



# Trangie Central School Newsletter 14th March 2019 Term 1 - Week 7



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## P & C Meeting

Wednesday  
3rd April 2019  
3.15pm  
TCS library



## What's On

Wk 7	15/3	WSSA Swimming @ Dubbo - GOOD LUCK!
Wk 8	18-22/3	Yr 5/6 Sydney Excursion - Depart TCS at 7.00am (be at school by 6.45am)
	18-19/3	Yr 11/12 Biology Warrumbungles Excursion - Depart TCS at 8.30am
	20/3	Yrs 7-12 NSW Public Schools Aboriginal Dance Workshop - Depart TCS at 7.30am
	20/3	Yr 11 Modern History Site Studies @ Trangie 10.15am-12.30pm
	21/3	Yr 12 Industrial Tech Practical Assessment Day @ TCS 9.00am-3.00pm
	21/3	Yrs K-6 Life Education Van Visit @ TCS
	22/3	G/N Cricket Gala Day @ Peak Hill - Depart TCS at 8.30am
Wk 9	25/3	Yrs K-6 Life Education Van Visit @ TCS
	25/3	Yrs K-6 Hip-Hopping from Bollywood to Brazil 9.30am-11.30am
	26/3	Yr 11/12 Study Skills with CSU Future Moves @ TCS
	26/3	NSWJCL Country Secondary Schools Chess Comp @ TCS 11.30am-1.30pm
	28/3	WSSA Rugby League Trials @ Narromine
	29/3	Primary Assembly in 1/2 classroom - 2.00pm - Everyone Welcome!

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# ***HOMework*** ***CENTRE***

**THURSDAYS**

**3PM-4PM**

***TCS LIBRARY***

**LIGHT AFTERNOON TEA PROVIDED**

**HOMework ONLY**  
**STRICTLY NO GAMES**

**ALL STUDENTS ARE TO REMAIN IN THE  
LIBRARY FOR THE WHOLE HOUR UNLESS  
COLLECTED BY BY A RESPONSIBLE ADULT.  
PLEASE COLLECT STUDENTS BY 4PM SHARP!**

# FROM THE PRINCIPAL

## ***Hi Everyone - Enrol in TCS - Opportunities for all!***

### **The Sky is the Limit for TCS Students**

Trangie Central School students are constantly 'punching above their weight'. TCS is only a small school in a small town, but that has never stopped us from believing that no matter how big the opposition is or how challenging the competition, we KNOW that we are as good, and frequently better, than they are. We have proved this time and time again. Trangie Central School students are offered a huge range of opportunities and those students who choose to accept the chances provided are achieving amazing things.

### ***West of the Divide Music Tour***

In the holidays, Bridie Hayden was one of 72 Public School students invited to visit Europe as part of the ***West of the Divide*** music tour. Bridie has written an excellent article which we have published in this edition of the newsletter, so I will let her tell the story. The power and scope of Public Education is not to be underestimated and something that is available to all students, not just the privileged few. How utterly awesome for a Trangie Central School student to sing at the Vatican! We get to the end of each year and say 'I wonder how we will top that!' What next I wonder!

### **Far West Sports Events**

Everyone at TCS would like to wish the best of luck to our many talented sports boys and girls who are heading off to participate this weekend.

Narelle Shillingsworth-Budd, Stacey Stoneman and Cheyenne Kemp are heading to Sydney to participate in a weekend training camp in Netball. They will train with the Swiss coach and Captain of the Swiss team, working at NSW Netball Headquarters and they will be fortunate to be mentored by Melinda Gainsford Taylor.

Kai Greenwood, Ben Skinner and Nikeata McMaster are going with our own Miss Jess Skinner to the Rugby League Academy in Newcastle to undertake intensive training. It is fantastic that so many students from this school have made it through an intensive selection process and have been identified as displaying the talent and attitude to participate in this program.

Not only do we have talent, but we have the self-belief to have a go and know that with hard work and commitment anything is possible. The success of these students demonstrates how big successes come from taking every small opportunity, one at a time, and trying your best at every step.

