Thought for the day: “You're off to Great Places! Today is your day! Your mountain is waiting, So... get on your way!” ~ Dr. Seuss, *Oh, The Places You’ll Go!*

**Dates to Remember...**

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**Principal’s Report**

Our Kinder (Prep) 2015 Parent Information Evening will be held at 7.00pm this Wednesday, 24th August, in the Kinder classroom. The evening will outline our Transition Program and try to answer the many questions you may have about starting school. This is for children turning 5 years old before 1st August 2015. Enrolments are being taken now and forms can be collected from the office, or will be available on the night. Please pass this information on to anyone you might know who may have eligible children.

The P&C will be meeting at 5.30pm this evening in the School library. All welcome.

**Flu season is here!**

Influenza is spread from person-to-person through the coughing or sneezing of infected people. Remind your child about these good hygiene practices to minimise the spread of infection:

- Anyone who is sick with influenza symptoms should stay home until their symptoms are gone.
- Cover the nose and mouth with a tissue when coughing or sneezing. Throw the tissue in the garbage bin after use.
- Wash hands often with soap and water, especially after coughing or sneezing. Alcohol-based hand cleaners are also effective.
- Avoid touching eyes, nose or mouth. Germs spread that way.

Please don’t send your children to school if they are sick. It delays recovery and allows the infection to spread.

If you or your child develops influenza-like illness, please seek the advice of your family doctor as you would with any other illness.

*John Francis, Principal*
Father’s Day Stall
The P&C will be holding a Fathers’ Day Stall again this year on Thursday 4th September
This is a perfect opportunity for students to purchase a special Fathers’ Day gift.

WE UGENTLY NEED DONATIONS
We are asking if each family could please donate suitable items for the stall.
Please bring donated items to the school office.
Thank you to those families who have already donated.

WRAPPING AFTERNOON
Parents, guardians, grandparents etc. are invited to come along and help out at our wrapping afternoon from 3pm Tuesday 2nd September

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Enrolments for Kinder 2015

All enquiries welcome to the Principal:
John Francis

Parent Information Evening
7.00pm Wednesday 27th August
for parents of prospective
Kinder students in 2015

Transition Program
6 sessions over an 8 week period from
Friday 17th October
for 2015 Kinder students to attend

For all enquiries
Phone: 5873 4242 or 5873 4920
8.30am – 3.30pm

Students of the Week

Kinder:  Ethan Greatorex, Sam Stillard, Zoe Woods
Year 1/2C:  Baden Riedell, Rory Murdoch, Makayla Dale
Year 1/2PM:  Ryan Nelson, Mikayla Morgan, Blake McLernon
Year 3/4:  Tayla Magill, Daniel Campbell, *Mikayla Kelly
Year 4/5:  Shae Hall, Cass Mosman, Jacob Gow
Year 5/6:  Coleby Hellyer-Maud, Noah Fraser, Kirbey Rudd

*Student chosen by his/her peers

SRC News
Could you please bring all donations for the Care Packages to the office by this Friday, 29th August.
Many thanks, Janice Noble.

Barooga Public School Hoodies are now available at Dean Laws Signs $30

Canteen
Special Recess
Wednesday 27th August

Pizza
Homemade Sausage Roll
Toasted Sandwich
Savoury Muffin
Chocolate Muffin
Pop Corn
Chocolate Milk
Mini Hot Dog
Hot Milo
1/2 Salad Rolls

All 80c each

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Coming Soon…
Save the date!

BAROOGA FAIR

Friday 12th September

Book Fair 8.30am-12.00pm

Come dressed as your favourite Book Character

Art Exhibition

Garden Market

Catch the reading bug!