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Dates to Remember

Friday 10th March

Year 5/6 Interschool Sports versus Greensborough (home)

Monday 13th March

Labour Day Public Holiday

Wednesday 15th March

School Photos (individual & graduation)

Thursday 16th March

Year 5/6 Family Life Incursion

Friday 17th March

Family Fun Night

5.00-7.00pm

Saturday 18th March

School Tour 10.00am (bookings essential)

Monday 20th March

Pupil Free Day (No School)

Tuesday 28th March

School Photos
(class/team/leadership/choir)



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Bundoora Bulletin

From the Principal...

Our **Out of School Hours Care Program (OSHC)** has become increasingly popular, being booked out most days of the week. Our Coordinator, Michelle, together with her very capable assistants, are running a wonderful, engaging program for our students. We are in the process of applying for an increase in the licensed number of students for this program and are sure this process will not take too long. It is important for parents to book their child into our OSHC program online, well in advance, to ensure a space for their child. At this stage, we are having to decline late phone bookings until we have our license extended. We appeal to our community to be patient until this process is complete which will allow us to be able to accept more students to the program. Also, we are looking at urgently extending the OSHC room to allow for a more comfortable space for our increased numbers.

Our **whole school photos** will be next Wednesday 15th March. This year, we have chosen a new company to go through – Ward-Hendry. We are excited with the samples we have seen and are looking forward to what this company produces. Please note that with this new company comes a new way of ordering your photos. Students will have their photo taken next Wednesday and be sent home with a photo card, which will have a shootkey code on it. Parents will be able to view their child's photos and order their package online. There will be two photo days, however, individual (& sibling) photos next Wednesday 15th March and class/group photos on Tuesday 28th March. The group photo shoot will include our student leadership groups also. We have faith in this new company and are sure our parents will be happy with the results.

Our Parents & Friends Team are busily meeting and arranging our first event for the year – our **Family Fun Night** which will be held next Friday, 17th March, from 5.00pm-7.00pm. We encourage all families to attend this evening, which is a wonderful opportunity for our families to meet and get to know one another. There will be many various activities going on throughout the night including, Raffle prize – **Apollo Neo Bike** (Ivanhoe Cycles), Sausages & Hamburgers from our BBQ, Cake & Lolly stalls, Face painting, Coloured Hairspray, Sack races, Bean bag toss, amongst other things, as well as the very popular Mr Names the Balloon Twister! I encourage all of our families to come along to this evening, bring some spare change, a picnic rug/chairs and enjoy the evening. Please see the attached flyers for more information and to offer your support at one of our activities. We are asking for donations of cakes/biscuits to sell at our cake stall on the night.

A reminder that Monday 20th March will be a Pupil Free Day to allow our school staff to complete Professional Learning sessions led by Northern Region Education Improvement Consultants. Our all day OSHC Program will run from 7.15am-6.00pm. Bookings are open and must be made by phoning 0467 712 368, or registering your child's details with our Coordinator, Michelle.



Our very own **Bicycle Bus** has started well. It is wonderful to see children outdoors and enjoying the fresh air and exercise this weather has to offer. If your child is interested in joining the Bicycle Bus it's simple. Simply meet at Balaka Place (outside shops) at 8.15am for an 8.20am departure. Students must wear helmets and are encouraged to bring a lock for their bike to be kept at school. Bikes are stored in the

breezeway outside our toilets in Building 1. Parents can ride or walk alongside their child.

Any questions please contact Monique.Hanley@gmail.com or 0411 426 539 (Thanks Monique!)

Enjoy your week, Lee Pollard

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Did you miss last week's Monday morning Assembly?