The first opportunity that you can take is the one we provide at school, SO COME EVERY DAY AND YOU ARE ON YOUR WAY!

### **THE LONG-TERM BENEFITS OF QUALITY EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION – EARLY BIRDS IS A WINNER!**

Below is an article from *the educator* magazine. We have long held the belief that a strong Early Intervention program is essential for a positive education pathway.

Studies also show that children who participate in quality early intervention programs (**Like Early Birds**) from the age of three or four, are more likely to arrive at school equipped with social, cognitive and emotional skills that can enhance their overall school experience.

Professor Philpott and his team found that a continuum of evidence, from multiple studies in multiple countries, unanimously demonstrated what specialists call the "pre-emptive nature" of early childhood education: it pre-empts issues from developing or getting more challenging.

He says there is a payoff of early quality childhood education for families, for communities and economies, but especially for child development.

While investments in the early years more than pay for themselves, the return is more substantial when factoring the impact on special education," Professor Philpott said.

Professor Philpott said these outcomes stem from the finding that the skills typically targeted by early childhood education programming are likely precursors of children's ability to maintain a positive academic trajectory.

"They include cognitive skills in language, literacy and math and socio-emotional capacities in self-regulation, motivation, engagement and persistence," he said.

by Brett Henebery - 08 Mar 2019

# FROM THE PRINCIPAL



## Nanyabura Mentoring Program

This week we had the great honour of receiving a visit from Dennis Moran. **Dennis Moran** is an Australian former professional rugby league footballer of the 1990s and 2000s. He played in the National Rugby League for the Paramatta Eels club and in the Super League for the London Broncos and the Wigan Warriors clubs.

Mr Moran visited our school to discuss the introduction of the Nanyabura Mentoring program, working with some of our boys. Unlike some programs that exist, the Nanyabura Mentoring program is not just targeting Aboriginal students but rather in line with the philosophy of our school, all students are eligible regardless of their background.

The focus areas for the program are such things as goal setting, role models, mindset, family tree and culture, and fitness. Mr Moran will visit our school each week and work with a targeted group of students and although we have only received funding to support this program in the short term, we hope that if it is successful we will source extra funding to continue.

## Youth Frontiers Mentoring

This is a NSW Government initiative which has been delivering quality mentoring to around 1200 young people across NSW since 2015. This year TCS is launching the Youth Frontiers Mentoring program in collaboration with the NSW Government and Marathon Health. This program provides one-on-one support to students at school between 12 and 16 years. The aim is to further support young people achieve their personal goals, by giving them an opportunity to build life skills and confidence through community connections.

An EOI has been advertised for mentors, so if you feel you are able to invest one hour each week of your time during Terms 2 and 3, and have a genuine interest in supporting and empowering young people with your knowledge, skills and life experience give Marathon Health a call. The contacts and more information are on our Facebook page or alternatively, give us a call.

These are both very exciting additions to the Nyari girls' program and the boys' Mob Respect that we have in place already, with each program targeting different individuals or groups of students. The different levels of support that are in place to support students at our school explains why we are so successful in creating an environment that promotes such positive wellbeing.

## Breakfast Club

I am truly horrible (or more horrible than usual some would say) if I do not have breakfast. Breakfast is the most important meal of the day and neither teachers nor students can function well on an empty stomach. For this reason we have started a breakfast club each morning out of the primary staffroom, run by Mrs McMaster. Students can come along and have a piece of toast before school if they are hungry and this means that they will learn better and concentrate longer. Any donations of bread, jam, Vegemite or butter would be gratefully received.

## Homework Club

In order to assist students with homework, unfinished classwork, that topic they just could not get, work missed through absence etc etc, we will start our first homework session this week. Each Thursday students will have access to a teacher and all the resources of our library from 3pm -4pm. A snack will be provided to keep the brain going.

This is for work only of course and not an opportunity for computer games. We will trial this opportunity and will continue if there is sufficient interest, so use it or lose 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. 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!

