



WEEK
9A Term 4
Monday December 01



The Gazette



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Principal's Report

School's

Spectacular

Our very own
Jessie McDermott
performed on
Friday and Satur-
day last week as
part of the NSW DEC School's Spectacular performance.
What an experience this must have been! Congratulations
on being selected to perform at this high level Jessie – we
are all proud of your achievement!



Intensive Swimming Program

Our swimming program continues this week. Years 9 and 10 students are doing a fantastic job helping out every day! Please remember that if you do not hold a season ticket for the Barellan Pool then your child/ren are re-quired to pay \$2 entry each day.

P&C End of Year Function

Everyone is invited to attend a get together with the P&C this Friday evening at the Barellan and District War Memorial Club. Come along and relax and celebrate 2014.

End of Year Disco

It's finally here! The social event of the year has finally arrived. This Thursday from 7pm – 10pm the end of year disco will be held at the Community Hall for students of Barellan Central School from Years 3-12. Parents please note that students are not to leave the hall until they are picked up by you. If your child/ren are being picked up by someone else please provide staff with a note to indicate this. A permission note is included in this week's Gazette.

Beyond the Line Visit

Our two teachers-in-training, Mrs Greig and Miss Patton, thoroughly enjoyed their time at BCS as part of the teach. NSW program Beyond the Line last week. As part of their visit, they completed an evaluation sheet and they were very impressed with staff and students in our school. Some comments included "The school has a very strong influence on the students and it oozes positivity"; they liked that "all the kids and teachers know each other"; words used to describe what they gained from their visit included "adaptable, friendly, innovative, positive influence". I think they hit the nail on the head!

University of Notre Dame Visit

A group of six medical students from the University of Notre Dame visited us last Thursday. They focused on mental health, emergency skills, and general medical skills, as well as information regarding university options post high school. They mentioned at the end that the BCS students were possibly the best group they had worked with so far. They commented that the students had behaved very well and had participated in each activity. Well done to our secondary students!

Before you assume,
learn the facts.
Before you judge,
understand why.
Before you hurt someone,
feel.
Before you speak,
think.

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Have a great week.

They're Back!!

Those pesky little critters, 'Head Lice', have once again emerged. Please be sure to check your child's head regularly and treat with Head Lice treatment if necessary.

Advising your child against sharing hats etc is also recommended.

Canteen Roster & News



Mon 01/12 Tina Haeusler	Thurs 04/12 Sue Wilson	Fri 05/12 Bernie Bandy
Mon 08/12 VOLUNTEER	Thurs 11/12 VOLUNTEER	Fri 12/12 VOLUNTEER

Parents please note volunteers are needed Week 10.

Canteen closed last week of school.

December Calendar Term 4 2014

Thurs 04	Year 10 Dinner Yr 3-11 End of Year Social 7pm
Mon 08	SRC Rewards Day - Griffith
Wed 10	Presentation Night 7pm
Thurs 11	Primary Assembly & Christmas Tree Commencing @ 1.30pm (N.B Change of date)
Mon 15	K-6 Class Parties
Tues 16	Lake Talbot Pool Rewards Day K-11
Wed 17	Last Day Term 4 Students
Fri 19	Last Day Term 4 Staff



P&C Supporting Our School P&C Christmas Party Friday December 5th @ 7pm Barellan Club

All welcome.

Definite numbers are
needed by this Thursday.

Please phone or text
Jo Ohlsen 0429639355



Barellan Central School P&C Presentation Night Raffle



1ST Prize

Griffith City Cinemas voucher, valued at \$100



Voucher to be used to buy Movie Tickets and Food at Griffith City Cinemas



2ND Prize

'Black Tie Affair' Riverina Grove Hamper, valued at \$80



3RD Prize

'Louis' Selection' Riverina Grove Hamper, valued at \$45



Tickets \$2 Each or 3 for \$5
Tickets will be on sale at the door on Presentation Night

2/3/4 Class News

Congratulations to all students on their organisational skills last week everyone remembered all their clothing, money etc. for swimming. Time to prepare for our Presentation Night Item and Nativity Play. Can parents please remind students to practice singing the songs and start to get costumes together. Raising the dress up box for items is all that is required. Do not feel compelled to buy costumes. Contact Mrs Kenny if you need help 0448553225 to find any items.

Leaders Emma, Marian & Melissa

This Week

50 Challenge

Practising facts you don't know by repeatedly writing or saying them does help.

THANKYOU to Mrs Whytcross who rewards each achievement of 50 correct with a delicious cupcake this reward probably has a lot to do with student's motivation also.

Collaborative Maths Fun and Learning

2/3/4 worked in small groups to make a square metre out of newspaper and then they measured the area of the sections of cement in the quad



Homework

Homework

*AR books each night. Dojo points for homework!!!

*1000 points on Mathletics

Try for maximum LIVE MATHLETICS this week to speed up our basic facts.

***50 Times Table Challenge**



Rezilia - is a learning super hero who never gives up.

