NEWSLETTER - Term 1 Week 5

What’s coming up...

Friday 1st March
February—Friday
22nd March
School Swimming
Scheme Years 3-6
Pool $2.50
Bus $3.00

Friday 1st March
Whole School
Assembly -
Captain’s Induction
9.15am

Saturday 2nd March
Vegetable Garden working bee
10am — 2pm

Tuesday 5th March
School Photos
(Remember to bring your photo envelopes/payment on the day)

Tuesday 5th March
P & C Meeting

Thursday 21st March
Easter Egg Hunt

K- 6 ASSEMBLY
TOMORROW FRIDAY 1ST MARCH
This is our first assembly for 2013 and it will be a special one. The new leaders of our school, school and sport captains, will be inducted in front of the whole school and special guests. The Principal of Bega High school, Mr John Salmon, will be in attendance to talk about leadership and help with the induction. Another highlight will be the school band performing for their first time in 2013.

Everyone is welcome and there will be a morning tea afterwards for the parents and carers of our new student leadership team. We do hope that you can come along and make this a memorable experience for all. The assembly starts at 9.15 am and should conclude by 10 am.

Looking forward to seeing you there.
Mark Farrell, Assistant Principal

Lawrence will now travel to Nowra on 19 March to play in the South Coast Carnival. Well done Lawrence.

Garden Busy Bee Saturday
Our School 'Kitchen Garden’ will begin to take shape this Saturday, March 2 when we will be landscaping the garden ready for planting by the students next week. We invite all parents and friends to come along and help out between 10 am and 2 pm. Whether you have particular skills or simply plenty of enthusiasm, any help will be very much appreciated.

The P&C will be providing a morning tea and a sausage sizzle lunch on the day.

Please bring along the following:
Sturdy shoes
Sun hat
Sun-cream
Water bottle
Garden gloves
and wear clothes that can get dirty!

We will be here rain, hail or shine (hopefully shine), and we look forward to seeing you on Saturday to take part in this exciting project.

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School Action Research

Our school is continually trying to improve the education we provide for our students and our community. As teachers we want to continually improve and enhance our knowledge of current ideas and thoughts around student learning. This year we are conducting action research in our school with all staff participating in an area identified as something we want to do better.

The three areas include;

- Strengthening and family and community engagement
- Improving the provision of Aboriginal education
- Enhancing opportunities for all students

After an initial planning day conducted this term the school will be seeking your support in helping us learn and improve in these areas.

School Swimming

School swimming will be on again tomorrow. It is anticipated that all children will attend these vital lessons which are coordinated by Zoe Harris from Bega pool. Please ensure your children have necessary clothes and money each Friday until Easter.

School Photos on Tuesday.

School photos are next Tuesday. Students are asked to be in full summer uniform. Please give the money envelopes to the class teacher when entering the class on Tuesday morning. The photo company will be handling all transactions on the day and the children will give the money directly to them when their photos are taken.

Zone Swimming Carnival

Congratulations to all the students and staff who attended the zone swimming carnival. By all accounts the day was extremely successful. A big than you to Mr Jones who was the carnival organiser.

SAPPHIRE COAST BUSLINES PTY LTD

Anton & Jamie Klemm of Sapphire Coast Buslines Pty Ltd have recently purchased Tathra Bus Service and also changed the name of their bus company from Deane’s Buslines to Sapphire Coast Buslines. They have requested us to advise all parents/carers that all future School Student Travel Scheme (Bus Forms) should now have Sapphire Coast Buslines written on them instead of Deane’s or Tathra Bus Service. If you have any queries please contact their
FAMILY FUN NIGHT EASTER EGG HUNT

When: 21st March 6pm – 8.30pm

There will be activities, a guessing competition and a raffle on the night. Donations of Easter eggs prior to the 21st would be appreciated and we would love to have some volunteers help out on the night.

A Sausage sizzle ($2) and drinks ($2) will also be available with payment on the night. However, for catering purposes if you could please indicate how many adults and children will be attending from your family this will greatly assist us:

SAUSAGE SIZZLE CATERING - (payment on the night)

Number of Adults attending ___________________

No of Children attending ________________

Number of drinks___________

RSVP by 15 March 2013

EASTER EGG HUNT

The cost of the Easter Egg Hunt will be $4 per child or $10 per family (2 or more children). Pre payment for the Easter Egg hunt would be appreciated.

Enclosed is $4 per child/$10 per family:-

Child’s name__________________________________________ Class __________
**Newsletter via Email**

As emails become more and more part of daily lives it may be more convenient for you to receive our weekly newsletter via email. At the conclusion of this newsletter there is a slip where you can indicate if you wish to take up this option.

