



# BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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9605 2459

## 'THE BUGLE'



Term 4 – Week 6 – 2017

### Message from the Principal

Dear members of the Bardia Public School community,

**Greenacre Tragedy:** On behalf of the Bardia Public School community I offer my saddest condolences to the Banksia Road Primary School community. Our thoughts and prayers go out to all those affected by this awful occurrence, in particular to the families of the two little boys who lost their lives, but also to the poor mother who caused the accident. Sadly, for the rest of her life she will have this awful event on her conscience.

This event is a stark reminder to us all that we must be extremely careful when children are anywhere near moving vehicles. This is why we have banned parents entering our two small staff car parks.

**BPS Rebuild** – Yes, you guessed it, another delay. I “think” the rebuild will now commence in the next two weeks, or so. I will inform you by note home soon.

When that *eventually* happens, we will be offering parents another possibility: for any students who live in the Ingleburn area there is a public bus, the 869, which stops outside our school, on the other side of Macdonald Road (opposite my office). Each afternoon any student wishing to catch this bus is to wait near the entrance to the Admin Office. A teacher will escort these children across the road at the crossing and wait with them until the bus arrives at approximately 3.07pm. You can then arrange to meet your children at any point along this route – thus avoiding the chaos around BPS!

Catching this bus **to** school is also a safe option because in the morning the 869 drops passengers on the school side of Macdonald Road.

### **NOVEMBER**

Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> :	Kindy Orientation 9:00am-11:00am
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> :	Assembly – All Welcome 2:00pm
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> :	Kindy Orientation 9:00am-11:00am
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> :	Zone Presentation Night 6pm
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	School Spectacular Excursion

### **DECEMBER**

Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> :	<b>PRESENTATION DAY – All Welcome – Starts at 11.45am</b>
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> :	Combined Scripture – 1pm
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> :	Year 6 Farewell
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> :	Bardia's Got Talent
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> :	Student reports sent home
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> :	Years 3-6 Author Day
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> :	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

### CANTEEN

**THE CANTEEN WILL BE CLOSED EVERY TUESDAY UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

We require extra volunteers to be on call. If you are able to help, please contact the office and leave your details.

UNIFORM SHOP IS OPEN EVERY

MONDAY MORNING

### FRIENDS OF BARDIA

Friends of Bardia will meet on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> December at 6pm in the library – All Welcome

Fundraising provides your children laptops, tablets and air-conditioned classrooms! Your help is appreciated!

### **Disclaimer:**

Bardia Public School does not endorse any product or services advertised in this newsletter.

**Is your child leaving Bardia Public School at the end of 2017? Please let us know ASAP!**

**Please do not enter the small staff car park near the admin building.**

**Please do not enter the small staff car park near the hall.**

**Please remember that you must be here at 3.00pm each afternoon to collect your child.** There is no afternoon supervision provided. If you are going to be late regularly you should enrol your child in our After School Care. If there is an emergency and you will be unavoidably late, please ring the school before 3.00pm and inform the office staff.

Mr B. Moseley  
Principal



Children get a sense of pride when their parent helps at the school.

One of our amazing parent helpers is moving interstate. Melanie Harris has been embroidering our student uniforms this year.

Without a parent volunteer we will be unable to continue this invaluable service. It helps you .... no more lost clothing!

It is very simple – the machine does it all. You can choose a day that best suits you. It takes about an hour on average – with some weeks nothing at all.

Melanie is happy to train a few parents up so that it can be shared around. If you are happy to give it a try, see the office ladies.

From the beginning of 2018 the Bardia Public School uniform will be stocked in the retail shop Skool Uniforms Pty Ltd in Ingleburn. They will also be continuing the service at the school site on Monday mornings. As the uniforms will be sold through a private business the cost on uniforms will be rising.

If you wish to purchase uniforms at the current price, please purchase before the end of this year.



# Sport News

A number of Bardia students participated in a water polo 'Come and Try' day on October 25<sup>th</sup>.

