Principal's Report

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to Term 2. We hope you had an enjoyable break and are ready for the term ahead.

Unfortunately Miss Gifford was unable to start work this week, as a result of a bureaucratic technicality. Mrs Bird will be on the 4/5 class for the week and Miss Gifford will start next week.

This Friday is the school Cross Country. There will be an adjusted timetable to accommodate this event. Please return permission notes as soon as possible. Thank you to those who have already returned their notes and who have volunteered to help out. If you are able to assist on Friday and have not let us know please contact the school as we are looking for helpers.

We are happy to announce the school has paid for a subscription to the You Can Do It! Parents Website. The site provides valuable information for parents on a whole range of issues based around three main themes; Positive Parents, Effective Parents and Positive Children. Each family will receive a package which outlines how you register to use the site. We hope this provides our families with some useful support based on our highly successful You Can Do It! Program.

Barooga Public School is now on Facebook. Just search for Barooga Public School. We hope this will help us communicate better with parents and our community.

Our highly successful Nit Busters Program, started last year, will commence again early this term. Permission notes were sent home last term. Last year we had a huge reduction in the number of reports each time. We have qualified hairdressers doing the checking. Hairdressers won’t be treating with conditioner nor doing nit identification as indicated in the information last term. Notifications are confidential. It will only be successful if the majority of families participate. Thank you to the many parents who promptly returned notes.

John Francis, Principal
**P&C News**
Our next meeting will be held at 6pm this Wednesday, 15th April. All welcome.

Next Friday evening, 24th April, we will be holding an outdoor movie night on the big screen in the school grounds. The movie showing is PADDINGTON. Coffee, chips, lollies, drinks and popcorn will be for sale on the night. The movie will start just on dark, around 6.45pm. The cost will be $5 per child, $10 per Adult and $20 per family. Bring your own chairs, blankets and even pillows if you like. Hope to see you there. There will also be a grocery raffle on the night.

**Marcia Nolan, P&C Secretary**

**Students of the Week**
- **Kinder Maroon**: Penelope Brooks, Hayley Evans
- **Kinder Gold**: Jaxson Sparkes, Murphy Stephens
- **Year 1**: Imogen Jensen, Codi Bowden, Porsha Fisher
- **Year 2**: Demi Wheeler, Ryan Nelson, Dakota Kelly
- **Year 3**: Oscar Rothe, Ebony Kernaghan, Kayla Carroll
- **Year 4/5**: Callum Morgan, Sarah MacDonald, Victoria Zoch
- **Year 5/6**: Liam Collie, *Tyson O’Shea, *Kirbey Rudd

**Wanted!**
Could parents please donate any spare Woolworth's Dominos to school to be used for maths.

**Reminder...**
The After School Program begins next Monday.
For more details contact Adam Gatcum 0400 615 145

**SRC News**
Thank you to all those who supported our Easter Raffle by donating items, selling tickets and purchasing tickets. We raised $888.00 dollars. A great effort!

Coming up this term...

**Tracky Dack Day**
We will be holding a TLC for Kids Tracky Dack Day on Friday 29th May.
This is the only emergency response charity for distressed kids in hospital needing emotional support within 48hrs. “Dack up and Donate”

**Fun Run**
Friday 19th June.

The SRC are looking forward to your continued support in Term 2.

Janice Noble
SRC Coordinator.

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Family Movie Night

PADDINGTON

Outdoors on the big screen at Barooga Public School

6.45pm Friday 24th April

Everyone Welcome!

$5 per child, $10 per adult,
$20 per family

Drinks, Popcorn, Lollies & Chips for sale
BYO Chairs, Bean Bags, Blankets & Aeroguard

*STRICTLY NO ALCOHOL OR SMOKING ON THE SCHOOL GROUNDS

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ICE… & DRUG USE A COMMUNITY FORUM
Barooga Recreation Reserve
6.15pm - 7.15pm Tuesday 14th April 2015
Are you concerned about the use of ICE in our communities?
Want to know more about its effects on families and what you can do?
Our guest speaker will share her story and that of her family and together with a panel of local services – Police, Ambulance and Health Workers will answer your questions about how the broader community can assist and what you can do…
Presented by The Berrigan Youth Development Committee.

BAROOGA FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB
NET SET GO PROGRAM
We will be running an 8 week program on a Wednesday evening beginning April 22nd – June 10th for 5 – 10 year olds to be held at the Barooga netball courts.
The program will be run from 5.30 pm – 6.30 pm, registration will take place at the courts on April 8th and April 15th from 5.15 pm – 6.00 pm, cost to be advised.
Any enquiries for the program, call Jacquie Doyle 0488 734 067

COBRAM NETBALL ASSOCIATION
NETSETGO! will commence Friday, 17th April, 2015 at the Cobram Sports Stadium, Apex Reserve, Campbell Road, Cobram.
The program will run for 8 weeks.
Cost $80 includes a size 4 Gilbert netball, ANZ NetSetGo T-shirt and a participation medal.
Registrations are now accepted online at http://mynetball.com.au. Please click on Find a Club and enter 3644 as the postcode. From the search results click on Register for Cobram Netball Association.
For more information please contact the Club President, Amanda Chadwick on 0419584311 or cobramnetball@mail.com. Find us on Facebook/cobramnetballassociation.

COBRAM & DISTRICT FOOTBALL & AUSKICK
CDJF & Auskick will once again run during the Victorian school term from Wednesday 15th April through to Wednesday 24th June.
Auskick participants must register online (go to Auskick website and enter Cobram/Barooga to align with our centre).
Junior Football is also online with participants going to Cobram & District Junior Football website and clicking on Members Access. Follow the prompts from there. If you have any issues contact Peter Beasley at mvprint@iinet.net.au or Ph: 0458194890

SHANE ATKINSON AUDIOMETRIST
Shan Atkinson will attend the Tocumwal Community Health Centre on Tuesday 14th April, Tuesday 12th May, Tuesday 19th May and Tuesday 26th May. If your child has had any ear infections in the past (6 weeks following).
Any concerns about speech, learning or behaviour, please ring Tocumwal Hospital to make an appointment for your child to have a hearing test on 03 5874 2166.
Child must be free of cold at time of test and at least 6 week following a cold.
Any queries ring Tocumwal Hospital and leave a message or Nurse Audiometrist.

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