All the best,  
*Anne Holden*

**Staff Smile of the Week (Week 6)**

Goes to Britt for helping in Year 1/2 and  
doing a fantastic job.

Big successes come from small steps.

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Kate Wilson

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## Head Teachers' Report

### University Showcase 2019

The University Showcase 2019 took place last week and interested students from Year 11 and 12 attended to hear from Newcastle University, Wollongong University, Charles Sturt University, Southern Cross University and University of New England. Representatives of the five universities discussed a range of relevant and important topics such as available accommodation options, scholarships, early entry, application process and general university life. This was a great opportunity for students to hear first hand about this tertiary option.

The next careers day will be held on 2nd May at Dubbo Senior Campus where a variety of providers will be available for students to chat with including TAFE, trades, Police, defence force and other tertiary providers. Year 10 and 11 will be encouraged to attend. Notes will be out later in the term for this event.

### *Skye Rush*

*Careers Advisor*



### Awesome Experience Bridie Hayden! Italy, Slovenia and Croatia Tour 2019

In January, I was one of 72 Public School students from the Central West invited to visit Europe as part of the **West of the Divide** music tour. The tour was organised by the NSW Arts Unit and led by the 'three Di's' – Di Hall the regional officer from Tamworth, Diane Reichelt - Dubbo and Diana Alexander, Wagga Wagga. I was part of the choir and there was a woodwind band too. We had a camp during the holidays to practise with our teachers and then we had to do lots of practise at home before we left. We even had two days of rehearsals in Sydney before we flew off!

The choir worked on a number of songs that were challenging because many were in another language and we had to learn Croatian, Italian and Latin.

The trip was really amazing. We sang in St Peter's Basilica in Vatican City, we performed underground in the Postojna Caves and we were even on live television when we sang the Croatia National Anthem outside the Zagreb cathedral. As well as the performances we also visited two Italian high schools to have exchanges with the students. It was really funny and the Italians were much better at English than we were at Italian! We took little Australian gifts to give to the high schoolers. We also had workshops where we learnt new skills from really amazing maestros.



I made lots of new friends from all around NSW. We stayed in hotel rooms and we always had buffet breakfasts. Some things that I loved were being in the snow, eating gelato in every town that I went to, having free time to roam the cities and just walking around seeing all of the old buildings and statues that are thousands of years old. I enjoyed the music too and that all of us students were really interested in music.

I loved Lake Bled because it looked like a fairy tale. I also enjoyed all of the different types of food we had and I also liked doing the 'flash mob' singing in the Pantheon in Rome.

I would like to thank the organisers for making this trip happen for all of the students. If other kids would like to do this they should go to the New England Region music camp (in August) and State Music camp.

### *Bridie Hayden*

*Year 7*



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### **CHS Opens Netball**

Our Opens Netball girls travelled to Dubbo on Friday to play in the CHS Competition. Throughout the day, they came up against many skilled teams from Cobar, Gulgong, Wellington, Dubbo College and others. The girls played fantastically in some very warm weather and came away victorious from half of their games. It was a fantastic day watching our senior girls play with and mentor girls from Year 8 and 9 who look to become a fearsome netball team in the future!

Well done girls on your positive attitudes and wonderful sportsmanship on the day, you all represented TCS beautifully. Massive thanks goes out to Tash Edwards and Nicole Lewry for their willingness to drive the girls from Narromine to Dubbo and then stay and cheer them on all day, and an additional thanks to Tash who umpired half of our games for us!

### **Madeleine Bretag**

*Secondary Sports / Netball Coordinator*



### **Year 11 RYDA Program**

Last week, our Year 11 students travelled to Dubbo to participate in the RYDA (Rotary Youth Driver Awareness) program. This program is an annual event for our Year 11 students and covers issues relating to being safe road users.

Students participated in various workshops such as drink driving, speeding, fatigue driving, risk taking behaviours, potential distractions and the law. They were most affected by the guest speaker who shared his story about his own drink driving experience and how that has affected his life. They also listened to parents who had lost their teenage daughter in an accident giving them first hand experience of the consequences of negative choices made on the road.

