NEWSLETTER - Term 2 Week 9

What’s coming up...

Wednesday 17th June
Financial Literacy Show
K-Yrs 3 & Yrs 4-6 (Free)
9-11am

Monday 22nd June
Kinder—Yr 2 Indigenous Games with BHS

Tuesday 23rd & 24th June
Stage 2 & 3 NAIDOC activities at Jigamy

Thursday 25th June
BVPS Athletics Carnival

Friday 26th June
Whole School NAIDOC Assembly 2.15pm
Class Performance 3J
Shared Class Work 4D

Friday 26th June
Last day of Term 2

Monday 6th July
P & C Meeting, location and time to be advised

Tuesday 14th July
Students return to school for Term 3

Monday 20th July
SCLC Rehearsal at Eden Marine High

Tuesday 28th July
SCLC Concert at Eden Marine High

Principal’s Message

This week BVPS students Tamara, Rani and Damian were recognised for their efforts and contributions in participating in the Aboriginal Languages Program with Bega HS and Tathra PS. The program involved primary and high school students in a range of Aboriginal cultural activities, language and history. We are looking forward to expanding this program in Indigenous studies at BVPS.

Many thanks go to our hard working P&C for their contribution of $3000 towards the Year 6 Leadership Camp.

Mr Bennett, Mr Lenon and Mr Lane are maintaining a high priority of respect, responsibility and leadership amongst our Year 6 students.

This week all primary schools in the SCLC gathered at BVPS for the Combined schools Choir practice ahead of the SCLC Performing Arts night early next term. The combined choir already sounds incredible, a credit to all of our students involved, we are looking forward to this showcase event for our region.

It is concerning that there have been some reports of bullying behaviour at our school. Be assured, all reported incidents of bullying will be thoroughly investigated and communicated with the students and families involved. If you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact either your child’s Teacher, an Executive Staff member or myself for further support, bullying is not tolerated at BVPS.

This Friday our students will be presented with a performance in the Hall around Financial Literacy. Helping children understand how money impacts on our lives is important, this will also be followed up in each of our classrooms after the performance.

Next week we celebrate NAIDOC week with:

Monday - Indigenous Games for K-2
Tuesday - Stage 2 Jigamy Excursion
Wednesday - Stage 3 Jigamy Excursion
Friday - NAIDOC whole school assembly

Finally, next Thursday is our school athletics Carnival, all of our families/carers are welcome to attend. The event will be held on our school oval, P&C will provide a cake stall for Parents/Carers and the Coffee van will be there for Parents/Carers too. Thank you to all of our Staff for weeks of preparation leading up to this day.

Carolyn Nugent, Principal

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Lunch time Bike Program at B.V.P.S

Our lunchtime bike program for Stage 2 and 3 students will commenced in Week 3. Year 3/4 sessions will take place each Monday and Year 5/6 sessions will be on Tuesdays. This term we will be conducting some skill sessions in the school grounds as well as riding along the local bike paths outside of school grounds, where the children will cross a number of minor roads.

Children who wish to take part will need a working bicycle (with brakes) and a helmet.

Children will meet at the bike rack at 1.10 pm, after they have finished eating their lunch. A reminder that children who attend Open Doors the week prior to each session will not be able to attend.

If you would like your child to take part in these sessions, please complete the permission form below.

I give permission for my child _____________________________ Class________ to attend the lunchtime bike sessions, held on school grounds as well as on local bike paths.

Name _________________________________ Date ____________

Rainy day activities

Keeping kids active and occupied during wet days can be challenging. Here are some active play ideas for children indoors:

- build a cubby house with sheets, chairs or cardboard boxes
- play hide and seek
- play basket softball and see how many times you can throw a foam ball into a washing basket - keep increasing the distance to make it more challenging
- have a dance competition or disco at home
- set a limit on the amount of time children spend in front of a screen (tv, computer etc).

Community Notices

Potoroo Palace will be holding the following workshops:-

Friday 10th July 12noon till 2pm Weaving with Recycled Materials

Friday 17th July 12noon till 2pm Lino Printing

The workshops will be held at the front of the cafe.

