Trangie Central School
Newsletter
17th October 2019
Term 4 - Week 1

SCHOOL INFORMATION

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(Relieving)

Secretary:
Emma Roberts

Treasurer:
Jaye Milgate

P & C Meeting

Wednesday
30th October 2019
3.30pm
TCS library

What's On

Wk 1	17/10-11/11	Yr 12 HSC Exams - Good luck to all our students sitting their exams!
	18/10	Yrs 3-6 Macquarie Sports Multi-Sports Clinic @ Mudgee - Depart TCS at 8.00am
Wk 2	23/10	Secondary U15s Netball Nyngan Divisional Day - Depart TCS at 8.30am
	23/10	Yrs K-2 Wambangalang EEC Visit - Depart TCS at 8.30am
	24/10	**NAIDOC Celebrations @ TCS 9.00am-2.00pm - Everyone Welcome!**
	25/10	**NAIDOC Community Celebrations @ Wungunja Cultural Centre 10.00am-2.00pm with special guests Faye & Mark McMillan & Teela Reid** **Community Corroberee @ Wungunja Cultural Centre 5.00pm-7.00pm - Dinner provided - Everyone Welcome!**

Teach your children well

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Hi everyone - TCS - Kind to everyone; in every way, every day!

Congratulations
Congratulations to Jess Skinner for your success in being named as the Australian Jillaroos' Assistant Coach. Your success is our success! This is very worthy recognition of your humility, talent and dedication, and commitment to everything that you do. This follows a tremendous year of being Head Coach of the Western Rams Women's Rugby League and League Tag, Head Coach of the FWAS League Tag and also overseer of the newly formed Western Women's Rugby League Academy. TCS considers ourselves very lucky to call you one of our own.

Trangie LIONS Club LEGO Challenge

DATE: 16th November

TIME: 10am – 2pm

PLACE: Trangie Bowling Club
On Saturday 16th November Trangie Lions Club is holding a LEGO Challenge Day. There will be fun activities and prizes to be won.

Thumbs up and thanks to Pook Austin for her very thoughtful gift to our school of several books from The Family and Friends Depression Awareness Group. We are very thankful for the caring community that we live in. The following books are in our library:

- *The Alphabet of the Human Heart*
- *Quiet the Mind*
- *Living with the Black Dog*
- *I had a Black Dog*

Another **Thumbs up** to Ron from Sydney. Ron, with no address provided for a thank you, sent our school a cheque for $500. He wanted to congratulate our school and our community on the great work we are doing out here. He said that he could not send us rain, so he sent a donation to support one of the extra things that we do. We will add this amount to the Tertiary Opportunity Fund so that we can help one of our students achieve a dream that might otherwise not have been possible.

Tertiary Opportunity Prize Winner for 2019

Congratulations to Morgan Adams for being announced as the winner of the TCS Tertiary Opportunity Prize for 2019. This prestigious prize is awarded to a student who can communicate a clear goal in life and has demonstrated the willingness to work consistently towards achieving this. Morgan is a very worthy recipient of this award. Dependent upon securing a place at University in 2020, Morgan will receive a $3000 contribution to her accommodation costs in her first year.

The funds for this prize are dependent on moneys raised by the school and by donations, so please keep this in mind if you feel you would like to help our students achieve the future they deserve but which might be out of their reach.

Thanks to P&C
Our school would like to give P&C a very big thanks for the beautiful table tennis table that arrived just before the fete last term. Mark Haines and Mr Wright were the heroes of the hour and managed to put the table up. We thought it would arrive assembled, but NO, it came flat packed and without instructions. The A team were not phased, however, and were completely up to the job (eventually).

We now have students practising every day – to try and beat me! I have several years of experience gained in the back room of Broken Hill's Pig and Whistle, so go your hardest!

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Social Media
You may have heard much said in the media about mobile phones and whether they should or should not be banned in school. Recently, the state of Victoria has taken the strong viewpoint of banning phones entirely in schools. The reason given for this was that without the distraction of being constantly on their phones, students actually interacted with each other socially and were more active and also bullying was reduced. We have had this ban in place in our school for a long time for these very reasons. Any visitor to our school would immediately notice that students talk to each other and play touch, basketball and handball.

