

Barooga Public School Newsletter



Term 3

Monday 21st August, 2017

Week 6

Important Dates

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

Thursday 30th August
Fathers' Day Wrapping
Afternoon from 3pm

Friday 1st September
Fathers' Day stall

Sunday 3rd September
Fathers' Day

Friday 8th September
Book Fair
Jump Rope Jump-Off

Thursday 14th September
K/1/2 Echuca Excursion

Thursday 21st September
SRC Disco

Friday 22nd September
Last day Term 3

Principal's Report

Dear Parents,

The NAPLAN Reports for parents of students in Years 3 and 5 have been sent home today. If parents have any questions regarding their child, please contact your class teacher. The school will be reviewing the results, as we do each year, and adjust teaching and learning programs accordingly.

The students in Years 3 and 4 are off to Camp Curumbene for their overnight camp, starting tomorrow, Tuesday, and returning on Wednesday afternoon. Parents and students are reminded to be at school by around 7.40am so they are all ready to leave by 8.00am. It should be a great experience.

Next week, beginning 28th August, students in Years 3 and 5 will be participating in a NAPLAN Online School Readiness Test. This is to see if equipment software and hardware is able to cope with the demands necessary for future NAPLANs to be done online. The students will not be assessed, just the process, so there are no actual student results.

The behaviour expectation we will be focusing on this week is: **Be Safe –Solve problems, respectfully, calmly and fairly.**

John Francis, Principal

**WASTE
FREE
WEDNESDAYS**

**Book Club
Issue 6
Due: 9am Wed
30th August**

**KITCHEN
WEEK**



Thought for the Day

Even if you're on the
right track, you'll get run
over if you just sit there.

~Will Rogers

2017 Book Fair

Friday 8th September 8am – 1pm



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Students of the Week

Kinder:

Kyle Binotto
Charlie Noonan
Haylee Oram

Year 1/2:

Jaxson Sparkes
Paige Riedell
Tameeka Laffan

Year 2/3:

Riley Severyn
Penelope Brooks
Hayley Evans

Year 3/4:

Kye Grylls
Cassie Hellyer-Maud
Demi Wheeler

Year 4/5:

Savannah Zoch
Joel Jezewski
Jordan Picker

Year 5/6:

Rory Murdoch
Josh Noonan
Jayden Woodhead

You Can Do It!



P&C News

The P&C will be having our Fathers' Day wrapping afternoon at 3pm on Wednesday, 30th August, in preparation for our stall on Friday 1st. We will require helpers on both days. Please remember to donate suitable items for our Fathers' Day stall, thanks to those who have already donated.

Thank you, have a great week.

Marcia Nolan, P&C Secretary PH: 0427800516



Friday 8th September

Our school is currently participating in the Jump Rope for Heart Program. Our Jump Off Day is on Friday 8th September.

This is a great program that helps to keep kids healthy, whilst raising funds to fight Heart Disease.

The students are getting involved at school, practicing their skipping skills and learning new tricks.

Get jumping at home with friends & family to help kids reach their recommended 60 minutes of physical activity each day.

SRC Fundraiser

Remember to bring in those pesky 5c pieces for our SRC Fundraiser. The class that donates the most money will win a prize of \$50 to spend on their classroom.



Bottle Cap Mural

Remember to keep bringing in lids so we can create a beautiful mural to brighten up our playground.

SRC DISCO COUNTRY & WESTERN



5:30pm-7pm

Thursday 21st September

Cobram Barooga Golf Club

\$2 per person or \$5 per family
Water and Chips available for
purchase

FATHERS' DAY STALL

Friday 1st September, 2017



We are asking each family to please donate
suitable items to be sold at our
Fathers' Day Stall.

Please bring items to the office as soon as
possible.

Thank you to those who have already
donated. Your generosity is appreciated.

We need some volunteers to help with
selling and wrapping gifts.

Please contact Marcia Nolan if you able to
assist. Ph: 0427 800 516

Community Notes

BAROOGA LITTLE ATHLETICS 2017 SEASON

Barooga Recreation Reserve, Snell Road Barooga
Monday afternoons from 4.45pm
For children aged 5-16 years old
\$90 per child

Season Starts Monday 9th October

Free Come and Try Nights

4.45pm-6.00pm Monday 11th & 18th September

Season Runs from Monday 9th October – 11th
December 2017

For more information contact Marcia Nolan

Ph: 0427 800 516



Portsea Camp

2nd - 9th January 2018

This camp takes place in the summer school holidays. It
is for children aged 9-12 years. There are 20 places
available. Cost: \$365.00

Please contact Heather Barrier Mobile: 0418415029



COBRAM SECONDARY COLLEGE

2018 YEAR 7 ENROLMENTS NOW BEING TAKEN

Cobram Secondary College provides a
comprehensive curriculum, excellent learning
facilities, opportunities for individual learning
pathways and for students to engage in
extracurricular activities

For further information or to arrange a school tour

Phone 5871 1700

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Celebrate Attendance

Hints and Tips No 1: Responsibilities



Parent/s or caregivers are required – by law – to provide a written or verbal explanation to the Principal within seven days of any absence as to why their child was not at school.

It is important that the school receives a written or verbal explanation because:

- (1) It is a parent's legal obligation to explain their child's absence within seven days
- (2) It is a requirement that the school investigate all unexplained absences
- (3) It avoids the school and the School Attendance Officer from making unnecessary investigations
- (4) It is the way the school knows that your child was legitimately absent and not truanting from school

If you have any difficulties in providing a written explanation for your child's absence, please contact your school principal.