WEEK
8A Term 3
Monday 4.09.17

The Gazette

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Primary Excursion

Our Years 3-6 students left this morning on their adventure to Sydney. They are staying at the Sport and Recreation Camp at Narrabeen until Friday morning. We know they will have a great time!

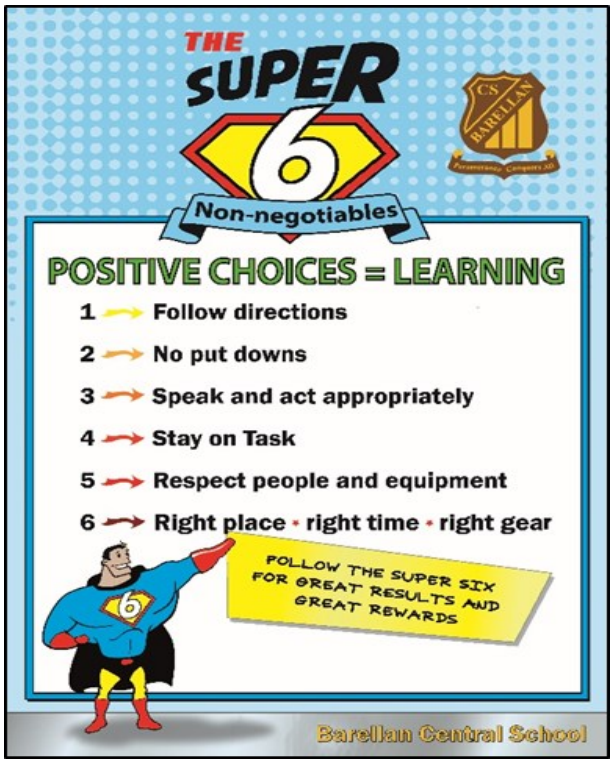
Student Rewards and Discipline Policy Changes

Last week BCS staff held a meeting to discuss our current wellbeing policy. It was agreed that changes needed to be made. Students who were in attendance on Friday heard Mr Campbell and myself speak about these changes. We are trialling these changes for the rest of this term, with a view to customise them next term if required.

A grid will be used by staff in class and in the playground to monitor student behaviour choices. This will inform us about which students are making positive or negative choices. Positive behaviour choices will be rewarded with 'blue slips'. Five blue slips will still earn a Merit award but it now also earns a 'Golden Ticket' which goes into a draw at the end of each term to attend a rewards excursion. Twelve students from Primary and 12 from Secondary will be selected at the end of each term to attend the excursion. The major reward for this term is going to the movies, while in future terms it may be a footy match, a cricket match, the netball, a theatre production or other major event. *Time to start earning Golden Tickets!*

Variety Night

Only two and a half weeks until our students showcase their talents at our Variety Night! Save the date – Wednesday 20th September @6:30pm.



Calendar Term 3 2017

September

Mon	04	Primary excursion for 4 nights
Mon	11	State Choir Sydney
Tues	12	Book Week - Parade 9.00am
Thurs	14	PRELIM Exams commence
		RFS Cadet Program commences
Tues	19	Mobile Library Visits
Wed	20	Variety Night
Fri	22	Last day Term 3
		Year 12 Assembly - Noon

October

Mon	09	Staff and Students return for Term 4

Tuesday 12th September

Primary students are welcome to dress up in their favourite book theme.

All students who dress up will go in a draw for mystery prizes.

We will hold our Book Week Parade immediately after the morning assembly.

P&C Supporting Our School

The canteen is open on Thursdays and Fridays

Canteen Roster

Thursday 7th September	**Friday 8th September**
Michelle Alyuosif	Sue Wilson
Thursday 14th September	**Friday 15th September**
Volunteer Needed	Julie Kenny
Thursday 21st September	**Friday 22nd September**
Tracey Gordon	Karen Smith
Thursday 28th September	**Friday 29th September**

Canteen Volunteer Needed.

Looking for someone to do canteen on Thursday 14th September 2017.
Please contact Tracey or Tina if you are able to help out. Thanks

ROYAL AUSTRALIAN MINT

To help celebrate Book Week, the Children's Book Council of Australia Children's Book Week 2017, the Mint, in partnership with Woolworths Supermarkets is releasing three coloured $2 coins that depict iconic moments from Possum Magic, the beloved Australian literary classic by Mem Fox. The coins will be released through Woolworths supermarkets each Tuesday for a three week period from 15 August and may be found in your change when you do your shopping or even later as they enter general circulation. The coins can be stored in the collect and keep folder that Ms O'Keeffe will have for students K-4. What a great way to start a coin collection. For more information visit www.ramint.gov.au

WANTED!

