The first two weeks of the Term III have seen our students return in a positive mindset and they have quickly settled into their school routines. Minimal staff changes have also supported this smooth start to the term. We have employed two permanent teachers who are working in Special Education. We welcome Brigitt Kelly and Dr Margaret Anderson, two experienced practitioners who will add to the capacity of our Special Education faculty. I was also appointed as Principal of South Campus and I am looking forward to continuing the strong progress that we have been making during the second term. One of major goals will be to stabilise our faculties so that students can develop strong and lasting relationships that foster improved classroom results.

Dubbo College has recently installed Sentral, a computer based platform, which supports all our student management and support structures. This highly effective system will support our staff to better manage the wellbeing of students and enable improved communication with parents. The system is not fully operational as yet but all indicators are positive and we look forward to its complete roll out in a few weeks.

On Monday we were fortunate to have Aaron Pederson visit the College and spend two hours with students at South Campus. For those who don’t know him, he is an accomplished indigenous actor and has played leading roles in Water Rats, Jack Irish, Mystery Road and The Circuit. He spoke at length during a formal assembly and detailed his life struggles which he used to stress his main message - don’t let hardship get in your road when seeking to achieve your goals. You just can’t make excuses and lead a life half lived. He spoke at length about the importance of caring for others and this was highlighted when he spoke of his lifelong support of his disabled brother. He also spent time with students from the Drama and Aboriginal Studies classes and visited the Clontarf Academy to complete a hectic visit. Students and staff were moved by his words and we can hope that we can echo his sentiment and advice over the months ahead.

We also had a highly successful Year 6 into 7 transition afternoon which was an informal gathering that focused on the parents and students having their first tour of the school. There will be many more activities in this program and our aim is to provide all the necessary opportunities so that we provide and receive all the necessary information so that Year 7 commences 2016 in a positive and successful manner.

Mr Ross Gorrie
PRINCIPAL
In 2015, Dubbo College South Campus has participated in the U/14’s Buckley Shield Rugby League competition. We played Gilgandra HS in round 1 and won through with a 38-10 victory. James ‘Busta’ Nelson scored 2 tries and kicked 5 goals and best players included Kye Mawson, Busta Nelson and Kieren Moore. In round 2 we travelled to Gulgong to play Gulgong HS and won again, this time 62-0. Busta scored a hat-trick of tries and kicked 6 goals, and Kenny Bell scored 2 tries. Best players from this game included Busta Nelson, Kenny Bell and Kieren Moore. After a long break we travelled to Nyngan to play Nyngan HS. We were again successful, winning the game 30-10. Busta again scored 5 tries and kicked 2 goals; best players included Busta Nelson, Jarrod Peachey and William Nelson. The next game was the Western Area B Final and we again had to travel to West Wyalong to play West Wyalong HS, without Busta Nelson. We won the final 44-16, playing the best game of the competition. Kenny Bell scored 2 tries and kicked 3 goals, and Colby Peckham crossed for 2 tries. Best players in the final included Kieren Moore, Kenny Bell and Colby Peckham. This led to Dubbo College South Campus making it through to the final 20 of the state-wide competition. We were drawn to play Brisbane Waters Secondary College on the Central Coast. We travelled to Umina to play the game on Thursday week 1 of this term. Unfortunately, we were beaten 52-0 by a very strong school in very wet conditions. To the students’ credit they kept trying their hardest and were unlucky not to score on a couple of occasions. This Brisbane Waters Secondary College have over 1000 students to choose from in this age group across 2 schools, have a rugby league academy set up at the school and have won the Buckley Shield competition twice in recent years. This Dubbo College South Campus side represented our school in an outstanding manner and should be very proud of their efforts throughout the year. They were continuously complimented by the other schools/coaches on their sportsmanship. A massive thank you to all the students that have represented the school throughout the year. You have been a pleasure to coach. Also to all the parents that have organised and allowed the students to play and paid for all the away trips, attended games to support the team or provided snacks on the trips. To the other members of staff that have driven the bus or helped out at games; thank you.

