



Barooga Public School Newsletter

Winner of the 2015 Tidy Towns Sustainable Communities Award For Environmental Education

Thought for the Day: The only place success comes before work is in the dictionary.
~Vidal Sassoon

Dates to Remember...

Friday 21 st October	2017 Kinder Transition Program 11.30am-3pm
Friday 21 st October	Spring Round Robin CANCELLED
Friday 28 th October	2017 Kinder Transition Program 11.30am-3pm
Tuesday 1 st November	Melbourne Cup – Normal School Day
Friday 4 th November	2017 Kinder Transition Program 8.45am-3pm
Wednesday 9 th November	P&C Meeting, 6pm in the Library
Friday 11 th November	2017 Kinder Transition Program 8.45am-3pm
Mon 14 th – Fri 25 th Nov	Swimming Program
Tuesday 29 th November	Last Day for Student Banking Rewards Orders
Wednesday 7 th December	Year 6 Farewell
Friday 9 th December	Presentation Day
Wednesday 14 th December	P&C Meeting, 6pm in the Library
Thursday 15 th December	Class Parties
Friday 16 th December	Talent Fest/Students Last Day



**Book Club
Issue 7
Due: 9am
Wednesday
19th October**

Principal's Report

Unfortunately the Spring Round Robin has been cancelled. The ground is unfit for use due to the rain over the last month and with more overnight and further rain predicted over the next few days it will not be right by Friday.

Last Thursday, the children from Kinder, Year 1 and Year 2 attended an outstanding performance of Peter and the Wolf, performed by the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra. From all reports it was fantastic and only matched by the behaviour of our students. Congratulations to all of the students and staff for their great effort. A report and photos are also in the Newsletter.

Our Kinder 2017 Transition continues this Friday, 21st October. This is for Kindergarten in 2017, **starting this week at 11.30am** and finishing at 3pm. For more details please contact the school.

With all of the water lying around we are experiencing a large number of mosquitoes in and around the school. We have organised for insect spraying of the school, but in the meantime you may wish to include a roll-on insect repellent in your child's bag.

We have received information about applications for NSW Selective High Schools in 2018; this is for the current Year 5 students. Applications close 14th November. Please contact the school for further information.

Congratulations to Choise Lucas, Kayla Carroll, Jorja Coulton-Young and Sam Lincoln, winners of their categories at Katamatite's Big Day Out in a Little Town held on the weekend.

Good luck to all of our great entrants in this weekend's Cobram Show.

John Francis, Principal

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Students of the week

K/1:

Riley Severyn
Jake Ford
Coby Humphries

Year 1/2:

Crue Lucas
Jaxson Sparkes
Beau Kernaghan

Year 2/3:

Eryn Bennie
Dash White
Xavier McWhinney

Year 3/4:

Jordan Picker
Savannah Zoch
Harrison Bates

Year 4/5:

Caitlin Dunn
Tamika Mosman
Zayden Wheeler

Year 6:

Natalia Morgan
Louis Crestani
Tanayah Power



Congratulations to the above students who received certificates for competing in the UNSW English and Mathematics Competitions during our Week 1 Assembly

You Can Do It!



Congratulations to Mikayla Morgan, Charlotte Cameron and Poppy Goodwin who were awarded certificates of recognition, by Mathletics, for being the top three Mathletics students at Barooga Public School.

Community Notes

BAROOGA LITTLE ATHLETICS

Barooga Little Athletics starts tonight at 4:45.

It's not too late to register.

Register online at: lavic.com.au (scroll down to Lavic Member Desq, renew/join if new & fill in details). If you need help come along to the registration day where you will receive a step by step guide as to how to register. **NO REGISTRATIONS or PAYMENTS WILL BE DONE MANUALLY;** this request is from LAVIC which is a new procedure.

More info: Contact Marcia on 58763202 or 0427800516 or email: marcianolan35@gmail.com

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Peter & The Wolf Excursion

On Thursday 13th October, Kinder/1/2 travelled to Shepparton to see "Peter and The wolf" at the Eastbank Centre.

The show was performed by the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra and was a great introduction to an orchestra for our children. It was lovely to see so many children relaxed and fully engaged, watching the narrator and recognising the sounds of different instruments for different characters and scenes in the story. The members of the orchestra wore different coloured t-shirts, so it was easy for us to identify the different sections such as brass, woodwind and percussion.

As always, Barooga students made us very proud, representing our school beautifully in the public eye and displaying lovely manners. They are also to be commended on their excellent and sensible road safety skills, as we had to cross a very busy road several times, with no pedestrian crossing or traffic lights! Well done K/1/2! A huge thankyou to Mrs Kennedy for organising our tickets for the day.

Mrs Kennedy, Mrs Crestani, Mrs Paroissien



The Bunyip of Boosey Creek

On Sunday, Katamatite held their 'Big Day Out in a Little Town' Festival. This year's theme was The Bunyip from Boosey Creek. Students from Years 3-6 entered artwork, sculptures and photography into various sections of the art show.

We are very excited to announce that Choise Lucas won First Prize for his Bunyip sculpture; Kayla Carroll won First Prize for her Bunyip artwork; Jorja Coulton-Young won First Prize for her artwork and Sam Lincoln won First Prize for his local landscape photo.

Congratulations to all of the students for entering quality work into the show. I hear that you made the judge's job very hard. Apparently the Year 6 Bunyip sculptures made from gourds grown in our garden were the talk of the show.

Nikki Bird, A.P.

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Aurora College

The virtual selective school for rural and remote students

Aurora College is NSW's first virtual selective school, offering a mix of online and residential school classes. The school provides innovative, flexible learning in a whole new context, by allowing students to connect locally and learn globally.

Aurora offers selective classes in English, mathematics and science to gifted and talented Year 7-10 students from rural and remote areas across NSW. Students connect with their teachers and classmates in timetabled lessons through a virtual learning environment.

The college also gives Year 11 and 12 students the opportunity to study subjects not available in their own school. For details please visit our website.

Aurora College offers students expanded career options through innovative partnerships with businesses and with scientific, cultural and tertiary education institutions.

Students in the selective stream are chosen in the same way as students in all other selective classes in NSW government schools.



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Applications for entry to Year 7 in 2018
OPEN 11th OCTOBER 2016 AND
CLOSE ON 14th NOVEMBER 2016

Visit Selective High Schools website
<http://bit.ly/shsyear7>

For further information about Aurora College, visit the our website
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