We would like to thank Miss Roberts and Mrs Moss for taking the students and also our bus driver, Kylie Moore.

**Jessica Skinner**  
*Head Teacher*



# RYDA



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# PRIMARY

## Assistant Principals

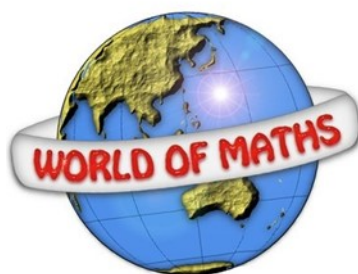
Jo-Anne Ellis  
Jacky Murtagh

## Assistant Principals' Report

### Our Primary Captains SHINE!

If you were able to attend our Primary Assembly on Friday you would have seen the inaugural speeches of our Captains and Vice Captains. We were all very impressed with how well written the student speeches were as well as the practice they had put in to project their voices across the room, speak fluently and with confidence. This was a huge milestone for these children and the staff who have worked with them throughout the years were overcome with pride in the children's achievements. Well done to Hayley Stephens, Troy Sibley, Ella Day and Aston Gordon.

Our next Primary Assembly will be held from 2pm-3pm on Friday the 29<sup>th</sup> of March. We invite you to come along and share in the achievements and learning of our Primary school children.



### World of Maths

Last Friday we enjoyed an incursion by a visiting Mathematician...who came with over fifteen very challenging mathematical puzzles for the students to work on. The children worked in small groups to try to solve as many puzzles as they could. The tasks involved lots of mathematical strategies including eliminating possibilities, trial and error, classifying and drawing on knowledge of number, shape, measurement and much more.

It was interesting to see how the children approached each challenge and the amount of perseverance that some children displayed. Piper Mitchell stuck with a really hard 3D puzzle and wouldn't leave that task until she solved it!



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### Healthy Lunch Boxes



Some families seem a little confused about what to pack for school lunches. At our school we don't eat lollies throughout the day, so please avoid popping in 'treats' like lolly pops and chocolates. Try to limit (or avoid) packet food such as packets of chips, packets of biscuits and other processed items.



All children require healthy food options so that they concentrate, learn well, grow strong and thrive. The best choices for lunch boxes are left over dinner, fruit, vegetables, sandwiches, eggs and a drink bottle filled with water. It's easier and cheaper to pack healthy. Come on families, **YOU are in charge of what your kids eat.** Please do your best for them.

### Reminders

- ◆ Children need healthy lunches and broad-brimmed hats EVERY day!
- ◆ Year 5/6 Sydney Excursion departs TCS at 7am on Monday. Please be at school by 6.45am.
- ◆ Year 3/4 Lake Burrendong Sport & Recreation Excursion notes are due, with \$100 deposit.
- ◆ Children doing meditation and yoga need loose, comfortable clothing (eg. tights & singlet top) on Wednesdays.
- ◆ Notes have been sent home for the Life Education Van visit. Please return note with payment promptly.
- ◆ Homework Centre starts today in the TCS library from 3pm-4pm.

### Primary Calendar

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Wk 7 11/3				PSSA Swimming @ Dubbo Remy, Ella, Alex, Montanna, Jock GOOD LUCK	
Wk 8 18/3	Sydney Excursion Year 5/6 Departs TCS 7.00am (please be no later than 6.45am)			Life Education Van Yrs K-4	Sydney Excursion Year 5/6 Return TCS 7.00pm (please check our Facebook page for updates)  G/N Cricket @ Peak Hill Yrs 3-5 Depart TCS 8.30am
Wk 9 25/3	Life Education Van Yrs 5/6  Hip-Hopping from Bollywood to Brazil Yrs K-6 9.30am-11.30am		Early Bird Info Session for parents 8.30am-9.00am		Primary Assembly 1/2 Classroom Yrs K-6 2.00pm-3.00pm Everyone Welcome!
Wk 10 1/4			DaVinci Decathlon Academic Challenge Selected students Yrs 4/5		School Photos Yrs K-12 Please complete order online or return photo envelope

