

Byron Bay Public School

Newsletter

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Communicating With Our Valued Community

Term 4 - Week 8

What's Coming Up! Term 4 2021

Week 8

Thursday 25 November

- 2022 House Captain voting

Friday 26 November

- SRC Fun Day

Week 9

Monday 29 November

- Whole School Assembly @ 1.50pm

Tuesday 30 November

- BBHS Year 7 2022 Orientation Day

Wednesday 1 December

- Year 5 Adolescence Program

Thursday 2 December

- Year 5 Leadership Day
- Year 6 Leadership Day with Liz Blatchford

Friday 3 December

- Year 5 Leadership Day

Week 10

Monday 6 December

- Whole School Assembly @ 1.50pm
- Stage 3 Swimming Assessment 10.00am - 2.30pm

Tuesday 7 December

- Stage 2 Swimming Assessment 10.00am - 2.30pm

Wednesday 8 December

- Presentation Day - Year 3 to 6

Thursday 9 December

- Bravehearts Performance 'Ditto' Kinder - 2 @ 12.10pm

Friday 10 December

- SRC Silent Disco

PAYMENTS CAN BE MADE VIA THE SCHOOLSTREAM APP OR OUR SCHOOL WEBSITE
"Make a Payment tab"
PAYMENTS NOW DUE

Voluntary Contribution - \$55
(includes subscriptions to Reading Eggs, Mathematics, bus to Cross Country and Athletics plus a contribution of \$29.50)

Kinder and Stage 1 -
Palace Cinema \$11.00
with popcorn \$15.00

Year 5 Activities Day - \$8.00

The 5000 Day Project - \$30



STEM is curriculum based on the idea of educating students in four specific disciplines, integrating concepts that are usually taught as separate subjects - science, technology, engineering and mathematics - in an interdisciplinary and applied approach. In our STEM room, students learn how to program and code different types of robotic and technology equipment.

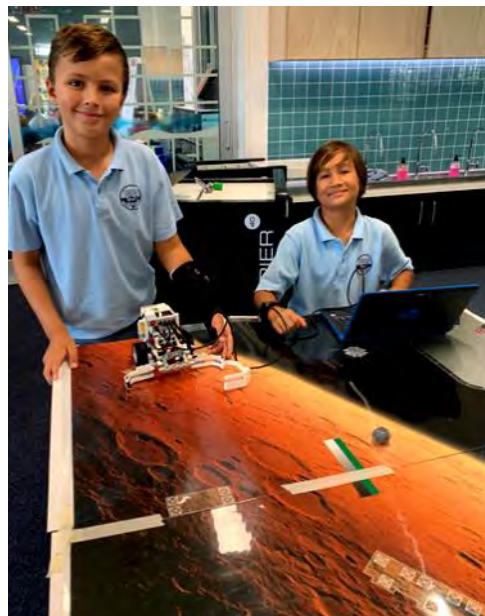


Halo is coding the Sphero to follow a track and display correct and incorrect answers to division problems.



Will and Hamish are creating a Rube Goldberg machine.

Ella and Grace (right) are programming Edison robots to collect 'presents' from the village they have built with blocks.



Blake and Tiko have engineered and coded the EV3 robot to collect 'space rocks'.



Lara, Rosy and Billie are programming Blu Bots to travel to different places on the farm.



Member of the Lighthouse Valley of Schools

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.

Respectful - Responsible - Fair



Education

E-Safety Regarding Photos and Videos Taken by Others

The [e-Safety Commission](#) provides online safety information for parents, grandparents and carers. There is also relevant legal information regarding photos and videos which are kept on mobile phones. [Youth Law Australia](#) has a webpage titled '[Photos and videos on your phone](#)' about the legalities of possessing or sharing photos and videos that the person in the photo may not be aware of. It is wise to be up to date on this subject.

Disability Strategy

A [new online hub](#) has been launched for parents and carers featuring information about the supports available for students with additional learning and support needs or disability. The online resource is designed for parent and carers to easily find up-to-date information about how to access support. This resource will continue to be enhanced to meet identified needs. Creating a one-stop online resource with information for families and carers is a key commitment under the [Disability Strategy](#).

Parent Line NSW – Free Counselling Service

Parent Line is a free telephone counselling service, that provides information and referral services for parents of children aged 0 to 18 years who live in New South Wales. They also provide support and information for professionals working with families. Parent Line counsellors are available to help with any of your parenting issues. For example, their counsellors can help with problems relating to young babies and children:

- Settling and feeding newborns and babies;
- Toddler taming;
- Managing child care and school transitions;
- Support during family separation;
- Managing stress and anxiety and
- Supporting your child after a traumatic event;
- Through to issues relating to teenagers including:
- Teen mental health;
- School and study issues;
- Managing technology use;
- Alcohol and drug use and
- Strategies to build positive relationships.

