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### **Dates to Remember**

#### Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June

Year 5/6 Relationships Australia Incursion (free program) Prep-2 Incursion – Reptile Encounters

<u>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June</u> School of Rock – Rock Band

<u>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June</u> Year 5/6 Relationships Australia Incursion (free program)



(Gold Coin donation) House Tabloid Sports End of Term – 1.45pm finish (OSHC available until 6.00pm)

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July First day of Term 3 – Welcome back!

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 7.00pm Parents & Friends Meeting

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July 7.00pm School Council (6.00pm Finance)

#### Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August Pupil Free day

Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews (information sent first week Term 3)



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## **Bundoora Bulletin**

From the Principal...

Next week is the last week of Term 2 – *thank goodness* some may say. We have endured another busy term with many things going on in and around our school. Our students are very lucky to be involved in so many different opportunities at our school, our Prep-4 Gymnastics Program, 5/6 Camp, RMIT Science, Prep-2 Reptile Encounters Incursion, 3/4 Recycling Excursion, 4-6 Interschool Sports, Cross Country, Sports Clinics, School of Rock, Choir, Kindy Sessions, Social & Emotional Learning, Science Club, Coding Club, to name just a few. There can be so much organisation "behind the scenes" to provide these programs and I am extremely grateful to our wonderful staff who coordinate these events. I'd like to take this opportunity to thank our hardworking staff, wonderful students and very helpful parents for another great term. Our Class Reps continue to provide loads of information to our parents through their weekly emails and I know our parents appreciate the reminders. It can be challenging getting up in the cold mornings and beating the elements of the weather and coughs and colds that Term 2 tends to bring. I hope everyone will have the opportunity to have a good two week holiday break with much rest and relaxation.

Our **School Choir** and **Rock Band** are enthusiastically rehearsing for their performances at next Tuesday's **School of Rock** at Melrose Receptions. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to showcase their talent and our students are excited to perform to the many schools that will be in attendance. Mrs Newell has prepared our performers well through lunchtime and afterschool practice sessions. We are very grateful to Mr Shaw and Miss Jeffries for stepping in to continue guiding our choir and band in Mrs Newell's absence.

Our **Parents & Friends Team** continue to work hard around our fundraising events. The Entertainment Book is still available to purchase – great savings, especially school holiday activities! See the flyer at the end of this newsletter for information on how to purchase the Entertainment Book for just \$70.00. Term 3 fundraising events will include our **Chocolate Drive** (yum!), our **Ladies Bingo Night**, and our **Father's Day Stall**. Our Ladies Bingo Night is looking set to be a great fun evening, with loads of awesome prizes on offer throughout the evening. After last year's very successful and popular evening we are sure tickets will sell fast. Tickets will be on sale from the first week of next term. Save the date for this hilarious event on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August. Stay tuned for more information early next term.

Although it is only close to the end of Term 2, we have begun the arduous task of organisation for class structures in 2018. I urge any parent with a **2018 Prep child intending to enrol at our school**, to do so as soon as possible. As has been advised previously, we have received Prep enrolment forms much earlier than in the past and our preparation has begun for 2018. Enrolment forms can be collected from our office or our website.

Our teachers have been working relentlessly on our Student Reports, after completing testing and assessments during these last few weeks. Student Reports will be finalised and ready to be sent out early next Term. Our **Students/Parent/Teacher 3-Way conferences** will follow on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> August. This day will be a **Pupil Free Day** where students will not be required at school until their interview time. Our staff will complete a morning of Professional Development, then prepare for and be available for our 3-Way Conferences. These conferences are a great way for our students to showcase their work and achievements in class, as well as for parents to raise any concerns they may have.

Have you had a chance to clear out your wardrobes and cupboards? **Mondo Recycling** will be collecting our bags of **recycled clothing**, **shoes**, **linen**, **accessories and toys** this Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June. Bags of recycled things can be left in Miss T's classroom (Prep T) ready to be picked up this Friday. Our school will be paid 25c per kilo for the items that will be reused and recycled.

Enjoy your week, Lee Follard

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## Did you miss this week's Monday morning Assembly?

- Cross Country report
- Presentation of appreciation from
  - Diamond Valley Foodshare
- Rock Band & Choir School of Rock
   Science Club & Kindy Science
- Flash Mob such fun!
- Artwork being produced thanks
  - to our new Visual Arts Teacher.