- Prep 2018 Enrolments Open
- Interschool Sports Report

- School Choir Information
- School Photos

- Pupil Free Day coming up
- Bicycle Train

....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: 7th October 2016

GRADE	REASON FOR CITATION	NAME
5/6N	For creating such interesting opening sentences in your newspaper article.	Alhasan
5/6M	For working hard in maths, persisting, questioning and challenging himself.	Jed
5/6J	For your outstanding effort in maths and being able to work through a difficult mathematics equation.	Cinda
3/4S	For always extending himself in and out of the classroom. Fantastic Pokemon project!	Jensen
3/4N	For displaying excellence in everything you do! Keep up the outstanding work!	Hageron
3/4B	Always demonstrating consideration for others and using her initiative.	Ghena
1/2S	For working really hard to finish your work on time and for your beautiful handwriting in your bookwork.	Cody
1/2N	For fantastic independent work during reading groups. Well done!	Lola
1/2L	For having a great start to the year and putting in your best effort with your work.	Massimo
1/2B	For always working hard and being a kind, helpful and trustworthy classmate.	Ava
Prep T	For trying your best at all school activities and bringing your smile every day. Well done!	Matthew
Prep D	For always displaying our school values. Well done!	Tanish
Science	For being the most alert, active and brightest Science student of the week!	Lola
Phys. Ed	For demonstrating the skills of friendship, respect and cooperation during PE. Well done, Heath.	Heath
Performing Arts	For the outstanding and respectful way he approaches every session of Performing Arts. Michael is always helpful and strives to achieve his best - he even handed in a brilliant guitar project that was for grade 5/6 students, because he wanted to! Great effort!	Michael L
Corrective Reading	For fantastic effort with your sounds and words.	Arlia
Auslan	For her enthusiastic approach to Auslan and for the fantastic way she remembers her signs! A little 'signing' star!	Zayna
OSHClub	For being very helpful every time she is in OSHC.	Hannah K



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Pupil of the Week: For the week ending 24th February, 2017.

Congratulations to the following students:-

GRADE	REASON FOR CITATION	NAME
5/6N	For Showing excellent friendship skills towards our new student	Tyrone
5/6M	For always striving to be the best she can be through her questioning and attitude towards her learning	Isabella
5/6J	For always being a kind, cooperative and helpful student. Keep up the good work.	Sienna
3/4S	For always being prepared to offer help to his fellow classmates. Well done!	Peleus
3/4N	For working hard and trying your best! You've had a great start to the year!	Malcolm
3/4B	Magnificent effort and participation. Cosmos is awesome!	Tyler
1/2S	For your excellent Weekend Recount. A very interesting read. Well done.	Isabella
1/2N	For working really hard in all curriculum areas.	Ben
1/2L	For working hard all week and producing some amazing work. Awesome job!	Scott
1/2B	For working hard in class and learning more numbers.	Taylor
Prep T	For your excellent attitude to all classroom activities and in particular improving your writing. Well done!	Isabelle
Prep D	For always trying even when it looks 'hard'. You are very brave.	Grace
Science	For being an alert and efficient worker who has a good general knowledge that helps her to learn quickly.	Maggie
Phys. Ed	For stepping up and being a leader during PE when needed. Well done Vedang!	Vedang
Performing Arts	For the wonderful way he invented new words to our 'New Blue Jeans' song, the enthusiastic way he has practised the ukulele and for his outstanding creation of a new form of ukulele! What a terrific start to the year!	Achilles
Corrective Reading	For being a superstar at knowing your sounds.	Chloe
Auslan	For the happy and cheerful way she participates, listens and signs beautifully in every session.	Stella





Physical Education – Mr Daniel Kret

Zone Swimming Competition

Congratulations to Julie, William and Michael L for competing so well at today's events. William and Michael achieved fourth place in each of their events, while Julie achieved first in her two events! We are so very proud of you all for representing our school so well!

Interschool Sports

Well done to all our teams who continue to compete competitively and with great sportsmanship in our interschool sport competition. This Friday's home match will be played against Greensborough Primary School. We would love to see our parents come along and support our teams.

MPMP

We are still looking for parent helpers for MPMP on Fridays from 2:30 – 3:30. Thanks to the parents/carers who have offered their help come along and support this program. Please see me or our office staff if you're able to help.