The potential for bullying by social media however is still there and can happen at any time. This can cause hurt and distress and is sometimes brought into school. We are very pleased to say that students often bring a screen shot to me and I notify parents of the issues immediately. I can only urge parents and carers to monitor their child's access to and use of social media. No person likes to receive unkind messages, let alone a fragile young person. Blocking these people and not 'buying into it' will put a stop to it.

Finally ……..
My door is and always has been open – whether you are happy, sad or mad. I need to know if we are not doing something right but I also need to know that you trust our motives and our intentions. I do teach, so if you need to talk to me for any reason, just call the office and arrange a time that I am not on class or in a meeting. Also, don't forget our suggestion box at each side of the school.

Everything we do, every single day is for YOUR children. If we can do it better, tell us. Facebook is for cowards – so please tell us to our face!

Also, give your child the most valuable gift in the world – a good education – so send them EVERY day. We have a great school and it is such good value for very little money.

Walanginya Yawarra-ndhu (Be good, be careful)
Anne Holden

Staff Smile of the Week (Week 9)

Goes to Brittany for attending our fete & MADD night with enthusiasm and huge amount of support. Thank you!

Staff Smile of the Week (Week 10)

Goes to Andy for invaluable help with formal.

Staff Smile of the Week (Week 10)

Goes to Chez for thoughtful and creative Year 12 gifts.

SECONDARY

Deputy Principal
Gary Hansen (Relieving)

Head Teachers
M.Ebsworth (Relieving)
Jessica Skinner
Kate Wilson
Ted Wright

Head Teacher's Report

Welcome back to everyone for what is shaping up to be another action-packed Term 4! We had some staff shuffles last term, with Ms Trudgett heading off for a stint at Head Office, and Mr Jones venturing off to SkillSet to further develop his career. We wish them both the best of luck in their new roles, and we hope we see them back in the not-too-distant future. We would also like to welcome Miss Emily Burton and Mrs Ash Miles to the fold – they will be holding fort for this term.

We would also like to wish our Year 12 students a massive GOOD LUCK as their HSC exams commence TODAY! Remember, the Senior Study is available for Year 12 to come in and study before and during the exam period. Make every moment count, and if you do your best, that's all we ask. We are very proud of the amazing people you have become!

On Tuesday morning we were joined by Steven Herrick, an Australian poet and verse novelist. He spoke to secondary students about his life as a poet, read and recited a number of his poems, and even created a couple of new ones on the spot! We enjoyed his time with us immensely, as he shared his humorous view of the world and turned our expectations of poetry upside-down.

We particularly enjoyed his gentle "picking on" Coopa, Hayley and Trey, and his list poem, 'Ten Things Teachers Would Never Say'.

We also welcome our Year 6 students to the second session of the Transition program. I happen to know that the Science class was super egg-citing! And Mr Holden tells me there was a decidedly scratchy game of cat 'n' mouse in his class. Miss Bretag was tackling the world population while Mrs Holden focused on Islamic design.

We look forward to seeing some innovative solutions resulting from our water purifying STEM projects. Watch this space for updates.

Well done to our Moorambilla singers, Bridie and Katelyn from Secondary, and Christian, Phoebe and Kestrel from Primary. The performances were amazing, sending an important message about the devastating effects of drought on the Macquarie Marshes.

A very big congratulations to Emma-Jean Edwards who is off to Nationals in Perth for shot put. We are also proud of our very own Super-Coach-to-the-Stars, Miss Skinner, who was whisked away to the South Pacific during the holidays to coach the Prime Minister's 13 Jillaroos team.

Secondary Interest Groups on Friday afternoons will be shifting up a gear this term. We aim to make our Interest Groups more community-focused. Our community is very supportive of TCS, and now we feel it's time to give back. Our students will be deciding what that will look like, and there are bound to be some creative ways to show you how much we care.

And a big thank you to Di McKinnon for donating two men's suits, dress shirts and dress pants for our students.

So strap yourselves in, and let's enjoy the amazing experiences that keep on coming at TCS!

