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BUNGENDORE PUBLIC SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Thursday 11 March 2021 WEEK 7 TERM 1









On Thursday 4th March staff and students gathered in the school hall to celebrate Mrs Lloyd's birthday on her last day as Principal at BPS.

She was presented with a special birthday award, as well as a card signed by every student. After a little dance along we happily joined together to sing her Happy Birthday!

















BPS News



Attention all Families We are asking for your help!



There are a few things that we ask our students to do each day, and we need your help in encouraging these behaviours.

- EVERYONE is asked to walk their bikes / scooters while on school grounds both in the mornings and afternoons
- the wearing of safety helmets is a legal requirement for all riders
- bikes / scooters must be WALKED across all crossings
- if crossing the road near school please model appropriate use of the marked crossings, including checking for traffic and walking carefully
- bikes need to be walked on busy footpaths, especially when close to crossings and students boarding buses
- ALL students are asked to sit in the Top playground in the morning before school. If you are staying with your child, please ask them to sit next to you. No students are to wait at classrooms. All students move to class lines when the bell rings

BPS P&C....would like to hear from you!



We have developed a survey and would love to know what's important to you and how we can better serve our school community in 2021...

The survey will close on Tuesday 24 March...



https://us4.list-manage.com/survey?u=a329482813a601aaf78f52604&id=f787df007e&attribution=false&e=5bf89d5e52





Our school will be holding a Scholastic Book Fair from Monday 15th March to Thursday 18th March and we would like to invite you to come.

- * Our own pop-up bookshop at school!
 - * Encourage the joy of reading.

* Our school receives a commission on all sales to purchase resources for our library.

Children will preview the books and write their wishlists on Friday 12th March and Monday 15th March. Plus to assist those parents

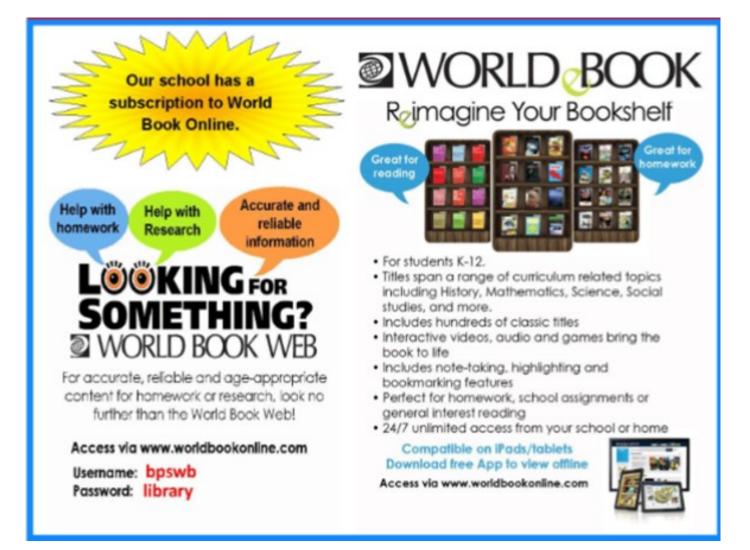
Our opening times will be:

Monday 15th March: 3:15pm-4:00pm

Plus to assist those parents who work we will also be open on Tuesday 16th March from 6:00pm - 7pm.

Tuesday 16th, Wednesday 17th and Thursday 18th: 8:30am-9:10am and 3:15pm-4:00pm





HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS"

The next Holiday Happenings edition is now available online.

To see the Programs, Activities & Events happening these holidays go to:

www.holidayhappenings.com.au/online-booklet

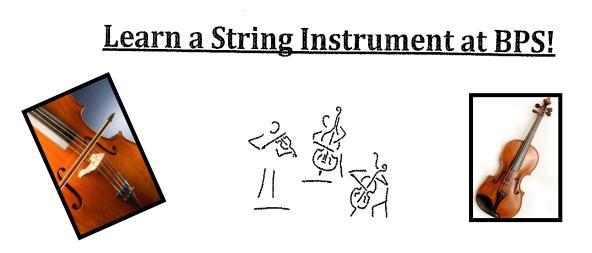
What's on at BPS

District Swimming

A few weeks ago the 35 students travelled to Canberra to compete in the Queanbeyan District Swimming carnival. The day was enjoyed by all with some incredible personal bests achieved by many swimmers with all 4 relay teams coming second in the district.

