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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Reports and Parent Teacher Interviews

We are currently in the process of finalising academic reports for Semester 1. We aim to send reports home by the end of week 9, on Friday June 24.

Parent teacher interviews will take place on Tuesday 28 June, from 3:30-6:00PM. All interviews are scheduled for 10-minute blocks. If you would like a longer interview, please contact the school to make a separate interview at another time. Bookings will be made online via the website: <http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code/52fdw>. Bookings are open now. This year you can opt for either an in-person interview, or a telephone interview. If you need a hand, please call our friendly office staff who will be able to talk you through making the bookings, or make the bookings on your behalf.

Staffing news update

I'm pleased to share with you that we have now employed a full-time Learning and Support Teacher, Carolyn Gladwin. Carolyn will be working with the Widgiewa class, as well as providing support directly for senior students and working with staff developing their inclusive education practices.

Celina Laing-Morales has now moved from her previous role to teaching the 4/5/6 class every Wednesday-Friday together with Kirstie Overall.

The recruitment for the full-time School Learning and Support Officer position was concluded with no successful applicants. In the meantime, Eden Gyles will be joining the School Learning and Support Officer team in a short-term casual role for the next 5 weeks. Eden is currently studying Occupational Therapy at University and has recent experience with a range of volunteer organisations in Griffith.

Unfortunately, the recent Assistant Principal Learning and Support position was unfilled after the merit selection process. We will re-advertise early next term.

Important Dates

Monday 13th June

Public Holiday – Queens Birthday

Tuesday 14th June

AFL U15s School Cup
4/5/6 Genius Hour Presentations

Wednesday 15th June

Careers Expo @ Leeton High

Thursday 16th June

Riverina Primary Cross Country

Friday 17th June

Riverina Secondary Cross Country

Tuesday 21st June

MND Day

Thursday 23rd June

2/3 Excursion to Temora Aviation

Playground

The new playground is near completion, and I hope to be signing the hand over by the end of next week. We will keep the security fencing up for a week longer whilst the softfall cures and to give the turf some time to take root.

Excursions and Extracurricular activities

I'd like to extend a thank you to the staff, community and especially the P&C for the support offered to our students through the incredibly busy period recently, including:

- Dance group KROP auditions – Thank you Miss Cooper for your commitment to the students and congratulations to the students for your successful audition!
- The two zone athletics carnivals – Thank you to Miss Marquardt and Mrs Flagg for your organisation before and on the day, to Mr Reid and Mr Waide for your preparation of the carnivals, to the P&C for your support on the days, and to all the parents and students who attended.
- Reconciliation day activities – Thank you Ms Jones for the coordination, Carol Evans for helping on the day, Mrs Overall for organising the Mini-Olympics, Mrs Kenny for the mural and the SRC and students for running events on the day. Thank you also to Mr Cummins and the 2/3 class for preparing the beautiful Japanese curry for the day.
- 4/5/6 Regional Theatre excursion – Thank you to Mrs Overall, Miss Laing-Morales and Mrs Prentice for taking the students, and to the students for participating in the activities on the day.



Have a lovely long weekend,

Paul Laing
Principal

In Summary

- Parent teacher interviews will take place on Tuesday 28 June. You can book an interview at <http://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code/52fdw>
- Carolyn Gladwin has joined us as our new Learning and Support Teacher
- Celina Laing-Morales has joined the teaching staff on Wednesday to Friday with the 4/5/6 class (together with Mrs Overall and Mrs Woodland)
- Eden Gyles will work casually with the 4/5/6 class for the next 5 weeks on Monday-Tuesday.
- The playground is near completion.
- Thank you to so many staff and students for making Barellan such a special school with so many opportunities for all students.



Reconciliation and Harmony Day!



8th June 2022





SCHOOL NEWS

Barellan Museum Excursion

Kinder, Year 1 and Year 2 walked to the Museum on Tuesday.

Max and Val met us inside the Museum. They showed us the artefacts from the olden days. The Museum was cool and fun. Val and Max helped us understand what it was like in the olden days. Val told us about the old manual telephone exchange that used to be in the Post Office and Max was explaining how students used an ink well and nib pen to write when he went to school.

Thank you, Val and Max!

The spoons are golden and silver.
Lylah

The harness has a chain and it is brown and black.
Charlotte

The cot is white and the shape is a circle. **Poppy**

1917 was World War One. This is a sword and it is sharp and it has a black cover it has a round pommel and a silver guard. **Aden**

We are at the Museum and we saw my Great Grandfather Edward Malone, and that is how I got my name. I didn't know his brothers were in the army. At the Museum Val and Max were working and Val is my Aunty. **Eddy**

Saltbush Bill has a brown jumper and a little dog and blue jeans. His cartoons are probably funny. **Daryl**

This is an olden day school. It is silver and brown and grey and a bag is on the roof.
Ryder

It is brown and has a rectangle body and has a triangle roof. The school has a water tank. **Asher**

The photo is silver and black. There are 18 soldiers and horses and they are training for the Light Horse group. **Jake**

This dress is white with a golden necklace. **Jack**

The butter churn is brown with a circle sieve and a square lid.
Leeam

We got to see lots of old artefacts and my favourite was the Queen's crown on the soldier's badge. **Otis**



K/1/2 Learn all about the Kookaburra!

