



BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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'THE BUGLE'



Term 3 – Week 10 – 2016

Message from the Principal

Dear members of the Bardia Public School community,

Another term gone and we have managed to stagger to the holidays!

Lots of wonderful things happened this term. School Camp, Athletics Carnival where Jade, Max, Blake and Toby went on to Regionals!!! (although the rain was annoying) and our Growth Mindset evening to name just a few.

This was also the term we received **our excellent NAPLAN results**. While at BPS we realise that NAPLAN is simply a “snapshot in time” of your children’s performance and says very, very little about their long term potential, the data we get from NAPLAN is quite useful to our development of teaching and learning programs.

Kathy Wyber’s presentation about **Growth Mindset** was excellent and those lucky parents who attended took away some absolutely crucial information about how they can help their children to become successful adults. It is a shame we could not have everyone know about this, because the children of those parents who do know about Growth Mindset are at a distinct advantage. Oh well! We may present this again next year.

I hope that you all have a wonderful break with your children. Stay safe!

Do you have a child starting kindergarten at Bardia Public School in 2017? Now is the time to enrol your child!

SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 21st: Term 3 Reports home

Thursday 22nd: P&C Disco 5pm-7pm

Friday 23rd: Healthy Lunch Tasting Day

Friday 23rd: End of Term

OCTOBER

Monday 10th: School Resumes

Tuesday 11th: Kindergarten orientation 9am-11am

Tuesday 18th: Kindergarten orientation 9am-11am

Tuesday 25th: Kindergarten orientation 9am-11am

Monday 17th-Friday 21st: Swimming Scheme

P&C EVENTS

(notes with more information will be sent out closer to the date)

Thursday 22nd Sept: Disco 5pm-7pm

PLEASE NOTE THE CANTEEN IS CLOSED ON MONDAYS AND FRIDAYS UNTIL WE CAN GET MORE VOLUNTEERS TO HELP.

Please ensure that you collect your child from school promptly at 3.00pm. If you are going to be late regularly, you should enrol them in our after school care facility run by Camp Australia.

Regards, Mr Moseley

SPORT NEWS

Hayden and Emily Brown competed in the 2016 Gymnastics NSW State Championships recently for trampolining at the Sydney Gymnastics and Aquatic Centre.

Emily delivered three amazing parses on the mini trampoline receiving a score of 88.100 out of 90 and was awarded the silver medal. A very good result for her first championship and competing against over 25 girls in her level, of which most were a lot older than her.

Hayden won the gold medal in trampoline with two fantastic routines and bronze in double mini trampoline and tumbling.

Congratulations to Hayden and Emily!



One of the most significant changes created by the recent introduction of the School Opal card is the need for students to tap on and off when they travel to and from school.

Opal data gathered by tapping on and off is used to determine demand for bus services. If students don't tap on and tap off, services may be cancelled due to the lack of recorded patronage.

We ask that you remind your children that tapping on and off at the beginning and end of each trip is one of the conditions of using a School Opal Card.



HUGE THANK YOU TO WOOLWORTHS INGLEBURN



Woolworths often promote healthy eating in children and were very enthusiastic about donating fruit and vegetables for Fruit and Veg Month.

Please support Woolworths Ingleburn who assisted our school community with this important program.

FROM THE OFFICE

CRAFT SESSIONS

We are running craft sessions during the lunch period. If you have any craft items you could donate (e.g. wool, knitting needles, ribbon etc.) please hand in to the office. **We are also in need of buttons.**

All donations welcome.



Mrs. White – SLSO

PLEASE BE PATIENT

You may not be aware that Ms Keen and Ms Hancock have been undergoing intensive training this term in anticipation of new computer programs being implemented into the school next term.

Please be patient whilst we navigate around these new systems.



Tissues



URGENT! We are running out!

It would be appreciated if families would pop a box of tissues into their shopping trolley next time you are shopping to build up our supply. Boxes can be sent to the office.

Thank you in anticipation.

Office staff.

School Banking



Wednesday is school banking day and students should bring in their weekly deposit to the front office before 9:00 a.m.

For every deposit made at school, no matter how big or small, students will receive a cool Dollarmites token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for a school banking reward item in recognition of their continued savings behaviour. Remember our school earns 5% commission on every deposit made (to a maximum of \$10 per individual deposit). Thank you for supporting the School Banking program at Bardia Public School.

 Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

...to serve spring salads.

Spring brings sunshine ... and salads!

A salad is a great way to enjoy a light and lovely meal packed full of veg. Enjoy as a side dish or add some lean meat, fish, cheese or hard-boiled egg and make a meal of it.

Here are five of our spring salad favourites (for full recipes go to eatittobeatit.com.au):

- Tabbouleh.
- Thai beef salad.
- Asian chicken salad.
- Basic garden salad.
- Mixed bean salad.