....and further reports from our Captains, House Captains reporting on their chosen Value of the week, Birthdays & our School Song.

Pupil of the Week for the week ending: 16<sup>th</sup> June 2017

GRADE	REASON FOR CITATION	NAME
5/6N	For your excellent approach and commitment towards every piece of work assigned to you	Sarah
5/6M	For always displaying a positive attitude and a "never give up" approach.	Harry
5/6J	For having a great attitude towards his work especially in spelling. Keep up the good work.	Nick
3/4S	For taking the plunge in Gymnastics and overcoming his fears. Superstar!	Aaron
3/4N	For your excellent efforts in Maths groups. Keep up the great work!	Keira
3/4B	For using his initiative in home learning and presenting a fabulous poster and information on Stag Beetles.	Patrick
1/25	For working so hard in Reading groups this term.	Zaina & Umayma
1/2N	For his amazing reading during readings groups. Well done!	James A
1/2L	For putting in a big effort to improve your handwriting. Keep up the awesome work.	Arya
1/2B	For always showing the school values and being a kind class member.	Matthew
	For working hard on learning more Magic Words.	Chloe
Prep T	For always following our school rules.	Yuvraj
Prep D	For your excellent writing about the long weekend and sounding out the tricky words. Well done!	Jemima
Science	For always coming to Science ready to learn and for showing resilience when designing and building.	James H
Visual Arts	For proudly completing his caterpillar artwork.	Benjamin J
	For showing great skill development in his portrait drawing.	William Cook
Auslan	For helping Mrs Allibon to learn Auslan Signs for many new words.	All Junior School
Phys. Ed	For showing everyone your fantastic football and kicking skills during our PE lesson. Well done!	Benjamin J
Performing Arts	For keeping our "Flash Mob" secret from all of the teachersand for the incredibly awesome and enthusiastic way everyone performed it! Thank you for being such amazing dancers.	The Whole School
Corrective Reading	For coming to each lesson with a positive attitude and always giving your best effort when reading.	Michael L



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**Pupil of the Week!** 

Happy Birthday!

### Performing Arts - Nerida Newell

I am super excited with our School Choir and Rock Band's preparation for School of Rock next Tuesday at Melrose Receptions, Tullamarine. Our students have been working really hard to practise and fine-tune their skills. I have no doubt our performances at School of Rock will be fantastic. Thank you to the Rock Band for giving up their Tuesday afternoons to practise and our School Choir for taking time out of their lunch break to rehearse. You are all sounding fantastic! Good luck everyone!





Our students learning in many different ways. The sounds coming out of our Performing Arts Centre are amazing!





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# Parenting ~ Don't Go It Alone

Parenting can be difficult – especially if you are raising children as a single parent because of bereavement, divorce or other reasons. However, there is often a sense in our culture that we should be equipped to succeed and to seek help is a sign of failure. This is not the case.

Motivating someone who appears to reject any ideas or suggestions is emotionally draining. If we are not careful, the situation can degenerate into a battle. It can also get to the point where children just don't listen to anything their parent says – just because it is mum or dad that is saying it. Even before things get to those extremes, a wise parent enrols the help of others to get the job done. There are many people who will have the same aim and purpose as you.

Here are some suggestions for people to support you and help take on the role of motivating your child.

- Grandparents they can sometimes have a great relationship possibly developed through years of chocolate giving!
- Uncles/Aunts because they don't have any involvement in the disciplinary role they can make a very real
  connection and have a great influence. Although from time to time they might also need to be encouraged to
  stay on task themselves.
- Older brothers and sisters can be very effective [if they are on your side and theirs].
- Teachers please don't fall into the trap that believes teachers are on the opposite team to parents not at all. They desire that your child succeeds in the same way as you do.
- Youth workers professionals that have vast experience in connecting with young people often trusted with their deeper feelings and thoughts. Get them onside by explaining your perspective and asking for their help, take time to listen too.
- Sports coaches have great influence that extends well beyond the match and practices.

A whole team approach will produce greater and faster results and will remove some of the pressure you may feel from carrying the full responsibility on your shoulders.

It is not what you do for your children, but what you have taught them to do for themselves, that will make them successful human beings.





