

TERM 2- 2017 CALENDAR

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9	19 June	20 June	21 June P&C Meeting 5.30pm Secondary Campus	22 June	23 June 5/6 Assembly
10	26 June	27 June Primary Parents Club 9.15am	28 June	29 June	30 June Frost Over Barraba 3/4 Assembly has been postponed until next term

P&C Meeting
21 June 2017
5.30pm
Secondary Campus

NOTE:
Location
Change!

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Term 2 - 2017 Primary Canteen Roster

Wk	Monday	Wednesday	Friday
9	19 June Bec Russell	21 June CLOSED	23 June Bec Groth
10	26 June Jackie Lott & Bek Keighran	28 June MEAL DEAL Dale White & Tracy Thomson	30 June Meagan McCarthy & Nickie Cabot

Whooping Cough

There has been a recent increase in Whooping Cough.

Coughing spreads the infection to others nearby. Whooping cough caught at school can spread to any younger brothers and sisters at home. Whooping cough can be especially dangerous for babies.

Whooping cough starts like a cold and progresses to bouts of coughing that can last for many weeks. Older children may just have a cough that is persistent and is worse at night. The infection can occur even in fully vaccinated children.

- Children with symptoms should see a GP.
- If your doctor diagnoses whooping cough please let the school know and keep your child at home until they have taken 5 days of antibiotics. Keep coughing children away from babies.
- Whooping cough vaccines give good protection against infection but immunity fades. If your school aged child has younger siblings it's a good idea to check that they are up to date with their vaccines.

Whooping Cough

1 IDENTIFY
 Anyone can get whooping cough but it can be deadly for babies
 • Babies and young children can stop breathing or develop severe coughing bouts that end with vomiting or gasping for breath.
 • People of all ages can get whooping cough and can spread it to babies.
 • Adults often just have a mild cough that lingers.

2 PROTECT
 Immunise your baby on time to get the best protection
 • Pregnant women should get vaccinated in the third trimester (preferably at 28 weeks).
 • Get your baby vaccinated on time at 6 weeks, 4 months and 6 months of age.
 • Booster vaccines for children and adults stop whooping cough spreading.

3 PREVENT
 Whooping cough spreads quickly when people cough in the early stages of the infection
 • If you have symptoms, see a doctor fast and get tested.
 • Stay home until you are no longer infectious. Ask your doctor when it's safe to return to work, school or childcare.
 • Keep anyone with a cough away from your newborn especially until your baby has had 3 whooping cough vaccines.

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Term 2 Week 9

Tuesday 20 June 2017

2017 Athletics Carnival



Wednesday 14 June was our Annual Athletics Carnival and the weather sure turned on a cracking day. Conditions were as close to perfect for competition that I have witnessed in over twenty years of running Athletics Carnivals and the students of Barraba Central School took full advantage.

I would like to take this opportunity to give a huge thankyou to all students, parents and staff for

their positive attitude and the spirit in which everyone participated and contributed on the day. The Barraba community continues to impress me with their "can do" approach. Everyone rolled up their sleeves got in and had a go and that is what makes a day such as this a huge success. A special mention to Year 12 with an outstanding level of enthusiasm and effort in participation. Well done and thank you again. Thank you to Shanny for his efforts in the preparation of the grounds for the day. It is greatly appreciated.

Any student wishing to progress to the next Carnival should have already seen Mr Greenwood for information and a permission note. This must be done by Friday 23 June.

2017 Primary Age Champions

Age	Girl	Boy
6 and under	Mirrilee Coghlan	Cody Simpson
7 years	Macey Cabot	Aden O'Dell
8 years	Hope Dawson	Dustin Hiscock
9 years	Phoebe Wilson	Jai Howarth
10 years	Gemma White	Brandon Newell
11 years	Gemma Kerney	Dylan Hatch
12 years	Kiah Newell	Cameron Tonkin

2017 Secondary Age Champions

Age	Girl	Boy
12 years Snr	Kaila Gillogly	N/A
13 years	Alethea Fawcett	Luke White
14 years	Jessie Lott	Thomas Dennis
15 years	Maddi Lott	Lane Simpson
16 years	Katie Fisher	Ryan Austin
17+ years	Amy Sawyer	Matthew Thompson

HOUSE POINTS

3rd 651 points COPETON
2nd 708 points KEEPIT

WINNER 762 points SPLIT ROCK

Congratulations SPLIT ROCK and all Age Champions. Thank you to all students, parents, volunteers and staff for their effort and participation.