They can be contacted on 1300 1300 52 or online at <https://www.parentline.org.au/>

Grown out of School Uniforms

If families have any Byron Bay Public School uniforms that your child/ren have grown out of or no longer need, we would appreciate if you could send them to school to build our collection of second hand uniforms.

Permission to Publish

Our new Permission to Publish note was sent home for your attention. Please make sure you read it carefully, tick the appropriate box and return the permission slip to school. Students whose parents do not give permission to publish will not appear in the newsletter or on any social media accounts. Thank you to those parents who have already returned the permission note.

Planning for 2022

We have commenced our planning and organisation for 2022. If you know that your child/children won't be attending our school in 2022, 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 2022, 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/children will not be back at school on the first day of 2022, please let us know in writing, before the end of the year.

Level 3 Restrictions

As of Monday 8 November, all staff and adult visitors must be fully vaccinated and provide proof of vaccination before entry on site is permitted. We are asking parents to not enter school grounds and to kiss and drop the children off outside the school gate. The same applies at pick up time. We are still operating under level 3 restrictions which means that parents are not allowed on site, with the exception of canteen volunteers, parents purchasing school uniforms or supporting curriculum implementation, as well as those involved in complex wellbeing matters.

Until next time,
Linda Trigg
Principal

**Weekly Achievement Awards
Term 4 Week 7**
*These awards will be presented
Term 4 Week 9*

Gaia	KC	Celina	KD
June	KE	Beau	KP
Constance	1A	Bodhi	1C
Billie	1H	Luna	1S
Christian	2G	Dusty	2K
Lily	2M	Zephyr	2S
Max	3D	Taj	3J
Odin	3P	Jenson	3/4C
Tyler	4S	Ivy	4T
Mali	4/5R	Dhara	5I
Rafael	5P	Lawson	5/6C
Rose	6A	Jack	6H
Shae	6W		
Technology		Lucie	4T
Music		Eximious	3D

Celebrating The Arts at Byron Bay Public School



Look out for our virtual band who have 'set up' on the front lawn in Kingsley Street and a collection of all our classes artwork adorning Kingsley and Carlyle Street fence line. Due to COVID, we have not been able to celebrate our achievements in the Arts with our community this year, so we are bringing the arts to you.



Special Author Visit via Zoom

2K were very lucky to have a special Zoom visit from Jonah's mum, Samantha Turnbull. We were given a sneak peek of Samantha's new book, 'Remember the Rainbows'. This wonderful piece of poetry is non-fiction and tells some incredible stories of hope and friendship from around the world during the COVID lockdown period. 2K students were amazed to hear about orchestras performing to plants, drive-in cinemas and children starting their own schools. 'Remember the Rainbows' will be released on December 1 and Samantha has kindly donated a copy to our class. Thank you, Samantha for inspiring us to keep on writing and to share our stories with others.





**BYRON BAY
PUBLIC SCHOOL
SILENT DISCO**

Friday 10 December
Students may wear sun safe multi clothing for this day. Please wear closed in footwear.

- * Kinder 9.30 - 10.20am
- * Stage 1 10.20 - 11.20am
- * Stage 2 12.10 - 1.10pm
- * Stage 3 1.50 - 3.00pm

Cost - \$7 per student
OR
2 Siblings \$10, 3 Siblings \$15, 4 Siblings \$20

CANTEEN

**2021 Term 4 - Week 9
Canteen Roster**

Mon 29 Nov David Sweet
Tues 30 Nov Cilla Jolliffe
Wed 1 Dec Briohny Brindley
Thu 2 Dec Lorena Uechtriz and Ange Grice
Fri 3 Dec Jen White and Helen Safranek

The canteen is open Monday to Friday. To place an order, please sign up at www.flexischools.com.au (lunch orders must be placed by 9.15am). Cash will only be accepted if there is a problem with Flexischools. All lunch orders need to be placed through the online ordering system. (Note: there are no pick up items available) We recommend placing your child's lunch order the night before to ensure that the order has gone through. Please make sure that you follow the process all the way through to the order confirmation. Please check for a confirmation email after you have placed your order. If you have any problems with the Flexischools App, please try logging on through the Flexischools website. If you would like to volunteer in the canteen (9.00am - 12.00pm), please contact Mandy in the canteen or email to bbpscanteen@gmail.com.



SRC FUN DAY

FUN ACTIVITIES FOR THE WHOLE SCHOOL TO PARTICIPATE IN. FACILITATED BY THE STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL.

