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# Kinder Echidnas Unleash a Flock of Feathered Fun



In English class, the Kindy Echidnas have been exploring the tale of "Feathers for Phoebe" by Rod Clement. Inspired by the story, the little artists crafted their own colorful birds with a variety of craft materials.















# **Upcoming Events:**

17 October

Assembly - K-1 Koalas

**Kinder Orientation** 

20 October

**Swim School** 

BHHS Parent Information Evening

• 22 October

Special Ed Yr 6 BHHS Transition

24 October

Assembly - 1-2 Magpies

Yr 6 WHS Taster Lesson

**Kinder Orientation** 

27 October

Swim School

29 October

Special Ed Yr 6 BHHS Transition

# From the Principal

Welcome back to Term 4!

It's shaping up to be a busy and exciting time with many important events ahead, including Presentation Day, high school transitions, swim school, and the Year 6 Farewell.

We are also proud to share that a new sign has been installed on the front office building acknowledging the Wilyakali people, the traditional custodians of this land. A heartfelt thank you to Clint for his outstanding efforts in making this happen, and to Fast Print for their excellent installation work over the holidays.

As the weather warms up, please remember to send your children to school with their hats to stay protected while outdoors.

Here's to a wonderful term ahead!

Lavinia Weaver PRINCIPAL (Relieving)





Each bird was given a name, and students wrote sentences with adjectives to highlight their birds' unique flair. For the first time, they ventured into publishing their writing! Now, their brilliant birds and descriptions are proudly displayed in our classroom.









Students who bring mobile phones to school must hand them in to the school office each morning when they arrive.

They can collect them in the afternoon after

the bell.

# **Levels Awards**

The following students achieved Gold and Silver Levels and will be presented with their Certificate at Assembly on Friday 17 October at 9:00am. Congratulations and thanks for setting a positive example at our school

# **GOLD**

K-1 Koalas Daisy Bell, Max Degoumois

1-2 Magpies My'aah Deeble

3-4 Galahs Aaliyah Devlin-Knott

5-6 Bees Kaden Balman, Nahla Everuss,

Abel Nilsen

# **Class Awards**



K Echidnas Darcy Botten, Juliet King

K-1 Koalas Ezra Hancock-Hallinan,

Hastie Jade Leith

K-6 Geckos Marley Perkins

K-6 Turtles Deegan Moore

K-6 Wattles Jai Colmer

1-2 Goannas Isla Harper, Jonas Kelly,

**Xavier Staker** 

1-2 Magpies Emmy-Faye Beavan, Addison

Edwards, Michael Staker

3-4 Platypus Zia Advincula, Axton

Johnston, Sara Williams

3-6 Budgies Aaron Brooks, Lucas

**McCarthy** 





A dependable friend, known for his kindness, loyalty, and courage. His support positively impacts his peers' lives.



# WILLYAMA HIGH SCHOOL

# Year 7, 2026 Open Night

- 📆 Monday, 27 October 2025
- Starting at 5:30pm

## **Explore Our School:**

- Tour facilities
- 🖶 Learn about our curriculum
- Meet staff & students

### **Medical Needs?**

• Meet with office staff to complete paperwork and discuss your child's health requirements.

### 95 Kaolin Street

🙈 Enter via the gate on Kaolin and Wolfram corner



We look forward to welcoming you!

Carer Gateway warmly invites unpaid carers to its Carers' BIG Lunch series!

Each lunch will offer unpaid carers a rare opportunity to step away from their caring role, connect with other carers, and enjoy:

- MC Juanita Phillips, and guest
- speaker Adam Harvey
- · The opportunity to hear about the Carer Gateway program
- Live music

These are FREE events for unpaid carers and a plus one of their choosing (both aged over 18).

### MUDGEE

Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2025 Parklands

# **BROKEN HILL** Club

Wed 5th Nov 2025 The Musicians

### **ORANGE** Wed 26th Nov 2025

Banksia Orange

# Resort WAGGA WAGGA

Wed 11th Feb 2026 The Gardens Function Centre

### **DUBBO** Wed 4th March 2026

Lazy River Estate

### **BOOKINGS** ESSENTIAL

Call Carer Gateway on 1800 422 737

All events are alcohol free and will run from 11am - 2:30pm We look forward to seeing you there!

live Better



# **October is Breast Cancer** Awareness Month

# Be a friend. Tell a friend.

Share why breast screening matters. Early detection saves lives

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# THRIVE: KIDS

CIRCUIT BASED GROUP EXERCISE FOR KIDS. LED BY OUR RESIDENT PAEDIATRIC PHYSIOTHERAPIST. DEVELOPING FUNDAMENTAL MOVEMENT SKILLS IN A FUN & SAFE ENVIRONMENT.

WHO: KIDS AGED 5 TO 10 WHERE: THRIVE GYM, ENTER VIA GYM ENTRANCE (CRYSTAL LANE) WHEN: FRIDAYS, 4:30PM - 5PM **BOOKINGS: FIRST 2 SESSIONS FREE, \$5 THEREAFTER** 

**BOOKINGS VIA MINDBODY APP** IF BOOKING MULTIPLE KIDS INTO THE SAME CLASS BOOK VIA MINDBODY WEBSITE



MINDBODY Website:

https://clients.mindbodyonline.com/classic/ws?studioid=408672&stype=-98