Mr Greenwood & Mrs King



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From the Relieving Principal



The fundamental role of a teacher is not only to deliver information but to make kids feel like they are important and have an adult who helps guide students in their day to day education and daily lives. In short; to help with student wellbeing and welfare.

Student welfare is a very important part of the school's daily operations. Our wellbeing system makes a very important contribution to student welfare and rewards positive behaviours in both the Primary and Secondary Campuses. Indeed on both campuses the positive slips (green) far outweigh the negative referrals (red).

The community is kept up to date with our students' positive achievements through the constant mention of Level 4 and 5 students in the weekly newsletter and Facebook. Further the school undertakes a series of rewards at various intervals to again reinforce positive behaviours.

In the secondary the Friday Night Rugby in Tamworth has been a great success and students love to participate in this competition. The students know that if they are on a behaviour card they are out of the team. Therein good behaviour at school has its own rewards. Indeed on several occasions Mr Maloney has alluded to how well behaved the students are on Friday nights.

It should be obvious; ongoing positive behaviours have their own rewards and enhance opportunities for all concerned.

Until next time.....

Mr Johnston

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Congratulations to the following student on reaching

Level 5



Cody Graves & Cassidy Graves

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Congratulations to the following student on reaching

Level 4

Max Sawyer

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

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FRIDAY NIGHT RUGBY

Twenty six students represented the school in a fiercely contested Round 6. All 9 of our boys in the Under 14 boys tackled well and put in a strong effort in a creditable loss. The backs in particular played well.

The Under 14's girls continue to show improvement and came away with a hard fought draw and a competitive loss in their 2 games. The girls continue to lead the way in a mixed team made up of players from 4 schools.

The Under 16's girls were again impressive in coming away with wins in both their games. Maddi Lott had a blockbuster of a game then we have Katie Fisher who every week demonstrates what an athlete she is and Kimberly Sing improving every week. You girls are starting to become 'scary!'

The Under 16's boys were prominent and in the thick of the action in the combined team with Quirindi and were very unlucky to lose in a nail biting and very physical encounter. Clay Bonnici made fantastic efforts in defence and in scoring an inspirational try. The Open's boys missed out on a game this week as Carinya forfeited.

Behaviour off and on the field was again good and thanks are extended to the many people who support the team including Jenny Middlemiss and Deborah Bomford for driving on game night. Thanks also to Mark Harris, Jack McCarthy and Chris Sweeney from the Barraba Rugby Club for coaching and/or driving. The players appreciate the support of the many Barraba people including family, friends, ex-students and staff who are there supporting from the sidelines on game night.

We had 34 players including students from Oxley and Manilla come to Barraba for training last week and on game night we are playing with students from 5 other schools (all of them being bigger schools than ours). A lot of new friends are being made as we continue to punch well above our weight. There are reasons why other schools want to play with us; so let's keep up our discipline, sportsmanship and welcoming attitude! We have a game this week which will be followed by a bye on the last Friday of term and then the school holidays. The competition continues into Term 3 so I will see you at training!

Points for this week were awarded to:

Under 14 girls

3 points to Jessie Lott who backed up from representing at the regional cross-country that day, 2 Alethea Fawcett and 1 Abbey Thomson

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Under 14 boys

3 points Max Gudshus, 2 Riley Hunter and 1 Nick Myers & Mackenzie Austin

Under 16 girls

3 points to Maddi Lott, 2 Katie Fisher & 1 point Kimberly Sing

Under 16 boys

3 points to Clay Bonnici, 2 points Matt Thompson, 1 point each Hamish Nicholson and Zac McDouall

Player of the round

Clay Bonnici

Mr Maloney

FROST OVER BARRABA FUN WITH PAINT WORKSHOP FRIDAY 30 JUNE 2017

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