



# BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## 'THE BUGLE'



Term 1 – Week 7 – 2017

### Message from the Principal

Dear members of the Bardia Public School community,

**Friends of Bardia (FOB) - Canteen** so far has been a huge success. The canteen is now open Monday to Friday. Thank you, thank you, thank you to all those wonderful volunteers! We always need more though so please let Kelly Zeeman know if you would like to volunteer. Kelly is the Friends of Bardia admin officer who works in the admin office on Fridays.

**FOB - Term One Fundraising Committee:** We had only four fantastic mums volunteer for fundraising. Because of the small number we have cancelled the Mother's Day Stall (a long held tradition at BPS). At this stage, the Easter Hat Parade Raffle and BBQ are going ahead. Please donate as much as you can spare in the way of Easter treats to go into the raffle baskets. Just give the treats to your child to place in the class basket.

It's not too late to help out with fundraising. Please let Kelly know if you can donate a couple of hours. Many hands make light work!

**ALERT! The date for the first Friends of Bardia Meeting is Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March in the library at 6.00pm. We will discuss the Friends of Bardia Constitution (just brainstorming ideas at this stage). You will have an update on how canteen, fundraising and the uniform shop are going. A financial statement will be displayed for your information. I will give you an update on the teaching and learning aspects of BPS – stuff that parents and carers rarely get to hear about.**

### **MARCH**

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup>: **SWS Swimming Finals**

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>: **FRIENDS of BARDIA MEETING 6.00pm**

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup>: **ASSEMBLY All Welcome (2.10pm)**

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup>: **ASSEMBLY All Welcome (2.10pm)**

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup>: **Harmony Day**

### **APRIL**

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup>: **PARENT / TEACHER NIGHT**

Friday 7<sup>th</sup>: **EASTER HAT PARADE & SAUSAGE SIZZLE**

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April LAST DAY of TERM**

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April FIRST DAY of TERM 2**

### **CANTEEN IS NOW OPEN EVERY DAY**

**See roster attached.**

Thank you to all those wonderful parents who have volunteered their valuable time to run this vital service.

We still require volunteers to come on board to help. Please contact the office and leave your details.

### **UNIFORM SHOP IS OPEN EVERY MONDAY**

#### **MORNING**

If it were not for fundraising your children would not have 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.

# **BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL**

## *Code of Conduct Required of Parents, Carers & Other Persons on School Grounds*

This Code of Conduct exists as a reminder to all that students, staff, parents and other visitors are not to be subjected to behaviours that wound their feelings, or arouse anger, resentment, disgust or outrage.

Schools should be places where students, staff, parents and visitors feel safe and happy. Ensuring that our school remains a pleasant and safe place for everyone is the responsibility of all who enter the school grounds.

Parents, carers and visitors to the school are expected to:

1. Treat all persons associated with the school with respect and courtesy
2. Allow staff to investigate and to manage all issues involving student behaviour and under no circumstances approach other parent(s), carer(s) or child(ren) about such issues
3. Allow staff, during all school activities, including carnivals, discos and concerts, etc., to manage student behaviour without interference
4. Make complaints about the school, staff or students to an Assistant Principal or the Principal only, never to the parent, carer, child or teacher concerned
5. Where possible make appointments in advance. If this is not possible please be aware that teachers will be unable to speak to you immediately before, immediately after or at any time during class or other duties
6. Ensure children are punctual to class
7. Leave the grounds when requested
8. Follow school procedures governing entry and behaviour on school grounds, including any restrictions that may be imposed.