Australian Animals Kookaburra

Asher



What They Look Like

They have brown on their feathers and blue and white feathers. the

Where They Live

They live in city parks gardens and woodlands. insect

Draw a picture of your animal.



Did You Know...?

They can stay a liv for twenty yrs.

What They Eat

The yeat mice and insects and yabbies.

Australian Animals Kookaburra

Aden puppi



What They Look Like

A Kookaburra have blue and black and brown in the feathers.

Where They Live

A Kookaburra live in a forest where it is dry.

Draw a picture of your animal.



Did You Know...?

They live to twenty years.

What They Eat

The Kookaburra eat snakes, and insects mice and yabbies.

Australian Animals Kookaburra

JACK



What They Look Like

The Kookaburra has blue, brown and white feathers.

Where They Live

Kookaburras live in trees.

Draw a picture of your animal.



Did You Know...?

What They Eat

Kookaburras eat mice, snakes, insects and yabbies.

Australian Animals Kookaburra

Daryl Kessey



What They Look Like

Kookaburras have blue and white downy blue sometimes Kookaburras are cool birds.

Where They Live

Kookaburras live in trees even yards and forests.

Draw a picture of your animal.



Did You Know...?

They hid from predators.

What They Eat

They eat mice and snakes, snakes and

4/5/6 Genius Hour



4/5/6 have been working hard on their genius hour projects. Students, parents and family members are invited to come in and watch their child's presentation of learning happening week 8 Tuesday (14/6/22) 1:50pm - 3:00pm, with remaining presentations happening week 9 Friday (24/6/22) 9:10am. A schedule has been developed of when each child is presenting, please speak to your child about their presentation day or feel free to contact Mrs Overall. We hope to see as many of 4/5/6 family members as possible to share all they have learnt about sustainability issues.

Excursion to Griffith Regional Theatre

4/5/6 went on an excursion to the Griffith Regional Theatre to see an art exhibition created by a local artist. Following this, they went into the Burley Griffith room with Ray from the Griffith Art gallery and learnt about colour theory, perspective and other techniques to improve their art skills. 4/5/6 had a great time and learnt a lot. They will be bringing these skills back to school to create their own art pieces to put in their own 4/5/6 art gallery. Keep an eye out on dates when you can come and see 4/5/6 art gallery. 4/5/6 finished their day in Griffith at the Griffith City Park where they engaged in a range of team building games and activities.



Japanese With Mr Cummins

Primary classes have been learning all about Japan this term. They have been learning basic greetings and how to count in Japanese. They have also been learning interesting geographical and cultural facts about Japan.

This week the students wore some traditional clothing and shoes and played with some Japanese games.



K/1/2 Japanese Greetings



Science & Agriculture

We have had a busy term over in the Science Lab! Here are just some of the fun things we have been up to:

- 7/8 Science started the term off with modelling molecules using both lollies and model kits.
- 7/8 Science also worked together to create a giant food web showing energy flow.
- 9/10 Agriculture have been busy preparing the school wethers for the Dubbo Wether challenge.
- To finish off their plate tectonics unit, 9/10 Science made and exploded model volcanoes.
- Annabelle has also been busy making esters for HSC Chemistry.



Stage 4 LOTE

Last week in Stage 4 LOTE (Chinese) class we got to video chat with a lovely young woman from China, Ms Mandy Tao. We were able to each introduce ourselves, tell her our names and ask her some questions about herself and her family - all in Chinese! Then we switched to English and asked a few more general questions and we got to see the sunny day out the window of Ms Mandy's apartment in Beijing. It was an exciting opportunity and Ms Lean (Lin Laoshi) was very proud that everyone was willing to join in the fun. We asked Ms Mandy if she would be willing to talk to us again and she has agreed, so we'll think of some more questions to ask and chat again soon.



PBL Awards – Term 2

Excellence	Respect	Responsibility	Resilience
Declan Trembath	Ryan Booker	Joe Irons	Eleanor Goring
Jake Male	Harper Kenmir	Ellie Haddrill	Seth Hickey
Charlotte Dicker	Billy Irons	Addison Dalley	Mason Haddrill
Alani Booker	Grace Evans	William Evans	Alani Booker
	Eddy Malone	Poppy Irons	Otis Whitney-Taylor
			Daryl Kessey



SPORTS CORNER

Zone Cross Country

On Friday the 27th May, a group of primary and secondary students travelled to Coolamon to take part in the Zone Cross Country Carnival. It was a great day with all students placing within the top 15 of their respective age groups.

Some notable mentions go to:

Anika Praestiin - Winner of 17 Yr girls 4km.

Brianna Praestiin - Winner of 16 Yr girls 4km.

