



Finley High School Newsletter

Acting Principal: Mrs P Jackson

Relieving Deputy Principal: Mr N Campbell

14th June 2018

KEY DATES

June

- 13 – 15** Holbrook Sheep and Wool Show
- 15** Riverina Cross Country
- 18** 15's Boys and Girls Basketball in Deniliquin
- 20** Breakfast Club
- Homework centre at Finley High School Library, 3:30pm to 4:30pm
- Homework centre on the road at Tocumwal Catholic School and Berrigan Catholic School
- Open Girls Riverina AFL finals in Canberra
- 21** Formal Assembly 12.30 pm in School Hall
- 22** World's Greatest Shave Trivia Night
- 25** Year 12 Legal Studies Prison visit
- 27** Breakfast Club
- Homework centre at Finley High School Library, 3.30pm to 4:30pm

Principal's Report

Welcome Natalie Clarke

It is very pleasing to be able to introduce a new permanent member of staff. Natalie Clarke joins the English faculty filling the vacancy left by Ms Vanessa Bush. Natalie and her family have moved to Finley from Sydney bringing with her a wealth of knowledge and experience in teaching English. We warmly welcome Natalie to Finley High School and hope you get the opportunity to meet her soon.

Rural and Remote Initiative

Mrs Campbell will also be joining the Maths staff full-time Terms Three and Four as a part of a new Department of Education initiative for rural schools. Mrs Campbell will continue teaching her Maths classes as well as working on a project to map and improve numeracy across the school. We are thrilled to have her take on this important initiative.

Berrigan Shire Council Careers Expo

Huge thanks to the Berrigan Shire Council and Deb White for delivering another occupation filled, informative expo for our senior students. I was privileged enough to attend when Sam Ludeman and Sam Russell were performing for the students before talking about their career journeys to become professional musicians and answering all questions. Our community offers many opportunities for post school careers and giving the students knowledge of the diversity of jobs available and pathways to access these careers is invaluable. Mrs White can help any students who wish to follow up on information learnt on the day.

P&C FADAMS Catering

The P&C have again undertaken to cater for Finley Amateur Dramatic and Musical Society's annual season of performances. This is a major fundraiser for the school with money earned being used to improve the learning environment for all students at the school. Thank you to the parents and staff who assisted with preparing and serving the meal.

YES! TAFE PROGRAM

Over the past four weeks, eight of our Year Nine and Ten students have experienced a sample of what it would be like to work in the construction or hair and beauty industries. Qualified teachers at Deniliquin TAFE instructed the students in a range of skills related to those areas. Each student then applied those skills to create projects typically performed in those areas. This was a valuable experience for the students.



