

Term 4, Week 9

Tuesday 29th November 2022

# GARDEN WEEK

Important Dates	
Mon 28 <sup>th</sup> Nov – Thurs 8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Swimming Program
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	AFL 9am-11am
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 6 Graduation Dinner
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 3/4 Excursion
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> December	Presentation Day
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	PBL School Disco
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	High School Orientation Day
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Students last day of school
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> January 2023	First day back for students



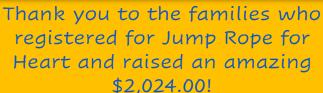


















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## Principal's Report

#### Dear Parents and Carers

#### 2023

I'm very pleased to be able to announce that Mr Matt Collins will be the Relieving Principal for 2023. Mr Collins has a great deal of experience as an Assistant Principal and Principal of both small and larger schools. I know that you will all make him feel very welcome. Applications for Assistant Principal close this Friday and we can't confirm most classes and teachers until this position is filled. We can, however, confirm that Mrs Kennedy and Mrs McMahon will be teaching Kindergarten next year and Ms Di Lennox will be teaching Year 1/2.

#### **COOLER CLASSROOMS**

The main work to install the cabling for our new heating/cooling systems has been completed, but we are still waiting for the installation of the units into each classroom. After this is completed, the old unflued gas heaters will be removed. As this initiative doesn't include the administration block and staffroom, we will be installing new split systems into these areas ourselves. Hopefully this will all be completed before the end of the school year.

#### JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

Thank you to the students and families who raised a massive \$2,024.00 for the Heart Foundation. The student's prizes have been ordered and should arrive over the next week. We received this message from the Heart Foundation:

"On behalf of all of us at the Heart Foundation we can't thank you enough for your incredible support to get your kids skipping and raising funds. The funds you have raised will help support innovative heart research and programs that are transforming Australian lives."

#### SWIMMING

We are very fortunate to be able to run our intensive swimming program for the whole school. We got off to a great start yesterday with the students being tested and placed into groups. Thank you to Mrs Crestani for all of your organisation. There are certainly many 'behind the scenes' factors to be taken into consideration to ensure the program runs smoothly.

#### **STUDENT REPORTS**

Classroom teachers have been busy writing the end of year student reports. These will be handed out on Monday 12th December.

#### Wendy Davis, Relieving Principal



Some of our K/1 students have been busy in the sandpit building a 'River Fairy Garden'. A very creative effort!





# **AFL CLINICS CONTINUE**

Alissa- I really enjoyed playing the relay. I loved it. Issy – I really liked when you had to race to get the ball. Molly – My favourite activity was angry ogre. Willow – I liked the game angry ogre. I hadn't played it before. Charlotte – I enjoyed angry ogre and snowball tag. Finn – I really enjoyed all the AFL activities. Lane – I liked playing cha cha. Tyler – I loved 'snatching' my ankles in snowball tag. Zayviar – I had fun doing all the activities. Lucas – It was fun to do the relay. Oliver – I liked angry ogre even when they kept saying my name when I wasn't moving.





Seth – I liked playing snowball and watching Tyler dodge to AFL coach.

# P&C 2022 Presentation Day Raffle

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.

K/1: Outdoor Sports/Games Hamper Year 2: Gardening Hamper Year 3/4: Kids Hamper Year 5/6: Christmas Hamper





20 December 2022 to 27 January 2023



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childrensprograms.ymca.org.au or call 8371 0500 for assistance.



### **MAKERS MARKET**

Barooga Public School will be having a stall at the Makers Market on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December. We would appreciate donations of baked goods to be sold on the day (preferably small items for purchase such as slice, cupcakes, biscuits). Please bring donations to the school office by 12 noon on the Friday.



Cobram Community Christmas Gift Appeal 2022



You can help bring joy to families who need our help on Christmas Day

For over 30 years the Cobram Community Christmas Gift Appeal has provided Christmas gifts to children in the Cobram and Districts Community, who would otherwise have received very little or nothing on Christmas Day.

Donate A Gift Today

<u>Gift collection points</u> Cobram Community House, Bendigo Bank Cobram, Cobram Cinema & Barooga Aquatic and Recreation Centre

For more information please call Cobram Community House on 03 5872 2224