For more information visit www.eatittobeatit.com.au or join us at facebook.com/eatittobeatit



 Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

...to get kids in the kitchen.



Image: expohoto.com.au

Involving children in preparing meals is a great way to get them eating more fruit and veg. Kids are more likely to eat something they've helped create!

To inspire budding chefs, let your children help you shop for fruit and veg and then add the produce to meals. You can even plant some herbs or veg at home for go-to ingredients.

For more information visit www.eatittobeatit.com.au or join us at facebook.com/eatittobeatit



Library News



Well the end of term is fast approaching and the shelves again need tidying so that we again can find things. If you are able to spare an hour on Thursday afternoon (2pm- 3pm) this week it would be greatly appreciated. Afternoon tea will be provided.

Notices for overdue books will be sent out this week so you can have a good look over the holidays. I will be reminding the children to start looking for and returning their books. Also students who have no overdues will be able to borrow over the holidays

Premier's Reading Challenge

The challenge is now over with all the primary students entering their books and the infants children completing the challenge in class. The certificates will be given out later in the year.

Holiday Reading

Happy Reading!

Mrs Wyber

Growing Exceptional Children Talk

Last Wednesday night we had 18 participants attend our Growth Mindset evening. It was fantastic to see so many parents able to attend as well as teachers from a local preschool and teachers from other schools. The evening allowed everyone to learn about the latest research in helping children achieve their best and the feedback and response was very positive. We know that the evenings are very difficult for many so we will be looking to run this session again in Term 4.



P&C NEWS



Bardia Public School P & C now on Facebook

“Like” our page to keep updated on:

1. Events happening at the school such as assemblies, Easter hat parades, cake days etc;
2. Fundraising events;
3. Uniform changes and updates;
4. Canteen changes – menu, new products, opening times;
5. Play group for parents and carers with children 5 years and under.

All that and more at <https://facebook.com/ingleburnnorth>

Canteen

The canteen will be closed every Monday and Friday until further notice.

The canteen is open every other day for lunch and closes at 12pm except for Wednesday when it will be also open at recess.

A wonderful way to be part of the school community is through volunteering. We currently have some amazing volunteers in our canteen to ensure we have canteen facilities for our students. No experience necessary. If you are able to donate any of your precious time, please contact the canteen or office staff. Your children also gain a sense of pride when their parent helps at the school.



School Disco!

Thursday 22nd September 2016

5pm-7pm

Dear Parents & Carers,

The P & C will be running a fundraising disco at school on Thursday 22nd September 2016 from 5.00pm to 7.00pm. All funds raised go towards school initiatives that support the education of your child/ren.

The cost for your first child is \$8 and subsequent children are \$6 each. The cost of a family ticket for families of 4 or more children is capped at \$24. Admission price includes a slice of cheese pizza, a drink and the wonderful services of our DJ from Bop Till You Drop! Younger siblings who are not yet old enough to attend school are welcome to attend, but must be listed below and paid for as well as be accompanied by an adult for the duration of the evening.

There will be a range of other pizzas available for students/parents/carers at a cost of \$2/slice or 2 slices for \$3. We will also be selling fairy floss for \$4 and a range of glow in the dark wands/rings/bracelets etc priced between \$2.00 and \$6 each.

Please complete your information below and return to the office as soon as possible. We look forward to seeing you at this fun-filled evening!

Kind Regards, Bardia Public School P & C Committee

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Child/renNames: _____

Child/renClass/es: _____

Number of Children Attending (\$8 for first child, subsequent children \$6 each, Family of 4+ \$24):

Total Amount Enclosed: \$_____.00

Permission: I give permission for my child/ren listed above to attend the school disco on 22 September 2016 from 5pm-7pm at school.

Signed: _____

Your Name: _____ **Date:** ____/____/2016

ADVERTISEMENTS



Coming in 2017...
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- Junior Competitions and Tournaments
- Private and Group Classes

JOIN NOW for terms 1 and 2 and you will receive a **FREE** Junior Tennis Racquet (Valued at \$29.95) Limited Spaces Available.

NOW TAKING ENROLMENTS AT

- Bow Bowling Tennis Centre - 10 Carnarvon St, Bow Bowling

- Ingleburn Tennis Centre - Macquarie Fields Leisure Centre

Contact: **RICKY – 0409843403**

A huge thank you to the major donors to our school raffle - Wollongong Surf Leisure Resort and Khrome Urban Wear.



Wollongong Surf Leisure Resort offers accommodation and resort facilities right on the waters edge and is in close proximity to the Wollongong CBD.



Khrome Urban Wear is a local retailer carrying major brand headwear, clothing and accessories. They also specialise in in-house printing and embroidery. They are located at Shop 233 Level 2, Liverpool Westfield, Liverpool 8712 9692

Please support these wonderful businesses who gave so generously.