Our Junior STEM classes (Years 4,5,6) will soon be designing, building and launching bottle rockets. We would greatly appreciate any empty 1.25L and 2L plastic soft drink bottles for these projects. Bottles can be dropped off at the front office

K/1 Class News

I hope all the Father's had a lovely day yesterday.

A reminder about school requirements, if you haven't yet sent in your box of tissues for this term could you please do so. With the cold season upon us it will be important that students are using strategies to help minimise the spread of germs. Your assistance in helping to keep the students at BCS healthy is greatly appreciated.

Remember that students are encouraged to bring in a piece of fruit for Crunch and Sip. Students are also encouraged to bring in a water bottle.

I will be away this Friday. Mrs Kenny will be teaching K/1 and it will be classes as normal.

If you need to get in contact with myself please send me a message on class dojo or leave a message at the office.

Weekly Events	
Monday	Is Library day so please ensure that students bring their library bags.
Friday	Sport Day, please ensure students wear their sports uniform

Homework	
Home Reading	It is fantastic to see so many students reading at home. Please remember to write in home reading books each time your child reads. It is most helpful to us at school if you can continue to count of number of nights read by writing the number in the home reading book

Using iPads to help us learn

In our classroom...

Reading our home readers

Locating shapes in our classroom

Congratulations to our show winners

Ms Stahl with our super

2017 Graduates

Kenna, Braddick, Meghan Brumby and Emma Braddick

SECONDARY MATTERS ~ UPDATED THIS WEEK

Here is an overview of what students are currently learning in each of their subject areas in Years 7-10. Students and parents are reminded that subject specific homework/home preparation is essential for the revision of topics and completion of assessment tasks and assignments. Home preparation might take the form of:

- Reading the notes from each lesson of the day;
- Answering some further questions about the topic studied; i.e. Maths Online, subject specific workbooks.
- Reading information on the topic being studied in class; and
- Ensuring that all work sheets are completed and put in workbooks

SUBJECT	TOPIC BEING STUDIED 7/8	TOPIC BEING STUDIED 9/10
ENGLISH	'The Happiest Refugee'- Working on narrative and extended response. Ms O'Keeffe	Identity ~ Working on biographies Ms Stahl
MATHEMATICS Mr Kandeepan	Algebra	Algebra
SCIENCE Mr Clough	Assessment task on magnets and electromagnets	Working on Individual Research Project Assessment Task
HSIE -History/Geography Mrs Wozniak	An Assessment Task on Landscapes & Landforms due in Week 9	
PDHPE	Class Research Project due in Week 10 Term 3.	Class Research Project due in Week 10 Term 3.
TECHNOLOGY MANDATORY **Mr Whytcross** Mrs McDonnell	Mr Whytcross' class is working on a canvas frame and print	
MUSIC Mrs McDermott		
VISUAL ART Ms Gash	Leonardo Da Vinci 'Crazy invention' drawings. Variety Night drawings & decoration	
LOTE (Italian) Ms Stahl	Articles, nouns and adjectives	

ELECTIVES	9/10 ELECTIVES
AGRICULTURE Mr Clough	Egg production systems
DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY **Mr Whytcross**	Timber box design project and folio
VISUAL DESIGN Ms Gash	
FOOD TECHNOLOGY Mrs McDonnell	Food Trends ~ Assessment coming

YEARS 8-12 SECONDARY LAPTOPS

A reminder that payments for the Secondary Laptop is due for Term 3. The cost is $40 per term.

If you are unsure of your payments please ring the office on 69 639 202.

Make Online Payments to BCS

It is now possible for parents to make online payments to the school for amounts owing for students, via a secure payment page hosted by Westpac. Payments can be made using either a Visa or MasterCard credit or debit card, and can be made via computer, tablet or mobile phone. The payment page is accessed from the front page of the school's website by selecting $ Make a payment

Items that can be paid include voluntary school contributions, subject contributions, excursions, sales to students and creative and practical arts activities (these include band, drama and dance). There is also a category called 'Other' this to cover items not covered in the previous headings, Other can be used to make a complete payment of a school invoice.

When you access the $ Make a payment you must enter:

- the students name, and
- class and reference number OR
- the students name, and
- date of birth.

These details are entered each time you make a payment as student information is not held within the payment system. There is also the option to enter the Student Registration Number and Invoice number if you are aware of them, these are optional fields OR there is also the option to enter the Student Registration Number and Invoice number these are not used at our school, please leave blank.

This is a secure payment system hosted by Westpac to ensure that your credit/debit card details are captured in a secure manner, these details are not passed back to the school.

You have the ability to check and change any details of the payment before the payment is processed. Receipts can be emailed and/or printed.