Friday 26 November

ESI 9:20-10:10	STAGE 2 10:10-11:20	STAGE 1 12:10-1:30	STAGE 3 1:50-2:50
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PLEASE WEAR YOUR SCHOOL HAT

On Friday 26 November the SRC will be hosting the SRC Fun Day. Each stage will rotate around a range of activities that the SRC has organised. It is an excellent opportunity for our student leaders to demonstrate their organisation, communication and leadership skills. We can't wait to see everyone enjoying themselves on the back playground. Please ensure students have their school hat in order to participate.

Canteen News

There will be restricted pick up specials available through Flexischools to collect from the canteen.

The following items will be Available: ice-creams, frozen yoghurts, slushies and Quelch frozen fruit tubes.

On **Thursday 25 November** - Kindergarten and Stage 1 only can order frozen pick up treats.
On **Friday 26 November** - Stage 2 and 3 only can order frozen pickup treats.
Any pick up orders placed on the incorrect day will NOT be allowed to collect the items.



Citizenship Award Winners

Congratulations to the following students on receiving the Citizenship Award for the month of August.

Thank you to Mr Michael Gudgeon from Ray White Real Estate who presented the students with their chosen book and certificate.

Stage 1	Benjamin I	2M
Stage 2	Atticus MG	4T
Stage 3	Rose R	6A



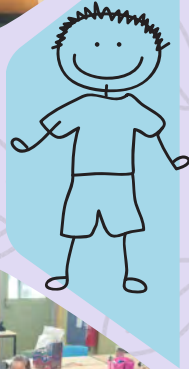
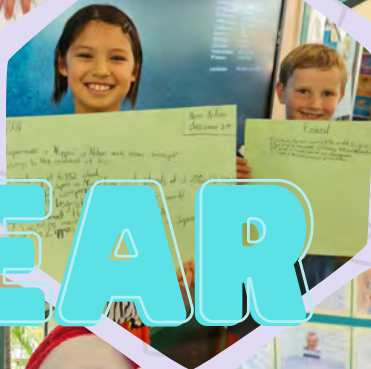
Primary ETHICS **Become an Ethics teacher at BBPS!**

Are you interested in helping to shape how future generations will make sense of the world they live in? Would you like to help children be mindful and considerate?

BBPS has been running ethics classes for over a decade, but we need more volunteer teachers to keep up with growing student demand. In ethics classes, students explore everyday issues suitable for their age. They learn to listen closely to each other, to disagree without putdowns and to think carefully as they form their opinions. We have students across all year levels on the current waitlist for an ethics class. To do that we need more volunteers to teach. If interested, please visit <https://primaryethics.com.au/volunteer> Or contact David - dsweet3333@gmail.com

Uniform Shop

Please note the Uniform Shop will be CLOSED next Monday 29 November. It will reopen on Monday 6 December as normal. Sorry for any inconvenience caused.



YEAR 2





YEAR 2



WHAT A GREAT YEAR WE'VE HAD IN YEAR 2, WE HAVE LEARNT SO MANY THINGS THAT ARE NEW!



WE ARE CLEVER AND KIND AND RESPECTFUL TOO, LOOK AT ALL THE THINGS WE CAN DO!



2021 Weekly Achievement Awards Term 4 Week 6



Bowie KC



Imogen KD



Layla KE



Tanisa KP



Lachlan 1A



Dare 1C



Odem 1H



Lily 1S



Harper 2G



Jonah 2K



Jesse 2M



Tima 2S



Rio 3D



Lucas 3J



Arlo 3P



Finley 3/4C



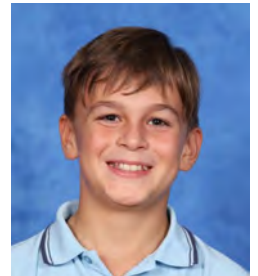
Lily 4S



Rory 4T



Raya 4/5R



Boyd 5I



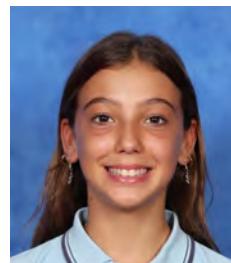
Jeanie 5P



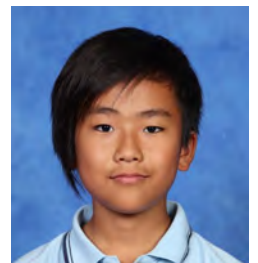
Liam 5/6C



Soraya 6A



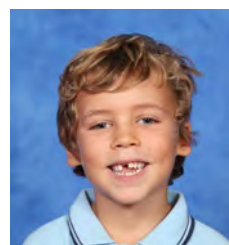
Leila 6H



Kai 6W



Pia 3/4C
Technology



Dutch KC
Music



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