RECYCLE WITH MONDO BAR BETTER WORLD FOR A BETTER WORLD Please help us fundraise for our school by recycling any unwanted clothes, toys or linen that are no longer needed in your household. We are asking all families to clean out your wardrobes and cupboards, bag any

items that can be recycled and bring them to school during the collection period.

What can be recycled?

- Clothes
- Shoes
- Linen (sheets, doona covers, towels, blankets)
- Accessories (hats, scarves, gloves, belts, handbags)
- Toys

We have organised a special recycling collection day with SCR Group's **Recycle with Mondo for a Better World - School Fundraising Through Recycling Program.** Our school will be paid 25c per kilo for the items that will be sent for reuse and recycling.

This program helps raise money for our school, reduces waste to landfill, creates jobs and supports communities in developing countries at the same time.

Bags of unwanted items can be dropped off to Miss Taglieri's classroom before or after school from the <u>19<sup>th</sup> to the 23<sup>rd</sup> of June</u>, <u>2017</u>. Our collection date is the 23<sup>rd</sup> of June so any items being dropped off on this day will have to be prior to 8:55am. An SCR Group van will be at school on the morning of the collection day to receive the goods.

Thanks for your support,

Lauren Taglieri





## **Community News**

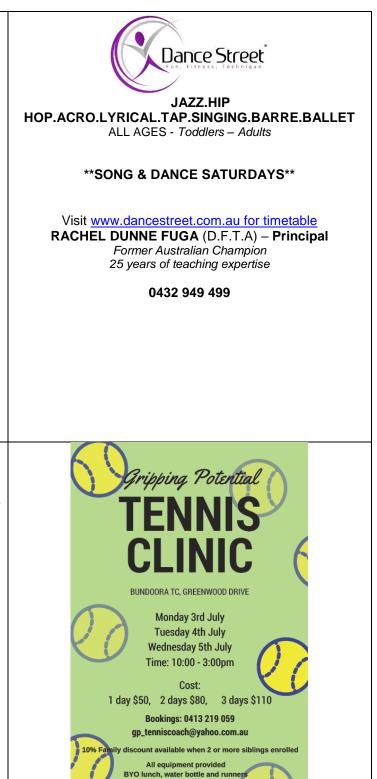
#### Managing Type 1 Diabetes in Children: A Parenting Perspective

Being a parent of a child with type 1 diabetes can be extremely stressful. The University of Queensland is seeking parents of children with type 1 diabetes to take part in a research study that will explore factors that could help or hinder parents in managing their child's diabetes. If you are a parent of a 2- to 10-year-old child with type 1 diabetes, we would love to hear from you! By sharing your experiences (confidentially) you will help us identify better ways for health care professionals to support parents and families. To complete the online survey, please go to: https://exp.psy.uq.edu.au/type1/. For further information about the project or to request a survey to be posted to you, please email Jade Grambower at j.grambower@uq.net.au or call Dr Amy Mitchell at the Parenting and Family Support Centre at The University of Queensland on (07) 3346 1202.

Certificate III in Education Support CHC30213- (AUGUST 2017)

Become a Teacher's Aide. This qualification will give you the skills and knowledge to provide assistance and support to teachers and students in a range of educational settings. This includes Primary, Secondary and Special Development schools and areas of early childhood education. Starts: 10th August 2017 Location: East Preston Community Centre Days: Thursdays Times: 9.15am to 3.15pm Duration: 24 sessions, 2 workshops + 100 hour practical placement.

For more details please ring PRACE on 9462 6077 or visit our website: <u>www.prace.vic.edu.au</u>



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## **Entertainment Book**



Bundoora Primary School is pleased to be selling the 1718 Entertainment Memberships as a fundraiser in 2017 – the memberships are now available to **purchase!** You can now choose between the traditional **Entertainment Book** <u>or</u> you can purchase the **Digital Membership** which puts the value of the Entertainment Book into your iPhone or Android smartphone, all for just \$70!

The Entertainment Memberships contain over 800 valuable 2-for-1 and 25% off offers for many of the best restaurants, attractions, hotels and retailers in Melbourne. Each Membership sold raises \$14 for Bundoora Primary School to help us raise much needed funds.

A sample book is available for viewing at our office or you can get more information from this website <u>www.entbook.com.au/19008k0</u>

For any enquiries please contact: Cheryl Whiteway on 0438 408 764