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Term 2 ~ Week 7

Monday 1 June to

Friday 5 June 2015

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HSC Booster Day UNE

Friday 5 June

K-12 Athletics Carnival

PRIMARY CANTEEN

ROSTER 2015

TERM 2 ~ WEEK 7

Monday 1 June

Sue Perek

Wednesday 3 June

Bec Groth & Karen Derrick

Friday 5 June

Tammy Wade & Bobby Coombes

Primary Canteen is open

**Monday, Wednesday
& Friday**

Newsletter

Term 2 ~ Week 7 commencing Monday 1 June 2015

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FAMILY READ IN



The Cabot Family



The Phillips Family



The Rixon Family



The Thomson Family



The Schmidt Family



The Forrester Family

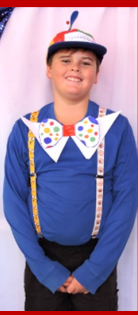


The Hain Family



The Simpson Family

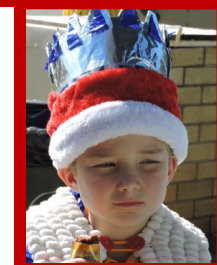
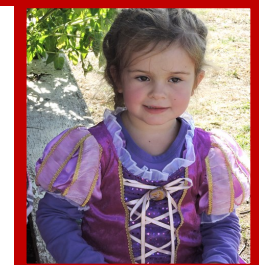
BOOK FAIR



National Simultaneous Story Time



"The Quibble Brothers", by Aaron Blabey





Principal's Message

Last week the primary school held their Book Fair and Family Reading In evening. It was a great success with many families coming along and doing their family reading routine. It was great to see the students get so involved. It was fantastic to see lots of parents reading to their kids. Well done to Mrs King and her band of merry helpers.



This week is the first week of Winter and it is another exciting week on the school calendar with our K-12 Athletics Carnival on Friday 5 June (weather permitting). Remember to call the school if you can assist in any way on the day and remember to dress in your house colours. If you are not sure of your child's House please contact the school. A note was sent home outlining the running of the carnival. If you did not receive a note please contact the school on 67821266.

Next week is the Queen's Birthday long weekend so remember that there will be no school on Monday 8 June 2015 and I hope everyone enjoys the extra day off.

It was great to see our new Secondary SRC members receive their badges from their parents and recite the pledge to serve the student body and the school. I look forward to working with them on current issues including the development of the new Wellbeing System.

At Barraba Central School we seek to resolve difficulties, grievances and complaints in a prompt, impartial and just manner. If you have a concern, complaint or compliment about any aspect of your child's education we would like to hear from you. I would encourage you to contact the school to talk about your concerns as early as possible. Most problems can be solved by talking to the school office staff, your child's teacher or the school Principal.

The Schools Webpage provides information for parents, students and the general public on how this can be dealt with. We also have forms at each of the campuses which can be used by parents/carers to assist with this process. Please call into the office or contact the school on 67821104 or 67821266 if you require any additional information on this process.

Link to the complaints and compliments form:

<http://www.barraba-c.schools.nsw.edu.au/our-school/rules-policies>

Adam Forrester
Principal

BOOK FAIR

Welcome to the Kingdom of BOOKS!

I am sure all who visited our Book Fair would agree that the library certainly was transformed with the "Kings, Queens and Castles" theme last week. Students dressed in all sorts of amazing costumes including a visit from Egyptian royalty and King Kong! It's always good to think outside the square. The beautiful Queens and Princesses, handsome Kings, Princes and Knights all looked absolutely spectacular. These costumes don't just happen it's their mums and grandmas who spend hours sewing, painting and doing paper mache to create the perfect look and you are all wonderful!

Thank you to all who supported the Book Fair with purchases of books, activity packs, posters and stationary. A special thank you to Selina Longmore, Lara and Jazmin Forrester, Georgia King, Riley King, Lin Irving, Di Carter and Jennylyn King who donated a book for our library. An enormous thank you to Sue Perek and Aleta Bluett for supervising the stall. We sold around \$1600 worth of merchandise which allowed us about \$300 commission for books which is great for our little library.

FAMILY READ IN

A fabulous night was held last Wednesday 27 May with a dozen families reading for us in the library. We had stories about silly daddies, wonky donkeys, cranky bears and even Cinderella with a twist. We learned just how big a million is, about feelings and some great stories that kids just love to read.



Thank you all for taking part on the night it was a lovely snuggle up type evening and remember the more you read to and with your children the greater their joy in life, not to mention their literary ability. Read while they are in utero, as a toddler and once they get to school then they can read to you! Just 3 books a day - one new, one familiar and one favourite! READ, READ, READ. *Jennylyn King*

Athletics Carnival

As you are aware our athletics carnival will be held this Friday 5 June. Anyone who is able to assist please contact the primary office on 67821266. Thank you to those who have already offered we couldn't do it without you. High Jump for the 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 year old students will start at 11am (recess) Wednesday 3 June and they will be jumping on the big mats. Infants have already completed their High Jump on the small mats. *Jennylyn King*

Immunisation change of date

From Wednesday 3 June
to

Wednesday 17 June

Year 7

Chicken Pox, Diphtheria, Tetanus, Whooping Cough & HPV

Year 11 & 12

Measles, Mumps and Rubella

Congratulations on your Nightly Reader Awards

Pictured below:

Max Kerney ~ 25 readers
Cody Graves ~ 50 readers
Gemma White ~ 75 readers
Zahlie Cabot ~ 75 readers
Jazmin Forrester ~ 100 readers and
Jai Howarth ~ 100 readers

Pictured below:

Kalie Sproates ~ 25 readers
Mia Coombes ~ 50 readers

Pictured below:

Max Sawyer ~ 50 readers
Lindsay Wallace ~ 50 readers
Matthew McKay 50 readers



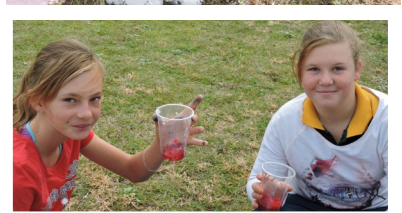
Dance & Donut Achievement Afternoon



Witch's Brew



As part of the 3/4 and 5/6 'Measurement Unit' students participated in making Witch's Brew. They mixed their potions with much anticipation of the end result.
Lenny Longstaff



TERM 1 - 2015 CALENDAR

Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
8	8 June Queen's Birthday Long Weekend	9 June	10 June P&C Meeting 6pm Primary Site	11 June School Banking	12 June Year 5/6 Assembly
9	15 June Year 11/12 Hospitality Event - Manilla Central School	16 June Year 11 CAFS Assessment Task Due	17 June	18 June	19 June
10	22 June Year 12 Trial Exams commence	23 June	24 June	25 June School Banking	26 June

Barraba Central School Touch

BCS sent four teams to Inverell last week to compete in the Touch Football Central Schools Knockout. The U16's boys and girls teams were up against some tough opponents and unfortunately could not come away with a win. But their efforts, enthusiasm and positivity should be commended. For some it was their first High School Gala Day and by all reports everyone had a great time.

The Open's boys and girls had more success with both going through to the semi-finals after finishing second in their pools. The boys were one try away from beating Bundarra and advancing to the State Cup but unfortunately went down in the dying seconds after some desperate defence. They showed real flamboyance in their attack and endurance to keep up their intensity. The girls played Woodenbong in their semi and kept them to one try for most of the game defending tightly but unfortunately could not score a try to level. Well done to the girls on their massive efforts and working well as a team.

Well done to all the students for their enthusiasm and great sportsmanship. *Kate Huckle*

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