Mr. Jones
COACH
Caring and supportive teachers specialising in middle schooling
CAPA CONNECTIONS

Lots once again coming up in this term in CAPA.

The wonderful “Bell Shakespeare Production of “Hamlet” is coming to the Dubbo Theatre 19 August. If you haven’t booked your spot for a ticket yet, please pay your $20.00 to the office ASAP (if you can’t remember if you did at the end of the last term, please check ASAP). This will be a wonderful modern production of this great “Classic” work and you are sure to find it relevant and easy to understand. Be brave and be entertained “Come and get your Shakespeare On”!

Vocal students are spending a special workshop day with Delroy students and tutors Week 3 Tuesday 28 July. For more information please contact Mrs Maher in CAPA.

Three students have been selected for the State Wind Ensemble and are going to Sydney in Week 3. This is a fantastic effort/opportunity and highlights the quality skills of Chloe Ahern, Robin Hall and Tara Williamson. Miss Kersley has also been invited to be a part of this fantastic opportunity and will attend the overall experience of the rehearsal workshops and concert.

Many of our Drama students enjoyed the opportunity of chatting with Aaron Pederson who was in our school last Monday. It was great to hear about his thoughts/ideas and experiences as a well-known Indigenous Actor in the Australian Film Industry and theatre world.

It was great to have some wonderful art works from 1st Semester on display for our first 6 into 7 transition evening for parents. We look forward to sharing more of this later this term as we look to pull together a Creative Arts Night for South to showcase our talented students. More news about this will come your way soon, we are tentatively setting aside Friday early evening 28 August and will confirm this date in the next newsletter so please try to keep it free.
**Year 8 Music** students paying tribute to late American actor Paul Walker with their new assessment piece “See You Again”.

Students: Blake Dodd, Bella McAnally-Middleton, Jack Mudge, Ella Redenbach, Andrew Nguyen and Holly Fish.
Examples of the fabulous Artwork being created in CAPA.

School community engaged in lifelong learning
The Careers Team have been interviewing Year 10 at Delroy and South over the last couple of weeks, acquainting themselves with the students and assisting them with their subject choices for next year. The students have been encouraged to come and discuss any issues with me, but have also been strongly encouraged to ask their current teachers and/or Head Teachers re their suitability for different courses.

An information session will be run on the 5th August for students during the day, and Parents are invited to attend the evening session.

Year 10 from both Delroy and South, along with students from 9 other schools attended the Senior Campus for a Jobs Expo. Students were encouraged to speak to the 35 different stall holders to further educate them as to requirements for possible career paths. Feedback from the employers was very positive and encouraging.

Hello everyone!

Welcome back to Term 3! With the new term comes a wonderful opportunity to sign up for the 2015 Dubbo Stampede to be held at the Taronga Western Plains Zoo on Sunday 6 September! Many of you have been part of The Stampede in the past, helping to make it a wonderful community experience and we would love for you to take part again or perhaps participate for the first time.

The event that often appeals to families is the 5.5km Dingo Dash; a walk, jog or run that loops past animals from all around the world. However, the 10km Cheetah Chase, the 21.1km Zebra Zoom and the 42.2km Rhino Ramble are also alternatives.

Each year we run a Schools’ Challenge. Anyone who registers for one of the events at the Stampede can choose to register with a particular school; the school racking up the most registrations in given categories, receives a substantial monetary prize and trophy.

Details regarding events, times, pricing, merchandise and the registration process are available at www.dubbostampede.com.au

An event like The Dubbo Stampede also requires many, many enthusiastic volunteers. If you think that encouraging walkers and runners or helping out is something you or your family would like to be part of, we would love to hear from you via contact@dubbostampede.com.au

We look forward to seeing as many of our local families (and your friends and families!) as we can on Sunday 6 September.