**Jacky Murtagh**  
*Assistant Principal*



# CANTEEN

## CANTEEN MENU Term 1, 2019

### Sandwiches

<b>Toasted extra .....</b>	<b>\$0.50c</b>
Cheese.....	\$2.50
Vegemite.....	\$2.50
Chicken.....	\$3.50
Chicken & Salad .....	\$5.00
Chicken, Cheese, Lettuce & Mayo .....	\$4.00
Chicken & Mayo.....	\$3.50
Ham.....	\$3.00
Ham & Cheese .....	\$3.50
Ham, Cheese & Tomato.....	\$4.00
Ham & Salad .....	\$5.00

### Wraps or Rolls

Chicken & Salad .....	\$5.00
Sweet Chilli Tender Wrap .....	\$5.00
(lettuce, cheese, sweet chilli sauce & sour cream)	
Ham & Salad .....	\$5.00

### Salad Bowls

Taco Bowl.....	\$5.00
Chicken & Salad .....	\$5.00
Ham & Salad .....	\$5.00
Chicken Strips & Salad .....	\$5.50

### Hot Food

Chicken Nuggets .....	\$0.50each
(Max 6 per serve)	
Bacon & Egg Roll .....	\$5.00
(With Tomato or BBQ sauce)	
Chicken Burger (Lettuce & Mayo).....	\$4.50
Chicken Burger (with the Lot).....	\$5.00
Chicken Tender or Sweet Chilli Tender....	\$2.00each
Pizza Pocket Wrap .....	\$2.00
Nachos .....	\$5.00
Junior Nachos.....	\$4.00
Soft Taco Wrap .....	\$5.00
(mince, cheese, lettuce & sour cream)	
Pie .....	\$4.50
Sausage Roll.....	\$4.00
1/2 Sausage Roll.....	\$2.00
Sauce Sachet.....	\$0.30
(Tomato, BBQ and Sweet & Sour)	

### Fruit

Orange, Apple, Banana .....	\$0.50each
Tub of Fruit Salad.....	\$2.00
Tub of Grapes .....	\$2.00

Dip & Sticks (carrot & celery).....	\$2.00
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### Snacks

Cheese & Crackers .....	\$2.00
Popcorn.....	\$1.00
Grain Waves.....	\$2.00
Honey Soy Chips .....	\$2.00

### Drinks

600ml Water .....	\$2.00
1 ltr Water.....	\$3.00
Poppers.....	\$1.50
Pop Tops.....	\$2.00
300ml Choc Milk .....	\$2.00
300ml Straw Milk.....	\$2.00
500ml Choc Milk .....	\$3.50
500ml Straw Milk.....	\$3.50

### From the Freezer

Twisted Yoghurt.....	\$2.00
Ice Cream Cups .....	\$1.50
Icy Twists.....	\$1.50
Ice-Mony (Choc or Strawberry) .....	\$1.00
Zooper Dooper.....	\$0.50

\*This canteen menu complies with the governments mandatory healthy canteen strategy.

**PLEASE  
REMEMBER**

## CANTEEN REMINDER

**Please indicate  
on all canteen  
orders if the  
order is for  
recess or lunch.  
This will ensure  
your child  
receives the  
correct order at  
the correct time.**





## Help a young person you know follow their dreams with a \$6,000 scholarship!

5 weeks to go, don't delay apply now! Nominations Close 12 April.

Youth Off The Streets is a non-denominational community organisation working for young people who are facing many different challenges. We provide a range of services to support these young people as they work to improve their lives and have a brighter future.

It is our belief that education is the key to breaking the cycle of disadvantage and poverty that traps so many of the young people we work with. Our National Scholarship Program is a way in which we offer young people in Australia an opportunity to achieve their best.

### National Scholarship Program

The National Scholarship Program celebrates the talents and strengths of young people in Australia who exhibit promise but lack the personal support networks and resources that will allow them to fulfil their potential.

