

Important Dates	
Mon 28th Nov – Thurs 8th Dec	Swimming Program
Wednesday 7 th December	Year 6 Graduation Dinner
Thursday 8 th December	Year 3/4 Excursion
Friday 9 th December	Presentation Day
Monday 12 th December	SRC School Disco
Tuesday 13 th December	High School Orientation Day
Wednesday 14 th December	Class Parties and Year 6 End of Year Fun Day
Thursday 15 th December	Talent Fest
Friday 16 th December	Students last day of school
Tuesday 31st January 2023	First day back for students



Principal's Report

Dear Parents and Carers

STAFFING 2023

Mr Matthew Collins, our Relieving Principal for 2023, will be visiting the school to meet with staff as soon as he can be relieved from his current school. He is also planning to meet with the P&C. Matt will also be attending one or both staff development days to work with staff around the new curriculum and the new Inclusive, Engaging and Respectful schools (IER) policies.

Miss Peake will be on leave from Barooga Public School for 2023 to take on a role at Berrigan Public School.

We are lucky to be able to offer small class sizes for next year. Our class teachers for 2023 are:

Kinder: Mrs Kennedy (4 days) Mrs McMahon (1 day) - 13 students

Year 1/2: Ms Lennox - 20 students

Year 3/4: Miss McGuinness - 20 students

Year 4/5: Mrs Crestani (3 days) Mrs Paroissien (2 days) - 20 students Year 6: Mrs Cameron (3 days) Mrs Swoffer (2 days) - 14 students

There will be some changes to classrooms. Kindergarten will move to what is currently the Year 2 room, Year 1/2 will move into the current K/1 rooms. Year 3/4 will remain in the current 3/4 room. Year 4/5 will be in the classroom adjoining the Year 6 classroom. Year 4 students for 2023 will be told which class they will be in later this week.

Please keep in mind that there could still be changes to classes, classrooms and teachers as Mr Collins may have different ideas.

PRESENTATION DAY

The families of students who are receiving an award will receive a printed invitation on Thursday, but everyone is encouraged to attend to support the school. The P&C raffles will be drawn after the formal presentations. Margie is providing a meal deal from the Canteen so that families can enjoy lunch together, so make sure you get your orders in by Thursday morning.

END OF YEAR ACTIVITIES

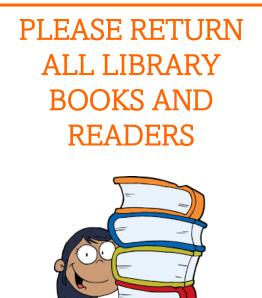
- There will be an SRC disco at school on Monday 12th December.
- Class parties and the Year 6 end of year fun day will be held in the last week on Wednesday 14th December. More details will be sent home with classroom teachers
- The Talent Fest will be held on Thursday 15th December. Mrs Cameron has given up many lunchtimes to enable the students to practice.

Wendy Davis, Relieving Principal

Our School Canteen will be closed on Class Party Day Wednesday 14th December











Barooga Public School will be having a stall at the Makers Market on Friday 9th 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.



Friday 9th December



Kids Meal Deal \$5
Hotdog
Killer Python
Prima

Adults Meal Deal \$5

Chicken, Lettuce & Cream Cheese Rol or Ham, Cheese & Lettuce Roll



Please place orders at the canteen by 9.30 Thursday 8th December





ATTENTION FAMILIES

The P & C is excitedly preparing for the Barooga Carols on Sunday 11th December.

Once again, we have been invited to run the BBQ for the event and are in need of your help. This is a big fundraiser for our committee that will allow us to make a positive contribution to our

We are asking for some lovely volunteers to help out and, as the saying goes, 'Many hands make light work'!

amazing school.

We will be organising shifts to man the BBQ between the hours of 5-9pm. If you could please spare just an hour of your time to assist it would be greatly appreciated. Please let me know as soon as possible.

> Kind Regards, Hannah Swann P & C Secretary

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Years 3-6 Supplies

As part of developing independence and organisation skills, children in Years 3-6 bring their own equipment to school. The following are items recommended to assist your child in being organised for school. Also included is an optional list for items you can bring if you wish.

Recommendations

- Pencil case
- 4x grey lead pencils
- Sharpener
- Eraser
- 30cm ruler (wood or plastic, no metal)
- Scissors
- Glue stick
- · Coloured pencils
- Textas
- · Library bag
- Headphones
- 2x blue pens (Years 4-6)
- 1x red pen (Years 4-6)
- Water bottle

Optional extras

- Highlighters (preferably yellow, pink, blue and green)
- Pair of gardening gloves (for garden lessons)
- Sunscreen (provided by the school, but if your child has allergies, please send your own)
- Small calculator (school has, but it can be handy to have your own we start developing calculator skills in later primary)
- Computer mouse (if desired)

Please make sure all items are clearly labelled with your child's name.

Throughout the year, these items often need to be restocked. Please check before school goes back each term if your child has everything they need.

Thank you

Years 3-6 Classroom Teachers