys played well, showed sportsmanship, and Javi in particular was awarded the Barrier 'MVP' award, a new award instigated at these championships for each region." Well done boys we are very proud of you!

Athletics Carnival

Our athletics carnival will be held on Tuesday 24th June (Week 9). We are seeking volunteers to help with the hot dog stall even if it is for a few hours. Please fill out the form attached to this newsletter.

Reports

Reports are in their final stages and will be going home on Monday of Week 9. They will also be published on the Sentral portal. There is still time to make a time for a parent interview in Weeks 9 and 10.

BROKEN HILL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

**ENROLLING NOW
FOR KINDERGARTEN
2026**

All public schools in Broken Hill are now accepting enrolments for Kindergarten 2026.

Visit your zoned public school to pick up an enrolment pack, or enrol your child online at: <https://ehub.enrol.education.nsw.gov.au>

We are committed to ensuring that every student learns, grows and belongs in an outstanding education system.

T2W8 **What's on this week at Alma PS?**

Garden Week Stage 2 and Stage 3

Stage 2 Lake Cullulleraine Excursion Departs

Wednesday- Stage 3 Astronaut visit excursion
Kindergarten kitchen 11:40am

Thursday- Stage 2 Lake Cullulleraine Excursion

Friday- Assembly 5/6 S present
Stage 2 Lake Cullulleraine excursion return

Coming Up

Week 9- Alma Athletics Carnival
Reports go home
Parent/teacher interviews

Week 10- Gala Days
Parent/teacher interviews
Last day of Term 2

PBL

We follow instruction

Ngayi Alma, we start our week of learning by acknowledging the Wilyakali people. The Wilyakali people are the traditional owners of the land we are on today. On behalf of Alma Public School, we remember Wilyakali people from the past, present and emerging. Their country, our country and our School. We hope you have a great week of learning.

RESPECTFUL, RESILIENT, RESPONSIBLE

WEEK 6 ASSEMBLY SUPER STARS
CONGRATULATIONS!!

Nate Adams	Sienna Maiden	Piper Dickson	Ava Richards
Joziah Jones	Lukas Millman	Kyle Tree	Ashlyn Chapman- Henderson
Arden Morris	Hadley Cumming	Summer Hayward	Hugh Dean
Chet Jones	Aarav Ekanayake	Toby Grant	Henely Bracken
Dominic Owens	Laura Reynolds	Reeve Willimas	King-David David
Zanon Bennett	Azariah King	Andrea Neal	Christopher O'Donnell
Ada Dunstall			



Upcoming Events

Stage 2 Excursion – Lake Cullulleraine & Mildura

- **Date:** Wednesday 18 June – Friday 20 June 2025
- **Arrival Time:** Students must arrive at school Wednesday morning by 5:30 AM
- **Departure:** Bus leaves 6:00 AM sharp
 - **Important:** All medical forms and student medication must be submitted to the school office by Tuesday, 17 June 2025.

Athletics Carnival

- **Date:** Tuesday, 24 June 2025
- Permission notes must be returned by Monday 23 June 2025.
- The Alma P&C will be hosting a Hotdog Day at the Athletics Carnival. Hotdogs will be \$5 each.

Students can return envelope with correct money enclosed. Alternatively purchase through the **Sentral Parent Portal** under the canteen icon.

Orders will close Friday 20 June 2025.

Term 2 Calendar 2025

Week 8	Monday 16 June	Tuesday 17 June	Wednesday 18 June Stage 2 Excursion	Thursday 19 June Stage 2 Excursion	Friday 20 June Stage 2 Excursion Assembly 5/6S
Week 9	Monday 23 June Reports get sent home Parent Teacher Interviews	Tuesday 24 June Alma Athletics Carnival	Wednesday 25 June Parent Teacher Interviews	Thursday 26 June Parent Teacher Interviews	Friday 27 June
Week 10	Monday 30 June Parent Teacher Interviews	Tuesday 1 July Gala Day Boys- AFL Girls- Soccer	Wednesday 2 July Parent Teacher Interviews Gala Day Boys- Soccer Girls-AFL	Thursday 3 July Parent Teacher Interviews	Friday 4 July LAST DAY OF TERM 2 Assembly Choir



Alma Bugdlie
Pre - School

Alma Bugdlie Preschool Public School

PRESCHOOL EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR 2026

" Respect, Resilience
and Responsibility "

We are now taking expression
of interest for Alma Bugdlie
Preschool 2026

Please visit Alma Public School or Alma
Bugdlie to pick up an expression of
interest package or call on 08 8088 1244
or 08 8088 2181
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<https://alma-p.schools.nsw.gov.au>




Australian Haydn Ensemble & WestWords Storytelling Through Music Student Workshop Series

The **Australian Haydn Ensemble**, in partnership with **WestWords**, and with the support of **Big Sky Stories**, is bringing an exciting new, FREE, creative education program for Broken Hill local students!

Storytelling Through Music is a unique workshop series combining poetry, music, and storytelling. Students will work alongside professional musicians from the Australian Haydn Ensemble, acclaimed Aboriginal author and illustrator Dub Leffler and music educator Angela Wagstaff to create new musical works inspired by their poetry and stories.

This is a hands-on, collaborative experience where students will:

- Explore poetry and storytelling in workshops with Aboriginal author Dub Leffler
- Engage in music-making workshops with musicians from one of Australia's best historical performance groups
- Create and perform original compositions
- Discover new ways of expressing their ideas, culture, and imagination

We are looking for students who:

- enjoy writing, storytelling, music, or performance
- open to trying new things, sharing ideas, and collaborating with others.
- who play instruments or have had some musical training – they are welcome, but it's absolutely not a requirement.
- are in Years 5-9



PART 1: Poetry and storytelling workshops with Dub Leffler
Mon. to Thurs. 30th June - 3rd July: 3.30-5.00PM
BIG SKY STORIES 360 Argent Street, Broken Hill
Spaces are limited!

Work created by the students will given to five composers to inspire and/or include in their original compositions.



PART 2: Music & storytelling workshops with Australian Haydn Ensemble
Wed. 17th and Fri 19th Sept: 3.30-5.00PM
BIG SKY STORIES 360 Argent Street, Broken Hill
Spaces are limited!

PERFORMANCE Sat, Sept. 20:
8:00PM Australian Haydn Concert at Broken Hill Regional Art Gallery
The program will include performances of the new musical works composed for the project.



For further information or to book a place
please call WestWords on 1800 937 896
or email michael@westwords.com.au

PLEASE LET US KNOW THE STUDENT'S NAME, AGE, APPROPRIATE CONTACT DETAILS AND SCHOOL



Stage 3 Bendigo and Ballart 1 September- 5 September payment plan. Full amount \$430.00

2 May \$50	16 May \$50	30 May \$50	13 June \$50	27 June \$50	25 July \$50	8 August \$50	22 August \$50
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