Too sick for school?
As the cold weather hits, so do the winter bugs. It’s often hard to know whether to send your child to school or let them stay home to recover, especially when that means an adult cancelling work. For safety's sake, if your child seems unwell you should always keep them home from school and seek medical advice.
School A to Z and the NSW Health have created an at-a-glance chart to help answer your questions about common childhood illness and how long sick kids need to miss school. Find it by typing this link into your web browser [www.bit.ly/1hytn2E](http://www.bit.ly/1hytn2E)

Bullying
This term we have been revisiting our Anti Bullying program. It would be appreciated if you could please remind children that bullying is not acceptable, including "bystander" bullying. Our full Welfare, Discipline and Anti Bullying policies are on our website [click here](http://www.brouleepublicschool.nsw.edu.au). I have also listed some points from our policy below.

Definition of Bullying
Bullying is defined as intentional, repeated behaviour by an individual or group of individuals that causes distress, hurt or undue pressure to someone else. The five main types of bullying are:
- Physical – hitting, kicking, theft
- Verbal – name calling, racist remarks
- Indirect – spreading rumours, excluding someone from social groups
- Cyber – using digital technology to negatively target another student
- Bystander – passively accepting and taking no action

Thank You
Many thanks to Nerida Bourke and Clare Dunn who recently ran an evening workshop on "Learning to Read" for parents of Kindergarten children. This is always a topic that can cause some concern for parents, especially first time "Kindy parents" who are always interested in what they can do to help their child. Thanks also to the interested parents who ventured out on a coolish night to support their children. It was great to have you join us.
Mental maths strategies
We teach children a range of different strategies to add and subtract numbers. By showing them several methods for solving maths questions, we’re helping them to look for patterns. All this builds a good sense of “number” which means they understand the relationships between different numbers and why different ways to add and subtract work well. The goal is that your child will understand many ways to approach a maths problem and will be able to choose a way that makes the most sense to them. School A to Z has a lot of resources, including help sheets on mental maths strategies, here: www.bit.ly/JkiUsY

This Thursday’s assembly at 1.45 pm will be led by students from KD. All families are welcome to attend.

Sue Lowe
Principal

Thought for the Week
“A child can teach an adult three things:
To be happy for no reason
To always be curious
To fight tirelessly for something.
Paul Coelho

Police Cyber–Safety Talk
Last Thursday, the students in Years 5 and 6 attended a talk from Senior Constable Donna Clarke which covered numerous issues about safety related matters. The major issue discussed was cyber–safety. As our lives are increasingly linked to online activities, it is vital that our students are aware of safety issues and, importantly, have strategies to deal with safety concerns as they arise.
This was a great session for our senior students.
Our thanks go to Donna Clarke for this excellent initiative.
Netball Knockout
Congratulations to our Netball Team who defeated Ulladulla PS 30 to 5 last Thursday in the School Knockout Competition. The girls will now move onto the third round against a team yet to be decided. Special thanks to our umpires Kerry Mars, Lucy Jones and Mrs Jones.

Soccer Knockout
On Friday 23 May our School Soccer team played Batemans Bay PS. Broulee were 2 goals up at half time which led to a very lively second half with the final score 3 all. Extra time was played, but the score remained at 3 all. Batemans Bay eventually won on corners. Broulee PS showed great sportsmanship and played hard right to the final whistle. Well done boys!

Years 5/6 Excursion to Berry Sport & Recreation Camp
A reminder to families that the $50 deposit for this camp needs to be paid prior to Thursday 12 June. Deposits cannot be accepted after this date.

School Athletics Carnival Dates
This year the Athletics Carnival for Years 2 to 6 will be conducted over two days. Track Events, Marching and Tug-O-War will be conducted on Captain Oldrey Park Friday 20 June. Field Events and ball games will be conducted on the School Oval Tuesday 24 June.

Student Lunches
Now that the weather has finally cooled off, it is understandable that some students will want to bring warm food to school. Please note that school staff are unable to heat/reheat or cook food for student lunches and that noodles or soup should be preheated at home and sent to school in a thermos type container. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Bronze Awards

Billy Jones, Mitchell Clarke, Jana Patrizi, Curtis Hardy, Kai Taunga, Aidan Cottier, Jayden Dawson, Naomi Hall, Harmony Hopkins, Joel Barnes, Matthew Johnston & Seb Giri

## Weekly Class Awards

**FISH:** Fair  Inclusive  Safe  Honest

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**Principal’s Stickers**

Finn Siecker, Justina Austin, Tane Simons, Charlie Jones, Lilla Perra, Ava Perra, Lucas Collarde, Charlie Tompkins, Amy White, Daisy Seath, Macy Griffiths, Bailey Whiting, Elsie-Jane Stanley, Finn Cox, Emma Reid, Grace Kelly, Kayum Fernandez, Noah Ashurst & Eva Barker

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**Fish Bit Draw**

**Term 2 Week 5**

- Stage 1: Tahlia
- Stage 2: Callie
- Stage 3: -
Community News

Batemans Bay Seahawks
Batemans Bay Seahawks are holding a "Freaky Friday" disco on Friday 13 June. Details are:
Venue: Hanging Rock Function Centre
Time: U10's 5.30–7pm / U16's 7pm–9pm
Cost: Gold coin entry
Drinks, Chips and Pizza for sale on the night. Prizes for the best dressed boy and girl. NO pass outs. All kids must be collected by an adult from the door!
All welcome.

South Coast Junior Twilight Rugby
Activities normally held on a Friday evening at Hanging Rock will not be run on Friday 6 June, due to it being a public holiday weekend. Activities scheduled for Friday 13 June, will take place at Captain Oldrey Park Broulee, starting at 5:30pm.
For any enquiries regarding Junior Rugby, please contact Ronnie Collier
Phone – 0408247644

Upcoming Events – Click on link below to see our Calendar