

Barooga Public School Newsletter



Term 4

Monday 11th November, 2017

Week 6

Important Dates

Friday 17th November
2018 Kinder Transition
9:00am-3:00pm

Mon 20th Nov – Fri 24th Nov
Intensive Swimming Program

Wednesday 22nd November
2018-2020 School Plan
Meeting, 6pm in the Library

Mon 27th Nov – Fri 1st Dec
Intensive Swimming Program

Tuesday 5th December
Year 6 Farewell

Friday 8th December
Presentation Day

Sunday 10th December
Carols By Candlelight

Monday 11th December
Reports Home
Talent Fest

Friday 15th December
Students' Last Day 2017

**KITCHEN
WEEK**



Thought for the Day
We could learn a lot from crayons; some are sharp, some are pretty, some are dull, while others bright, some have weird names, but they all have learned to live together in the same box.

~Robert Fulghum

Principal's Report

Dear Parents,

Presentation Day will be held on Friday 8th December at Midday. Thank you to everyone who took a moment to respond. 18 slips returned, with opinion evenly split. As the response was limited, we have decided to continue with it at the same time, making sure all students are present at the event.

Our Intensive Swimming Program starts next Monday 20th November. Permission notes were sent home in Week 4. As there is an enormous amount of organisation that goes into running the program, it is essential that permission slips and payment were returned by the due date, today, Monday 13th November. If you have any questions about the program please contact our Swimming Coordinator, Mrs Crestani.

Congratulations to all of the students selected to represent their class at the Barooga Public School Public Speaking Competition. The quality of the speeches was outstanding, entertaining, informative and greatly researched. The Stage 2 winner was Joel Jezewski, with Tyler Schlink runner up. Stage 3 winner was Felicity Geisler with Daniel Campbell runner up.

Kindergarten 2018 Transition concludes this Friday 17th, as Swimming begins next week. We hope it has been an exciting familiarisation for the students and look forward to them starting full-time next year.



Congratulations to Caleb Jezewski on achieving Overall Champion for the Writing Section with his writing submission at the recent Cobram Show.

Well-done to Daniel Campbell and Caleb Jezewski for representing Barooga Public School at the Cobram Remembrance Day Ceremony on Saturday 11th November. I have also received a thank you from the organising committee for their attendance and excellent representation of our school.

As part of our school planning process for the next 3 years, the school will be holding a consultation with parents on Wednesday, 22nd November, 6pm in the School Library. This meeting will look at the overall picture and direction of the school until 2020 and beyond. Everyone is welcome to attend and your contribution will be greatly appreciated.

John Francis, Principal

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Students of the Week

Kinder:

Jemma Griffin
Declan McWhinney
Haylee Oram

Year 1/2:

Ava Schlink
Elliot Evans
Jake Chadwick

Year 2/3:

Penny Brooks
Draven Hollywood
Riley Severyn

Year 3/4:

Demi Wheeler
Aden Modderkolk
Tyler Schlink

Year 4/5:

Jordan Picker
Kayla Carroll
Hayden Fisher

Year 5/6:

Jae Bowden
Ryan Tranter
Haiderali Abd Al Hussien

P&C News

Baskets have been placed in each classroom for the Presentation Day Raffle. Please bring your donated items to school by Thursday 7th December. Thanks to those who have already donated. Your generosity contributes to the success of this great fundraiser for our school.

The themes for each class are:

Kinder – Pamper Hamper Year 1/2 – Boys Hamper
Year 2/3 – Girls Hamper Year 3/4 – Garden Hamper
Year 4/5 – Christmas Hamper Year 5/6 - Outdoor Sports/Games/BBQ Hamper

We will also be having a sausage sizzle on Presentation Day. If anyone is able to come and help cook sausages, that would be great. We normally start cooking at 10:45. Please let me know if you can help.

We will be running the BBQ at Carols on Sunday 10th December. This is our major fundraiser for the year and many hands will make light work. Please fill in the attached slip and return to the office if you are able to help.

Marcia Nolan, P&C Secretary PH: 0427800516

P&C 2017 Presentation Day Raffle



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We are asking families to please donate items for a special Hamper Raffle to be drawn on Presentation Day. Each child is asked to bring one item each for their specific class hamper.

You Can Do It!



COBRAM UNITING CHURCH AND TARGET WITH THE SUPPORT OF COBRAM COMMUNITY HOUSE CHRISTMAS 2017

If you or someone you know needs assistance with Christmas please contact Heather 0423937187,

Jan 0439893737 or

Cobram Community House 58722224

by Friday 1st December.

Applications are also available from the school office.



SWIMMING REMINDER

Our Intensive Swimming Program starts next Monday 20th November.

- Please bring bathers, towel and any other swimming requirements in a separate swimming bag
- A plastic bag for wet gear
- Goggles are optional
- Girls with long hair to have it tied back or in a swimming cap
- **PLEASE NAME ALL ITEMS** – especially towels

Swimming Times

K/1: 12.00pm – 1.00pm every day except Wednesdays

Years 2-6 Swimming Scheme: 1.40pm – 3.00pm every day



A Quick Bite ...

Crunch & Sip @ Home

With the long summer holidays starting next month, why not turn Crunch & Sip into a regular treat at home?

Crunch & Sip anywhere is a great swap for less healthy snacks and drinks during weekends and holidays. Crunch and Sip can also go with your family to the park, to sport, to the pool and in the car. Don't forget the water.

With support from parents and carers, children may love to try new vegetables and fruit. They may have fun creating new dips to eat with their vegetables and fruit and enjoy sharing their holiday Crunch & Sip experiences with their classmates when they return to school.



For more information visit

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A Quick Bite ...

Eggy Veggie Muffins

Try this easy, healthy, delicious lunchbox filler with a 3.5 health star rating for recess or lunch. Makes 12 muffins.

Ingredients:

- 1 cup corn* or swap for grated potato
- 1 tbsp oil
- 3 eggs
- 1 cup reduced fat milk
- 1 cup reduced fat grated cheese
- 1 tsp pepper
- 2 cups of children's favourite vegetables, grated (e.g. 1 carrot and 1 zucchini)



Method:

1. Preheat oven to 180°C and place paper muffin cases in a 12 hole muffin tray.
2. Whisk eggs, milk and pepper in a bowl.
3. Add vegetables, cheese and corn* and mix. Spoon the mixture into muffin cases.
4. Bake muffins until set in the middle and lightly browned (40 minutes).

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A Quick Bite ...

Planning @ home for Crunch & Sip

Planning what to take for Crunch & Sip every day could make getting to school in the mornings a little easier.

Children can plan what vegetables or fruit they'd like take to school and eat during Crunch & Sip and how they'll prepare and pack them.

They can enjoy selecting, picking or shopping for a variety of vegetables and/or fruit.



In some towns it can be hard to find good quality vegetables or fruit for children to take to school. Cost can also be a problem.

Let your school know if you can't provide vegetables and fruit every day for your child. A school veggie garden, other families or local shops or farmers may like to donate vegetables and fruit for the children to enjoy.

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Barooga Public School P&C Carols by Candlelight BBQ Helpers



I am able to assist with the BBQ at the Carols by Candlelight on Sunday 10th December.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

I am available from (please tick):

- 5.00-6.00pm (set up) 6.00pm-7.00pm 7.00pm – 8.00pm 8.00pm-9.00pm (pack up)

***Please return to the office as soon as possible.**

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