

# Barooga Public School Newsletter



Term 3

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2018

Week 1

## Important Dates

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July**

Year 6 –Science Forensics  
Day at Finley High School

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> July**

School Athletics Carnival

**Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> July**

UNSW ICAS English Test

**Wed 1<sup>st</sup> – Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> August**

Year 3/4 Billabong Ranch

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> August**

UNSW ICAS Maths Test

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> August**

Zone Athletics Carnival

**Friday 31<sup>st</sup> August**

Riverina Athletics Carnival



**Book Club Issue 5  
Due: 9am Monday  
6<sup>th</sup> August**

*From the Office...*

**Please remember that  
final payment for the  
year 3/4 Billabong  
Ranch Camp is due by  
Monday 23rd July 2018.**

Please be advised that  
the payment envelopes  
in the school foyer are  
for School related  
payments only.

**Thought for the Day**

You can learn many things  
from children. How much  
patience you have, for  
instance! ~ *Franklin P.  
Jones*

## Principal's Report

Dear Parents

We hope everyone had an enjoyable break, ready for the new and busy term ahead. Yesterday staff participated in Anaphylaxis and CPR training. While we have students with known severe allergies, we are also mindful of the possibility of students and visitors who may have undiagnosed allergies, so it's important to have staff trained should a situation requiring this arise.

This week we are beginning Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL), a program focusing on the explicit teaching of positive behaviours, both in class and the playground. As part of this there will be an emphasis on acknowledgement of students following expected behaviours, with whole class and whole school celebrations of successes. Information from our survey last term has been used for this purpose.

This week's behaviour expectation focus is: **Keep hands, feet and objects to self.** We expect students to learn and move about the school and classroom without others making physical contact with them.

NAIDOC Week was last week and as it was during the holidays we will be recognising the history culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people this week. Each class will be undertaking activities related to this during the week, with a whole school Indigenous games afternoon this Friday.

This week the students will be voting for an additional class representative for the Student Representative Council (SRC). It has been decided that the existing SRC will remain, with new students being added.

Next Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> July is the school's Athletics Carnival. A note, with further information will be distributed today. Please return the permission note and money by Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018.

The Year 3 and 4 Camp to Billabong Ranch is on Wed 1<sup>st</sup> to Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug. Permission and medical notes, along with information regarding the camp and final payment will be distributed today. Please return the permission notes and money by Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018.

The P & C will be holding its monthly meeting this Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July in the Library at 6.00pm. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

John Francis  
Principal

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On the last day of Term 2 Barooga Public School SRC organised a "Wear Something Red Day" in support of the Barooga Fire Brigade. Brian Trehwella is pictured receiving a cheque for \$200.00 on behalf of the Barooga Fire Brigade.



## P&C News

Welcome back everyone, hope you enjoyed the holidays.

Thanks to everyone who supported the Barooga Charity Raffle. We received a cheque for \$746.

Thanks to those who helped with the election raffle on Saturday. We raised \$586. The winners were; Barooga Pub voucher -Lesley King, Fee's Coffee House voucher - Ray Mountney and IGA Voucher - Hazel McDiarmid.

This Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> is our monthly meeting at 6pm, all welcome.

On Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July we will be having a clean-up of the kitchen starting at 9am. If are you able to come along to help that would be great. Many hands make light work.

We will be offering a Meal Deal for the Athletics Carnival on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> July. More information of this will be in next week's newsletter.

*Marcia Nolan, P&C Secretary Ph: 0427800516*

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