



COBAR HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

WHERE THERE IS A WILL THERE IS A WAY

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A message from our Principal

SHANE CARTER



With only three weeks left in the 2024 school year, there's still plenty to do as we wrap things up! Students will finish on Wednesday, 18th December, while staff will have a Staff Development Day on Thursday, 19th December to finalise preparations for 2025.

Last week, we unfortunately farewelled Mr. Barendse, who has taken up an extended contract at another school. We thank him for his contributions to Cobar High School and wish him all the best in this exciting new chapter of his career.

A big thank you to the parents and caregivers who took the time to contribute to the recent Tell Them From Me survey. Your feedback is incredibly valuable, and the findings are currently being reviewed to help guide our future planning.

It was also fantastic to receive positive comments from a stranger in Broken Hill about how respectful and well-behaved our students were during last week's excursion. The gentleman, who camped amongst our students, went out of his way to commend their outstanding behaviour – a testament to the values we uphold at Cobar High School. We are incredibly proud of you all!

We'd also like to extend our gratitude to CSA Mine – Metals Acquisition for their continued support of the Homework Centre, which runs at the school library from 3:30pm to 5:00pm every Tuesday and Thursday. Their generosity helps provide a valuable space for our students to receive extra assistance with their studies.

As we approach the final weeks of the school year, it's important that students continue to maintain excellent attendance. Let's finish the year strong, with everyone present and engaged, so we can make the most of these final weeks! Thank you for your ongoing support.



Lilliane Brady Village MURAL

This is the current progress of the mural painting project at the Lilliane Brady Village that stage 5 have been going on excursions for in Term 2 and this term.

They are doing a fantastic job so far, adding in new layers each time to create a depiction of an “outback landscape”. We will be adding further details as well over the coming weeks such as flowers, more greenery, wildlife etc. We’ll have some more updates soon!



JOIN US FOR A YEAR 6 PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

LEARN ABOUT OUR PROGRAMS
AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION
FOR 2025 STUDENT ENROLMENTS



**5PM, 3RD DECEMBER AT
COBAR HIGH SCHOOL
LIBRARY**



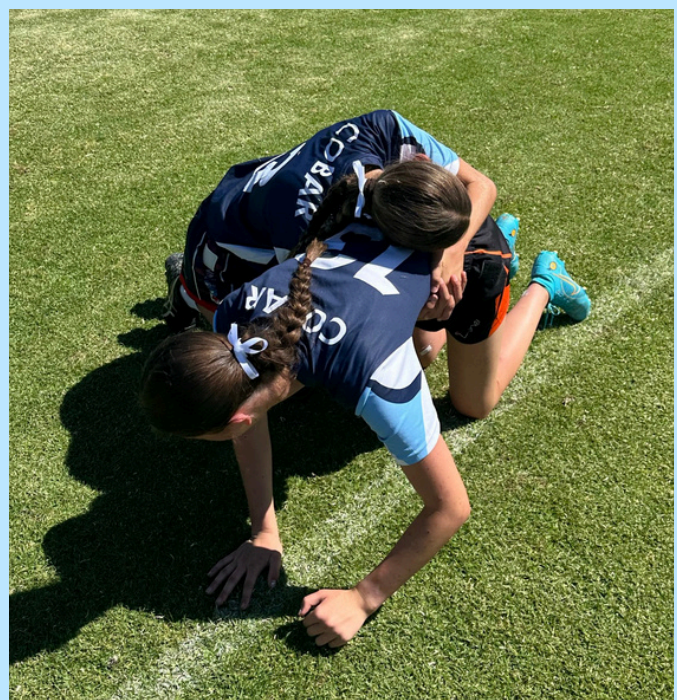
On Thursday, 21st November, 38 of our students travelled to Broken Hill to take part in a league tag and rugby league gala day. The event began with an engaging NRL Tackle Ready programme, where students developed their skills and embraced the values of teamwork and inclusion.

Throughout the day, students collaborated with peers from other schools to form mixed teams, ensuring everyone had the opportunity to participate regardless of ability. Their positive sportsmanship and respect for others were evident, embodying the true spirit of the game.

The evening before, students attended a dinner hosted by NSWRL, where guest speakers Reni Maitua, Timana Tahu, and Poi Birtles delivered inspiring talks on mental fitness, respect, and resilience. The students' exemplary behaviour even drew commendation from a member of the public.

This memorable experience highlighted the importance of teamwork, respect, and giving it a go—both on and off the pitch. Congratulations to all involved!