Details of the payments are passed daily to the school where they will be receipted against your child's account. As a receipt has been issued from the payment page a further receipt will not be issued by the school.

For any enquiries regarding the Online Payment process please contact the School Administration Office.

Mobile SCHOOL DENTIST

Address Unit 112/14 Loyalty Rd. North Rocks NSW 2151
Phone (Melbourne Head Office) (03) 9323 9607
Email nsw@mobileschooldentist.com.au
Web www.mobileschooldentist.com.au

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Mobile School Dentist is pleased to inform you that we will be providing dental treatment for students at Barellan Central School. **We will be conducting the Dental Visits on 19/10/2017.** We make your child's dental visits more convenient for you, by seeing them during school hours. This will prevent them being absent from school for their dental visits and allowing them to make the most out of their school day. We will be conducting the Dental Visits in two separate Phases.

Phase 1: Detect, Arrest and Prevent!
During this phase, we will conduct Preventative Dental Visits. This may include an Examination, Clean, Preventative Bitewing X-rays, Remineralisation Agent Application and Preventative Fissure Sealants on teeth. Fissure Sealants are a coating placed on teeth without any drilling, to protect against decay. Any reports or Treatment Plans will be sent via email to you outlining any further treatment your child may need.

Phase 2: Rehabilitate and Protect!
The Phase 2 visit is usually held 3 – 8 weeks after the first visit. During this visit we will complete any relevant treatment your child may need such as fillings. We highly recommend parents to attend these appointments during our Phase 2 visit. Parents will be informed of the times of their child's appointments beforehand.

This treatment may be covered by the Medicare Child Dental Benefits Schedule (CDBS) for eligible children. To find out if you child is eligible under the CDBS please give Medicare a call on 132 011.

Mobile School Dentist will also check eligibility of students and inform parents who are unsure of their child's eligibility. For children who may not be eligible for the Medicare CDBS, ***Mobile School Dentist*** is able to see students as private patients. You will be billed at a rate LOWER than that of Medicare and we do offer reasonable payment plans for further treatment needed. The treatment may be claimable under your private health insurance. Please refer to the Service Disclosure Statement on the back of this form for more information.

For your child to be seen by Mobile School Dentist, please fill in the attached forms and return it to your school by 15/9/2017. Only children who have had this form filled in can be processed and seen by Mobile School Dentist.

If you would like any further information or hold any queries feel free to contact us on (03) 9323 9607. We look forward to seeing your child!

Mobile School Dentist Team.

All Mobile Dental Dentist forms are protected by Copyright laws.

PLEASE UPDATE YOUR CHILD'S ASTHMA PLAN

Please make sure that we are provided with an updated Asthma Action Plan; if you have one ensure it is updated. An Asthma Action plan includes information if your child requires asthma medications prior to sport or at any other time during school hours. Ensure that your child has their blue reliever puffer and a spacer with them at school, or that this is kept in a place where the child can access it.

Discuss with your child what their early asthma symptoms might be, and help them to feel comfortable asking teachers for assistance if they are having asthma symptoms.

ASTHMA ACTION PLAN

Take this ASTHMA ACTION PLAN with you when you visit your doctor

NAME
DATE
NEXT ASTHMA CHECK-UP DUE

DOCTOR'S CONTACT DETAILS

EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS
Name
Phone
Relationship

WHEN WELL — Asthma under control (almost no symptoms) — ALWAYS CARRY YOUR RELIEVER WITH YOU

Your preventer is: ..... Take ..... puffs/tablets ..... times every day
☐ Use a spacer with your inhaler
Your reliever is: ..... Take ..... puffs.
When: You have symptoms like wheezing, coughing or shortness of breath
☐ Use a spacer with your inhaler

OTHER INSTRUCTIONS

WHEN NOT WELL — Asthma getting worse (needing more reliever than usual, having more symptoms than usual, waking up with asthma, asthma is interfering with usual activities)

Keep taking preventer: ..... Take ..... puffs/tablets ..... times every day
☐ Use a spacer with your inhaler
Your reliever is: ..... Take ..... puffs.
☐ Use a spacer with your inhaler

OTHER INSTRUCTIONS
☐ Contact your doctor

IF SYMPTOMS GET WORSE — Severe asthma flare-up/attack (needing reliever again within 3 hours, increasing difficulty breathing, waking often at night with asthma symptoms)

Keep taking preventer: ..... Take ..... puffs/tablets ..... times every day
☐ Use a spacer with your inhaler
Your reliever is: ..... Take ..... puffs.
☐ Use a spacer with your inhaler

OTHER INSTRUCTIONS
☑ Contact your doctor today
Prednisolone/prednisone:
Take ..... each morning for ..... days

