Principal’s News

Tuesday 26 July 2016

A warm welcome back to Term 3 to all our students and members of our school community. We hope that you are refreshed and keen for the positive and busy term of activities ahead.

Learning Labs

During the school vacation, many of our students attended the University of Wollongong Learning Labs at the Hanging Rock campus working on a diverse range of projects including – physics, mathematics, French, 3D modelling, Vietnam, stage production and many others.

The staff from the University were most impressed with the focus and interest of the students involved. Well done Blade, Elliot, Maya, Bethany, Charlie, Gretel, Kai, Katie, Laila and Shannon.

ICAS Exams

We recently received the results from the ICAS University of NSW Digital Technologies competition and the ICAS Science competition.

In the Digital Technologies competition, Shannon Wade received a High Distinction placing him in the top 1% of the entrants for this international competition. Super effort Shannon!

In the Science competition, Oliver Dyason received a certificate of Credit while Hugh Lassau and Shannon Wade both received a Distinction. Well done boys.

The ICAS English competition will be held on Tuesday 2nd August.

Sporting Skills Programs

Over the course of Term 2, many students have been participating in the Sporting Skills Program which has involved coaching in a variety of sports, as well as the Premier’s Sporting Challenge which has been promoting fitness and activity with our students. The organisation for these activities has been coordinated by Mrs Morgan, and I thank her for her interest and effort in making these programs run successfully.
Parking
Parking in the bus bay before school and in the afternoon prior to school departure has been an issue in recent times, as has the illegal dropping off of students in the no stopping zone immediately outside the front gate. In the interest of safety for all students, we would ask that all families please follow the parking and stopping directions in the school precinct.

Department of Health
Yesterday, all students were given a note from the Department of Health regarding a confirmed case of whooping cough. If you did not receive this from your child please refer to the copy in this Scoop. Further enquiries should be directed to the Department of Health website or the Public Health Unit phone number 1300 066 055.

District Athletics Carnival
We hope that all of our students attending the District Athletics carnival at Surfside on Friday have an opportunity to give it their best and have some fun. We look forward to hearing about your day. (Attached to this Scoop is the “Order of Track Events” for the day.)

Winter Uniform Girls & Boys
A reminder that the correct winter uniform is:
- Bottle green long pants (not black tights)
- Red Sloppy Joe/hooded jumper/bottle green jacket
- White long/short sleeve polo shirt or white skivvy.

Black tights are not part of the winter uniform. Black track pants can be worn on sport days.

This Thursday’s assembly at 1.45 pm will be led by the students in 4/5D. All families are welcome to attend.

Thought for the Week
Aim for success, not perfection. Never give up your right to be wrong, because then you will lose the ability to learn new things and move forward with your life. Remember that fear always lurks behind perfectionism.

David M. Burns

Peter Cameron
Relieving Principal
Broulee Public School is celebrating ‘National Tree Day’ on Monday 1 August. Every class, from Kindy to Year 6, will be involved so please bring along gardening tools such as a small trowel or fork and a pair of gardening gloves. We will be creating a new garden at the entrance to the school, garden beds around the demountable classroom, a vertical garden at the side of the canteen and a frog pond area between the Year 1 classrooms and the Art Centre. We will also be revamping existing garden beds around the school. Eurobodalla Shire Council and Bunnings, Batemans Bay are coming along to assist us with this great 'National Tree Day' event.

The Department of Education has a great deal of online information to assist families prepare for high school. The following sites have helpful videos, forms and other materials that can answer questions and assist students in making a successful transition.

http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/home
To create a passion for lifelong learning with a commitment to innovative, flexible & creative thinking.

Winner of the Mayor’s Writing Challenge
Demi Sullivan

2016 Age Champions – Athletics
Tasman Simons,
Michael Griffiths,
Ethan Woolridge,
Chloe Dunn,
Abbey Dunn & Jayda Sullivan
The Great Barrier Reef is in grave danger after the pollution that is happening. I have created a petition for the school to sign. We will post it to the Government to convince them not to turn it into a coal mine and a ship highway.

by Lotus 3/4M
P&C News

Canteen Sub-Committee
The P&C Canteen Sub-Committee will be meeting tomorrow, Wednesday 27 July at 4.00 pm at the Bengello Bites Canteen.
All Parents, Carers and Citizens of our Schools’ Community interested in the provision of our Healthy Options Menu are urged to attend.

Fundraising
Fundraising Meeting this Thursday 28 July at 3 pm in the iCentre.
Our meetings are very casual so feel free to bring your kids along. They can play in the iCentre whilst we chat. We'll be discussing a Mango Drive and a Challenge Night (social event for adults).

P&C Meetings
As a reminder, P&C Meetings are held in Week 3 and Week 7 each term. Meeting dates for the remainder of the year are:
- Term 3 – Thursday 4 August and 1 September
- Term 4 – Thursday 27 October & 24 November

The simplest way... to pack a healthy lunch box.

