Congratulations to our student leaders who were inducted into their positions last Friday. We are sure they will enjoy the position of responsibility and the opportunity to demonstrate their leadership.

We have our Welcome Back BBQ on Wednesday 11th February from 5.30pm. This will give you a chance to meet the staff, your child’s classmates and their families in a relaxed and informal situation. All we ask is for a gold coin donation to cover costs. The Student Representative Council will have drinks on sale for $2.00. We hope to see lots of people here.

This Friday 13th February we have our School Swimming Carnival. This is for students in Years 3 to 6 and Year 2 children who turn 8 this year and can swim 50m. Permission notes were sent home last week. Please return notes and payment to the office by this Wednesday 11th February to enable your child to participate. Children are encouraged to dress in team colours, but no coloured hair spray or crepe paper streamers please, as they don’t go well in the water.

For the first few weeks we will continue with individual Newsletters each Monday. At the end of February we will only send home a paper Newsletter if it is requested. Our preferred option is that our newsletter is emailed to you or you can access it on our school website www.barooga-ps.schools.nsw.edu.au.

Complaints Handling Procedures
If at any time there is an issue with any person or anything associated with the school please ensure you bring it to the immediate attention of me, the Principal, in order for the matter to be resolved as quickly as possible. We value what we have, a positive and harmonious school and we work hard to maintain a safe and supported place for learning. If you have any concerns or issues please come and talk to me, no issue is too minor to discuss and often prevents it growing into a major problem.

John Francis, Principal
BULLANGINYA HOUSE LEADERS
Captains
Emmily Woodhead
Jacob Gow
Vice Captains
Chloe Modderkolk
Tyson O’Shea

COTTADIDDA HOUSE LEADERS
Captains
Hunter Rich
Mazzi Post
Vice Captains
Cashen Nolan
Dela Gargaro

MURRAY HOUSE LEADERS
Captains
Lily Brooks
Joel Brown
Vice Captains
Briana Morgan
Cooper Doyle

2015 SRC Representatives
Year 1: Porsha Fisher
Year 2: Angus Maughan
Year 3: Jae Bowden
Year 4/5: Louis Crestani
Year 5/6: Briana Morgan

2015 School Captains
Regan Bale
Kirbey Rudd

P&C News
Thanks to everyone who attended our first P&C Meeting for 2015. It was great to see some new faces. We look forward to your continued support this year.

Marcia Nolan
P&C Secretary
0427 800 516

The SRC will be selling Soft Drinks at our Welcome Back BBQ for

$2.00 each

Little Ath’s has been cancelled this afternoon due to the heat.

WELCOME BACK BBQ
WEDNESDAY 11TH FEBRUARY FROM 5.30PM
THIS WILL BE A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO MEET YOUR CHILD’S TEACHER AND SUPPORT STAFF AS WELL AS OTHER PARENTS

Remember the Swimming Carnival this Friday

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**Community Notes**

**TENNIS COACHING**
Cobram Lawn Tennis Club
ANZ Tennis Hot Shots | Groups | Privates | Squad training | Keystone Tennis | www.keystonetennis.com | 0407 476 041

**CARTOON CAMPS**
Cartoon Kingdom is offering an intense, jam-packed, fun cartooning weekend for local country children.
“You don’t need to draw to come to our camps. You just need to learn the skills – no different from learning how to write” says Danny Cohen, Director of Cartoon Kingdom. Children will be taught the basics to advance Japanese manga techniques in a fun and exciting way by qualified professional cartoonists working in the industry.
Each day will be crammed with activities from drawing favourite cartoon characters with interactive fun games. Highlight will be the Market Day when kids get the opportunity to buy, sell and handle Kingdom money while running their own shops.
Due to the economic climate we have kept our prices low to appeal to everyone and make our programs accessible to all families and members of the community.
Based in Sydney, Cartoon Kingdom have been operating successfully for over 30 years in the art & entertainment industry and run these camps not only across Australia from Darwin to Hobart, Kalgoorlie to Cairns but overseas, including New Zealand, Singapore, England and Canada.
For Further Information: 02 9343 0833
bookings@cartoonkingdom.com.au
www.illustrating-man.com.au

The camps will be held at the following locations:
Shepparton Victoria:
Saturday February 21 – Sunday February 22, 2015
Wagga Wagga NSW:
Saturday February 28 – Sunday March 1, 2015
Albury NSW:
Saturday March 7 – Sunday March 8, 2015
Goulburn NSW:
Saturday March 14 – Sunday March 15, 2015
Canberra ACT:
Saturday March 21 – Sunday March 22, 2015
Cost: $20 per class
Bookings: Please book and pay online
www.illustrating-man.com.au

**2015 GOULBURN MASTERS SERIES**
Goulburn is one of 11 regions of Tennis Victoria and incorporates seven Local Government Areas (Benalla, Greater Shepparton, Mansfield, Mitchell, Moira, Murrindindi and Strathbogie) and their respective associations, clubs, centres, players, coaches and volunteers.
The Masters Series is an annual series of junior tournaments held throughout the Goulburn region. The tournaments provide important playing opportunities for junior players, focused on participation in a competitive environment. Tournaments are run with round-robin singles events with a series points tally.
The Masters Series also provides opportunity for junior players to be eligible for selection to represent the Goulburn region in several Tennis Victoria Regional Team Events held throughout the year. It also acts as a stepping-stone to Tennis Australia’s sanctioned points tournaments.
Tournament enquiries to:
Teams and Event Coordinator
Heather Lees
dilhees22@bigpond.com
Ph: 5826 9424  M: 0408 579 322

**COBRAM AMATEUR BASKETBALL ASSC**
2015 AUTUMN REGISTRATION NIGHTS
FOR JUNIORS & ADULTS
Monday 16th and Tuesday 24th February
from 6.00pm to 7.00pm
Cobram Sports Stadium Campbell’s Road Cobram
The season is planned to start the week of the 2nd March 2015
Registrations this season will again be done online and payment of fees will be via credit card at time of registration.
Assistance for online registration will be given at the registration nights or complete the registration form via the attached link yourself.
Registrations will close on Wednesday 25th February 2015 to allow time for teams and draws to be arranged.
http://www.foxsportspulse.com/assoc_page.cgi?f=1-770-0-0-0
If you have any difficulties with registration please contact Rod Armstrong via email at jennrod@bigpond.net.au or phone 0418 148 942
Registration fees:-
$60 for all players, which includes $40 for BVC affiliation & insurance.
Free skill sessions will also be offered for younger children on Tuesday nights. This is aimed at children aged 6-9 years of age who are not playing, but is open to all children playing in the junior competition who may want to improve their skills. If anyone is interested please respond to Rod Armstrong via email or phone.

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