Miss Jacobson, Mr Plater and Miss Turner





**RUGBY LEAGUE
& LEAGUE TAG**



**GALA DAY
BROKEN HILL**






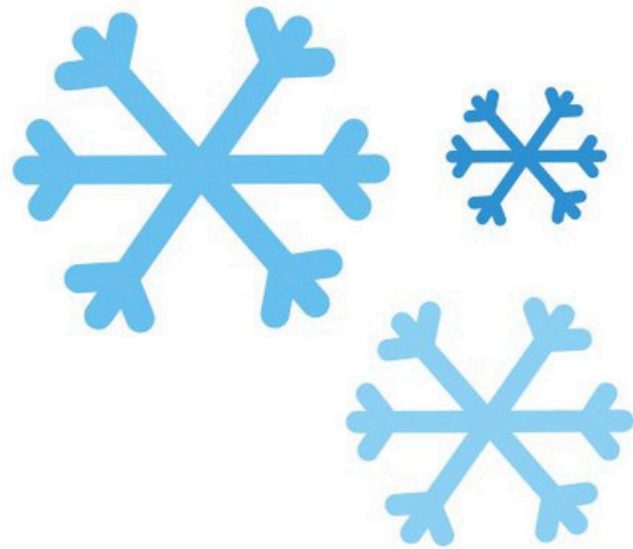
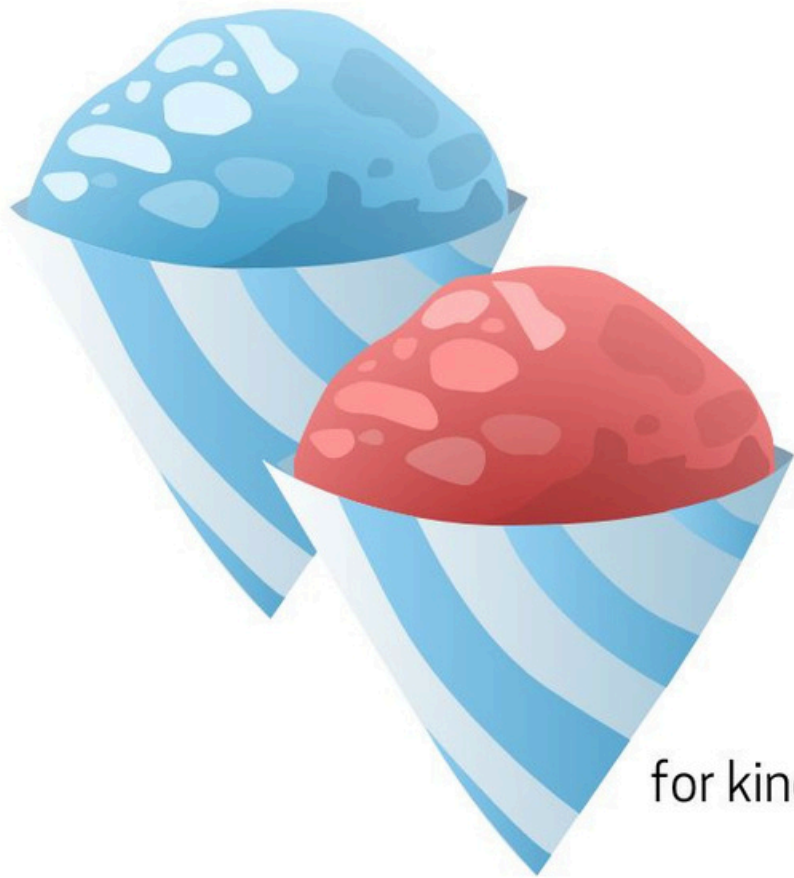
Cobar High School

**2024 ANNUAL
PRESENTATION DAY**

Thursday 12th December

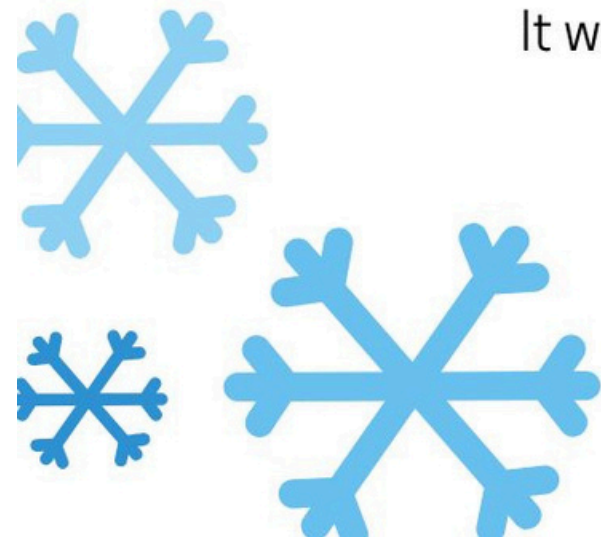
**Cobar High School
Multipurpose Centre
at 2.00pm**





A HUGE thank you to
The L&R Group/Tom at the pool
for kindly donating the syrups and to
Cobar Memorial Services Club
for donating the ice for our Snow Cones last Friday!
It was a great success, raising over \$70 for
Batyr School Chapter.

Thanks again School Batyr Chapter.





Upcoming Events for Cobar High School

DECEMBER

02-03

White Card Training

DECEMBER

03

*Aurora Orientations
Yr 8-11 Students*

DECEMBER

03

*2025 Parent
Information Night
5:00pm*

DECEMBER

03-05

*Homework Centre
3.30pm to 5.00pm*

DECEMBER

06

*Term 4
Acknowledgement Day*

DECEMBER

09

*Stage 5 Mural Painting
at Lillian Brady Village*

DECEMBER

10-12

*Homework Centre
3.30pm to 5.00pm*

DECEMBER

12

*Annual Presentation
Day 2pm*

DECEMBER

19

*Last Day of School for
2024*