Sarah Strahorn
Schools’ Co-ordinator
www.dubbostampede.com.au

Outstanding range of opportunities for individual success
SPORT REPORT

Term 3 in sport has started off with a bang!
We had Mr Jones take the Buckley shield team away to Umina to play Brisbane Waters Secondary College. Unfortunately our school went down, but as you will read in Mr Jones’ report they represented their school extremely well.

Juliet Furner went to CHS Cross country. Out of 100 people she placed in the top 25 of all of those students- well done Juliet! A great effort!
This Friday, the 24 July we have a number of students attending the western region athletics carnival to compete! We wish them all the best of luck!

On the 4 August Liana Campbell, Tenaya Unger and Kelsey Rowe will be off to Newcastle to compete at CHS gymnastics and we wish them all the best of luck!

Mr Smith and Miss Brady will be taking 7/8 touch teams to compete in the 7/8 all schools touch football carnival this week. These teams have been training hard and are sure to do our school proud!

Miss Hogan will take her 7/8 netball team to Orange next week to compete in the regional finals and this team is a force to be reckoned with so I look forward to hearing the results!

During week 2 and week 3 we have Dubbo College Vs St Johns I the Ken Eggleton sporting matches. Stay tuned to the notices and college Facebook site to get more information!

As you can see there is a lot going on at South in Sport. We have such a wide array of talented students and I look forward to hearing the results and seeing their success!

Don’t forget! The Dubbo Stampede is on 6 September this year.

Sign up for 5k, 10k, half or full marathon!!!! Remember to select that you are running with/for Dubbo College South Campus.

See Mrs Richardson if you have any questions.

Mrs Richardson
Sports Coordinator

A cappella:
without instrumental accompaniment

Do you want to learn to sing A cappella? Acca – scuse me? Acca – believe it!

World renowned Australian a-cappella group “The Idea of North” are hosting workshops on the 13th and 14th August to help you develop your vocal ability.

See the Music Faculty for more information.

Crushed it!

Unique, innovative middle years programs within a wide and diverse curriculum
Academy had a great overall school attendance of 87% with 11 students have a 100% school attendance and 50 out of 67 students achieve a 80% and above school attendance.

On behalf of our Clontarf team we would like to thank you all for your ongoing support as it’s greatly appreciated as we look forward to working together and building on this great result in Term 3, 2015.

Camps on at South Dubbo Clontarf Academy in Term 3, 2015

**Week 4:** (Thursday 6 August – Friday 7 August) Attendance & Behaviour Camp in Sydney (8 Students)

**Week 7:** (Tuesday 25 August – Thursday 27 August) Charles Darwin University Year 9 & 10 Camp in Bathurst (5-6 students)

**Week 9:** (Monday 7 September – Wednesday 9 September) Ross Kelly Cup Rugby League Carnival in Sydney (17-18 students)

**Week 10:** (Wednesday 16 September – Friday 18 September) Australian Defence Force Year 10 Camp in Newcastle (5-6 students)
FREE LIVE ONLINE INFORMATION SESSION FOR Dubbo College STUDENTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE IN 2015

Student Exchange Australia New Zealand is a not-for-profit organisation that is registered with all state and territory Departments of Education around Australia and with the Ministry of Education in NZ. We are the first and only secondary exchange organisation in Australia and New Zealand to be certified to ISO 9001 (Quality Management System) and we ensure the highest standards of care and support to our participants.

We would like to invite your students and families to our next FREE Live Online Session on Wednesday, 22nd July 2015 - 6.30pm. AEST

The LIVE Online session gives students and families the opportunity to learn more about becoming an exchange student and the various scholarship options that are available.

Students can find out more about our exchange programs to over 25 countries, listen to former exchange students share their experience and learn about our scholarships and discounts on offer in 2015.

"You come back a different person, with so much more confidence & you feel that you can conquer the world" Jessica, Semester Program to Italy

We offer scholarships and discounts worth over $100,000 to students each year. These include 5 x Language, 2 x International Affairs, 2 x Indigenous and 3 x Digital Video Scholarships.

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FREE LIVE ONLINE INFORMATION SESSION
Hear from our very experienced, National Director, find out more about discounts and scholarships available and ask questions.

