Welcome Di
This week our new cleaner started. We wish Di a warm welcome to our great school.

Wanted—corrugated iron
If anyone has any corrugated iron lying around that they do not want, please let us know. We would be happy to take it off your hands. We are planning to tell the story of Rand in our playground with silhouettes depicting people, animals and agriculture. This will be part of our Creative Catchment Project for 2014 and 2015.

“In the Night Sky…”
This Term for COGs students in K-6 are studying Aboriginal cosmology and iconography. In English they are exploring Dreamtime stories and Aboriginal culture.

Some home learning for Mums and Dads...
Can you help your child to explore the night sky and see if they can spot the Southern Cross and any other constellations such as the Saucepan and Pleiades? Dame Mary Gilmour in the mid-19th Century noticed that Aboriginal children and stockmen were very quick and accurate when counting cattle because they had learnt the skill of counting stars in threes, fours and fives. Can you practise counting sheep or stars…let us know how you go. Was it quicker than counting by ones?
Yr 5/6 Canberra Excursion
A reminder that the Year 5/6 Canberra excursion is fast approaching. If it makes it easier for you we are happy to receive payment in installments, ie $10 per week, just send money in an envelope to school with “Canberra Payment” written on it.

Toothbrushes
Children will bring home toothbrushes and toothpaste today. This is a follow up to our PD/H/PE Day at Walla Walla Public School. In class we discussed dental hygiene and brushing our teeth properly and regularly.

Cooking
Students will be making sandwich fillings on different types of bread/crackers this Friday with Rebecca. Please remember your $2.00 payment.

Book Learning Award
Flynn received the Book Learning Award last week for “being neat”, “he did a great job”, “he was neat”.

Raffle Ticket Award
Alex received the Raffle Ticket award for good effort in Maths.

Student of the Week
Alex was chosen Student of the Week for sounding out words to spell and showing great focus in maths and reading.

Favourite animal: fox
Favourite sport: soccer

What would your future job be? Not sure
What is your favourite subject at school? Colouring in

What would you like to achieve at school this year? Alex hasn’t decided but he is doing some fantastic reading, writing and maths.
Term Calendar

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Free Childrens Dental

Where? Albury Community Health Centre Dental Clinic,
596 Smollett Street, Albury
For? Children up to age 18

The dental program has been established between NSW Health, Murrumbidgee Local Health District and CSU to provide free dental treatment for children who have been registered with the public dental service but have not yet received an appointment in the Albury dental clinic. The children will be treated by 2nd and 3rd year Bachelor of Oral Health students at the CSU dental clinic at Thurgoona under strict supervision.

If your children are not already registered please phone 1800 450 046 and register. Please indicate if you would be happy for your child to be treated at either clinic (Albury Dental or CSU).

Local Government Week—Urana