Ms Ebsworth
Head Teacher (Relieving)

PRIMARY

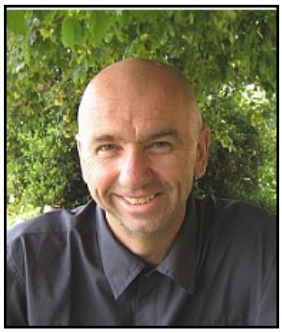
Assistant Principals

Jo-Anne Ellis
Jacky Murtagh

Assistant Principals' Report

Poetry Incursion

On Tuesday our students, from Years 3-6, were fortunate to attend an author reading by famous Australian poet Steven Herrick. Steven had the children (and grown-ups) in stitches of laughter with his tales of childhood, things parents would never say and by pretending to be our very own Marley Kerr at age 3!



Steven showed us that poetry isn't a stale, traditional style of writing but rich in humour and the ability to use words and thoughts with flair! We absolutely loved the time he spent with us, as well as what he taught. Let's hope he can travel out west again sometime soon.

Untangling Spaghetti is a collection of my favourite poems from my three books for children - ***poetry, to the rescue; my life my love my lasagne;*** and ***love poems and leg-spinners.*** It's a book I've been wanting to release for years as I perform many of these poems in my school show. At last, they are all in the one book! I thank University of Queensland Press for publishing them in such a neat package. Contrary to popular belief that is not me on the cover!

Congratulations!

At the start of the school holidays three of our primary students performed in three fabulous concerts at the Dubbo Regional Theatre. They sang, danced, played drums, made friends, learned new things and broadened their horizons. Well done Kestrel, Christian and Phoebe.

Moorambilla brings high quality music and musical education to kids in the bush. If you would like your children to audition please look out for notifications in the first few weeks of Term 1. The program is available for students from Years 3-11.

PRIMARY

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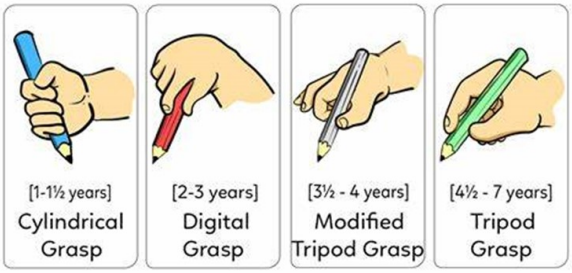
Jo-Anne Ellis
Jacky Murtagh

Important Reminder!
Families please remember that all Primary students are expected to wear the school bucket hat for sun safety reasons. This a NSW Department of Education rule. Students who do not have a hat can only play under the COLA area.

Please check that your children all have a school hat with their name clearly marked on it. New hats can be bought from the Secondary office for $15.

GREAT Christmas gift ideas from our P&C
The crazy camel fundraiser is happening again this year and we are asking all families to think about what they would like to order. Children will be completing art works at school. The art will be sent away in Week 2 to allow plenty of time to get our products back before the end of term. They make a great gift for friends and family and with Christmas just weeks away you can get some of the shopping out of the way while raising money for our school. Samples are available to view at the school office.
Kate Broughton on behalf of the TCS P&C

Improve your child's Creative Writing in 10 minutes per day!
The ability to write well is vitally important to your child's success in life. Writing well can help your child succeed academically and professionally. Moreover, creative writing can be an important therapeutic outlet for your child to imagine new worlds and to express his or her feelings. Help your child improve their creative writing skills by supporting creativity, by playing word games, and sparking their imagination with clever writing prompts.



1. **Read to your child every night.** Reading and writing go hand-in-hand. Good writers are well read in a variety of subjects and writing styles. Your child's teacher and local librarian can help you select books that are appropriate to your child's age and interests.
2. In addition to reading to your child, have your child read to you if they are old enough.
3. Ask your child questions about their favorite books. Why do they like some books and not others? Help them to develop their tastes as a reader and to be thoughtful about words, characters, settings, and plots.
4. If your child has a favorite author or book series, you might also consider taking your child to see the author speak or to a book signing in order to inspire your child to write.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wk 1 14/10					Macquarie Sports Multi-Sports Clinic @ Mudgee Yrs 3-6 Depart TCS: 7.30am
Wk 2			Wambangalang EEC Visit Yrs K-2 Depart TCS: 8.30am	**NAIDOC Celebrations @ TCS Yrs K-12 9.00am-2.00pm Everyone Welcome!**	
Wk 3 28/10			Yr 7 2020 Transition Day @ TCS Yr 6 8.40am-3.00pm		G/N Tennis @ Tottenham Selected students Depart TCS: 8.00am Primary Assembly Yrs K-6 2.00pm Room 1 Everyone Welcome!