**Congratulations** to the following students who were selected to be part of the SSW water polo team:

Jorja Smith

Christina Kelly

Ilori Platten

Kayla Nguyen

Kristyn Nguyen


Blake Bolwell

Hayden Brown



These students are participating in a gala day today. We hope you had an enjoyable day!

Mrs Parker

 SunSmart Snippet


## The simplest way

...to be a good role model!

**Did you know?**  
Researchers, parents and teachers know that children imitate adult behaviour. That's why role modelling sun protection is so important!

**How you can be a role model:**


- **Slip** on clothing which covers as much skin as possible.
- **Slop** on 30+ broad-spectrum, water-resistant sunscreen.
- **Slap** on a broad brimmed, legionnaires or bucket hat.
- **Slide** on some wrap-around sunglasses.
- **Seek** shade when outdoors.



Don't forget – when the UV reaches 3, we protect against UV! You and your kids can check the UV level together by downloading the SunSmart app!

**Set a positive example and your kids will follow your lead!**

To help keep your kids safe in the sun, check your schools SunSmart status by heading to [www.sunsmartnsw.com.au](http://www.sunsmartnsw.com.au)



 Nutrition Snippet


## The simplest way

...to add Spring produce to your menu.

Adding seasonal produce to your weekly menu not only tastes better, but buying fruit and veg in season can be up to 35% cheaper than other times of year.

Here are four easy ways to add more Spring vegies and fruit to your day:

- **Add some legumes** – add chickpeas to your salad, stir kidney beans through your bolognaisse sauce, add canned lentils to your sausage roll mix.
- **Put vegie sticks in every lunch box** – carrots are super cheap in Spring, cut them into sticks and pack them with a small container of hummus.
- **Roast vegies and use in sandwiches** – roasted pumpkin and zucchini are delicious on wholegrain bread.
- **Make fruit salad cups** – cut up some strawberry, apple and rockmelon and put in a cup for a sweet, tasty treat.



For more information visit [www.eatittoBeatit.com.au](http://www.eatittoBeatit.com.au) or join us at [facebook.com/eatittoBeatit](https://www.facebook.com/eatittoBeatit)



# Library News

Hi everyone,

As the year is rushing to an end, I am continually motivating students to bring their library bags. We have a class reward system. So if you have an opportunity to remind your child about their library bag look below for their class's library day.



## Class Library Sessions

All classes have library for 1 x 30 minutes session a week. Students can borrow at lunch time and I am available for parent and students borrowing at school pick up time. Here are the days for each class to bring their library bag and borrow.

**Monday- KA, 1/2S & 1/2L**

**Tuesday- 1G & KK**

**Wednesday- 5/6M, 2/3L, KM & K/1W**

**Thursday- 5/6L, 4/5M, 3/4D & 3/4P**

## Presentation Day Book Sale 7<sup>th</sup> December

This year on presentation day we will be having a **buy one get one free sale** in the library through Scholastic Book Fairs. This will not be open to the children! Only parents and for presentation day only.

So that the library also benefits from this sale, you take the first buy one, get one free and then your second buy one and get one free is donated to the library.

When we did this sale a couple of years ago many parents found it was a great opportunity to do some **Christmas shopping**.

## Are you considering returning to work?

Volunteering in the library or at the school is a wonderful way to gain experience and confidence when considering returning to the workforce after being at home with small children. In the library alone over the past 14 years 12 parents have successfully returned to employment in various settings from the experience they gained while volunteering. If you feel this may be right for you, come and have a chat with me. The times to help are completely up to you.

*Happy Reading ☺*

*Mrs Kathy Wyber  
Teacher Librarian*



# UnitingCare Burnside Christmas Giving Tree



This year, the staff and students have decided to once again support UnitingCare Burnside's Christmas Giving Tree.

UnitingCare Burnside works directly with families in need in the Macarthur area. Their Brighter Futures program targets families experiencing problems that impact on their ability to care for their children. UnitingCare currently have over 180 children who need our help to ensure they receive a Christmas gift this year.

If you would like to support one of these families in need, we are now taking donations of new toys and gifts for girls and boys up to age 13. The gifts do not need to be expensive but they must be new. All gifts collected will go directly to targeted families working with UnitingCare in our local area.

