

Barooga Public School Newsletter



Term 2

Monday 19th June, 2017

Week 10

Important Dates

Wednesday 21st June
Football Knockout

Thursday 22nd June
Witches Performance
Years 3-6
Bravehearts K-2

Monday 26th June
Reports Home

Friday 30th June
Last Day Term 2

Monday 17th July
Staff Development Day

Tuesday 18th July
Students Return for Term 3
Diary of a Wombat
Performance Years K-2

Tue 22nd – Wed 23rd August
Year 3/4 Camp Curumbene



Thought for the Day
Do not follow where the path may lead. Go instead where there is no path and leave a trail
~Muriel Strode

Principal's Report

Dear Parents,

School Reports will be sent home next Monday 26th June. Along with the reports we will once again include the Literacy and Numeracy PLAN Data which also includes ideas for parents and how you can support your child's learning.

Once again we strongly encourage all parents to make an appointment with your child's class teacher to discuss the report and your child's progress.

Congratulations to Taiten Rudd, Baden Riedell and Blake McLernon who participated in the Regional PSSA Cross Country in Gundagai last week. The boys finished in the middle of the field which was a fantastic effort in some extremely strong competition.

This Wednesday, 21st June, we play in the Football Knockout in Deniliquin. This is a Gala Day and we will play several matches over the day. Please return notes if you haven't already.

This Thursday, 22nd June, Years 3 to 6 are attending a performance of Roald Dahl's The Witches in Shepparton, where the performances we have attended in the past have been fantastic. Please remember that payment is due by tomorrow Tuesday 20th June.

Each week we will be focusing on and encouraging students with our Behaviour Expectations. This week we will focus on: **Be Respectful – Use Respectful language**

John Francis, Principal

Witches & Diary of a Wombat Payment due TOMORROW Tuesday 20th June

A reminder that all permission notes and payment are now due for the Witches and Diary of a Wombat performances.

To enable your child to participate, please send all notes and money in to the office by **TOMORROW Tuesday 20th June**.

Please note that a verbal permission is not acceptable.

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Students of the Week

Kinder:

Amber Houzaife-Woodhead
Ryder Holcombe
Jemma Griffin

Year 1/2:

Kaitlyn Styles
Ava Schlink
Nathan Berry

Year 2/3:

Casey Chandler
Hayley Evans
Noah Goosey

Year 3/4:

Kyri Novoselac
Natalie Ciccone
Griffin Lawrence

Year 4/5:

Angus Maughan
Connor Tarrant
Caitlin Dunn

Year 6:

Lincoln Baron
Rachel O'Kane
Rory Murdoch

Bravehearts

Educate Empower Protect Our Kids



This Thursday students in Kinder – Year 2 will be participating in the Bravehearts Program as part of their Child Protection Education.

Bravehearts is the leader in personal safety education in Australia.

This fun and interactive show effectively teaches personal safety strategies and skills to stay safe in a range of situations from child protection to bullying.

If you do not want your child to participate, please send a written note to your child/ren's teacher

You Can Do It!



S SRC B
BPS DRESS UP DAY
FRIDAY 30TH JUNE

A Come dressed up as something
starting with the letter **B**

S B P O R S P

You can even come dressed as yourself if
your name starts with one of the letters!

S PLEASE BRING A GOLD COIN DONATION. B

Waste Free Wednesdays

Next term the SRC would like to implement Waste Free Wednesdays. We are encouraging children to reduce the amount of packaging they use by implementing waste-free lunches on Wednesdays.

Waste Free Lunch Tips

- ✓ Place sandwiches and snacks in reusable containers
- ✓ Bulk buy larger packets of snacks and use a reusable container
- ✓ Try baking a slice or biscuits to put in containers
- ✓ Use reusable bottles for juice and water instead of poppers
- ✓ Fruit is nature's fast food, choose fruit for school that doesn't need any packaging like apples and bananas
- ✓ Try choosing packaging that can be recycled or composted such as brown paper bags.

Much of the rubbish we generate comes from packaging on the food we buy, and lunch foods are no exception. Many people pack lunch items in single-use plastic bags, aluminium foil, wax paper, or they purchase single serving items that come in their own disposable package. These products are extremely convenient, but we need to consider what the environmental cost is.

It has been estimated that on average a school-aged child using a disposable lunch generates three pieces of litter per day, which equates to 30kg of waste per year. This works out to be 15tonnes of waste produced by a school of 500 students each year from lunch boxes alone!

PACK WASTE FREE FOOD!

Community Notes

LALALTY HALL TRIVIA NIGHT

7.15pm Tomorrow Tuesday 20th June \$10 per person

Delicious supper and lots of fun, if you just want to come along and join a table that will be fine
More info call Marcia on 0427800516

PARENT TO PARENT SUPPORT GROUP – ASD, ADHD and other behavioural difficulties

Berrigan Shire, Jerilderie, Urana and surrounds

On the 4th Saturday of each month the Parent to parent support group meets at the Biralee Preschool in Finley.

Join us for a chat and a cuppa from 2pm to 4pm.
Children welcome.

Next gathering is 24th June

For information contact Lyn Pasco on 0423 206 590 or at lynniepasco@bigpond.com

Join us on Facebook: Parent to Parent – Berrigan Shire and surrounds

Biralee Preschool is located at 4-6 Dawe Street Finley.



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Term 2 School Holiday Program

9am to 3pm Mon 10th - Fri 14th July 2017



AGES 6 - 12 years old

COST Half day-\$15.00 or Full day-\$20.00

WHAT TO BRING Swim attire & towel. Lunch, drinks & snacks.

Note - Any necessary medication must be clearly labelled and explained to School Holiday Program Staff
Bookings essential

Swimming Lessons Enrol now for Term 3



COMMENCING MONDAY 24TH JUNE

We offer:

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19th June, 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

Barooga Public School will transition to the new NSW public schools' finance system and a new bank account on **24 July 2017**.

To ensure a smooth transition, there will be changes to the way we accept payments.

1. **POP Parent Online Payments:**

As of **30 June 2017**, we will no longer accept deposits into our current school bank account as we prepare to close this account and transition to the new one. Any payments made using POP online payments after this date cannot be properly allocated to a student's account in a timely manner. Please ensure you have made any outstanding POP payments before **30 June 2017**.

The Parent Online Payment portal will re-open on Monday 24th July 2017

2. **Cash and cheque payments:**

Between **19 July 2017** and **24 July 2017**, we will also not be able to accept payments by cash or cheque as we prepare to close our current bank account and transition to the new one. Please ensure that you have made any outstanding cash or cheque payments before **19 July 2017**. From **25 July 2017**, cash and cheque payments will be accepted as before.

It would be appreciated if all accounts could be settled by 30th June 2017.

Please note.... Payment for the Witches and Diary of a Wombat Performances are due by Tomorrow Tuesday 20th June.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we transition to our new finance system.

If you have any questions, please contact **the school office on 0358 734242**.

Yours Sincerely

John Francis
Principal.