Kindly,
Alexandra Seddon
Director
Potoroo Palace

Open Daily 10 til 4. Phone us on 02 6494 9225
COMMUNITY NOTICES

Declan Bower-Scott is a 16 year old Bega Football player who has been selected in the NSW U 17's Indigenous Rugby League Team, touring France and Italy for 3 weeks in November 2015.

To help raise the $5000 which is needed for Declan to travel on this tour we are holding a Trivia Night at the Bega Golf Club Tarraganda on 4th July 2015. 7pm for a 7.30 start. Raffles throughout the night with plenty of great prizes. Tables of 10 at $10 a head.

BYO Nibbles. Get a table together or come along and be placed on a table.

Please book your place by contacting Angela Bower on 0418988907. Hope to see you there.

KEY WORD SIGNS

Words of the Week

Finish
Also: complete, conclude
Tilt fist, with thumb raised and pointing upwards, from side to side

More
Also: additional, extra
How to sign it: Hold hand clawed palm towards chest. Move hand forward, away from chest slightly.

Canteen News - The Snack Shack

IMPORTANT CANTEEN NOTE:
The Canteen is only open on Wednesdays & Fridays
School Athletics Carnival
The P&C will be running a cake stall and coffee van for parents at next Thursday’s athletics carnival from 1130am. This is a great opportunity to watch the sporting heroes of tomorrow!

If you are able to bake a cake, biscuits or slice to sell at the cake stall, please text Rod on 0410 529 517. Every little bit will help. Please supply a list of ingredients with you baked goods.

NOTE: Children will have to bring their recess and lunch as per a normal Thursday.

Donation to Beth Berk
The P&C were ecstatic to present Beth Berk with a cheque during the week to assist her on her journey to Russia for life changing MS treatment. Beth’s supporters have a couple more fundraisers booked in before she heads over in October, so keep an eye out for those. The funds donated were directly raised from the generous donations made by the kids on the mufti day and money raised from the movie night.

Next Meeting
The next meeting is due on the 6th of July – keep an eye out for confirmation of date and location as this falls during the school holidays.
COMMUNITY NOTICES

Are you in a swimming club?
Pambula Swimming Club will be holding a winter short course qualifying carnival at the heated, indoor Sapphire Aquatic Centre on Pambula Beach Road on Saturday 12th July with warm-ups starting at 9am. The programme and online entries will be available on the SESA website www.southeasternnsw.swimming.org.au with medals awarded for placings. A fun winter BBQ will be available on the day.

Family Portrait Fundraiser
Where:- Bega Preschool
When:- Sunday 19th July
Cost:- $20 and receive a 10”x13” Framed Portrait
Contact Nicky Bateman - 0410527108 – nicky73b@gmail.com
To see examples visit www.laurajean.com.au

BVSC LIBRARY NEWS—SCHOOL HOLIDAYS JUNE/JULY 2015
WEEK ONE

Bega Library – Tuesday 30th June – Story time for 7 yrs and under. 10.30am till 11.30am
Book by ringing 64992127

Bermagui Library – Tuesday 30th June – Story time for 7 yrs and under. 10.30am till 11.30am
Book by ringing 64992411

Eden Library – Tuesday 30th June – Story time for 7 years and under. 10.30am till 11.30am
Book by ringing 64992453

Merimbula Library – Wednesday 1st July – Story time for 7 yrs and under. 10.30am till 11.30am
Book by ringing 64992481

HOLIDAY FUN WEEK TWO

Eden Library – Tuesday 7th July – Pirate crafts for 7 years and over 10.30am till 11.30am
Book by ringing 64992451 Cost $2.00

Bermagui Library – Tuesday 7th July – Upcycle crafts for school age children Cost $2.00
10.30am till 11.30am Book by ringing 64992411

Merimbula Library – Wednesday 8th July – Come along and make “Peek a boo Penguins” 7 yrs+
Cost $2.00 10.30am till 11.30am Book by ringing 64992481

Bega Library – Wednesday 8th July – Bring your photos along to do scrapbooking 7 yrs+
Cost $2.00 10.30am till 11.30am Book by ringing 64992481
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: ________________