Above: Taymyn Jones in construction



Above: Jennah Maraldo, Aleesha Hannon and Billie Matheson in hair and beauty

Mrs Jackson
Acting Principal

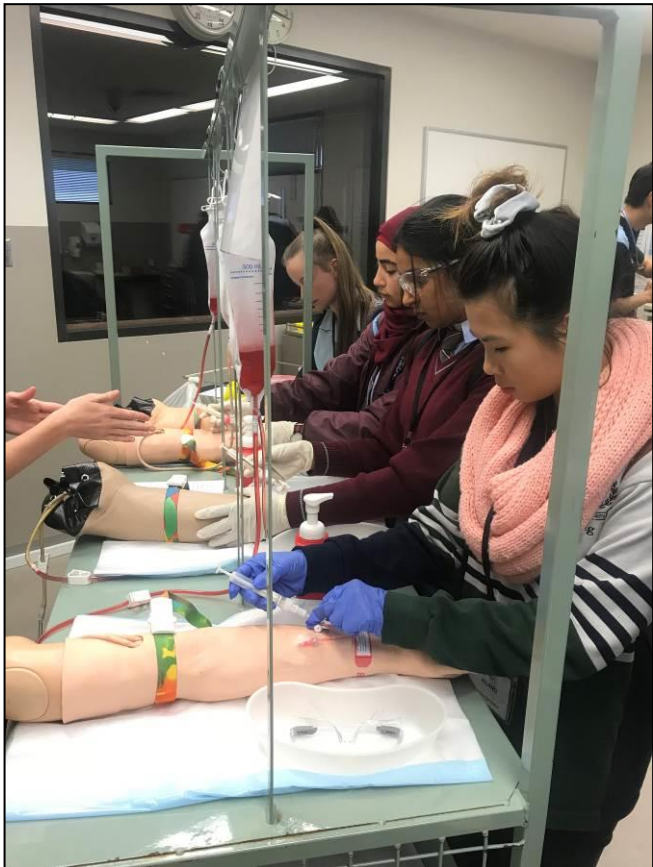
Rural Health Day

On Thursday 31st of May nine Year Twelve students interested in Careers in Health and Allied Health travelled to GV Hospital in Shepparton to participate in interactive workshops in various areas of Health Careers. The day saw students moving between The University of Melbourne teaching areas and the GV Hospital where they had the opportunity to touch, try and learn about different careers in the field of health. Students chose from paramedicine, aged care, midwifery, occupational health, optometry, pharmacy, speech therapy & audiology, medicine, dental, nursing, mental health, physiotherapy, exercise physiology, complimentary medicine, dietetics, medical imaging, health promotion and podiatry. Most of the workshops involved students doing hands on activities with specialised industry tools and equipment. For example: In the medicine workshop students worked on a simulation mannequin that presented as a car crash victim and students interacted with them to assess their HR, BP, blood oxygen levels and check their pupils. They also took blood from a mannequin arm, while the midwifery students delivered a simulated baby, provided breathing assistance to a newborn and did some nappy changing. The workshops were a great way for students to not only to see what sorts of activities were involved in each career but it also gave them an opportunity to interact with personnel

currently working and studying in these roles. They learned about the courses and possible pathways for a number of different health areas. It was a fabulous learning experience. Finally we would also like to thank Matt Wooden for his assistance in transporting the girls to and from the hospital. Without your help many would not have been able to attend the day.



Above: Aleisha Gray practising CPR



Above: Mingxi Huang practising blood collection



Above: Madison Wooden checking a patient's vital signs



Above: Kate Eddy in Neonatal Care

Berrigan Shire Youth Future Careers and Employment EXPO

On Wednesday 13th June students in Years Eleven and Twelve participated in the Berrigan Shire Youth Futures Careers and Employment EXPO held at the Finley Recreation Reserve. The day started with a video showcase of what a great place the Berrigan Shire is to live and earn with cameos from some well known local identities. Students then formed groups to undertake workshops. There were panels from various extended fields of Agriculture and a wide range of Trade/Apprenticeship areas. Students then met with local service providers and learned about their career pathways and a day in their life. They then had the opportunity to look over some of the equipment they use on a daily basis in their vehicles. A group of health personnel also spoke to students about the various careers in the fields of Health and Allied Health.



Above: Services presenting to the students.

Below: Students looking at a police vehicle.



Lunch time saw students entertained by the amazing “Sam and Sam” duo who performed a few songs before speaking about their varied and exciting journeys in the entertainment industry from performing through to app creation. Jane Harris lead students through preparing for interviews, while Susie and Merran and their Berrigan Shire team did some role playing of Interview Scenarios. This was as entertaining as it was informative. Finally, the day was brought together by local legend Donnie Elgin who continues to inspire all who hear him speak.

Right: Don Elgin speaking to the students

Below: Sam and Sam performing.



Finley High School would like to extend an enormous thanks to all the people who were involved in the EXPO. A special thanks is extended to the employers who presented their own stories and career experiences, to the businesses who released their apprentices for the day to talk with students, the service units who brought along personnel, and their vehicles for students to sit in and look over. To the members of the Finley High School community and Bernadette and Kaylene in the Finley High School Canteen who provided delicious cakes and soups and helped in preparing the food for the event we also say thank you. To Brian O’Hora for his help with not only presenting but also setting up the venue, we are greatly appreciative. Finally to the Berrigan Shire team lead by Susie Escott and Merran Socha we extend our thanks and congratulations, well done on another informative and fabulous local EXPO. Students in attendance were blown away by the local stories and presentations.



Above: Riley Dempster



Above: Stephanie Harris



Above: Theodora Miaoudis



Above: Students participating in a team building exercise.

FHS P&C

Helpers are required for FADAMS
catering
on the nights of

Friday 15th June and
Saturday 16th June.

If you are able to assist
please call Kaylene or Bernadette
on 5883 1105.

