Upper Division students will meet with a chosen Upper Division Buddy to share picture books and activities. All students are able to change library books each Monday. Buddies will also meet again on Thursday afternoon as part of our Landcare project. It will be great to have every student involved. Peer support activities encourage a positive sense of community among students.

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Ms Pritchard (Tues—Thurs) and Mrs Bush (Mon & Fri) will continue to work with the Upper Division class. Miss Robertson will return from her week of Umpiring at the National Hockey Championships next Tuesday to teach K/1/2. Mrs Manuatu will continue working with Lower Division in Literacy Tuesday to Friday (following her reading recovery lessons at Gunning Public School). Our daily timetable will be as follows:

- 9:00 Class groups
- 10:00 Maths groups
- 11:00 Lunch
- 11:40 Literacy groups
- 1:00 Afternoon recess
- 1:30 Class groups (and fruit break).

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Earn and Learn/Small Schools Soccer Gala Day/Nut Aware

Earn and Learn
The Woolworths Earn & Learn program 2015 is a community program which enables schools to earn educational resources when anyone from the school community shops at Woolworths. Starting today, Wednesday 15th July anyone from the school community—staff, parents and friends who shop at Woolworths, can collect stickers to place on sticker cards (cards are now available from school). They’ll get one sticker for every $10 they spend. Once completed the sticker cards can be placed in a collection box, at either the school or the local Woolies. The program concludes on Tuesday 8th September.

Small Schools Soccer Gala Day
Please enjoy the action shots of our representative soccer players. Supervised by Miss Robertson, 14 students travelled to Cootamundra to participate in their first Small Schools Soccer Gala Day. A great time was had by all. Thanks Mrs Robertson and congratulations to all students involved.

Bowning Public School Continues to be a Nut Aware School

**Nut Aware Reminder**
We ask families not to send nuts or nut products to the school site or to school activities. Please see Ms Pritchard if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you.

CWA Primary School Poster Competition

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Finished CWA posters are to be handed to the office by this Friday 17th July.

PLEASE NOTE: Criteria
All posters must be done on a single sheet of card or stiff paper, any size to 63x51 cm. Information and illustration of any medium may be used. Posters will be judged on presentation, content and originality.

On the back ANSWERS to questions with NAME, CLASS AND SCHOOL typed and printed or in neat, carefully checked handwriting.

One website you might find helpful -- 
62 Interesting Facts About Italy
facts.randomhistory.com/2009/05/14_italy.html

Students in Years 3 – 6 are asked to complete this project in place of homework assignments this week. Resources were sent home before the holidays to support each student with this work. Please contact the school if you require any further help.

Year 2 students will be supported by senior students to complete a project during lunchtimes this week. Resources will be provided.

K/1 will complete a colouring activity with the class.

Upper Division Homework
A homework sheet will be sent home each Monday with each child in Years 3/4/5/6. Work will involve rehearsing tables, learning spelling words and completing a task related to their literacy studies.

Every child is encouraged to read. This term however, we will keep Reading Diaries in the classroom to record daily reading sessions. Diaries will be sent home each Friday. Parents are asked to sign their child’s diary over the weekend, adding any reading done at home, and ensure it is returned with completed homework each Monday. K/1/2 will continue with their home reading folders. We are encouraged by the great work they are doing!
Soccer Gala Day Photos

Community Events/Reminders

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Community Helpers
Parents and community members are invited to assist the Lower Division class during Maths (10—11am) or Literacy (1:45—12:45) sessions on Wednesday or Friday during Term 3. Please contact the office if you wish to be involved.

Ballet in Bowning
Ballet in Bowning will take place in Bowning Hall each Sunday afternoon at 2pm. There is no cost involved and all ages are welcome to attend. For enquiries please phone Cecile after 5pm on 62276456.

Reminders
Textbook payments are now due, notes will be sent home regarding amounts due.
Upper Division diaries must be signed over the weekend and returned on Mondays.

Attachments
- Canberra’s Child magazine
- TAEKWONDO flyer
- Earn & Learn sticker sheet
Soccer Gala Day Photos