

# Bogangar Public School - NEWSLETTER

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TERM 4 Week 2

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## PRINCIPAL MESSAGE

Welcome back to the final term of the year. It has been a busy start and certainly shows no signs of slowing down. Our teachers have been working hard to continually deliver the engaging and learning activities that our students enjoy.

Grandparents Day is being celebrated this Friday with a showcase of our students' talents. K-2 swimming started last week and our youngest members of the school have demonstrated great maturity as they commenced the program. Surfgrons is set to commence next week for those interested Year 3-6 students and their intensive swim scheme starts in week 4 on the 4 November. There are transition to school programs for our 2019 Kindergarten students and Year 6 into Year 7 orientation days. This is all capped off with a celebration of school achievements at our annual Presentation Day followed by Water Fun Day.

I look forward to participating in all these exciting events as we round out 2018 and hope the students enjoy the learning and celebrations to come.

## 2019 ENROLMENT INTENTIONS

While this year hasn't finished our planning has commenced for 2019. If you anticipate moving schools in the new year or know of anyone planning on joining the BPS community next year please notify the office to assist us organise classes and teacher placement.

## RAFFLE

Last week all students were given a raffle ticket book. This is a school based fundraising effort to raise funds to support the learning programs run across the school.

Tickets are: 50c each

3 tickets for \$1

7 tickets for \$2

Please support your child's education by selling and returning these tickets by Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2018.

Extra books are available from the front office if you are able to sell additional tickets.

The raffle will be drawn at the Monday assembly on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2018.

We'd also like to thank Tweed Coast Meats, Cabarita Beach Chempro Chemist and Woolworths Cabarita for their generous donations.



## TERM 4 CALENDAR

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#### WEEK 2

WED 24 OCT

FRI 26 OCT

K-2 SWIMMING FROM 12.15PM

GRANDPARENTS DAY - 9.30AM

#### WEEK 3

MON 29 OCT

WED 31 OCT

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THURS 1 NOV

FRI 2 NOV

K-6 ASSEMBLY 2:20PM -

K/1 REEF PRESENTING

K-2 SWIMMING FROM 12.15PM

KINDY 0 - 9.30AM

MUSIC PERFORMANCE 12.30PM

K-2 ASSEMBLY - LIBRARY-2.15PM

1/2 CORAL PRESENTING

## NAPLAN

Results were distributed at the end of Week 9 last term. There were some areas worthy of celebration, in particular the number of students in the top two bands in reading for both Yr 3 & Yr 5.

- Year 3 reading – 56.2% of students in top 2 bands; 94% of students above National Minimum Standard (NMS)
- Year 3 numeracy – 34.4% of students in top 2 bands; 90% of students above NMS
- Year 5 reading – 27% of students in top 2 bands, no students in bottom 2 bands

Year 5 numeracy – 25% of students on top 2 bands; 84% above NMS; no students in bottom 2 bands

Well done to the students who undertook the NAPLAN papers and all their teachers throughout the school journey.

Alyson McIntyre - Rel. Principal

## WORLD OF MATHS

On Monday 24<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> September our students participated in a World of Maths incursion. The roadshow was very engaging and gave students the opportunity to work in teams and apply their problem solving skills. They got to explore how maths is applied to some real life situations.

Alyson McIntyre - Coordinator





Every Monday at our whole school assembly a student from every class is acknowledged with a class award.

## CLASS AWARDS

STARFISH \_K

WAVES \_K

REEF \_K/1

SUNSHINE \_1

CORAL \_1/2

TURTLE \_2

PANDANUS \_3

CURLEWS \_3/4

LONGBOARDS \_4/5

BANKSIA \_5/6

FRANGIPANI \_5/6

## WEEK 1

William Dutton

Noah Gilmore

Max Hedjuk

Ruby Leczkowski

Evie Riddell

Kayla Waters

Violet Lee, Georgia Somerville

Lachlan Wemyss

James Maloney

Poppy Jackson

## CLASS ASSEMBLY AWARDS

Awarded to class - WAVES\_K

## K WAVES – STAYING ALIVE

This term, K Waves are learning all about *'staying alive'* for our unit in science. We will be learning all about what we need to stay alive, our 5 senses and how we can look after plants and pets.