Finley High School P&C Meeting

Wednesday 8th August, 2018
7pm in the staff common room
(administration building)

The P&C meet the second
Wednesday of the month.
Everyone is welcome to attend.

fhspandcassociation@gmail.com

CANTEEN ROSTER

Canteen Contact and Number
Mrs Kaylene Dawe 5883 1105
....LADIES, please note 10am start....

June

15	K Arnold
18	S Congram D Pike
19	F Aull
20	H Harris
21	L Bryce
22	K Lunn
25	M McCaw, K Steel
26	H Mortlock
27	D Jewell
28	L Knight
29	T Clarke

Brekky Club

Every Wednesday at 8:30 am

Hot Milo, juice and toast

No cost

Donated by local clubs and
organisations.

FHS WORLD'S GREATEST SHAVE TRIVIA NIGHT!

WHEN: Friday 22nd June

TIME: 7pm Start

WHERE: Finley High School Hall

Prizes to be won!

Emma, Simi and Isobelle will be SHAVING on the night!

- 6-10 people per table
- \$5 per person (pay at the door)
- BYO Nibbles & Drinks available to purchase
- Prizes to be won
- Bookings via Finley High front office 0358831344

ALL PROCEEDS GO TOWARD THE LEUKAEMIA FOUNDATION



Leukaemia Foundation

**WORLD'S
GREATEST
SHAVE**





NAIDOC Week Celebrations
are held across Australia each July
to celebrate the history, culture
and achievements of Aboriginal
and Torres Strait Islander Peoples

CREATIVE WRITING COMPETITION

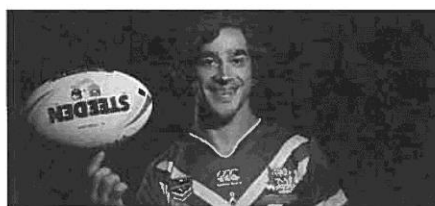
Entry is open
to all students
in Years 7-9

"Choose an Aboriginal song or film and explain
what it means to you and why you have chosen
this particular song or film."

INDIGENOUS AUSTRALIANS TO ASPIRE TO



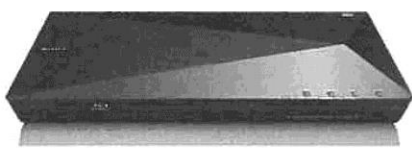
Jessica Mauboy
Indigenous Recording Artist



Jonathan Thurston
Indigenous Rugby League Player

**1000 words or less. Entry
must be typed and on A4
paper. Please ensure name
and grade are clearly included
on both your work and on
the official NAIDOC School
Initiatives entry form.

PRIZES



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SONY MEGA BLASTER



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Name _____ Age _____ School _____ Year _____

All competitions: Entries must be recieved by close of business on Friday 22 June 2018 at the co-ordination centre, GPO Box 454, Sydney NSW 2001. Judging will take place on Thursday 28th June 2018. Winners will be notified through principals, presentations will take place at school assemblies with your local Mayor, Elders and other dignitaries.

Leukaemia Foundation

WORLD'S GREATEST SHAVE™



**Isobelle, Simi and Emma
are taking part in the
World's Greatest Shave!**

If you'd like to sponsor us go to:

<http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/finleyhighschool>

or cash donations can be made at the FHS
front office.

Any donation is greatly appreciated ☺

WIN



John Deere
XUV590i
RRP \$18,100

Jerilderie Public School P&C Raffle

\$10 per ticket

Drawn Wednesday 17/12/18 at Jerilderie Public School



Presentation Night

Supplied by:



Winner notified by phone and announced on JPS facebook page and printed in 'Just Jerilderie' Southern Riverina News



**CAN ASSIST FINLEY BRANCH FUNDRAISER
RAFFLE NIGHT TO BE HELD AT THE FINLEY
BOWLING CLUB. ON FRIDAY 15TH JUNE
START 6:30, RAFFLES WILL START TO BE
DRAWN FROM 7:30.**

**PLEASE COME ALONG AND BE PART OF
OUR NEXT FUNDRAISING EVENT
AND TAKE YOUR CHANCE AT WINNING
ONE OF THE WONDERFUL PRIZES**

**CAN ASSIST
GIVING VALUED ASSISTANCE TO
LOCAL RESIDENTS AFFECTED BY CANCER.**