Wednesday, 22nd July—6.30pm (AEST)

Register now
Visit www.studentexchange.org.au
Or call 1300 135 331 for more information

Successful learning in dynamic, well managed classrooms
The centenary of public high school education in Dubbo will be reached in 2017. A committee of representatives of all public secondary schools in Dubbo has begun organising events to be held in April 2017 to celebrate this historic occasion.

A decision has been made to publish a book to commemorate this centenary. As book committee is being formed with Nola Younghusband (Chair) and Pam Bell heading research. Both ladies can be contacted by letter, phone or email as follows:

**Nola Younghusband**
62 Torryburn Way, DUBBO NSW 2830
Telephone: 02 6884 1080
Email: nolayounghusband@outlook.com

**Pam Bell**
22 Mingelo Street, PEAK HILL NSW 2869
Telephone: 02 6869 1080
Email: phbells@westnet.com.au

The content of the book will cover MILESTONES and MEMORIES recorded in ten year eras. To this end we are inviting you to contribute memories of your high school years at Dubbo High, South High, Delroy High or the Senior College.

We are also seeking copies of good quality photographs particularly of school events, school celebrations, school gatherings, school buildings, classroom setting etc you may own or have in your possession.

The following is a GUIDE to the type of information we are seeking for your time at high school.

**MILESTONES**—school/education/historical/political/travel/accommodation

**MEMORIES**—social/sporting/cultural/famous and infamous personality (students and staff)/classroom settings etc.

Should you wish to contribute to this project please complete the form overleaf and return to Nola or Pam by 31 August 2915.

We are happy to talk with you should you need further information or help.

We need all information in by 31 July, 2015.

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**Present Name:** _______________________________________
**Maiden Name:** _______________________________________
**High School Attended:** _________________________________
**Years Attended:** ______________________________________
**Present Address:** _____________________________________
**Telephone Number:** __________________________________
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**MILESTONES REMEMBERED DURING MY YEARS AT HIGH SCHOOL.

**ANECDOTAL MEMORIES OF MY YEARS AT HIGH SCHOOL**

**PHOTOGRAPHS (Descriptions) I AM WILLING TO SHARE (do not send at this stage)**

**OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION I HAVE**
## DUBBO COLLEGE SOUTH CAMPUS TERM 3 CALENDAR

### Principal:
Mr R Gorrie

### Deputy Principal:
Mrs S Foran

### Deputy Principal:
Mrs B Stevens

### Deputy Principal:
Mrs D Baker

### Head Teachers:
Mr C Pettit
Mr I Munn
Mr D Wood
Ms J Marshall
Mr G Black
Mr D Stuart
Mr T Berry
Mr P Maher
Mrs H Jones
Mr D Wood
Ms C Gofers

### Administration
Mr Munn
Science
Ms J Marshall
CAPA
Mr G Black
HSIE
Mr D Stuart
TAS
Mr T Berry
PDHPE
Mr P Maher
Mathematics
Mrs H Jones
Special Education
Mr D Wood
Professional Learning and Equity
Ms C Gofers
Teaching and Learning

### Girls Advisor:
Mrs C Brown

### Year Advisors:
**Year 7**
Ms B Allan
Mr M Smith

**Year 8**
Mrs W McLachlan
Mr P Brandon

**Year 9**
Mrs M Sharlkey
Mr S Sampson

**Year 10**
Ms C Shirm
Mr D Wood

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### DRU YOGA CLASSES

**Wednesdays**

Morning class: **10-11.30am** & Evening class: **5.30-7pm**

**July 22 & 29, August 5, 12 & 26, September 2, 9 & 16**

(NB: There will be no class on August 19)

**Cost:** $140 for 8 weeks

Teenagers $120; Classes limited to 8 people; Mats, props etc. provided

Suite 1, 1st floor, **118 Macquarie St**; NO experience necessary; Bookings Essential

Contact: Helen Ryan
M: 0429 851 993
P: 02 6885 1993

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School community engaged in lifelong learning