Jordan with the help of his mum



achieved the next level in the 50 challenge last week, well done for trying and trying again until you achieved your goal, Jordan.

Problem of the Week-

* Find the key words * Draw a table or picture * Use your multiplication knowledge

Bede has 9 cards Pierre has twice as many cards as Bede.

How many cards does Pierre have?

Well done Jonathan and Zach for solving the tennis problem the boys saw the pattern that the number of games is one less than the number of players so the answer was 23.

Mathletics

Bronze-Wyatt 1000

Silver-William 1434

Reading Eggs

Olivia, Ella, Bailey, Ruby, Lily, Jack, Matisse, Zach

4/5/6 News

This week we will be finishing up our unit on *Services*, but it's not the end of some of our basic activities such as maths, spelling and reading. These activities will continue for another week.

Swim school continues this week, so please remember to bring along all the equipment needed for this plus \$2 if you do not have a season pass.

This Thursday we have the School Social. All students from year 3 to year 12 are welcome to attend. The Social will begin at 7.30pm at the Hall. Get dressed up and come along for some fun!



This Week

AL	Rowan of Rin by Emily Rodda
Text Type	Narrative
Maths	Chance, Time & Position, Transformation, 3D Views
Spelling	oo, ew, ue, u_e, u; long vowels

Homework

Accelerated Reader Text	Mathletics
Spellodrome	Reading Eggspress

Awards

MATHLETICS	<p><u>Bronze Award:</u> Jacob, Sharni</p> <p><u>Silver Award:</u> Paige, Charlotte, Norman</p> <p><u>Gold Award:</u> Tait, Jane</p>
SPELLODROME	<p><u>Millennium Helmet:</u> Arnold, Tait, Sharni, Kokulan, Ebony, Kiara, Norman</p> <p><u>Golden Bike:</u> Paige, Jane, Charlotte</p>
ACCELERATED LITERACY	<p>Students achieving above 50% toward their points target: Annabelle, Lilly, Tyler, Charlotte, Kiara, Sarah, Sharni</p> <p>There are many student very close to the 50% mark. Keep reading!!</p>
CITIZENSHIP	Ryan
THANKS FOR SHOWING RESPECT	Max



K/1/2 Happenings

Swim school continues this week. Students who do not have a season pass must bring \$2 for entry into the pool.

The primary assembly has been changed from this Thursday to the Thursday of week 10 (next week). This will begin at 1.30pm. The infants Christmas Tree will follow the assembly.

Presentation night is Wednesday, December 10. Students are required to be there at 7pm for a 7.30pm start.

Homework

Home Readers	Please continue to encourage students to complete their home reading each night.
Home Work Sheets	New homework will be coming home today.

K/1 Awards

Citizenship Award	Congratulations to Suleyman for receiving the Citizenship Award last week.
Mathletics	Congratulations to Anika and Charlee-Anne for receiving Bronze awards last week. Congratulations to Alannah for receiving a Silver Award!
Reading Eggs	Well done to Madison for receiving a Silver certificate in Reading Eggs last week and Dakota for receiving a Bronze Certificate.

Intensive Swimming Program

2014 Swim School is well under way. It will continue for this week. The schedule is as follows :-

Primary: 2/3/4 and 4/5/6 class 9.15 to 10.30.

Infants: K/1/2 class - After recess till lunch

Secondary: After lunch

Year 9 and 10 students will also be assisting with the Infants and Primary groups for this time, meaning no normal lessons for them.

It is very important students come to school prepared for swimming. They will need swimmers, rashie and towel, all clearly labelled with their name and \$2 for pool entry if they don't have a season ticket.

Don't presume swimming won't occur because of weather, come prepared and a decision will be made on the day.

If you have ANY concerns, please contact me at school.

Alan Hesketh - Swimming Organiser





The Barellan Central School SRC

Invites students in Yrs 3-11 to the
End of Year Social

Thursday 4th
December 2014

7.00 - 10.00pm

at the Community Hall

Cost \$5-00 per student

(includes first drink
and glowstick)

Drinks, chips & glowstix will be on
sale

Permission notes & payment to be
returned by Wednesday

December 3.



SRC Years 3 - 11 End of Year Social Thursday December 4th Permission Note

I give permission for my Child/ren to attend the
Social on Thursday December 4th.

I understand my child/ren will not be permitted to
leave the hall unless accompanied by parent or
guardian.

Students Name/s -

Cost \$5.00 per child

Please find enclosed payment of \$_____

Signed _____

**Please hand note and money in at the
office by Wednesday December 3**

Infants Christmas Tree

Santa's coming on Thursday, December 11.

So that Santa is all prepared for our annual

Infants Christmas Tree and Visit,

we would ask Santa's helpers to drop a

wrapped book to the value of \$15 to the front

office before the end of the Tuesday,

December 9.

The *Infants Christmas Tree* will take place

after a special Primary Assembly commencing at

1.30pm.

Pre-schoolers are welcome to attend!



BARELLAN CENTRAL SCHOOL SUMMER UNIFORM ORDER

Short Sleeve Pebble Polo

- Primary

Sizes 4 – 16 \$18.00

White Short Sleeve Polo With

School Logo \$35.00

- Secondary.

