

## Term 1- 2017 Calendar

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5	20 February	21 February	22 February	23 February	24 February PSSA Swimming Tamworth
6	27 February	28 February Primary Leadership Induction Assembly 2.30pm	1 March	2 March	3 March Rugby Union Zone Officer visit Secondary 1pm
7	6 March	7 March	8 March P&C AGM 6pm Primary	9 March	10 March
8	13 March Photo Day	14 March	15 March	16 March	17 March
9	20 March	21 March Harmony Day	22 March	23 March	24 March
10	27 March	28 March	29 March	30 March	31 March
11	3 April Healthy Harold	4 April Healthy Harold	5 April	6 April Easter Hat Parade	7 April

## Barraba Central School

### P&C AGM

Wednesday 8 March 2017  
6pm at the Primary Campus  
EVERYONE WELCOME



The P&C are seeking people willing to fill the positions of President, Vice President, Secretary & Treasurer. We also need new committee members. If you know of anyone who would be interested in being a part of the P&C please encourage them to come along to the AGM.

*Helen Rixon*

## Term 1 - 2017 Canteen Roster

Wk	Monday	Wednesday	Friday
5	20 February Dale White & Tracy Thomson	22 February Sarah & Amanda Madden	24 February Tammy Wade & Bobby Coombes
6	27 February Beck Groth	1 March CLOSED	3 March Bec Russell
7	6 March Bek Keighran & Jackie Lott	8 March Sarah & Amanda Madden	10 March Nickie Cabot & Meghan McCarthy
8	13 March Meagan Coghlan	15 March CLOSED	17 March Dale White & Tracy Thomson
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# Newsletter

"Caring school striving for high academic, sporting and cultural achievements K-12".

Term 1 Week 5

Tuesday 21 February 2017

## Swimming Age Champions 2017



Age	Boy Champion	Girl Champion
8/under	Dustin Hiscock	Macy Cabot
9yrs	Will Russell	Not contested
10yrs	Max Kerney & Jack Thomson	Regan Simpson
11yrs	Jack Coombes	Gemma Kerney
12yrs	Leighen Bourke	Kiah Newell
Secondary		
12yrs	Not Contested	Kaila Gillogly
13yrs	Luke White	Abbey Thomson
14yrs	Thomas Dennis	Jesse Lott
15yrs	Hayden White	Maddi Lott
16yrs	Ryan Austin	Zoe Darlington
17yrs+	Matt Thompson	Caitlin Bomford



## Principal's Message

**RESPECT: Having regard for yourself and others and accepting the right of others to hold different or opposing views.**

This fortnight we will be focusing our students attention on the area of respect; respect for themselves; respect for others and respect for the environment in which they live work and play. This concept is abstract to many younger students however it is introduced through 'You Can Do It' Program and continued throughout the school. Our older students will be revisiting these concepts in Roll Call and in their classes to understand what respect looks like and feels like within the school setting. These will be placed in our Newsletter. We would also asking the question of parents What is Respect? This question will be posted to Facebook for you to comment or give your definition. I Look forward to sharing the responses.

### School Hat and Sun Safe

The weather has finally started to cool down however it is important that students continue to wear their hats and remain hydrated. Remember if you do not have a hat you will have to play under the Covered Outdoor Learning Area (COLA). In the Secondary students will need to remain in shaded areas.



### Zone Swimming

This week we have 12 primary and infant students off to Scully Park to represent Barraba in The Tamworth Zone Primary Swimming carnival. We wish them well.



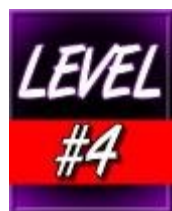
### General Permission Notes

There are still a number of outstanding general permission notes. We ask parents to check bags and ensure they are returned as soon as possible. It is very import that you keep us up to date with changes in address and phone numbers. Please notify office staff as soon as these changes occur so students records are kept current.

### Primary Leadership Assembly

Primary Leadership Assembly will be held next Tuesday at 2.30 pm in the Primary School Hall. We would love to see you there to watch our 2017 Primary Leadership Team, SRC and Class Captains be badged.

*Mr Forrester*



**Congratulations to the following students on reaching Level 4**

**Max Kerney, Zahlie Cabot, Mia Coombes, Gemma White, Will Russell, Cody Graves, Lili-Mae Hardy, Kane Ward, Luke White, Hayden White & Kattie Frost**

Level 4: Consistently working hard; having pride in the school and following the School Rules.

## General Permission Note

**Please remember to return General Permission Notes to office staff**

## Commercial Hotel & Brasserie

*Open for dinner  
Tuesday - Saturday  
and lunch  
Wednesday - Sunday*

**Free jumping castle for kids**



## Primary Leadership Induction

### Assembly

**Tuesday**

**28 February 2017**

**2.30pm**

**@**

**The Primary Hall**

**EVERYONE WELCOME**

## DAVID JENNA REFRIG. ELECTRICAL

**Ph: 67821261**



**Also supply and installation of solar pumps and mains submersible pumps.**



**AT MANILLA SERVICES CLUB**

**Tuesday 21st February 5pm-7pm**

**Saturday 25th February 12pm-2pm**

Players will need to fill out an online registration form which can be found at Manilla Netball Club's website, under the competition forms tab, then Saturday Winter Competition:

<http://manillanc.nsw.netball.com.au/>

Payment can be made online or at one of our rego days at Manilla Services Club. Uniform items will need to be ordered at the Rego days.