**CANTEEN ROSTER:**

Here is this week’s roster:

**Friday 1st March**  
Shiralee Gray-Balcomb  
Katrina Harper  
Trish Warby

**Monday 4th March**  
Cathy James  
Trish Warby

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**IMPORTANT CANTEEN NOTE:**
The Canteen is only open on **Mondays** and **Fridays**.

**OUTDOOR HOCKEY 2013**

Registration day will be held on Saturday 2nd March at Elders Real Estate Bega from 9.00am to 12.00 noon. Fees for Minkey $25, U9 $50, U18 $75 and over 18 $125. A family fee is available for 3 or more players.

Grades are C Grade (Primary School), B Grade (High School), Ladies, Men (16 and over). Online registrations and payments are also available go to the website: www.farsouthcoast.hockeynet.org.au for more info. We have also issued the school with some registration forms if you would like to collect one from the School Office. For registration info contact Fiona 0457 200 055 or Tracy 0408 591 208.

**BEGA TATHRA JUNIOR SOCCER**

Bega Tathra Junior Soccer is a friendly and non competitive organization for 5 - 12 year old girls and boys that are in infants/primary school. The games are held on Saturday mornings, starting at 9am for the U6's.  
The games are 2 twelve minute halves. Family members are encouraged to help coach on the field and referee.

The games alternate between Sapphire Coast Anglican College (SCAC), Bega and Tathra Country Club and there are no games during school holidays or on long weekends.

Costs are kept to a minimum, usually $40 per player or $80 per family. Registration will be in March and the season will kick off in term 2 and end in term 3.  
For more information phone Jenny Weber. 64922485.
BEGA MINOR RUGBY LEAGUE

Bega Minor Rugby League are holding Registration Days at the Clubhouse, Bega Rec Ground on

Thursday 21 February  4pm-5pm
Thursday 28 February  4pm- 5pm
Cost
$65  1 child
$110  2 children
$130  3 plus families

All new players need to bring a passport size photo of themselves and a copy of their birth certificate
This year the club is also running an U15’s girl’s league tag competition. Girls aged 12, 13, and 14 are eligible to play.

Any enquires you can ring Connie 0448925354.

fLiNG Physical Theatre Community Class
Program $12
phone 0429909433 OR 64920222

4pm Tuesday Gymnastics - 7 to 12years
5pm Tuesday Boys Only Movement class - 7 - 12years
9.30am Saturday Dance 7 - 9years

PLUS
fLiNG starts March 9th free introductory workshop 2 - 3pm

fLiNG is a not for profit community organisation
All classes held at Bega Indoor Stadium

BEGA GIRL GUIDES

Bega Girl Guides have started back for another action, fun year. Anyone wishing to find out more about Guides please ring Anne after 5.30pm on 64921302.

TATHRA SEA EAGLES AUSTRALIAN RULES FOOTBALL CLUB

To all kids under the age of 17 we would like to invite you to participate in a Season of Australian Rules Football with Tathra Aussie Rules Footy Club. This year the Competition has been restructured to accommodate for a wider range of ages. The ages that will be functioning in 2013 are:
Under 10’s,
Under 12’s,
Under 14’s,
Under 16’s

The First Registration Day is on Thursday the 28th of Feb @ Lawrence Park Tathra @ 5:45pm & will be held on every Thursday @ the same time till the start of the Season which is on the 20th of April, Tathra has had a proud history in the past, of having very successful junior programs running, and 2013 will be no different, we at Tathra like to encourage Kids to be active and enjoy their sport, so hopefully we will see some new faces over the next couple of months.

If Parents need any information regarding Registration for 2013 please contact our Rego Officer Kerrie Gartside on - 0422991723 or our under 16’s Coach Chris Burns on – 0408264545
Great Expectations        Great Attitude        Great Opportunities

Getting Your Newsletter By Email

Name: ____________________________

Email Address: ____________________________

Please return to the school office.

Absentee Note Bega Valley Public School:

My child/ren ____________________________ of Class/es ____________________________ were absent on:

________________________________________

Please tick box where appropriate.

☐ Sick       ☐ Family Leave       ☐ Appointment

Details:

________________________________________

Signed: ____________________________  Date: ____________________________

Change of address or phone numbers

Student Name/s: ____________________________

Residential Address: ____________________________

Mailing Address: ____________________________

Contact Name: ____________________________

Relationship to student: ____________________________

Phone (Home): ____________________________

(Work): ____________________________

(Mobile): ____________________________

Emergency Contact Name: ____________________________

Emergency Contact Phone Number: ____________________________