Jacky Murtagh - Assistant Principal

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TRANGIE CENTRAL SCHOOL

P AND C

MEGA Raffle

$2 a ticket

Available from the school

Drawn at the NAIDOC Celebrations

24th October 2019

Prizes Include

Two passes to Taronga WP Zoo, Dubbo
Baby Weber Q
Pressure Cleaner
4 x $20 Big W Gift Cards
Dog Biscuits & Chair -Elders Trangie
3 x $50 BCF Gift Cards
Trangie USMC $50 Voucher
Dee's Catering $50 Voucher
Bunnings $50 Gift Voucher
Holden Gift Pack
Crochet Blanket
Storage Baskets
Dog Vaccination-Western Rivers Veterinary Group
Peter Milling Travel $100 Voucher

Our MEGA Raffle will now be drawn at the TCS NAIDOC Celebrations on Thursday 24th October. Tickets can be purchased at the Secondary Admin office. Students who wish to collect more tickets to sell, can see the Primary or Secondary Admin office. A $20 prize will be given to the student who sells the most tickets!

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The Crazy Camel Fundraiser is happening again this year.

With Christmas not too far away, this is a great opportunity to organise personalised gifts.

Order forms have been sent home to families. Please return these by the end of Week 1, Term 4.

ORDER FORM

CRAZY Camel
Fundraising Families Love

-Order keepsakes featuring your child's artwork-

Child's name: _____

Parent's name: _____

Parent's phone: _____

Classroom name/number: _____

Return to school with payment by: Monday 21st October 2019

☐ Photo sent via www.submitphoto.com.au

Submitphoto invoice number: _____

Photos and Artwork to be submitted by the date above please.
Please make payment payable to Trangie Central School.

	Art Qty	Photo Qty	Unit Pricing	Total $
Calendars			$14	
Greeting Card			$14	
Diaries			$18	
Notebooks			$18	
Sketch Pads			$18	
Pillowcases			$25	
Tea Towels			$25	
Tote Bags			$25	
			Total amount	

Celebrate your child's creativity by ordering keepsakes you'll treasure forever!

Calendars

- A cherished reminder of your child's artistic achievement featuring one piece of your child's artwork or that special photo gloss laminated, wire bound with 12 tear off months on quality paper.
- School term and public holiday dates, activity stickers along with plenty of room for noting special occasions.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed under the artwork along with the School/Centre name and/or logo
  - photo calendars do not show name or age.
- Single or dual photo option.
- A4 (300 x 210mm) printed and laminated artwork or photo with A4 calendar attached below.

Greeting Cards

- Beautifully presented quality A6 (155 x 110mm) cards featuring your child's artwork or photo per pack of 8 cards.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed on the back of art cards along with the School/Centre name and/or logo.
  - photo greeting cards do not show name or age.
- Blank inside for your personalised message.
- Shrink wrapped in packs of 8 including red envelopes.

Diaries, Notebooks & Sketch Pads

- Convenient A5 (210 x 150mm) featuring your child's artwork or family photo printed and laminated on a hard cover wire bound book designed to lie flat and stay open.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed on the inside of the front cover.
- Diaries have a view of the week at a glance, each double sided page displays a full week and includes public holiday and school term dates along with a year planner.
- Notebooks have 150 ruled pages.
- Sketch Pads have 150 blank pages.