Every year over 20 young people throughout Australia are awarded scholarships valued at \$6,000 to pursue further education or training so they may realise their potential for a positive future. In addition each recipient receives a community mentor and dedicated staff support for the two year program, as well as the chance to visit Sydney to attend a special award ceremony in October 2018 to be formally acknowledged of their achievement.

### Who can be nominated?

Nominations are invited from any young person in Australia who is aged 16 to 21 inclusive with genuine talent, ability and/or determination in any education or training course, including (but not limited to): academic skills; visual or performing arts; sport; trade skills; and music. Further details surrounding eligibility criteria can be found on our website.

Nominations must be made by the young person themselves; however assistance in completing the nomination is encouraged and is your opportunity to help a young person follow their dreams.

Please visit [www.youthoffthestreets.com.au/programs/scholarship](http://www.youthoffthestreets.com.au/programs/scholarship) for further information, read the Nomination Guidelines & Conditions and complete a 2019 National Scholarship Program Nomination Form.

Nominations close on Friday, 12 April 2019 at 4:00pm. No late applications will be accepted.

We ask that you please forward this email to your relevant networks, as well as download and display this poster, to ensure all eligible young people have a chance to apply for this great opportunity.

For further information please contact the scholarships team at [scholarships@youthoffthestreets.com.au](mailto:scholarships@youthoffthestreets.com.au) or phone (02) 9330 3537.

Kind regards,  
Youth Off The Streets

## 2019 CHARITY GOLF DAY DUBBO GOLF CLUB



**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March**  
**St Patricks Day**  
**4 Man Ambrose**  
**12pm Shotgun Start.**

\$50 per person

BBQ Lunch &

Afternoon Tea included.

Registrations & Entry fee

Dubbo Golf Pro Shop

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**Prizes & Competitions**  
**Including Nearest the pin,**  
**straightest drive, putting**  
**competition & best dressed**  
**St Patricks Day team.**

More Information Contact  
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0406 884 349  
[virginia@hearourheart.org](mailto:virginia@hearourheart.org)



## Golf For Kids'Sake

*'Hear our Heart' is a project of local charity, Dubbo Deaf Club. The project provides ear health education, targeted hearing screening, diagnostic hearing testing and FREE Ear Specialist Clinics for all public and private schools/childcare in Dubbo and District. Hear Our Heart Ear Bus Project is a not for profit organisation.*

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[www.hearourheart.org](http://www.hearourheart.org)

Dear valued supporters

Another busy year is ahead of us and I am pleased to bring you this update on Ear Bus activities!

- As you would all be aware, we rely on donations and grants to keep the Ear Bus operational. To date, the project has not received any direct funding from governments. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the following supporters for their assistance:
  - Sainsbury Automotive for the Bus as well as ongoing servicing and maintenance;
  - Alloy Welding for the Bus fit out and ongoing maintenance;
  - Dubbo City Toyota for paying for fuel used in the Bus;
  - Walter & Eliza Hall Foundation for the 3 year grant of \$150,000 pa (without which we would not be able to continue current provision of services) as well as smaller grants;
  - Stronger Communities Grant, which will be used to undertake some renovations at the HoH Office in Erskine St, creating a better environment for staff;
  - Westfund grant of \$2,500 which will go towards the purchase of another ShoeBox audiometer for use in schools.
  - Dubbo's Burnmac Financial Solutions \$10 000
  - Individual donations received either directly or through small change in money tins placed at various business around towns, totalling \$5,400 in 2018.
- In addition to the above funding, over the last 12 months schools visited by the Ear Bus have made some very generous donations. A total of nearly \$20,000 has been collected. There is not enough space in this Newsletter to name all the schools but some of the most regular donors are all schools and childcare centres in Gilgandra, schools in Wellington, Dubbo West Public, and Orana Heights Public. We sincerely thank ALL schools who have made donations!
- HoH activities, including donations from Community Days testing, raised nearly \$2,500 during 2018.
- Because we have the extra funding from W&E Hall Foundation, we have been able to expand the number of schools and childcare centres that we visit. Welcome in 2019 to St John's Primary and Bluebridge Early Learning Centre, both in Dubbo.
- We are also reliant on partnerships to be able to keep the Project running and to offer the best service. We welcome the new partnership with Dubbo Aboriginal Medical Service as well as to Dr Ranga Sirigiri, who has recently joined the partnership providing free supported Ear Specialist clinics.
- Once again, we thank ALL of the audiologists who come to Dubbo to conduct the ear health and hearing checks in the Bus. We would be lost without your tremendous support!

