



Education

We, at Bourke High, believe that all students can succeed. Bourke High School is a caring school and we acknowledge that effective learning takes place when students and teachers feel secure and safe, where morale is high, where people are happy and where a high value is placed on working together.



# Bourke High School Newsletter

## Wk 1 Term 3

### Report

Welcome back to Term Three. As we continue to implement changes due to Covid19 students and families are reminded to ensure that the following applies:

- regularly washing hands
- avoiding sharing drinks or food
- coughing or sneezing into your elbow, or a tissue which should be discarded immediately
- filling water bottles from bubblers rather than using the bubbler directly.

As with last term, we are unable to hold our usual assemblies however we will continue to recognise the students who have been respectful safe learners!

All students should continue check their Vivo account balances regularly and aiming towards a purchase. Every time a student meets the school values of Respect, Safety and Learning, they earn Vivo Points which can be used to purchase a range of items. It's never been easier to score yourself a new footy or a PlayStation voucher!

As highlighted last term we will be able to have small meetings on site, and students will be able to participate in Work Placement and Work Experience. We will also be commencing the Stage 5 to 6 transition and students in Year 10 undertaking pathways planning with Mrs McCorkle to help them develop a plan for Stage 6 and beyond.

This is a very important time in any student's life and I always encourage parents to participate actively in the process. Students at Bourke High School have a huge range of opportunities - we have per capita one of the largest numbers in the state of students undertaking School Based Traineeships and Apprenticeships and most of our ATAR students also achieve university entry.

### Reminders

**MINDFUL MAKERS**

**Monday afternoon**

**Bourke High School Art Rm**

**3.30 pm to 5.00pm**



Executive Principal: Mr Andrew Ryder

Deputy Principals Ms Angela Doggett & Ms Ingrid Seck



# NSW Rural Youth Ambassadors: Inaugural Group



In early July, NSW's inaugural group of Rural Youth Ambassadors gathered for the first time. Encompassing locations from Bourke to Ulladulla and from Singleton to Finley, these young people joined their peers within the Rural Youth Ambassador Virtual Centre in their Orientation Forum.

The NSW Rural Youth Ambassador program forms part of the ever-growing Rural Inspire initiative which has been supported by the Commonwealth Government to focus on lifting the aspirations of young people across rural and remote Australia. The NSW Rural Youth Ambassador program joins the suite of highly successful programs operating within Victoria and South Australia.

The Rural Youth Ambassadors were involved in a range of discussions and ideas sharing, sparked by their experience as young people growing up in the country.

Bourke High School Year 11 student Andi Ibbotson joined the program this year and was excited about the discussions that were held during the Orientation forum. Andi is looking forward to meeting face to face with other Ambassadors in the near future.



# Whats new at BHS

## New Teacher/Librarian

I wanted to take this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is Miss Barbara McGuigan and I will be your new teacher-librarian here at Bourke High School. I have just moved here from Broken Hill where I was teaching Food Technology and IST at Willyama High School. I'm looking forward to getting to know everyone and have you all drop in and say hi to me here in the library. We have quite a few new books that will be appearing on our library shelves over the coming weeks and I am planning some lunchtime activities to start getting to know our school community. Please feel free to let me know any activities that you would like to see running in the library during lunch or any books or magazines that you would like to see appear in your school library.

## Acknowledgement Lunch

Nine students attended an acknowledgement lunch at Diggers on Darling to acknowledge their attendance during Term 2 at school and in class. Thank you to Mrs Ryder and Joan Dickson for supporting the girls.



Pictured are Lara Kiley, Abbie Green, Ella Brown, Janaya Moore, Brittney Knight, Tiona Gibbs, Abbey-Leigh Warrick, Emma Simmons and Malika Waheed.

## Metals made easy

Stage 5 students have been busy making toolboxes that will handy when competing tasks at home.

Rhian Lollback, Darren Milgate, Jelleal Suckling and Awais Waheed were worked alongside Mr Geoff Passfield on this project.





Please join us to support & help



MASON



Bourke Public School P & C Canteen will be running fundraisers throughout the week to raise money to help support Mason & his family in their time of need!