To learn more about the topic, K Waves are going to be making and looking after their very own grass heads. We will put them into a special spot in our classroom and will need to remember to water our grass heads each day!

Make sure you come and visit our classroom to check out our super awesome grass heads – we hope we can help them to stay alive!

Dale Gurney - Assistant Principal



happy  
grand  
parents day

## GRANDPARENT'S DAY

FRIDAY OCTOBER 26 - PLEASE KEEP THIS DATE

We are all so excited for Grandparents Day on Friday. There will be lots of dancing, singing, eating and fun! The festivities kick off at 9.30 in the hall and will continue until lunch time. Make sure you wear your dancing shoes!

9.30am - Welcoming ceremony and performances by FNC dancers and Stage 1 singers

@10.15am - Open Classrooms

@10.45am Morning tea

BYO picnic food. There will also be a sausage sizzle and treats available from the canteen. Linda Evetts will be in the grounds with her coffee van

11.30am - Dance performances begin

@12.30pm Conclusion of Grandparents day

We are looking forward to seeing you all there.



We are hosting a **CARNIVAL BOOK FAIR**.

Each class will be invited to preview the books during their library session.

The preview sessions are an ideal opportunity for children to share and discuss the books with their teachers and peers.

The selection of books at our Book Fair will include a wide range of quality books from the best Australian and overseas authors & illustrators.

**All books are discounted**

**Every single purchase from the Book Fair earns FREE books and resources for our school.**

**Our Book Fair selling times will be:**

**FRIDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> OCT FROM 9:30 AM TO 1:00 PM**

You, your family and friends are most welcome to share in the magic of matching children and books.

Credit Card facilities are available. No AMEX please.

**Remember  
'READERS ARE ACHIEVERS'**



## BOOK CLUB

Book club is on again and so is the FREE BOOK offer! Issue 7 has been sent home showcasing a wonderful range of books, games and activities, suited to all ages and abilities, with prices starting at \$2.00! Get in early for Christmas!

All orders processed through Book Club, earn points for our school. These reward points go towards buying new books for our school library and educational tools which we use across all stages. A HUGE THANK YOU to those who have continuously been supporting this worthwhile program, our students are definitely reaping the benefits!

This year all book club orders **must be made online** through the LOOP system at [www.scholastic.com.au/loop](http://www.scholastic.com.au/loop). Once you have created an account, you can link your child and their class to your profile. Simply select the current issue, place your order and pay online in one easy transaction. Your order will then be delivered directly to your child at school with nothing else for you to do.

**Just a reminder that all orders for issue 7 must be placed by 31 October.**

Thank you for your support and HAPPY READING!

Nicole Dempsey – Book Club Coordinator (K Starfish Teacher)

## MIDGINBIL HILL YEAR 5/6 CAMP

Last week of Term 3, years 5 and 6 headed to the hills to experience Stage 3 camp for the week. Here are some reflections: Our bonfire went off with a bang and the mystic fire exploded our night into colours. When it collapsed it went up in an explosion.

**Nate & Jimmy**

Year 6 girls had a cabin makeover session and sleepout overnight.

**Jordan**

We saw wallabies and a goanna around camp. **Koby & Bonnie** Canoeing through the reeds and lily pads, getting lost and found all at once. **Asher**

The night hike and having scary stories, keeping us at our camp sharpest. **Ruby**

Raft building tested our team building and learning how to work together to create a ship that would not sink was fun. **Marley**

Sinking our rafts was more fun than floating them. **Jemma**

Archery got our eye in and kept us on target. **Jackson**

Exploring the riverbed and painted ourselves with ochre. Getting back to nature. **Meisha, Jess & Jemma**

Rock climbing and the goanna racing was fun, even getting there over the Indiana Jones bridge was an adventure. **Jess**

Damper and lemon myrtle tea was delicious. Listening to camp yarns around the fire. **Jimmy & Louis**

Four action packed days, full of friendship, memory making, accepting challenges and pushing ourselves.