Should a parent, carer, or visitor fail to abide by this Code of Conduct the Principal has the authority to employ the *Inclosed Lands Protection Act (1901)*, whereby the individual(s) concerned will not be permitted to enter the school grounds or attend school functions. This is most likely should an individual engage in the following:

- Cause physical assaults to, or threaten with physical assaults, students, staff, parents or community members at the school or during the course of school activities
- Behave in a manner in the presence of students, staff, parents or other visitors to the school that causes alarm or concern
- Use offensive language (i.e. swearing)
- Interrupt the learning environment of the school, such as by entering classrooms without permission
- Enter the school site without permission or legitimate reason

**NOTE: INDIVIDUALS NOT ADHERING TO THE INCLOSED LANDS ACT MAY BE SUBJECT TO IMMEDIATE ARREST. PENALTIES FOR PHYSICALLY ASSAULTING DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND COMMUNITIES STAFF ARE EQUAL TO THOSE FOR ASSAULTING A POLICE OFFICER (UP TO 7 YEARS IMPRISONMENT).**

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### **Tell Them From Me Survey**

For more information on Tell Them From me Survey go to:

[http://surveys.cese.nsw.gov.au/images/TTFM Student Survey FAQs Parent and Carers T12017.pdf](http://surveys.cese.nsw.gov.au/images/TTFM%20Student%20Survey%20FAQs%20Parent%20and%20Carers%20T12017.pdf)

**The inaugural *Friends of Bardia Meeting* will be held on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March at 6.00pm in the library.**

Everyone is very welcome to come along and hear about the latest developments at their child's school.

A financial statement of money raised through fundraising will be presented to parents and carers.

We will also develop a democratic constitution for the *Friends of Bardia*. In other words we will allow majority rule to decide how we go about the following:

1. The purpose of Friends of Bardia
2. The roles of its members
3. The legal status of its volunteers
4. Financial reporting to its members
5. How money raised from fundraising is to be spent
6. Procedures for parents to present ideas
7. How Friends of Bardia deals with contentious issues
8. The role of the Principal and staff of BPS
9. Other

PLEASE GET INVOLVED IN YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL – WE NEED **YOU!**

**Please make a contribution to your child's education.** The voluntary fee we ask for is \$45 for an individual child and \$70 for two or more children. Granted, this is not very much compared to private schools' ridiculous fees; however, this small amount of money is VERY important to our being able to provide your child the latest and the best educational resources. Please help us to help your children!

**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 and inform the office staff.

## BPS CANTEEN ROSTER Term 1 2017

Term One	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT SUN
1	23 January Holidays	24 January Holidays	25 January Holidays	26 January Australia Day Public Holiday	27 January SDD Eastern Division	28 29 Jan
2	30 January	31 January	1 February	2 February	3 February	4 5 Feb
3	6 February	7 February	8 February	9 February L Smith A Ugwu H Bettison	10 February A Yusuf F Najjar K Sealby E McKay A Najjar	11 12 Feb
4	13 February	14 February	15 February <b>Swimming Carnival</b>	16 February <b>Captain's Assembly</b> L Smith & Family	17 February TBA after training <b>Canteen will be open.</b>	18 19 Feb
5	20 February F. Najjar A. Najjar M. Harris	21 February E. Wright K. Sealby	22 February J. McWilliam S. Francis	23 February L. Smith & Family	24 February H. Bettison E. Wright K. Sealby	25 26 Feb
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Hols	10 April	11 April	12 April	13 April	14 April Good Friday	15 16 Apr
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## 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.



### 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.



## LOST PROPERTY

We have 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) within the next two weeks. Any unclaimed items will be washed and sold as second hand items on Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> April 2017 (Easter Hat Parade).



## LUNCH ORDERS

When ordering lunch for your child please ensure you write your child's name, class and order clearly on a paper lunch bag. It is also important to write any specific requirements e.g. no butter etc.



### The simplest way

...to protect your skin.

Almost all skin cancers are preventable by reducing exposure of skin to ultraviolet (UV) radiation.

**Did you know?**  
UV radiation causes damage when the level reaches 3 or above. Even though we cannot feel UV radiation it can still be damaging on cooler or cloudy days.

**Stay protected!**  
Protect your skin from damage when UV levels reach 3 and above by:

- Downloading the SunSmart app or check the online widget ([www.sunsmart.com.au/uv-protection/uvuv-widget](http://www.sunsmart.com.au/uv-protection/uvuv-widget)) to discover the daily UV rating.
- If the UV rating is 3 or above, use sun protection.