Toby Inglis - Winner of 13 Yr boys 3km.

Grace Evans - Second 12/13 Yr girls 3km.

William Evans - Second 11 Yr boys 3km.



These students have been selected to represent the Zone at the Riverina Cross Country Carnival in Gundagai on the 16th and 17th June, 2022. We wish them the best.



Zone Primary and Secondary Athletics Carnival

On Thursday the 2nd of June and Friday the 3rd of June, Barellan Central School held the Zone Athletics Carnival for 2022. Thursday saw over 100 primary students from 7 different schools attend. On both days, the students represented BCS well showing great sportsmanship and helping when needed too. Thanks to the Barellan P&C for running a canteen on the day and to all the teachers and student helpers. The day only ran smoothly with your assistance!

Some great results were achieved across the board. BCS had three age champions; Anika Praestiin, Brianna Praestiin and Koby Irvin.



There will be a number of students off to the Riverina Athletics Carnival in Albury on the 29th of July and 26th of August. We wish them all the best.



Athletics Carnival Age Champions

PRIMARY

Junior Girl Champion: Lara Sanderson
Runner Up: Charli Smith

Junior Boy Champion: Lachlan Elwin
Runner Up: Ryan Booker

11yrs Girl Champion: Ellie Haddrill
Runner Up: Cailin Ryan

11yrs Boy Champion: Will Evans
Runner Up: Archie Elwin

Senior Girl Champion: Grace Evans
Runner Up: Harper Kenmir

Senior Boy Champion: Seth Hickey
Runner Up: Lynkin Robertson



SECONDARY

Junior Girl Champion: Dakota Smith & Naomi Praestiin
Runner Up: Bec Praestiin

Junior Boy Champion: Toby Inglis
Runner Up: Kob Irvin

Senior Girl Champion: Brianna Praestiin
Runner Up: Anika Praestiin

Senior Boy Champion: Zach Twomey
Runner Up: Bailey Winter



BCS Canteen Price List-Term 2, 2022

Some like it HOT...

Macaroni Cheese	\$5.00
Butter Chicken	\$5.00
Canteen Made Rolls:	\$5.00
- Beef & Gravy	- Pork & Gravy
- Chicken & Gravy	- Chicken & Mayo
- add cheese + 50c	
Cup-a-soup (with dinner roll)	\$2.50
Pumpkin soup (with dinner roll)	\$3.00
- canteen made	

Toasted Sandwiches

- Ham & Cheese	\$3.00
- Cheese & Vegemite	\$2.50
- Cheese	\$2.00
- Vegemite	\$2.00
Pie	\$4.50
Sausage Roll	\$3.50
5x Chicken Nuggets /Chicken Chippees	\$3.50

Others are too COOL...

Salad Bowl	\$4.00
- add cheese/chicken/ham + 50c each	
Salad Roll/ Sandwich/ Wrap	\$4.00
- add cheese/chicken/ham + 50c each	

After lunch treats...

Quelch Fruit Stick	\$0.50
Snap Stix	\$1.00
Custard Cup	\$2.50
Frozen Yoghurt	\$2.50

Available during Lunch 2 Only



Feeling thirsty?

Small Flavoured Milk	\$2.50
Large Coffee Flavoured Milk	\$3.50
(large for secondary students only)	
Water	\$2.00
Orange Juice	\$2.00
Fruit Box	\$1.50
Chill J/Juice Bomb	\$2.50
Hot Chocolate	\$2.00

Just a snack...

Fruit Salad Cup	\$2.50
Sea Salt Chips	\$1.00
Grain Waves	\$1.00
Popcorn	\$1.00
Milo Bar	\$1.00

Monday/Thursday/Friday - lunch & recess

Orders to the office by 9.00am



BCS Canteen is operated by the Barellan P&C - All proceeds go directly to supporting the students of BCS

Menu effective: 24 May 2022

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2022 CALENDAR

**Please note that future dates may change due to unforeseen circumstances. Please check our website for the live version of our Calendar.*

June

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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			Zone PSSA Athletics Carnival @ Barellan	Zone CHS Athletics Carnival @ Barellan
6	7	8 Reconciliation & Harmony Day – <i>Wear Orange</i>	9 4/5/6 Excursion to Griffith Regional Theatre	10 CHS Netball Gala Day @ Leeton
13 Public Holiday	14	15 Career's Expo @ Leeton	16 Riverina PSSA Cross Country	17 Riverina CHS Cross Country
20 RAP Study Day	21 MND Day	22 Schools cup netball	23 2/3 Excursion – Temora Aviation	24
27	28	29 SRC Social	30	

July

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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				Last day of Term 2! PBL Rewards day!
4 School Holidays	5 School Holidays	6 School Holidays	7 School Holidays	8 School Holidays
11 School Holidays	12 School Holidays	13 School Holidays	14 School Holidays	15 School Holidays
18	19 Term 3 commences for students!	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29 Riverina Secondary Athletics Carnival