Remember your daily target for fruit and veggies?
Everyone should aim for 2 serves of fruit and 5 serves of vegies, every day. Sounds hard, but it's easy if you include fruit and veg across the day... try these simple ideas:

- Pack vegetable sticks – try carrots, celery, capsicum and cucumber – with hummus and vegetable based dips (like pumpkin, beetroot, spinach or red bean)
- Add a small 150g tin of baked beans to your child’s lunch box.
- Leftovers are an exciting lunch box addition: try packing fried rice, vegie stir-fries or some vegie frittatas - they all taste great cold!
- Make a fruit salad – use whatever fruit you have in the house, children prefer small pieces of food.

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

Brena Mundy, Lilla Perra, Nina Thorne, Aidan Cottier, Thomas Humphries, Ethan Woolridge, Lachlan Johnson, Dylan Ellevsen, Aletia Delahey, Cooper Lasscock, Macie Bos, Caitlin Seidel & Seleenah Kingston

Bronze Award

Brena Mundy, Lilla Perra, Nina Thorne, Aidan Cottier, Thomas Humphries, Ethan Woolridge, Lachlan Johnson, Dylan Ellevsen, Aletia Delahey, Cooper Lasscock, Macie Bos, Caitlin Seidel & Seleenah Kingston
**Weekly Class Awards**

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**Principal’s Stickers**

Community News

1st Batemans Bay Scoup Group
1st Batemans Bay Scout Group has recently achieved 25 years of having Joey Scouts. They would like to invite you to an information afternoon at 4.15pm–5.15pm on Wednesday 27 July 2016 at the Scout Hall at the end of Pacific Street, Batemans Bay. Come and see what we do at Joey Scouts.
Boys and girls age 6 and 7 years most welcome.
If you want more information you can telephone Ruth on 44729205 or Anne on 0429659862 and they can tell them more.

Whooping Cough (Pertussis)

The Public Health Unit has been notified of a confirmed case of whooping cough at Broulee Public School. I am writing to provide advice and ask you to watch out for the symptoms of whooping cough in your child. You may not have suspected that an illness in a person with a mild cough who appear otherwise fit and well, could in fact have whooping cough and spread the infection to other people for up to 3 weeks, which is the time an untreated person remains infectious.

Whooping cough is a highly contagious bacterial disease that can be easily spread by direct contact with droplets from the nose and throat of an infected person. Whooping cough may start as a dry tickle or dry cough and progress to cause bouts of coughing, and sometimes breathing difficulties and vomiting. It can be a very serious infection in small children.

What should people sick with pertussis do?

If your child develops symptoms, please take your child and this letter to your local doctor as soon as possible. Your doctor can advise whether whooping cough is likely and arrange for early treatment if needed. If your child has a cough and whooping cough is suspected please do not send your child to school until a diagnosis can be determined.

To reduce the spread children who have whooping cough should not attend school until they have completed 5 days of the recommended antibiotics. If antibiotics can not be taken, then they need to stay away for 3 weeks after the onset of the cough.

How is it prevented?

It is important to double check that your child is fully up to date with their immunisations against pertussis. If in doubt, please ask your doctor to check. Immunity to whooping cough from immunisation or infection is not life long. It is therefore important to seek medical attention if your child develops a cough even if fully immunised.

A fact sheet with more information is available at http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/PublicHealth/Infectious/whoopingcough/index.asp or call the Infectious Disease Surveillance Officer at the Public Health Unit on 1300 066 055.
Order of Track Events

9.00am 200m
3 heats in each age division
1st in each heat + best 5 times go to final
1. Junior Girls
2. Junior Boys
3. 11 Years Girls
4. 11 Years Boys
5. 12/13 Years Girls
6. 12/13 Years Boys

9.30am 100m
2 heats in each age division
First 5 in each heat go to final
7. 8 Years Girls
8. 8 Years Boys
9. 9 Years Girls
10. 9 Years Boys
11. 10 Years Girls
12. 10 Years Boys
13. 11 Years Girls
14. 11 Years Boys
15. 12 Years Girls
16. 12 Years Boys
(13 years are a straight final)

10.00am 800m
First place goes to Regional.
Second can apply if time is fast.
17. Junior Girls
18. Junior Boys
19. 11 Years Girls
20. 11 Years Boys
21. 12/13 Years Girls
22. 12/13 Years Boys

1.05pm 200m Finals
First 2 go to Regional
47. Junior Girls
48. Junior Boys
49. 11 Years Girls
50. 11 Years Boys
51. 12/13 Years Girls
52. 12/13 Years Boys

1.25pm 100m Finals
First 3 go to Regional
53. 8 Years Girls
54. 8 Years Boys
55. 9 Years Girls
56. 9 Years Boys
57. 10 Years Girls
58. 10 Years Boys
59. 11 Years Girls
60. 11 Years Boys
61. 12 Years Girls
62. 12 Years Boys
63. 13 Years Girls
64. 13 Years Boys

1.45pm Relays
Decided on heat times
1st & 2nd to Regional
65. Small Schools Relay
66. Junior Girls
67. Junior Boys
68. Senior Girls
69. Senior Boys