**Slip Slop Slap Seek Slide**



Protect yourself in five ways from skin cancer

Minimise your time outside from 11am – 3pm (DST) from October through to March.

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





### The simplest way

...to make packing lunches easy.

School is back in session after an extended holiday and packing lunches is again on the household to-do list.

Make the task easy with *Eat It To Beat It's* inspiration and ideas for healthy lunch boxes.

Why not try this combination:

- \*Lebanese bread with beef kofta and tabbouleh;
- \*Tzatziki;
- \*Cheese sticks;
- \*Chopped watermelon and blueberries;
- \*Water.



For more ideas and recipes check out the [eatittobeatit.com.au](http://eatittobeatit.com.au) "for parents" section.

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



# Library News

Well library is off and running with most of the children borrowing. I do have the policy that if children want to borrow for home they must have a library bag. I have found over the years that having a library bag ensures the students bring their books back. It does not need to be fancy or expensive, just a cloth bag with their name on it.



## Chess Club

Chess club will begin again on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> half of lunch. This is open to all students, regardless of age. I will be spending the next few weeks teaching how to play chess.



The Friday afternoon competition with the NSW primary chess competition begins in the second term and teams are being developed over the next week. This competition is out of school hours and run and supervised by the parents. If your child is interested please ask them to collect a note this week. If you are seeking more information about this competition please check the website [www.nswjcl.org.au](http://www.nswjcl.org.au)

## Educational Websites

All students are given an email address through the Department of Education. They can access this address and other department approved sites and games by;

Going to the department website <https://www.det.nsw.edu.au/>

On the right hand side click on **DET internet access and email**

On the right hand side again click on the green link **Student Portals**

From here they will need to type in their user name and password.

If you have any problems accessing this site please contact me at school on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday.



## Cyber Safety Workshop for Parents

At the beginning of each year we teach the students about cyber safety. This year we are offering a workshop to help parents keep their children safe online. You will learn what the most dangerous activity is for students online and how to protect them. We will explain department policies on cyber bullying and how to report as well as how to set up parental controls on your computer and where to find help. This is not just for parents of older children!

**When:** Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> March

**Time:** 6pm- 7:30pm

**RSVP Office:** 9605 2459 7<sup>th</sup> March

*Happy Reading!*

*Kathy Wyber*

*Teacher/Librarian*

## **Anzac Day Week 1 Term 2**

In the first week of **Term 2** our school will hold a community assembly to commemorate ANZAC Day. A number of guests will be joining us for this important occasion and parents are most welcome as well.

It will be held at 11.30 am on Thursday 27th April. Morning tea will be served after the ceremony in the library. Please feel free to come along and join in on this special day.

The students are requested to bring a small posy of flowers to place near the flagpole as a tribute during the ceremony.

If you would like your child to place a cross in the rose garden to remember a war veteran from your family please fill out form below and return it by the end of Term 1. If your child participated in this part of the ceremony last year I already have their details.

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War Veteran's full name \_\_\_\_\_

War they served \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Parent contact details \_\_\_\_\_



# Bardia Public School Canteen Menu

Summer 2017

Sandwiches ( Available on White or Wholemeal Bread)	
Spreads Vegemite, Jam or Honey*	\$1.60
Cheese	\$1.80
Egg and Lettuce	\$2.20
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	10c
Lettuce, Beetroot, Carrot, Tomato & Cucumber (each item)	30c
Cheese slice	30c
Toasted	50c
Bread Roll or Wrap	50c

Hot Food	
Fish Fingers (limit 10)*	40c
Dino snacks (limit 10)*	50c
Chicken Chippies (limit 10)*	50c
Corn on a Cob	50c
Hash Brown	\$1.00
Sausage Roll	\$2.50
Lasagne	\$2.80
Mac & Cheese	\$2.80
Pizza - Margerita/ BBQ Chicken	\$3.00
Meat Pie *	\$3.30
Tomato or BBQ Sauce Packet	.20c