### 2017 Prices:

Senior \$185. (Rego only \$105)

Junior \$150. (Rego only \$85)

Netsetgo 5-7yrs \$85

Netsetgo 8-9 skills & comp \$105

Netsetgo 10yrs \$115

Please Contact Registrar Leah Leard for more information - 0438000156

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE** **SECONDARY CANTEEN**

**FRIDAY**

**24 FEBRUARY 2016**

**THERE WILL BE A BBQ AND THE SECONDARY CANTEEN WILL BE CLOSED**



## The simplest way

...to protect your skin.

Almost all skin cancers are preventable by reducing exposure of skin to ultraviolet (UV) radiation.



### Did you know?

UV radiation causes damage when the level reaches 3 or above. Even though we cannot feel UV radiation it can still be damaging on cooler or cloudy days.

### Stay protected!

Protect your skin from damage when UV levels reach 3 and above by:

- Downloading the SunSmart app or check the online widget ([www.sunsmart.com.au/uv-sun-protection/uv-widget/](http://www.sunsmart.com.au/uv-sun-protection/uv-widget/)) to discover the daily UV rating.
- If the UV rating is 3 or above, use sun protection.

**Slip Slop Slap Seek Slide**



Protect yourself in five ways from skin cancer

Minimise your time outside from 11am - 3pm (DST) from October through to March.

To help keep your kids safe in the sun, check your school's SunSmart status by heading to [www.sunsmart.com.au](http://www.sunsmart.com.au)





# Secondary Kitchen Garden



The Kitchen Garden established by Stage 5 Geography in December is now producing rocket, cucumbers and zucchini for the hospitality classes to use. As the weather cools we are looking at snow peas and potatoes with the plan being to extend the existing garden. My thanks to those students who have helped so far and to Shinnny for his efforts in mowing and slashing around the garden.

*Mr Maloney*



## School Drive Subsidy



If you live a long way from public transport and need to drive a student to a public transport pick up point or to school, you may be able to get financial assistance.

The School Drive Subsidy provides eligible parents and guardians twice-yearly payments to help cover some of the expenses of getting children to school.

To find out if you're eligible, and to apply online, visit [transport.nsw.gov.au/schooldrive](http://transport.nsw.gov.au/schooldrive)

### Can't get online?

Ask about the School Drive Subsidy at your school, or call 131 500.



## Cash back on the school run



## PRIMARY MEAL DEAL TOMORROW

**Wednesday 22 February**

**1 x Hot Dog**

**1 x Pop Top or Water**

**1 x Animal Pop**

**All for \$5.00**



For your Unisex Hairdressing & Ladies Fashion call Rhonda  
PH: 02 6782 2111 OPEN: (Tue - Sat by appointment only)



## Secondary Wellbeing kicks off for 2017

The year has started well for the secondary students with many already being rewarded through our wellbeing structures. On Fridays Assembly it was great to see our first 4 secondary students receiving their Level 4 Certificates.

This year we will be rewarding student achievements at the end of term and culminating with our trip away towards the end of Term 4. For those students on Level 4 or 5 by the end of week 9 this term there will be a bicentennial and pool bbq rewards day at the end of Term 1.

It is hoped that students will be encouraged to continue their efforts in working towards Level 4 and 5 and be able to join us for this great activity to wrap up the term.

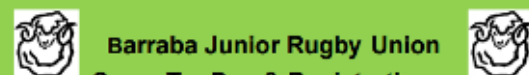
*Mr Good*



## 2017 RUGBY

Pre-season training has now started with sessions between 4 & 5pm on Monday and Thursday afternoons at the Rugby Club. Please wear your running shoes and a hat. Thank you to Mr Vilimaa for helping out. Any enquiries please see me.

*Mr Maloney*



IS YOUR CHILD INTERESTED IN PLAYING JUNIOR RUGBY?

WHEN: Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2017

WHERE: Barraba Rugby Club

TIME: 3:30pm

REGISTRATION COST: \$25 incl shorts & socks

FREE BBQ!

- The Nth West Development Officer will be running skills & drills with the kids.
- A trading table will also be operating, so bring your old gear.
- This season we will provide subsidised buses to some of the furthest away games and will also co-ordinate car pools to training and games where needed

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT  
SECRETARY BROOKE KELLY -  
6783 2260 OR 0429 653 230

**Don't forget  
to add us on  
FACEBOOK**



## Garry Walsh Rugby Union Zone Officer Visit

Garry Walsh the Rugby Union Zone Officer will be attending Barraba Central School on Friday 3 March for a rugby skills and drills session. Secondary school rugby players are invited to attend in place of their allocated sport that afternoon. Meet Mr Maloney at 1pm in the hall after lunch for roll call and then walk to the Rugby Club.

*Mr Maloney*

## EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST BARRABA JUNIOR NETBALL

Barraba Netball would like to organise a junior competition for girls aged from 8 to 13 years. The competition would run on Monday nights in conjunction with the ladies competition. This would not be training it would be a competition. The time frame would be from 5pm to 7pm. It would be their own competition. Normal Registration Fees will apply.

For more information  
Contact Jackie Lott  
0402906874



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