DANGER SIGNS — Asthma emergency (severe breathing problems, symptoms get worse very quickly, reliever has little or no effect)

DIAL 000 FOR AMBULANCE
Call an ambulance immediately
Say that this is an asthma emergency
Keep taking reliever as often as needed
☐ Use your adrenaline autoinjector (EpiPen or Anapen)

NationalAsthma CouncilAustralia
nationalasthma.org.au

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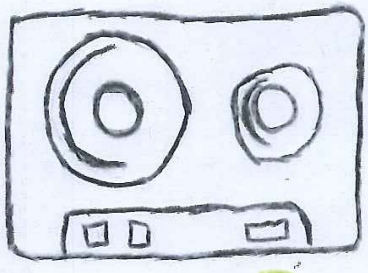
VARIETY NIGHT

ROCKING Through The DECADES

Wednesday September 20th 2017

6:30pm



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GOLD Coin Donation

BARELLAN COMMUNITY HALL

BARELLAN

2018 Representative Trials

Sunday 10th September, Barellan Sportsground

NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN

Arrive 30 minutes prior to register and warm up

10am- Under 11's (Born 2008 or 2007)
Under 12's (Born 2006)

11am- Under 13's (Born 2005)
Under 14's (Born 2004)

12pm- Under 15's (Born 2003)
Development Team (Born 2002 and 2001)
Under 17's (Born 2002 and 2001)

Nomination Forms next page. For more information please contact Julie Kenny or Jodie Landy

Barellan & District War Memorial Club invites you to a farewell for Tony & Beth, this Friday night, September 8th. 7.00pm onwards

This is an opportunity to show our appreciation for all they have done for the community over the years.

All welcome.

'Barellan and District Community Phone Book' is now available at the Barellan and Binya Post Offices
Cost is $7.00

Thank you everyone for your corrections and contributions, we appreciate your support in this community project, the profit is donated to our Barellan Community Hall.

Cheryl Mayberry
Barellan Country Women's Association President

Barellan General Store News….

The store has reverted to the ownership of Kay & Richard due to the present lessee problems with staff, stock and trading hours. The take-over has been in the pipeline for more than two months and will happen on September 25th.

The take-away side will be opening during the day as a new Café/coffee shop under other management, between the hours of 10am - 4pm. Then later we intend to extend the service separately.

The shop will once again offer service and quality at a reasonable price. Some items will not be available till delivery dates flow in, but please inform us if there are things you need or require, that are not there. We will action the procurement asp.

We will be continuing to support the local CAN ASSIST and the many community organisations previously supported.

We look forward to seeing you soon.

Kay & Richard Cullen

Giant Spring Renovation Garage Sale

Saturday, September 9th

8.00am - 12.00pm

26 Mallee Street Barellan

All quality merchandise

Pre sale enquiries to

Marilyn Davies ~ 0428306474

BDNA
Barellan & District Netball Association

Barellan & District Netball Association will be holding their trials for the 2018 Representative Season

Selections on Sunday

10th September Barellan Sports Ground

NOMINATION FORM

Team trailing for in 2018 (Please circle)

U11s U12s U13s U14s U15s U17s

First Name _____

Surname_____

DOB _____

Parents Name _____

Mobile Number_____

Address_____

_____

Email Address_____

2017 Club _____

Playing Position

1st Preference

2nd Preference

Please submit forms to Carolyn.burgess@gsbd.com.au

Or fax to 6962 2608

Or text a copy to 0404 472 537

Nominations will be accepted up until registration on the day, but in order to prepare and organise team sheets for trials early submission is preferred. If you don't receive receipt of your entry please contact Carolyn Burgess on 0404 472 537.

10am – U11s & U12s

11am – U13s & U14s 12pm -- U15s & U17s

(Please arrive 30 mins earlier to register)

INABILITY TO TRIAL FORM

Due Strictly by Friday 8th September

BDNA
Barellan & District Netball Association

PLEASE NOTE THAT SUBMITTING AN INABILITY TO TRIAL FORM WILL NOT AUTOMATICALLY RESULT IN BEING CONSIDERED FOR THE TEAM. THIS WILL BE LEFT UP TO SELECTORS DISCRETION. AS THE TEAM WILL BE SELECTED ON THIS DATE YOUR POSITION MAY ONLY BE CONSIDERED IF YOU ARE KNOWN TO THE SELECTION PANEL

Team trailing for in 2018 (Please circle)

U11s U12s U13s U14s U15s U17s

First Name :_____

Surname:_____

DOB: _____

Parents Name :_____

Mobile Number:_____

Address:_____

_____

Email: _____

2017 Club: _____

Reason for inability to trial:

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(attach additional documentation if required)

Playing Position

1st Preference

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