NEWSLETTER - Term 3 Week 9

What’s coming up...

Thursday 10th September
Transition to Bega High School 6L 1.15pm-3pm
STEM program

Friday 11th September
Crazy Hair & Mufti Dress
Gold Coin donation

Monday 14th September
P & C Meeting 3.15pm in School Library
ALL WELCOME

Monday 14th & Tuesday 15th September
Romeo & Juliet dress rehearsal & technical rehearsal

Tuesday 15th September
Transition to Bega High School 6B STEM Program

Wednesday 16th & Thursday 17th September
Year 3-6 Play Romeo & Juliet Matinees at Midday & Night
Performances 6pm
TICKETS ON SALE $4.00

Thursday 17th September
Transition to Bega High School 6L STEM program

Friday 18th September
Whole School Assembly
2.15pm

Last day Term 3
Friday 18th September

First Day of Term 4 is Tuesday 6th October

PRINCIPAL MESSAGE:

The term is coming to a fast end with plenty of events happening here at BVPS to celebrate the learning that has been happening in our classes. Classes in Year 3-6 are preparing for their Romeo & Juliet performance to be held next week, tickets still available from the Office.

The Aboriginal Cultural program has been gaining loads of publicity and accolades from throughout the community, with our indigenous students involved in culturally relevant activities each Monday and Tuesday afternoon, supported by many parents and interested community members.

Our Teachers are reviewing policies, programs and procedures relating to not only the management operations within our school but also their quality teaching programs.

These past few weeks all Year 6 is engaging in the STEM program at Bega High School. This program aims to support transition to high school through activities relating to Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. Currently students are learning about making a rocket, the launch will happen in Term 4!

This Friday our keen Public Speakers will be participating in the regional Public Speaking competition to be held here at BVPS. Good luck!

Smooth Start is happening in our Kinder classrooms with BVPS welcoming over 50 pre school students each Monday in preparation for their commencement in 2016 at school.

Last week’s assembly recognised a significant number of our students who participated in the University of NSW Spelling test recently receiving Merit and Distinction results. Fantastic news, more results coming for English, Writing and Maths soon.

Great results in the UNSW Spelling test by students from Yr 2 - Yr 6:) Luan makes it to State for Shot put

K-6 Class Award recipients Week 8 Whole School Assembly

Mrs Carolyn Nugent—Principal
21 Auckland Street BEGA NSW 2550 ▪ PO Box 667 BEGA NSW 2550
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Email begavalley-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
CRAZY HAIR DAY & MUFTI DRESS

This Friday 11\textsuperscript{th} September 2015. Gold coin donation to go towards School Charity Funds.

We know you’ve heard the story told of Juliet and Her Romeo… Or have you REALLY?????

Come and see how BVPS does Romeo and Juliet!!

Tickets sell fast and are available from the office for $4.00 each.

Performances will be held on

Wednesday 16\textsuperscript{th} September at Midday and 6pm & Thursday 17\textsuperscript{th} September at Midday and 6pm
Hi my name is Kristie Sale. I am a local mum who works part time and has two boys at the school. Like many people who may be reading this Cancer is around us everywhere. My friend Harmony Morrow is currently undergoing treatment for stage 3 Breast Cancer she has a beautiful family with 3 small boys under the age of 2. The level of patient care and family support for cancer sufferers available today through Lifehouse is amazing and really does make a difference. Much of the funds required to provide this level of support come from generous donations.

I'm choosing to complete the 200km ride from Sydney to Windsor and return to support my friend and the battle by raising money for this special fund. It will be a battle for me, but with my bike, my helmet and determination I'm sure I'll make it.

If you would like to make a donation please go to the website [www.conquercancer.org.au](http://www.conquercancer.org.au) and search for my name to donate online.

Participant name: Kristie Sale
Participant ID: 891418-1

Please get behind me and support me on this special ride. Thank you.
**THE BREAKFAST CLUB**

The Breakfast Club is run every morning by Stephanie Stanhope and her lovely crew to benefit children who might be missing out on the most important meal of the day: BREAKFAST! Open from 8:30am-9am from the Canteen.

