

SOFALA PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Learning Caring Sharing

Turon Terrace, Sofala NSW 2795

T 02 63377085 F 02 63377012

Email: sofala-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Facebook: @SofalaPS

Website: www.sofala-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Principal: Debbie Barratt



Term2 Week8

Wednesday 19th June, 2019

Calendar of Events

Week 9

Tuesday One Schools Network Day - Capertee PS

Wednesday Bathurst Mobile Library

Week 10

Wednesday 2.30pm Student Assembly & Afternoon Tea

Reports sent home

Friday Term 2 concludes



Today we have launched our SchoolTV site.

It's never been more challenging for parents to raise happy, healthy and resilient children. Like never before, parents need to be informed with clear, fact-based information on the many challenges faced by today's youth. Topics such as youth anxiety, depression, self-harm, drug and alcohol use, cyberbullying and many others need clear explanation and guidance.

SchoolTV is a new ongoing resource that is now available to our parents. Each edition will address a major topic with expert interviews, fact sheets, parent quiz, recommended apps, books and much more. SchoolTV aggregates information from many sources such as BeyondBlue and ReachOut, amongst others.

Today we have launched our SchoolTV site here:

<https://sofala-p.schools.nsw.schooltv.me/category-latest-newsletter>

Depression, Anxiety, Cyberbullying, Drugs, Alcohol...
Some of the challenges faced by today's parents.



SchoolTV is a new resource designed to inform and support parents on major issues with contributions from Australia's leading experts.

Principal's Report

Today we launch our SchoolTV site. I have found many of these articles informative to view and look forward to feedback from our parents/carers. In a changing world the needs of our children is constantly evolving. Please read the section on this page.

A One Schools Network Day has been arranged for next Tuesday 25th June. Our generous P&C have assisted with the cost of the mini bus hire. We will leave school around 9.15am and return by 2.45pm for normal travel arrangements at the end of the day.

After two very busy days of professional learning in Sydney, with other small schools, based around Quality Teaching Rounds. Our staff will be looking at how we observe each other and improve our teaching practice through lesson coding. We look forward to working within our small schools network to continue to build our professional understanding and capacity and continue to deliver quality lessons to our students.

With the end of term approaching and staffing changes I will need to move our School Forum set down for Wednesday 3rd July to Wednesday 24th July at 2.30pm. This is the day that students return for Term 3.

We will hold our Student Assembly & Afternoon Tea on Wednesday 3rd July at 2.30pm. I do hope you are able to join us to acknowledge our students and come together as a community at the end of term.

As the colder weather is with us please remember to send a coat along with your child to wear at breaks. The cold and flu season is upon us and we need to ensure students are able to blow their noses properly to clear the congestion and ensure the ear canals are kept clear to prevent further issues. Following this adequate hand washing needs to follow to ensure we contain illness and not spread this further. If your child is unwell they may benefit from a day of rest at home and prevent the spread of illness through the school.

Kind regards

Debbie Barratt



Education



Sofala P&C Annual Christmas in July Trivia Night



Saturday 27th July 2019

**Come join us for a night of laughs , prizes and
great company. Challenge your friends
and neighbours to a night full of trivia!**

**Includes a three course sit down meal
\$40 per head. Max 8 to
a table**



Sofala Memorial Hall 6.30pm

Bookings required

**02 63377187
02 63377489**



CHRISTMAS IN JULY