Tuesday 28th July

Cupcakes \$2.00



Wednesday 29th July

Snow cones \$1.00

Thursday 30th July

Hot dog & Milkshake combo \$5.00



Friday 31st July

Ice cream cones \$2.00



ALL MONEY RAISED GOES DIRECTLY TO MASON

YOUR SUPPORT IS APPRECIATED

Pre-order at the canteen



# **NDIS INFORMATION DAY**

**Would you like to know  
about ACCESSING NDIS,  
and/or information on  
Plan Management,  
Support Co-ordination, and  
Client services**

**The Birrang experienced  
NDIS Team will be here to  
answer any questions and**

**WHERE:  
TUESDAY 28TH JULY 2020**

**BIRRANG OFFICE  
12 DARLING STREET BOURKE**

**TO BOOK  
YOUR SPOT**

**CALL**

**JACKIE ON  
0438 510 185**

**OR**

**VISIT THE  
BIRRANG  
OFFICE  
12 DARLING  
STREET  
BOURKE**



Registered NDIS Provider

COUNTRY TO CANBERRA'S  
2020 LEADERSHIP COMPETITION

**OPEN NOW!**



2020 LEADERSHIP COMPETITION QUESTION:

**HOW CAN WOMEN AND GIRLS  
EMPOWER EACH OTHER AND  
THEIR COMMUNITIES IN TIMES OF  
UNCERTAINTY AND CHANGE?**

**SUBMIT YOUR RESPONSE FOR A CHANCE TO WIN AN  
ALL EXPENSES PAID 'POWER TRIP' TO CANBERRA!**

**ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 4 SEPT!**



FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT  
[COUNTRYTOCANBERRA.COM.AU](http://COUNTRYTOCANBERRA.COM.AU)  
TERMS AND CONDITIONS APPLY

**BE BOLD**

# IPROWD (Redfern) EORA TAFE NSW Campus Full Time Delivery

3<sup>rd</sup> August – 11<sup>th</sup> December 2020

Certificate III in Vocational and Study Pathways



Code	10586NAT
Duration	17 weeks
Cost	Fee Exemption for Eligible candidates apply
Location	Redfern

## WHAT YOU CAN BE

The Indigenous Police Recruitment Our way Delivery Program (IPROWD) supports Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people to join the NSW Police Force or other Justice and Emergency Service Agencies.

## Course outcomes include:

- Communication
- Information Technology
- Writing and Presenting Information
- Ethics and Workplace Responsibilities
- Aboriginal Studies
- An excursion to the NSW Police Academy, Goulburn, NSW.
- Support to reach the fitness levels required to meet the NSW Police Force Recruitment standards.
- Support with applications for Charles Sturt University, NSW Police Force or other Justice and Emergency Service Agencies.

## Eligibility Criteria

- Be of Aboriginal and /or Torres Strait Islander descent, and to self-identify and be accepted or known by your community. *(Proof of Aboriginality/Torres Strait Islander may be requested)*
- Have no serious prior criminal history or serious driving offences. (All applicants must give approval for a basic Police screening to be conducted)
- Be a minimum age of 17 years 10 months at commencement of the course.
- Have or be able to obtain a NSW Driver's Licence.

## READY TO BE BOLD?

### Course Information Session Event

Date	Wed 29 <sup>th</sup> July or Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup> July 2020
Time	By Appointment
Location	EORA TAFE NSW Campus
Contact	Jason Hoskins – 02 9217 4870 <a href="mailto:jason.hoskins@tafensw.edu.au">jason.hoskins@tafensw.edu.au</a>
Address	333 Abercrombie Street, CHIPPENDALE

[TAFENSW.EDU.AU/IPROWD](http://TAFENSW.EDU.AU/IPROWD)

## ENROL NOW AT:

[IPROWD \(Redfern\) Eora TAFE NSW Campus](http://IPROWD (Redfern) Eora TAFE NSW Campus)

OR APPLY TODAY AT  
[TAFENSW.EDU.AU/IPROWD](http://TAFENSW.EDU.AU/IPROWD)

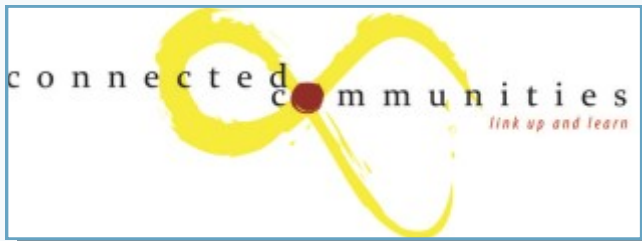
RTO 90003. Terms and conditions may apply.  
Information is correct at time of printing: November 2018



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NSW



[tafensw.edu.au](http://tafensw.edu.au) 131 601



### Have your details changed?

If you have moved or changed your phone number please call the office and let us know.  
If your child has medical information that is important to his/her health please call us so we can update your file. This includes information on allergies and medication.  
If your child will be absent due to illness or family circumstances please call the office and let us know.

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