Once you have purchased your gift, please place it in a gift bag or leave it unwrapped, and attach the gift tag to the present indicating the age group it is suitable for. Students can then place the present under the Christmas tree located in the office. Extra gift tags are also available at the office.

Some suggested gift ideas include: toys, games, colouring in and reading books, sporting equipment, puzzles, art and craft supplies.

Please place all gifts under the Christmas tree by Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December to enable them to be collected by UnitingCare and distributed before Christmas.

Thank you for your support of this worthy charity and in helping to bring the Christmas spirit to needy children in the Macarthur district.

Miss Lewis - Assistant Principal



## 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.



All donations welcome.

We would like to give a huge thankyou to everyone who has already donated.

Mrs. White – SLSO



### 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.

## Tissues



**URGENT!** We have run 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.



## LOST PROPERTY

We have a quite a number of uniform items in lost property with no names. If your child has lost clothing that does not have their name on it but you feel you would recognise it, please go through the lost property (located in the canteen). **Next week any unclaimed items will be washed and sold as second hand items or distributed to charity.**



PLEASE NOTE WE HAVE HAD SEVERAL INCIDENTS OF HEAD LICE. **THEY ARE PREVALENT AT THIS TIME OF YEAR.**

PLEASE BE VIGILENT WITH CHECKING YOUR CHILD'S HAIR EVERY DAY AND TREAT APPROPRIETLY.

## Bardia Public School Canteen Menu

Summer 2017

Sandwiches ( Available on White or Wholemeal Bread)	
Spreads Vegemite, Jam or Honey*	\$1.60
Cheese	\$1.80
Ham	\$2.20
Tuna*	\$2.20
Chicken	\$2.50
Salad (Lettuce, tomato, cucumber, carrot, beetroot)	\$3.00
Salad with Ham or Chicken	\$3.50
Crispy Chicken Wrap with Lettuce & Mayo*	\$3.50

Extras-	
Mayo	20c
Lettuce, Beetroot, Carrot, Tomato & Cucumber (each item)	30c
Cheese slice	30c
Toasted	50c
Bread Roll or Wrap	50c

Hot Food	
Fish Fingers	40c
Dino snacks	50c
Chicken Chippies	50c
Chicken Nuggets	50c
Corn on a Cob	\$1.00
Hash Brown	\$1.00
Sausage Roll	\$2.50
Chicken & Corn Roll	\$1.50
Lasagne	\$3.00
Mac & Cheese	\$3.00
Pizza - Margerita/ BBQ Chicken	\$3.00
Meat Pie *	\$3.30
Travelers Pie	\$3.00
Sausage Roll *	\$2.50
Tomato or BBQ Sauce Packet	20c
<b>FRIDAY ONLY - Sushi (Chicken / Tuna)</b>	<b>\$2.50</b>

Burgers	
Beef or Chicken* with lettuce, tomato mayo or sauce	\$3.30
Cheese extra	\$0.30

Snacks	
Breadstick	20c
Apple Slinky	50c
Fruit Cup	50c
Popcorn	60c
Jumpys ( Chicken / Salt / Vinegar)	\$1.00
Jelly Cup	\$1.00
Red Rock Deli- Honey Soy Chicken	\$1.20
Plain Chips	\$1.20

Ice Blocks	
Zooper Dooper	50c
Suprise	50c
Moosies	\$1.00
Frozen Yoghurt	\$2.00

Drinks	
Water 250ml	60c
Water 600ml	\$1.00
Juice Poppers (orange, apple & blackcurrent, apple)	60c
Milk (Strawberry & Chocolate)	\$1.20
Quench (Apple Rasp, Blue Haven, Cola, Lemonade)	\$1.50
Up & Go (Strawberry, Vanilla, Choc)	\$1.80

**No food from Outside can be re-heated**

\* = Halal (All Chicken products are halal)

**WHEN ORDERING PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR NAME & CLASS** Please let us know the type of bread you would like and if you want butter. If your child has any special dietary requirements please let any of the canteen staff know. We always looking for volunteers if you are interested please call 9605 2459

**BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL**

**UNIFORM ORDER FORM**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

ITEM	PRICE	SIZE	QUANTITY	AMOUNT	Embroidered Student's name included
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G= girls only    B = boys only    G/B = boys and girls

<b>Polo Shirts Blue/Yellow Stripe (G/B)</b>					
Sizes 4,6,8,10,12,14y,16y	<b>\$22.00</b>				
Sizes 14s, 16m	<b>\$25.00</b>				
<b>Royal Polar Fleece Jumper (G/B)</b>					<b>YES</b>
Sizes 4,6,8,10,12,14y,16y	<b>\$27.00</b>				
Sizes 14s, 16m	<b>\$30.00</b>				
<b>Bomber Jackets (G/B)</b>					<b>YES</b>
Sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16	<b>\$35.00</b>				
<b>Dress Uniform (G)</b>					
Sizes 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16	<b>\$60.00</b>				
<b>Skorts (G) used for sport</b>					
Sizes 4,6,8,10,12,14y,16y	<b>\$18.00</b>				
<b>Blue Shorts Microfibre Style (B)</b>					
Sizes 3,4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16	<b>\$15.00</b>				
<b>Blue Shorts Rugby Knit Style (B)</b>					
Sizes 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16	<b>\$15.00</b>				
<b>Track Pants with Cuffs (B)</b>					
Sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16	<b>\$16.00</b>				
<b>Track Pants Straight Leg (B)</b>					
Sizes 8, 10, 12, 14, 16	<b>\$16.00</b>				
<b>Jazz Pants (G) worn during Term 2 and 3 only</b> <i>Please note that girls may wear navy blue tights with the dress in winter and NOT purchase the jazz pants</i>					
Sizes 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16	<b>\$18.00</b>				
<b>Navy Tights (G)</b>					
Sizes 4-6, 7-10, 11-14	<b>\$10.00</b>				
<b>School Hats (G/B)</b>					<b>YES</b>
Bucket Hat XS, S, M, L, XL	<b>\$10.00</b>				
<b>Sports Uniform (G/B)</b>					
Football / Soccer socks	<b>\$9.00</b>				

<b>Total Amount Due</b>	<b>\$</b>
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**ALL THE ABOVE ITEMS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE SCHOOL CANTEEN**

**UNIFORM SHOP OPERATING HOURS – MONDAY MORNINGS**

**PRICES CURRENT AS AT TERM 2 2017**



# NOTICES



The school is a member of the Amart All Sports Community Kickbacks Program. Customers of Amart All Sports can elect Bardia Public School to receive credits against purchases made.

You will need to join the Amart All Sports Team Amart Loyalty Program and nominate Bardia Public School as your “Relevant Participating Club or School”.

You will receive a loyalty program card which must be swiped or selected when purchasing goods in store or on-line in order for the school to accrue credits. Once the school’s credits reach \$2000 (ex GST) within a 12 month period the school will receive a 5% store credit (\$100).

This is a convenient way for the school to acquire sporting equipment for the benefit of all our students.

Bardia Public School  
Initiated by Bardia Public School P & C Association

## 2018 Scholarship Application

### Specific Criteria:

Applicant must be between 7 – 17yrs: with

- Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent and/or
- Experiencing Financial difficulty

### Instructions:

- Complete form with Guardian & seek a Principal Signature.
- Applicant to fill in questionnaire.
- Submit 2 original artworks as JPEG images to support application.

Please read the *Conditions for the Scholarship Award* attached.

Completed application may be:

Emailed to [siennaartspace@gmail.com](mailto:siennaartspace@gmail.com) or posted to:

Erin Muir, Sienna Art Space, PO BOX 1129 Ingleburn, NSW 2565.

SIENNA  
Art Space

Children – Youth – Adults

## Applicant's Information

Full Name			
Address			
Suburb		Postcode	
Guardian's Full Name		Guardian's Mobile	
Email			

## Guardian's Signature Required

Please read the following: [Place a tick]

- I have read with my child and am aware of the Sienna Art Space Conditions for Scholarship Award.
- I verify that all responses and both artworks are the applicant's own work.

Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## Principal's Signature Required

Thank you for taking the time to recommend your student as a support in art education.

Please read the following: [Place a tick]

- I recommend this student as suitable for the following scholarship based on their commitment and interest in visual art.
- I verify that this student meets the specific criteria of the award as indicated above.

Principal's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## For Office Use only

Date Received	
Applicant's Guardian contacted	

## Questionnaire for Applicant

Please write answers to following questions. Good luck!

**1. Why I love art:**

**2. What are your interests & what would you like to learn further about art?**

**3. What would this Scholarship mean to you?**

Please read the following: [Place a tick]

- I declare I have written these answers by myself and to the best of my ability.
- I declare I have created the two artworks submitted and they are all my own work.

**Applicant's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Conditions of 2018 Scholarship Award

Please read carefully before submission.

SIENNA  
Art Space  
Children – Youth – Adults

### Criteria & Eligibility for Award

To be eligible for the Award, applicants must meet the below criteria, with both guardian signature and principal verification.

The applicant must be:

- Aged between 7 – 17yrs
- Be of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent and/or experiencing financial difficulty.

The applicant's responses and artworks will be taken into consideration towards arriving at an Award Recipient. There is only one scholarship across 7 – 17 yrs.

Responses and artworks must be the work of the Applicant.

### Application Process

#### Instructions:

- Complete form with Guardian Signature & seek a School Principal's Signature.
- Applicant to fill in questionnaire.
- Submit 2 original artworks as JPEG images to support application.

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### Dates & Award Announcement

Applications will be available from Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October with Submissions closing on January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Application forms need to be downloaded from the Enrol page of the Sienna Art Space website as a PDF file.

The Scholarship Award Recipient will be notified, along with unsuccessful applicants by January 20<sup>th</sup>. The Scholarship Award Recipient will be contacted and announced on the Sienna Art Space Website and Facebook page on January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018, prior to Term 1 commencement.

### Other information

The Scholarship Award is for tuition in a regular Studio Class in Drawing and Painting (either Studio Kids 7 – 12 yrs OR Studio Teens 13 – 18yrs) for 4 full terms during 2018. The Scholarship Award is not transferrable and may not be deferred to a later year. All other **Conditions of Enrolment for Studio Classes** apply to ensure a safe, fair and positive environment for all.

### Privacy

All contact information is confidential. Information supplied to Sienna Art Space will not be disclosed outside of the school.



## GREAT FUN

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



### Term 4 week 4 & 5 at Bardia Public School OSHC

Dear Camp Australia families,

As all of you aware of the relocating of the service, to the school library, so from last Thursday week 4 camp Australia starts operating before and after school care from there until further notice.

Always as a camp Australia team, we are aiming to build a strong relationship between staff and children by share decisions with them and offer suggestions as well as get their feedback. Now and after a week in the library, on last Thursday we held a discussion time with both morning and afternoon children regarding how they are coping with the relocating OSHC service to the school library. Most of the children were happy to move out to the school library and also they shared their thoughts, feelings, emotions as well as feedback on how they like the new OSHC room. Children have also offered suggestions on how we can overcome the issues that we have here. It was very lovely to hear those feedbacks from children. Also, as OSHC team, we are welcome in parents feedbacks and suggestions. So please don't hesitate to contact us or talk to us in person and drop off your suggestions.

### Term 4 Tcaf Program

In the past two weeks children had been through the second part of the Tcaf activity term 4 as we learnt about Earthquakes and what causes . Also, we have been through part 3 of Tcaf and it was about Creating handmade gifts for children in Nepal by decorating on A1 paper sheet a very lovely picture about the most popular Australian animals. Children were very encouraged to work on it and they were very keen to make the picture reflecting the wildlife of Australia and also showing the greeny side of our country.

Tcaf organization going to scan all the services pictures and print them out to create a 12 books about Australia to send it through to primary schools children in Nepal as a Christmas gift.

Beside all of these activities week 5 was a sport week and children had a lovely outdoor activities like Bull-rush, soccer, hand ball, and beside all of these they had some sports competitions.

Also 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](http://www.campastralia.com.au)

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