"every child is an artist"
PABLO PICASSO

Pillowcases

- Quality pillowcases featuring either an individual artwork or that special family photo.
- Pillowcases are 750 x 450mm with the image up to 500 x 400mm digitally printed on 100% Cotton
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed under the artwork

Tea Towels

- Fantastic tea towel featuring either an individual artwork/photo or group artwork/photo.
- Tea Towels are 700 x 500mm with the image up to 500 x 400mm digitally printed on 100% cotton.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed under the artwork

Tote Bags

- Amazing tote bag featuring either an individual artwork/photo or group artwork/photo.
- Tote bags are 100% Cotton Calico. 370 x 420mm, 100mm gusset, with 550mm Handles.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed under the artwork

To submit a photo

- Submit your digital photo and add text e.g. "Amy & Jack at the beach" via www.submitphoto.com.au
  - click "School Orders" and then click "Submit Photos" and select your product
  - you will receive a confirmation email please include a copy or the invoice number with your order
- Or send a CD/DVD/Memory Stick with the photo in .jpg format 250kB or larger.
  - label or include a file with name of child, school, class and quantity ordered
- Only send a printed photo (6x4" or larger) if you cannot send in digital format.
  - home printed photos are often not suitable for scanning and/or enlarging

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Fundraising Families Love

FOR MORE INFORMATION FREECALL

1800 141 239

www.crazycamel.com.au

CENTRE STAGE SCRIPTS PRESENTS

An COMEDIC PLAY WITH A SERIOUS MESSAGE

JOHN WALKER **CHRIS PIDD**

(FULL FRONTAL)

TRANGIE SOLDIERS MEMORIAL HALL
THURS 17 OCT
BBQ INCLUDED from 6pm
SHOW 7.30pm

PROUDLY FUNDED BY

Narromine SHIRE COUNCIL · INLAND RAIL · BEAT the BREAKDOWN

An arts and health initiative for healthier communities

JOIN OUR CODE CLUB

Trangie Code Club is a free, fun, 3 week program for students in Year 3 to Year 6.

Come along to design and create your very own computer game using Scratch - a programming language for beginners.

When: Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm

17 October - 7 November 2019

Where: Trangie Library

Bookings required: 6888 7501

MACQUARIE REGIONAL LIBRARY

FWAS
FAR WEST Academy of Sport
Follow us on Facebook
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FWAS Under 18's and Under 16's Rugby League, Under 16's Ladies League Tag and Under 16's Netball Trials for 2020.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

Athletes that reside in the Far West Region (ie. area bounded by Lake Cargelligo-Lightning Ridge-Trangie-Broken Hill)

Rugby League Athletes (male) must turn 15 - 18 years of age in 2020

League Tag Athletes (female) must turn 14, 15 or 16 in 2020

Netball Athletes (female) must turn 14, 15 or 16 in 2020

WARREN

When: Sunday 3rd November, 2019

Where: Victoria Park, Udora Rd WARREN 2824

Time: 9:30am – 1.30pm (Fruit platters and water provided)

Please note:

To be eligible for selection, **ALL ATHLETES MUST** trial at Warren on the 3rd November 2019.

If athletes are unable to trial on this date, a written explanation with your current team and Coaches details must be submitted via email to:

executive@fwas.com.au by Wednesday 30th October 2019

Transport

Athletes are required to coordinate their own travel to attend trials. The Academy suggests carpooling where possible.

What to bring

Rugby League training gear, boots, water bottle, towel, tape for strapping if required & snacks.

NO Representative apparel – FWAS, Western Rams, Group 14 etc. to be worn at this trial.

How to enroll

Please apply via our web page fwas.com.au or by following the link on our Facebook page.

Phone (02) 6847 3638
Email executive@fwas.com.au

NOMINATIONS CLOSE

Wednesday 30th October, 2019

Supported by the NSW GOVERNMENT · netball NEW SOUTH WALES · CRL

Trangie Kidz Klub

FREE

MASONIC HALL Trangie

ALL WELCOME !

Primary AND Teen Activities

Fun, Art, Craft, Cooking
Skills 4 Life & more!

Tuesdays

3:15 - 4:15 pm

15th, 22nd & 29th October & 5th, 12th, 26th November (not 19th November)

Afternoon Tea Provided

SKILL BUILDERS

NARROMINE COMMUNITY SKILLS

Contact: Ann-Louise Communities for Children
6889 1422 or 0400 828 984
Email: als@narrominecommunityskills.com

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NSW Electoral Commission

Want to work at the election?

