

Term 1- 2017 Calendar

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9	20 March Boys & Girls Rugby Training 4pm-5pm Zone Rugby League Trails-Secondary	21 March Harmony Day	22 March Primary Meal Deal	23 March Boys & Girls Rugby Training 4pm-5pm	24 March
10	27 March Boys & Girls Rugby Training 4pm-5pm	28 March	29 March	30 March Boys & Girls Rugby Training 4pm-5pm	31 March 2/30 Assembly 2.30pm
11	3 April Healthy Harold Boys & Girls Rugby Training 4pm-5pm	4 April Healthy Harold	5 April	6 April Easter Hat Parade Boys & Girls Rugby Training 4pm-5pm	7 April



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Term 1 Week 9

Tuesday 21 March 2017

3/48 Assembly



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Principal's Message

Bullying



Friday saw the whole school participate in Anti-Bullying activities within the school and classroom on the 7th National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence. Only with everyone working together in the community can we hope to

stamp out bullying within our town and school. I hope all parents/carers are reinforcing and discussing with their child the ideas of respect, respect for self, respect for others and respect for one's environment. It is important students realise that persistent and consistent verbal, physical or social isolation is a form of bullying. The link below is a great animation which I encourage you to watch with your child, begin the discussion and have a conversation.

<https://bullyingnoway.gov.au/resources/videos/pages/videoplayer.aspx?VideoID=183>

Harmony Day

Tuesday was Harmony Day. (Harmony Day is a celebration of our cultural diversity; a day of cultural respect for everyone who calls Australia home). Parents were invited to school to celebrate Harmony. Students took part in mixed group activities as a whole school between 11.30am-1.30pm followed by a sausage sizzle. The activities included Fijian Indian food - Hindi culture, Japanese language, writing and songs, Chinese Tai Chi, games from countries of the world and Australia, face paintings of peace, yin/yang and flowers. It was at a great day. Students were encouraged to wear **orange** however any colour clothes representing our rich cultural diversity was encouraged (Mufti Day). It was a enjoyable day and it was good to see many parents attending.



Primary Campus - This Week

The 2/30 Assembly has been postponed until Friday 31 March at 2.30pm. I hope this does not cause any inconvenience for anyone.

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Secondary Campus - This week

Our refurbished toilets are nearing completion and should be operational next week. Our new sports shed is due to start next week along with the repair of the main quad.

Good News

This week I received a letter from a past community member who wrote "I wished to write and compliment Barraba Central School regarding the School Newsletter. It gave a great impression. "The letter went on to describe how good the students looked in their uniforms".

Mr Forrester

Congratulations to the following students on reaching Level 4

Savannah Bonarius, Cody Simpson, Jade Moon-Anderson, Kaila Gillogly, Duncan Allnut, Caydence Brighton & Aden O'Dell

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

POSTPONED

2/30 Assembly postponed until Friday

31 March 2017

2.30pm

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Primary Campus

Commercial Hotel & Brasserie

Open for dinner
Tuesday - Saturday
and lunch
Wednesday - Sunday

Free jumping castle for kids



Kitchen Garden

The Kitchen Garden established by stage 5 Geography in December has now been extended to 12 beds. The students are learning about permaculture and no-dig gardens. Plantings for the cooler months include bok choy, carrots, beetroot, snow peas and lettuce.

An aquaponic kit has been ordered to broaden the learning experience to include the raising of fish and growing of herbs in an integrated system. Future projects will include mushroom growing.

Thank you to those students, staff and members of the community who have assisted and a big thank you to Mr Roberts and family for the horse manure which is being put to very good use.

Mr Maloney

Friday Night Rugby

Preseason training has started and is on every Monday and Thursday between 4pm-5pm at the rugby grounds. Monday is fitness and Thursday skills and drills. We are now about 6 weeks (including the school holidays) away from the season start so please make the effort to participate.

All students even if unsure about playing are welcome to join their mates for some exercise and fun (subject to school rules around the well-being program).

My thanks to Mr Vilimaa for running the fitness sessions and well done to the 15 students (boys and girls) who have been regulars at training over the last 3 weeks. See you at training.

Mr Maloney

PRIMARY MEAL DEAL

TOMORROW

Wednesday 22 March

1 x Beef Burger

1 x Pop Top or Water

1 x Mony

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From The Deputy

Harmony Day

Tuesday 21 March was Harmony Day for the whole school. Students K-9 took part in 5 activities of 20 minutes each. These activities ran from 11.30am-1.30pm and culminated with a free sausage sizzle. Students were encouraged to wear orange as orange is the Harmony Day colour. Students were also allowed to wear mufti for the day with a hint of orange thrown in.

Anti-Bullying Day

This was held last Friday 17 March. Students at the Secondary Campus had an extended roll call and during this time had many fruitful discussions about bullying and watched a range of anti-bullying videos (depending on the class). According to Secondary roll call staff the anti-bullying session was a success with most of the students.

Until next time....

Mr Johnston



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