Dubbo Deaf Club and Hear our Heart committees are delighted to advise that we are holding a Charity Golf Day on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March at Dubbo Golf Course. The format is a 4 person Ambrose over 18 holes with 12 noon shotgun start. Lots of prizes will be available, including Best Dressed for St Patrick's Day, Nearest the Pins and for a Lucky Loser team. BBQ lunch and afternoon tea will be provided. Cost is \$50pp. Please contact the Pro Shop on 6882 2201 to register. More information is on our Facebook page. Should be a fun day!!

Regards on behalf of all at the HoHEBP town committees

**Sue Went**

Communications Co-ordinator

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## NDIS Early Childhood Early Intervention (ECEI)

For a child under 7 years old with a developmental delay and/or disability that results in a substantial reduction in functional capacity in 1 or more areas of development. The child under 7 years old does not need a diagnosis but evidence of how their delay affects their everyday function is required.

**Are you concerned about a child's development?** – how they play, how they socialise with other children or how they communicate their needs and wants.

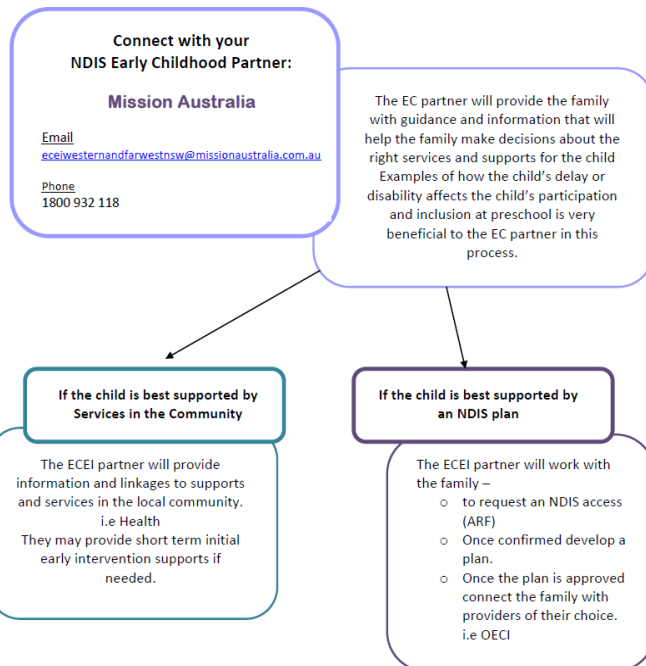
# TRANGIE LIBRARY

will be closed for staff training on

## MONDAY

## 18 MARCH 2019

Your Online Library is always open.  
eBooks | eMagazines | eAudiobooks  
[mrl.nsw.gov.au/online-library](http://mrl.nsw.gov.au/online-library)



Supports and services will be different for each child depending on their circumstances

Developed by Orana Early Childhood Intervention, 2019

Discover what more we could do for you.

- Call 1800 236 762 or 0401 673 747
- [rymh@benevolent.org.au](mailto:rymh@benevolent.org.au)
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### We are The Benevolent Society

We help families, older people and people with disability live their best life, and we speak out for a just society.

We're Australia's first charity. We're a not-for-profit and non-religious organisation and we've helped people, families and communities achieve positive change since 1813.



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Providing Mental Health Support to Young People.



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The Rural Youth Mental Health Service is a community outreach program to support young people to overcome mental health challenges and isolation. The program is run by The Benevolent Society, Australia's first charity.

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