Well done to everyone who swam at the Regionals in Dapto yesterday March 11th.





Bungendore Public School students have the opportunity to learn the Violin, Viola or Cello as a private lesson or in a group class setting at the school through private tutors Nicole Vieser and Rita Woolhouse.

After students have progressed sufficiently, they are eligible to join the Bungendore Youth Orchestra to play their instrument with their peers in a group setting after school and the opportunity to perform within the school and the community.

The benefits of music education have been well documented and proven to enhance motor skills, self-confidence, self-discipline, and team work. Learning a musical instrument also helps students progress in other core learning areas such as Maths and Reading.

For more information including lesson fees, timetables and to enroll your child in violin or viola lessons please contact **Nicole Vieser** via email: <u>nicolevieser@icloud.com</u>

For Cello lessons please contact Rita Woolhouse via ritzcello@hotmail.com



BUNGENDORE NETBALL CLUB 2021



COME & TRY / REGISTRATION DAY

14th March 10.00-12.00pm at the Bungendore Public School



TEAM FORMATION DAY

28th March 10.00-12.00pm at the Bungendore Public School



REGISTRATIONS CLOSE

Registrations close on the 02 April. To register, go to: http://bungendorenc.nsw.netball.com.au



SEASON STARTS

Season begins Saturday 01 May 21 at the Karabah netball courts

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT

HTTP://BUNGENDORENC.NSW.NETBALL.COM.AU HTTPS://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/BUNGENDORENETB ALLCLUBBNC

Junior Basketball

Wednesday Afternoons - Terms 2 & 3 - in the School Hall Commencing Wednesday 21 April at 3:45pm K-2 @ 3:45pm 3-4 @ 4:30pm 5-6 @ 5:30pm Come one, come all....No experience required! Term 2—training & skill development Term 3—mini games & training for K-2, games for Years 3-6 Cost is \$70 for both terms. Any adult who can help ... Please contact Rhonda-Jane Foulds on 0409 446 018

Bungendore Soccer - Capital Football Competition Under 10s, 11s & 12s Still Places available!

Have you registered yet? Clock is ticking! Capital Football teams Rego closes soon.

Don't miss out on a full and fun year of soccer. Visit playfootball.com.au and register for your team.

How do you register I hear you asking? 1. Visit <u>playfootball.com.au</u> 2. Select Register.

3.Search for Palerang United 4. Click the link, and select the team - it will be listed as Bungendore and the age group 5. Complete registration and it's all done!

Any issues send an email to <u>bungendoreufc@gmail.com</u> or through Bungendore Community Soccer Facebook page





Community News

Preparation Program for the Sacrament of Reconciliation

St Mary's Parish, Bungendore 2021 now starting Wednesday 21 April

In April 2021, St Mary's will be running a preparation program for the sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession). This program is intended for baptised Catholic children who are in Year Three or above.

<u>Preparation sessions:</u> There will be two or three preparation sessions on Wednesday evenings between 6 and 7:30pm St Mary's Hall, 28 Turallo Tce, Bungendore. These sessions are for the children and an accompanying parent / guardian.

<u>Liturgy for the Sacrament of Reconciliation</u>, The sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated in St Mary's Church at 6pm on a weekday evening after the preparation program has finished..

More details and enrolment forms are on our parish page at the archdiocesan website at http://cg.org.au/bungendore/Home.aspx

or phone 6238 1247 (11-5 Wednesdays) or email bungendore@cg.org.au

If you registered for last year's program but did not participate, just email us to confirm that you want to participate this year.

<u>Sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation:</u> We will be running programs for the sacraments of Eucharist and Confirmation later in the year.

Don't Forget to Pack a Hat!

No Hat? Please play in the shade.... Uniform Shop Open Fridays 2:45—3:30pm

PARENTS PLEASE NOTE

Students are **not** to be dropped off at school before **8.40am** in the morning.



There is **no** supervision before this time.