Keep an eye on this spot, as we will be listing the produce that we are using each month from our School Garden: This week the lettuce and broccoli are lookin’ good!

**COMMUNITY NOTICE**

**1st Bega Cub Scout Group**

Be prepared ... For new adventures!

Come along to our Cubs meetings:
Ages 7 – 11 years BOYS & GIRLS
6.30pm – 8pm Tuesday nights

Held at 1st Bega Scout Hall
84 Gipps Street
BEGA NSW 2550

For more information phone
Sharon Siril
0439 260 435

Don’t Miss Out!
Fun for all ....

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**Bega High School & Bega Valley Public School Uniform Shop**

20% Sale at Uniform Shop
10th and 17th September 2015
8.30 - 4pm
All uniforms in stock
No rainchecks
No laybys
No exchanges or refunds
contact number 0417028864

Open each Thursday of the school term shop located at Bega High School

**Winter Opening Hours**
11:00 am to 4:00 pm
For enquiries phone: 0417 028 864

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**ROSTER**

Canteen roster for next week - please call Sheryl on 64924729 if you can help fill a vacant spot.

**Friday 11th September**
9.00am - 11.30 am  Andrew Claringbold
   VOLUNTEER NEEDED
11.30am - 2.00pm  Andrew Claringbold
   VOLUNTEER NEEDED

**Wednesday 16th September**
9.00am - 11.30am  Judi Butterworth
   Kimone Haddon
11.30am - 2.00pm  Judi Butterworth
   Kimone Haddon

**Friday 18th September**
9.00am - 11.30 am  Katie Mitchell-Davis
   VOLUNTEER NEEDED
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The canteen can only run with the help of our great volunteers. If you can spare a couple of hours on a Wednesday or Friday please contact Sheryl.
P&C Meeting
The next P&C meeting is on Monday the 14th of September (4 days time!).

Items on the agenda include: New play equipment, School fun run, the Toys/Clothes drive, school play catering plus more. The meeting will start right on 3.15pm. We would love to see some new parents at the meeting, so if you haven’t had a chance to attend a meeting before this is a great first meeting for you!

Toy/Clothes Drive
The P&C is looking at holding a toy/clothes sale in Term 4. Please start thinking about any toys/clothes in good condition that you would be able to donate. If you are doing a Spring Clean over the next month or so please keep us in mind when culling items!

More information will be available in the next few weeks.

Canteen
We still need more volunteers in the canteen on Wednesday and Fridays please see Sheryl in the Canteen to see where and when you can help.

Facebook
Please join the schools Facebook page, it is a great source of information about what is happening in the school.
Benefits of Karate
For the young ones our training system offers a safe and caring environment where they can be physically active while learning new skills. Karate will increase confidence, co-ordination and flexibility. Children will be at a lower risk of suffering from bullying and develop the moral strength to resist incorrect peer pressure.

For grown ups our training offers time out from daily stress and improvements in health and wellbeing. Because of the release of endorphins during training with the enjoyment of gaining new skills and knowledge you will always finish a session confident and happy.

Increased strength and flexibility will help reduce the risk of injuries during work or domestic activities.

Besides the enjoyment of training with your club mates, there will also be combined training sessions with Candelon and Bega Clubs, interstate training days, karate camps and official dinners where you will get to meet a wide range of fellow karatekas.

**TRAINING TIMES**

**BEGA**—Bega Valley Public School Hall, Auckland street Bega
- Mighty Mites—Monday 4.30pm—5.15pm
- Juniors—Monday 5.30pm—6.15pm
- Seniors & Students—Monday 6.30pm—8.00pm
- Seniors & Students—Friday 5.30pm—7.00pm

**CANDELO**—Main Showground Pavilion, Bega Candelo road
- Mighty Mites—Wednesday 4.30pm—5.15pm
- Juniors—Monday & Wednesday 5.30pm—6.15pm
- Seniors & Students—Monday & Wednesday 6.30pm—8.00pm