Burgers	
Beef or Chicken* with mayo or sauce	\$3.00
With Lettuce, Cheese, mayo or sauce	\$3.30
With Lettuce Tomato and mayo or sauce	\$3.60

(Extras can be added view sandwiches)

Snacks	
Breadstick	10c
Apple Slinky	50c
Fruit Cup	50c
Popcorn	60c
Jumpys ( Chicken)	\$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
Paddle Pop	\$1.50
Frozen Yoghurt	\$1.50

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

No food from Outside can be re-heated

\* = 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





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

# NOTICES

The graphic features a large, vibrant photograph of a modern residential development with multiple levels, balconies, and lush greenery. People are depicted walking, sitting on benches, and interacting in the communal spaces. Overlaid on the top left is the word 'INVITATION' in a small, bold, sans-serif font. Below it, the main title 'EDMONDSON PARK TOWN CENTRE' is written in large, white, bold, sans-serif capital letters. Underneath the title, 'COMMUNITY OPEN DAY.' is written in white, bold, sans-serif capital letters on a red rectangular background. In the top right corner, the 'FRASERS PROPERTY' logo is displayed, consisting of a stylized red and white icon followed by the company name. Below the logo, the tagline 'The difference is real' is written in a smaller, black, sans-serif font. At the bottom right of the photograph, a small white box contains the text: '\*Artist's impression of "residential precinct mews" based on the Public Domain Plan'.

INVITATION

## EDMONDSON PARK TOWN CENTRE

### COMMUNITY OPEN DAY.

FRASERS  
PROPERTY

The difference is real

\*Artist's impression of "residential precinct mews" based on the Public Domain Plan

Join us at the Ingleburn Military Heritage Precinct to learn more about the vision for Edmondson Park Town Centre, and to meet our design team.

This is a great opportunity to ask questions, view the latest plans for the site and share your ideas for building a strong community at Edmondson Park Town Centre.

**Place:** Ingleburn Military Heritage Precinct

**Date and time:** Saturday, 11 March, anytime between 11am – 2pm

**Address:** Campbelltown Road, Edmondson Park

**Parking:** Off Allen Avenue

**Drop in anytime between 11am and 2pm on Saturday, 11 March.**

## Girls' Brigade

This is an invitation for your daughter to join a local Girls' Brigade. Your closest Girls' Brigade Company is at **Ingleburn Baptist Church**.

Your daughter would be welcome to join in the many activities, Christian teaching, camps and outings.

Please contact NSW Brigade House on 02 9896 7255 or visit Girls' Brigade website [www.gbnsw.org](http://www.gbnsw.org) or your local company Trudie on 9921 4247 or Chris on 9603 2585.

Tuesday Nights

6.30pm – 8.30pm



## GREAT FUN

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



### Term 1 week 4 and 5 at Bardia Public School OSHC service

**In week 4,** We had a range of sport activities, as the children enjoyed the rest of summer with their favourite sport activities and competitions like racing, cricket, soccer and etc.

Also, we continuing in our leadership and welcome program, children in the service were very excited for the new leadership program as they got this time a Camp Australia wrist band as an ID for them as leaders and they became aware about the leader's role and responsibilities.

Regarding the welcome program, this program that commences in Term 1 and offers a range of welcome activities to help children and families feel 'at home' in each service. It also provides lots of opportunities for children to learn from each other and build self-confidence through our Leadership Program .children over those two weeks been really encouraged to get to know each other's culture, languages, traditions and coins. It also reflected on children's understand and awareness of the diversity in our community.

**In week 5,** again we are celebrating the seasons and this time we had autumn. It was a great experience for children to learn a lot about the seasons and weather variations. Children learned through this week and they got answers about weather and the reasons behind the falling leaves in this season in particular. Also, they had outdoor experience as they collected the dry leaves to create a craft and activities like autumn pictures and other activities.

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)