NSW Aboriginal Land Council election

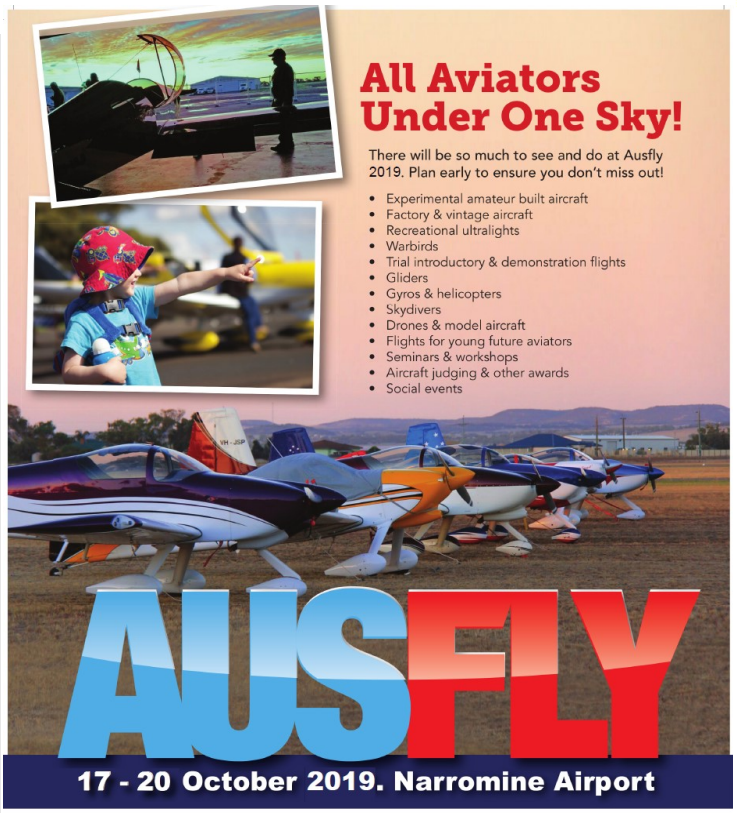
Saturday 30 November 2019

For more information call 1300 135 736 or visit elections.nsw.gov.au/NSWALC19

The NSW Electoral Commission is providing electoral services for the conduct of the 2019 Election of Councillors for the NSW Aboriginal Land Council

New South Wales Aboriginal Land Council

BEYOND SURVIVAL



Join Australia's recreational and sport aviators for a social, informative and educational fly-in weekend that brings us together for a relaxed annual event.

www.ausfly.com.au

SAAA · AOPA AUSTRALIA · Narromine Shire Council · Narromine Gliding Club

Narromine Kidz FREE

COMMUNITY SKILLS

139 Dandaloo Street Narromine

ALL Primary Aged Kids Welcome

Fun, Art, Craft

Skills 4 Life & more!

MONDAYS

3:15 - 4:15 pm

14th, 21st, 28th October & 4th, 11th & 25th November (not 18th November)

AFTERNOON TEA PROVIDED

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Support for enrolling in Early Childhood Services and Development for children 0-5 years.

Are you looking to send your child to childcare, Preschool or transition?

Need help getting to the facility to have a look and meet the teachers?

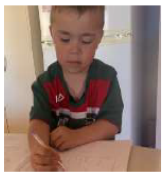
Would you like one on one support with your child to improve their learning?

Would you like to know more? Get in contact with Tegan at CatholicCare, Narromine to find out how she can help you and your child.

As part of the program, Tegan has a fun and educational pack that your child will receive as part of the one on one sessions.

Tegan offers a program that will help support you and your child into childcare as well as help support your children's learning development in the home.

Servicing Narromine and Trangie.



Contact Tegan at CatholicCare:

68894932

Or Call in to the office Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday.

12 Dandaloo Street, Narromine.

Aboriginal Families as Teachers Program

Supporting Aboriginal Families to provide developmentally rich home learning environments for children birth to five years and promote the importance of early childhood education within families and communities

CatholicCare Wilcannia-Forbes

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