- all students have been sized by Jeanette

Gold Sports Polo

- Primary & Secondary

Sizes 4 – 20 \$20.00

Black Micro Fibre Shorts

Sizes 2,3,4 —16 \$15.00

S,M, L, XL, 2XI, 3XL \$18.00

Black Mesh Shorts

- Primary & Secondary

Sizes 4-16 \$15.00

S—3XL \$18.00

Black Rugby Knit Shorts

- Primary & Secondary

Sizes 2,3,4—16 \$15.00

S,M,L,XL,2XI,3XI \$18.00

High School Gabardine shorts

Adults

Sizes 14/s—22 / 2xL \$18.00

Boys Grey Gabardine Cargo

Shorts

- Primary

Sizes 4 – 16 \$18.00

Boys Grey Gabardine Shorts

- Primary

Sizes 2,3,4– 16 \$16.00

Adult Grey Cargo Shorts

- Secondary

- Years 7 –10

Sizes—S—2XI \$22.00

Summer Tartan Dresses

- Primary

Sizes 4-16 \$50.00

Summer Tartan Shorts

- Primary

Sizes

4 & 6 \$30.00

8 \$32.00

10 \$34.00

12,14,16 \$36.00

Black & White Tartan Skirts

- Secondary \$55.00

Made to measure hip & length measurements

Black Sloppy Joe V Neck with

School logo

- Primary ONLY

Sizes 4—16 \$25.00

Black V Neck Jumpers with school logo

- Primary & Secondary

Sizes 4—16 \$40.00

S,M,L,XL,2XL,3XL \$45.00

Hat

Small — 55cm \$20

Medium — 57cm \$20

Large — 59cm \$20

X Large — 61cm. \$20

THIS WILL BE THE LAST ORDER FOR HATS.

All Year 7 students 2015 will receive one white polo from the P & C. This replaces the Year 6 shirts due to the changes made with Primary & Secondary uniforms.

There is some outstanding money owed for uniforms which the P & C would appreciate being finalized, if some families are finding difficult in making co-payments as first discussed please contact the school or Jeanette Brumby the uniform co-coordinator so arrangements can be put in place.

Primary students sport shorts and track pants will be black from 2015. Parents can phase as new clothes are needed. Thankyou

UNIFORM ORDER FORM

Orders and money to be returned to school by Tuesday 2nd of December

Cheques made payable to Barellan Central School P&C

ITEM	SIZE	QTY	PRICE

Hat Order Form

Student Name	Name on Hat	Size

Total Amount Enclosed \$

Barellan United Football & Netball Club News



SAVE THE DATE
"Wedding of the Year"
Saturday 28 March

- BUFC Committee Meeting
TUESDAY - Barellan Club @ 7pm
Catch up with Farrer FNL, CMC & AFL Riverina operations staff
- Annual General Meeting
SUNDAY 7.12.14 - Barellan Club @ 2pm
All positions will be declared vacant
EVERYONE WELCOME
- BUFC CHRISTMAS PARTY / Meet & Greet the Coach – Will Overs
SATURDAY 20.12.14 - Barellan Pool @ 5pm
BBQ tea, BYOG & Chairs
Ladies a plate please
(No glass)



"GROWING OUR CLUB" –
lets become our own Major
Sponsor

Any growers who wish to donate grain to Barellan United Football Club are asked to warehouse the grain, HOWEVER, this is optional and any donation will be accepted and appreciated. If you wish to donate, simply nominate the amount of grain while at the sampling stand.

The NGR card will be kept at the Barellan sample stand.

If a substantial amount is raised the footy club will recognize The Barellan & District Grain Growers as a major sponsor in the form of a logo displayed on the footy guernsey's.

For more info please contact:
Mark Kenny 0427 695 532

NGR – National Grower Register

Barellan United Football Club now hold a NGR card and are asking growers to donate grain to support their local footy club.



Barellan Museum
Twilight Christmas
Markets - 5pm Start
Saturday December 6

Car Park [between the Store and the Hall]

Gold coin donation

Fun for all!

- BBQ & Drinks
- Stalls
- \$2 Chocolate Wheel, Hams, Meat Trays etc
- Face painting
- Huge Hamper Raffle

and a visit from Santa

Bring your chair
and Mozzie spray
and sit back and
enjoy the live music



Barellan Day Care has spots for children
0 - 5 Years on
Mondays & Fridays.
Please call Kelly Zingle for details.

Body Shop Party

Where: Barellan Club
When: Saturday December 6th
Time: 6pm
Hostess: Jade Jordan
Everyone welcome to attend.
Please RSVP Jade on 0419601505



St Therese Parish Barellan News.....

- Street Stall, Friday December 12. Donations for Christmas dinner/hamper raffle gratefully accepted.
- Parish Christmas Party, Sunday December 21. Mass at 11am followed by lunch at the Club.
- Christmas Mass time - Christmas Eve 6.30pm