OSHClub News

Before School / After School Care Program

(for bookings phone 0467 712 368)



A reminder to all parents, where possible, to provide as much notice (at least 24 hours is preferable) to book their child into our before and after school care program. We recommend booking your child into this program online to ensure your child's spot. Our OSHC Program is growing in success and popularity and we have been running the program, regularly, close to our maximum licensed capacity. As explained earlier in this newsletter, we have commenced the process to increase our license and ask our parents to please be patient while this process takes place. Also, a reminder that a late fee of \$2.00 per minute is charged when children are picked up from our OSHC Program after 6.00pm. It is a requirement that we are advised if, for whatever reason, parents will be running late and collecting their child after 6.00pm. Please [click here](#) to see our website for full terms & conditions, including late fees and how to register.

Michelle, OSHC Coordinator

2018 Prep Enrolments Now Open

Do you have a 2018 Prep child? We have almost filled our first Prep class for 2018, receiving enrolments much sooner than in previous years. There are several tours available this term and we will soon be advertising next term's school tours. Please pick up an enrolment form from our office or phone for an information pack.

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- ◆ Balwyn
3rd / 4th April, 2017
- ◆ Box Hill
5th / 6th April, 2017
- ◆ Hawthorn (Week 1)
6th / 7th April, 2017
- ◆ Macleod
6th / 7th April, 2017
- ◆ Kew - Trinity Grammar
6th / 7th April, 2017
- ◆ Doncaster
10th / 11th April, 2017
- ◆ Ivanhoe
10th / 11th April, 2017
- ◆ Camberwell
10th / 11th April, 2017
- ◆ Caulfield
12th / 13th April, 2017
- ◆ Ascot Vale
12th / 13th April, 2017
- ◆ Hawthorn (Week 2)
12th / 13th April, 2017

SOCCER

- ◆ Balwyn
3rd / 4th April, 2017
- ◆ Box Hill
5th / 6th April, 2017
- ◆ Kew - Trinity Grammar
6th / 7th April, 2017
- ◆ Ivanhoe
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12th / 13th April, 2017



NETBALL

- ◆ Kew - Kew High
5th / 6th April, 2017
- ◆ Doncaster
10th / 11th April, 2017

BASKETBALL

- ◆ Kew - Kew High
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- ◆ Kew - Trinity Grammar
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- ◆ Doncaster
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Biscuit, Cupcake and Slice Stall

St Patrick's Day Family Fun Night

Friday 17 March

We are graciously seeking donations from the wonderful members of the Bundoora Primary Community for our **Biscuit, Cupcake and Slice Stall** to be held at our **St Patrick's Day Family Fun Night**. We would love for you to whip up some of your special biscuits, cupcakes or slices to be sold at our stall. You may wish to package them in your own special way, or bring them along to school Friday and we will package them for you. We are calling it a **Biscuit, Cupcake and Slice Stall** because we are looking for items that can be sold individually, or in lots of two, three or four.

Please remember: **NO cream filling, nuts or kiwi fruit in your recipe.** Many thanks.

All donated biscuits, cupcakes or slices (home-made or purchased) should include:

- the name of the person who made or purchased the item;
- the list of ingredients.

Please bring your biscuits, cupcakes or slices to school on the morning of **Friday 17 March**. They can be left in the Science Room.

Huge thanks, in advance, for your generosity.

Bundoora Primary School Parents & Friends



-----Please complete & return below -----

We are seeking help from members of our wonderful Bundoora Primary Community to make our Family Fun Night a huge success. Please return to the office or your classroom teacher by Wednesday 14th March

If you are able to assist, please complete your details below and return this slip to the office, indicating your preferred time slot and event/s.

I, _____ being parent of _____ am willing to assist with the Family Fun Night on Friday 17 March.

I am available as follows (circle): 4.00 pm – 4.30 pm (set up) / 4.30 pm – 5.00 pm (set up) / 5.00pm to 5.30pm / 5.30pm to 6.00pm / 6.00pm to 6.30pm / 6.30pm to 7pm / 7pm to 7.30pm / 7.30 (pack up)

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