**Contact** Shihan Robert Graham (5th Dan) on 0427 945 930

**EDEN**—Eden Primary School Hall, Imlay Street Eden
- Mighty Mites—Friday 5.00pm—5.45pm
- Juniors & Seniors—Friday 6.00pm—7.30pm

**Contact** Sempai Sherri Cooper on 02 6495 7179

You have nothing to lose—the first lesson is free!!!
Bega Valley Athletics Club Come and Try Afternoon

The 2015/16 Little Athletics season, which runs from October to March, is about to commence. Little Athletics is all about family, fun and fitness. Athletes develop basic running, jumping and throwing skills by participating in highly active training sessions and are eligible to compete in Little Athletics ACT carnivals.

Children who are 7 – 17 years of age are welcome to join the Bega Valley Athletics Club. A parent must come with their child/children to all training afternoons and help run events for the athletes. The athletics sessions involve age groups from U7 - U17 participating in many running, jumping and throwing events. This requires significantly more adult support than other sports. The club will be running Orientation to Little Athletics sessions to familiarise parents with the events.

If it is cancelled due to wet weather, children are welcome to come to the first training afternoon on Thursday October 8, from 5.00 – 6.30 pm.

Come and Try Afternoon
Date: Thursday September 17
Time: 5.00 – 6.00 pm
Venue: Bega Athletics Field, Bega St. (behind Bega Valley Public School)

Please visit our website or email for more information.
Website – www.bvlac.org
Email – begavalleyathleticsclub@gmail.com

Sapphire Coast Tennis

Looking for activities for your children this school holidays? Sapphire Coast Tennis are running tennis camps at the BEGA Tennis Club for beginners to advanced players aged 5 – 16 years over the school holidays.

The camp runs for 3 days: Mon 28th Sept, Tue 29th Sept, Wed 30th Sept

Times 9am – 12 Noon Each Day Cost: $65 per Child

Each day Children learn a different stroke or aspect of the game, related to the standard of the group. Structured practice follows, leading to lively games and competitions between groups. We also have snacks and fruit each day.

To register your child for the Holiday camp in Bega please call us on 0409 315542 or email sapphirecoasttennis@gmail.com

SWIMMING IS A SKILL FOR LIFE!! IT IS ALSO THE BEST SPORT TO ENJOY THROUGHOUT THE AUSSIE SUMMER

• Swimming club is a fun way to enhance your skills in the water, improving swimming technique and fitness
• Swimming Club coaches are Austswim accredited
• You don't need to be an Olympian, as long as you can swim a lap
• Swimming club actively encourages setting positive goals and training with your coach to meet them
• Swimming club provides a setting for friendly competition with the strongest emphasis being on improving your own personal best
• Swimming club means spending your summer staying fit in the pool instead of sweating it out at the oval or stadium
• It can be as competitive as YOU want
• Swimming club is for families

COME AND JOIN THE FUN Bega Amateur Swimming Club information and registration day at the Bega Memorial Swimming Pool on Saturday 19th September from 2:00 – 3:00pm. Meet our coaches and committee to see if Swimming Club is for you. Club nights are every Monday from 5.30pm

Sunday 13th September

family day
Fundraiser
For Harmony Morrow

Harmony is a Candelo mum of three young boys who has recently been diagnosed with breast cancer. Everyone is invited to come along and enjoy a fun-filled day out, in the aid of raising money for a young, local mum. All proceeds from the day will go towards medical costs for Harmony’s fight against breast cancer.

Jumping Castle, Pony Rides, Dog Jump, Face Painting, Lolly Drop, Kids Games, Raffles and lots more

10AM Sunday 13th September
Candelo Showgrounds
Candelo’s First Billy Cart Derby at 1PM

Contact the Candelo General Store for details regarding prizes, entry and rules.

$20 All inclusive entry for a family or $10 single
Direct Donations: Harmony Morrow Fundraiser Account
ST GEORGE BANK. BSB: 112879   ACC: 487318263
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: _______________________

Relationship to Student: ________________________________

Signed: _________________________________  Date: ________________