## SCHOOL ROUTINE

9.00AM	1ST LEARNING SESSION
11.00AM	<b>Recess</b>
11.30AM	2ND LEARNING SESSION
12.50PM	<b>Lunch</b>
1.30 PM	3RD LEARNING SESSION
3.00PM	END OF SCHOOL DAY

## WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Every Monday at 2.30pm in the hall. All welcome.

## SCHOOL BANKING MONDAYS

## UNIFORM SHOP

## MONDAY AFTERNOON

2.45PM TO 3.15PM

## TUESDAY & FRIDAY MORNING

8.45AM TO 9.15AM.

School hats are also available at the Canteen

CANTEEN THURSDAY & FRIDAY

**SURFSIDE BUSLINES** 0755 716 555

**SCHOOL SECURITY** 1300 880 021**PLAYGROUND**

**EQUIPMENT** The equipment is for use of students at Bogangar Public School during school hours under the supervision of teaching staff.



## FOR PARENTS... CURRICULUM CORNER

In our busy lifestyle sometimes it is hard to find the time to sit and read daily with our children. Though, in our modern world it is more important than ever. Children learn about the importance of reading as they watch family members reading and writing for everyday purposes.

## WHAT YOU CAN DO AT HOME TO HELP

- Be yourself. Involve children in everyday conversations.
- Read aloud to children, even older children who can read, it helps them to learn the language of books and will encourage them to enjoy books and reading.
- Talk about books, read together and make reading an enjoyable, shared activity.
- Make sure there is a wide range of reading material for your child at home, both fiction and nonfiction.
- It is important to read to your child in your home language. If your first language is not English. Experience shows that using your home language will help your child to learn to read in English.
- Try not to let television or screen time intrude on reading time. Make a special time for reading with your child, away from interruption.
- Listen to your child every day, even for a short time.
- Give books as treats and presents.

## HINTS FOR LISTENING TO YOUR CHILD READ

- Before reading, talk about the cover, the title, the pictures, and discuss what the book may be about.
- During reading, discuss what has been read up to that point, and imagine what will happen next time.
- After reading is finished, talk and ask questions about the story and the pictures.
- When reading a harder book together, take turns. Beginning readers can read the repetitive parts and more experienced readers can read a paragraph or a page.
- On finding an unknown word: Pause to give your child time to work out the word

Prompt – go back to the beginning of the sentence, or read past the difficult word to the end of the sentence. – look for a clue in the picture or the words – look at the first letter and think about what the words could be – ask “Does this make sense?” – try to sound out the word – if necessary tell your child the word. Praise your child for trying even if mistakes are made.



## Top Dog Academy

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## CANTEEN THURSDAY ONLY MEAL DEAL

Hamburger / Veggie Burger / Cheese Burger / Chicken and Gravy Roll, water, or juice popper  
**\$5.00**

## FRIDAY ONLY MEAL DEAL

Cheese & Ham Pizza, Cheese and Pineapple Pizza (homemade pizza squares) water or popper  
**\$5.00**

**Please write your child's name and class on lunch order bag and State whether your child has any allergies.**

## OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE:

ENROL ONLINE

<https://freebeesoshc.hubworks.com.au/>

and press the enroll button.

Please contact Leah on **0404 904 993**



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**KIDS EAT FREE ON  
FRIDAYS AT OSTERIA!**

FREE KID'S MEAL WITH EVERY  
MAIN PURCHASED  
FROM 5PM ON FRIDAYS.

**BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL:**

**02 6674 9962.**