

THE BREEZE

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It has been great to see the maturity with which our senior students have taken on the challenges of Term 4. Our year 6 students are at Narooma and Bega High Schools today for their orientation days and it has been impressive to watch them prepare for their transition to high school over the last few weeks. I was so proud of all of our year 5 students who addressed the school last week and expressed their interest in being school leaders— this in itself is a great achievement. I was even prouder of the humility they all demonstrated when the results were announced to them yesterday. Congratulations to all of these students who did an exceptional job as part of this process. We are all so proud of you. Our ministry will be officially announced at next Wednesday's presentation day.

I was very proud to host a meeting at our school for 25 Principals from all over the South Coast. Thank you to our Gadhu dancers who performed several dances to welcome our guests, to the Year 6 students who shared their 'Rock On' performance and especially to Steve for giving our guests a tour of our school. It was a privilege to hear the positive feedback from these colleagues who were most impressed with the performances, the wonderful facilities and the knowledge and stories that Steve shared. However, I was most proud to hear how polite and welcoming each and every one of our students was to these guests. It is one of my favourite things about our school, that every person who walks through our gates is made to feel so welcome here and it is an absolute delight to walk through the playground each morning and to be greeted with the smiles and excitement of our amazing Bermi kids!

I am really looking forward to spending the next three days on the Stage 3 Canberra excursion with our year 5 and 6 students, as well as Mr Constable, Mr Gill, Mrs Prior, Steve and Cyndi. Thank you to Mrs Caves who will be relieving as Principal while we are away. If you have questions or concerns, remember that your first point of contact is your child's class teacher.

The final school day for students this year is Friday, 15 December. This will also be the final day for our teaching staff as we have already completed our professional learning sessions in lieu of the staff development days on Monday, 18 and Tuesday, 19 December. If you have any enquiries or need to contact a staff member before the end of the year, please be sure to do so before next Friday.

Leah Martin - Principal



Our special student this week is Ava M from Year 1/2 M. Ava consistently demonstrates a positive behaviour to all aspects of school life. She is respectful and kind, with a great sense of humour. Congratulations Ava and family.



CALENDAR & BUDGET

6-8	DEC	Stage 3 Canberra Excursion	\$330
13	DEC	Presentation Day @ 10am	
13	DEC	Year 6 Farewell	
14	DEC	Class parties	
15	DEC	Last Day of Term 4	
30	JAN	First Day of Term 1 2018 for Years 1-6	

MULTIIT VOLUNTEERS THANK YOU

On Monday, the wonderful volunteers who provide the Multiit instruction at our school, presented the children on the program with books and certificates. We greatly appreciate the care and commitment of the volunteers and the diligence of the students who participate.

JOKES OF THE WEEK

What flies and has a curly tail?
Super Pug!!.....not Jayden
.....hee hee

What's a frogs favourite song?
The Croaky Pokey!!



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EFTPOS

EFTPOS facilities are available for parents to pay for School costs. Other payment options are cash, cheque or POP (Parent Online Payment).



CANTEEN

Please note the canteen is now out of stock of the following items:

- Soup
- Spaghetti Bolognese
- Veggie Pasta
- Fried Rice
- Apple & Raspberry Juice Bombs
- Banana flavoured milk
- Apple & Blackcurrant frozen juice

A CHRISTMAS CRACKLE VARIETY CONCERT

Please come and have some fun on this Thursday night 7th December at 7pm.

Exciting comedy and music including a lip synch battle, the wonderful Narooma Public School Rhythm Hunters and Narooma's very own Elvis impersonator, Mr Vuko with his band The Vukinators.

Thursday 7th December 7pm to 9pm.
Narooma High School Hall

\$10 family, \$5 adults, \$2 concessions.

Free tea, hot chocolate and coffee and biscuits.

BERMAGUI SEASIDE FAIR EVENTS 10TH MARCH 2018

Postcards art exhibition – Theme “Down by the seaside”. Using any medium, create your art on the board supplied and it will be exhibited over the weekend of the fair. People's choice awards with great prizes for Primary school, Secondary School and Open categories. Boards available at Frame and Brush, Bermagui / or by special arrangement. \$8 entry includes the board - Artists nominate selling price - less 10% retained by Seaside Fair.

Battle of the bands - for young performers – Great prizes for best Primary School and best High School band / musical performance. - Free entry -Main stage from 11am to 4pm

Street Parade – Theme “Down by the seaside”. Designed to showcase the fun of a day beside the sea, use your imagination and come join the parade. Free entry with prizes for Best junior group - Best on foot, Best on wheel and Best overall entries.

Contact details and Entry forms available on the Seaside Fair website

Bermagui P&C Christmas Raffle

1st Prize

Sapphire Valley Caravan Park Merimbula

3 Nights accommodation for up to 6 Family Members in a Bungalow.
Value over \$500

Sapphire Waters Motel Merimbula

1 nights' accommodation for 4 people in a pool side room
Valued over \$100

Bermagui Surf Shop

\$25 Voucher

Birdland Animal Park Bateman's Bay

Family pass for 2 adults and 2 children
Valued at \$75

Betta Electrical Bega

George Foreman Juicer
Valued at \$60

Bermagui Sundeck

\$25 Voucher

Bermagui Country Club

18 Holes of golf for 4 people and 2 golf carts
Valued over \$100

Betta Electrical Bega

Remington bead, style and glitter set
Valued at \$20

Billabong

Towel and Pencil case
Valued at \$40

Carpet Court Bega

Blue and White Rug
Valued at \$110

Mitre 10 Bega

Rockwell multifunctional tool
Valued at \$70

Electrodry

4 standard rooms cleaned



Lucky Dip Prizes



COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

BERMAGUI GYMNASTICS classes resume 5/2/18. Spaces available in most classes. Beginners on Wed 3.30-4.30pm, Gym for fun & fitness on Mon 3.30-4.30pm, girls competition classes on Mon 4.30-6pm & Tue 3.30-5pm & 5-6.30pm, trampolining on Wed 4.30-5.30pm & 5.30-6.30pm. All enquiries to Ros 64934264 after hours

FREE LEGAL ADVICE 14/12, 9am-3.30pm @ the Women's Resource Centre, 14 Peden St Bega. For more info call 1800 229 529

BERMAGUI PUBLIC SCHOOL - ABSENCE NOTE

Student Name: _____ Class: _____

Date(s) Absent: _____

Reason for absence or leave: _____

Parent/Carer Signature

Date