Byron Bay Public School

Newsletter

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Term 4 - Week 6

Wednesday 20 November 2019

What's Coming Up! Term 4

Week 6 **Thursday 21 November**

S1 Intensive Swimming

Friday 22 November

- S1 Intensive Swimming •
- Kindergarten 2020 Orientation

Week 7

Monday 25 November

- Y6 Canberra Excursion
- School Assembly 1.50pm
- S1 Intensive Swimming

Tuesday 26 November

Y6 Canberra Excursion

S1 Intensive Swimming

- Wednesday 27 November
- Y6 Canberra Excursion
- S1 Intensive Swimming

Thursday 28 November

- Y6 Canberra Excursion
- S1 Intensive Swimming

Friday 29 November

- Kindergarten 2020 Orientation
- S1 Intensive Swimming

PAYMENTS CAN BE MADE ONLINE VISIT THE SCHOOL WEBSITE "Make a Payment"

PAYMENTS NOW DUE **School Contribution - \$80** Book Pack - \$55

Year 6 Canberra Balance

S1 End of Year Excursion - Palace Cinema \$12 with popcorn \$8 without popcorn School of Life Project \$30

Circus Arts Competition Winners

Last Wednesday, 1/2G attended Circus Arts and they had a great time enjoying two hours of fun filled activities. The class won the centre's art competition and this was their prize. The students had lots of fun on the balance beam, trampoline, tumble track, static trapeze and silks. The

highlight of the day was the flying trapeze. Students were both nervous and excited as they climbed the ladder to the top and cheered each other on as they took their turn. The instructors applauded 1/2G's excellent behaviour and good manners. It was an exhilarating experience for all. Congratulations 1/2G.

New Building

The excitement is mounting, in just over a week the new building will be handed over to the school. The new furniture has arrived and the rooms look amazing. All of our planning and hard work has been worth it. The

playground component will not be ready to play on till the beginning of term one 2020, as this aspect was not included in the original scope of works. They are busy resurfacing the area, laying drainage and irrigation, then finally turf. The back playground will be handed over in two stages, with the area occupied by the demountables being handed over last of all. We are looking forward to the boys and girls being able to run around and play in our beautifully turfed playground.

Moving Day - Monday 2 December – Minimal Supervision Available

Monday 2 December is our proposed moving day which will involve relocating 24 classrooms, furniture and storerooms full of teaching resources. On this day, students will not have access to teaching and learning as usual, supervision will be available on the day but it will be minimal. If you can, I encourage you to please keep students home on this day. If you need to send them

to school, please note that only minimal supervision will be available. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Moving Organisation The following classes will be moving into the new building as of Monday 2 December and will stay there till the end of the year - 6H, 6W,



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environments. They definitely have the best interests of the students in mind.

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Byron Bay Public School acknowledges and pays respect to the Arakwal people of the Bunjalung Nation, the traditional custodians of the land upon which the school proudly stands.





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Furniture Giveaway – Monday 2 December

The school doesn't have appropriate storage space to house excess furniture and we will have guite a bit of excess furniture. If you would like some of this furniture, it will be available for collection from the cement area between the end of the library and Carlyle St between 12.00pm and 5.00pm on Monday 2 December. Perhaps you might like a desk and chairs to set up as a study desk or a place for your child to work quietly. There are also teachers' desks and some cupboards, all in used condition.

Please help us spread the word about the furniture giveaway, tell your friends, family, neighbours, community groups and anyone else who might benefit from this furniture. Please note, we do not deliver, all furniture will need to be collected between 12.00pm and 5.00pm on Monday 2 December.

Captains Election Speeches

Congratulations to each of the students who gave their captains election speech, they all did a fabulous job and have much to be proud of. Successful School Captains and Vice Captains will be announced at Presentation Day on Thursday 5 December. We look forward to working with them in their new leadership roles in 2020. Well done and keep up the good work.



Two School Development Days

We are providing you with advanced notice that we will be having two consecutive School Development Days at the beginning of next year, the first one will be on Tuesday 28 January and the second one on Wednesday 29 January. This is in line with Byron Bay High School who are doing the same thing. Students, with the exception of Kindergarten, will commence on Thursday 30 January.

We have been part of a pilot program being developed for schools who have new building works happening. They have targeted professional learning, based on the change in teaching pedagogy, required of staff in order to make best use of our futures focused teaching and learning spaces.

Planning for 2020

We have commenced our planning and organisation for 2020. If you know that your child/ren won't be attending our school in 2020, with the exception of Year 6 students, could you please inform the office. Similarly, if you are aware of any students moving into our area who will be attending our school in 2020, please ask the families to make contact with the school. We need this information to form classes for next year. Also, if you are having an extended holiday and your child/ren will not be back at school on the first day, please let us know in writing before the end of the year

Great P&C

A BIG thank you to our P&C who have approved the purchase of an outdoor PA system that we can use at carnivals and activities both onsite and off site. The P&C has provided us with much needed support throughout the year, particularly with fundraising which has enabled us to purchase a great range of teaching and learning resources. We are fortunate to have such an amazing P&C who represent the parents and citizens in our school community. Thank you to everyone who has participated in their fundraising endeavours, it has been a real team effort.

Until next time, Mrs Linda Trida Principal

Byron Bay Public School—2019 Instrumental Recital

Tickets are now available for the Annual Instrumental Recital to be held at the Byron Theatre on Wednesday 4 December at 6.30pm. Bring along family and friends to enjoy an evening of musical delight. Tickets are available online: https://byroncentre.com.au/event/byron-bay-public-school-instrumental-recital-2019/? instance id=25502

Japanese Taiko Drumming

Students from Year 4 had the pleasure of participating in Japanese Taiko Drumming. The instructors invited us all to have a go at the instruments. It was lots of fun and was a great taste of Japanese culture.

By Mayzie R and Banjo K



Weekly Achievement Awards Term 4 Week 5 These awards will be presented at

Assembly in Week 7 Term 4

Stevie	KC	Summer	KD
Leon	KM	Clementine	KP
Benjamin	KS	Clancy	1B
Cash	1C	Harley	1H
Emma	1S	Azra	1/2G
Jude	2C	Bethany	2S
Lyla	2T	Bailey	3D
Presley	3M	Trystan	3W
William	3/4S	Yuki	4P
Maya	4PV	Anya	4V
Sienna	51	Zahra	5R
George	5S	Judd	6C
Henry	6H	Joshua	6W
Technology	4P	Nalu	
Choir	6C	Kate	
Music	KD	Jagger	
Instrumental Program	5R	Archie C	

Weekly Achievement Awards - Term 4 Week 4









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