NOTICES

SIENNA Art Space

2016 Art Competition

Competition Conditions:

- **Eligibility:** The competition is open to Sienna Art Space students, Bardia Public School students and students from Western Sydney schools and preschool-aged children above 4 years.
- **Entry Fee:** There is no entry fee.
- **Open & Close Dates:** The Competition opens on Monday 12th September and all entrees must be forwarded by the 1st December, 2016. For Junior Categories, an entry form must be filled in accurately and attached to the work. For Kids 6-12yrs and Youth 13 – 18yrs, an entry form with artist statement must be filled in then attached to the back of the artwork with Bostik glue.
- Winners will be announced on December 10, 2016 and place getters published on the Sienna website – www.siennaartspace.com
- **Publishing of Finalist Work:** Finalists in each category will be published on the Sienna website and recognized by their first name and age only. Please be aware that consent for use of images of student's work is a requirement of competition entry. A parental/guardian signature should be indicated.
- **Return of Works:** Pick up of student work once the competition is completed, will be made available on Saturday 17th December, 9am – 9.30am, Bardia Public School.
- **Categories & Prizes:** There are 3 categories with corresponding ages.
Please note: 6 year olds may enter 1 category of their choice, either the Junior or Kids category. There will be 3 prizes per category: 1st prize, Highly Commended (2nd) and Commended (3rd).
Junior Category: Colour-In Competition 4 – 6 year olds.
Prizes: 1st - Sunshine Care Bear Plush Toy, 2nd – Rainbow Care Bear Plush Toy, 3rd – Pokemon Figurine Box set & Mini Figurines.
Kids Category : Design your own Pokemon or Manga Character 6 – 12 year olds.
Prizes: 1st – Paint Set Bundle, includes: Acrylic Paint set, Paint brushes, Oil sketch pad, Palette, Canvas + Pikachu Figurines Box Set, 2nd – Pokemon Primal Clash Trading Cards Suitcase Box set + Pokemon figurine, 3rd – Duo of Pokemon Figurines
Youth Category: Design your own or Manga Character 13 – 18 year olds.
Prizes: 1st – Set of 10 hand selected Copic Sketch Markers, Canson Illustration Pad for BD Manga and Comics, + Copic Swatch Book, 2nd – 2 Pokemon Figurines, 3rd – Duo of Pokemon Figurines.

More Information:

To enquire about classes and workshops, contact Erin: siennaartspace@gmail.com / 0433 944 041

PLEASE SEE THE BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL OFFICE FOR ARTWORK ENTRY

Entry Form – 2016 Art Competition

Name:

DOB:

Age:

Age Category (Circle): Juniors 4-6yrs Kids 6-12yrs Youth 13 – 18yrs

Parental Contact Details:

Name: _____ Phone Contact: _____

I give permission for my son/daughter's artwork to be published on the Sienna Website and Facebook page as a Finalist. I am aware that the child's first name only will be listed with these images, however full names of Winners and place getters will be indicated when prizes are announced.

Signature – Parent/Guardian

Date

Artist Statement

To be completed for Child and Youth Entries only. Juniors are not required to write a statement.

Name of Character (Pokemon or Manga):

Describe your character, with any important facts you'd like to mention.

Paste lightly with Bostik glue to the back of your drawing entry.

- ★ Outdoor games and sports
- ★ Arts & Crafts
- ★ Playing with friends
- ★ Great Educators
- ★ Food and Cooking
- ★ Indoor Activities



Term 3 at Bardia Public School OSHC

In week 7, we had Father's day activities and craft as the father's day was the following week, so we run different types of fathers day activities base on children's ideas and our discussion time and what they want to make as a gift for their fathers . The first days of the week we had a fathers day medals we made it out of disposable plates and then we started making a photo frame fathers day as children enjoyed using our recycle materails and cardboard to make a photo frame after they paint it with different colours as favourite. Also, we had a tie and shirt activity for fathers day as older children enjoyed helping youngest children to do it. We were all very glad to run this activity because this is reflected on children's behaviour and feelings towards their fathers and did they think of them and how valuable they are.

In week 8, the theme of the week was a Fancy Dress as we asked children to bring their costumes to the service if they have one so they can dress it up, also we had painting masks and glasses activities besides other physical activities as the weather getting really warm like handball and basketball . Also this week we explore a talent among children as some of the these children show a creative skill when they start making their favorite characters and brilliant shapes out of Lego and they are a large group. And as an educator, we always encourage children in the service and supporting their talents and work on these skills to grow it up.



If you have any questions about the program – please feel free to drop by, meet the team and see what happens in after school care first hand.

We look forward to seeing you soon.
The Camp Australia Team.

Program Details

To find out more about our program, view fees and to register visit www.campastralia.com.au