

## TERM 2- 2017 CALENDAR

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7	5 June	6 June	7 June	8 June Kindergarten feature in NDL	9 June Primary High Jump
8	12 June Queens Birthday	13 June Primary Parents Club 9.15am	14 June K-12 Athletics Carnival	15 June NAIDOC Day	16 June Regional Cross Country 5/6 Assembly
9	19 June	20 June	21 June P&C Meeting 5.30pm Secondary Campus	22 June	23 June
10	26 June	27 June Primary Parents Club 9.15am	28 June	29 June	30 June Frost Over Barraba 3/4 Assembly

**P&C Meeting 21 June 2017 5.30pm @ Secondary Campus**

### Term 2 - 2017 Primary Canteen Roster

Wk	Monday	Wednesday	Friday
7	5 June Meghan McCarthy & Nickie Cabot	7 June <b>CLOSED</b>	9 June Bobby Coombes & Tammy Wade
8	12 June <b>LONG WEEKEND</b>	14 June MEAL DEAL Meagan Coghlan	16 June Amanda Madden & Sarah Madden
9	19 June Bec Russell	21 June <b>CLOSED</b>	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

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Term 2 Week 7

# Newsletter

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

Tuesday 6 June 2017

## K/1 Awesome Assembly



*Family & Friends  
Welcome*

**Primary High Jump**  
Friday 9 June 2017  
Primary Campus  
11.30am 8 & 9 years  
12.30pm 10, 11 & 12 years  
2.10pm Under 6, 6 & 7 years

*Family & Friends  
Welcome*

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## From the Relieving Principal



Firstly let me start off this week's column by issuing special congratulations to our School Captains. Last Wednesday Emily Kelso and Ryan Hall had the pleasure of meeting the Governor in Sydney. Both students reported that they had a very good day and as a bonus learnt a great deal about the running of the state.

A few parents/carers in the secondary will no doubt be getting some phone calls in the weeks ahead because recently there have been students who have been late to school in the mornings. If students have a note explaining why they are late then the matter ends there but to be late without any sort of note is not acceptable; parents/carers will be informed and students will be given red slips. School begins at roll call at 8:50am

I'd like to take this opportunity to thank a staff member Mr Maloney for his ongoing role and dedication to the school in the fostering and development of Friday Night Rugby in Tamworth. The students look forward to their rugby and given the school rules involved in taking part in this event any student who is on a behaviour level and is in the rugby tries extra hard to be off their level or else they know they can't play.

For several years Shane has coached and led this initiative; a job well done!

Lastly I am sure everyone is looking forward to next week's Athletics Carnival (Wednesday 14 June) and NAIDOC Day (Thursday 15 June) activities; they should be fun.

Until next time.....

*Mr Johnston*

**Could parents please check labels on school clothes in case some have been accidentally taken home by the wrong student.**

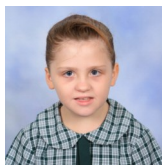
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## Congratulations to the following students on reaching Level 5



**Phoebe Wallace, Curtis Rixon & Keiana Brighton**  
Level 5: Outstanding achievement across all areas of the curriculum at Barraba Central School.

## Congratulations to the following students on reaching Level 4

**Siobhan Derrick, Jacob Schmidt, Dustin Hiscock & Tayah Davey**

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

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## FRIDAY NIGHT RUGBY

Twenty seven students represented the school on a cold Friday night in Tamworth for Round 5.

3 girls were in the thick of the action in the Under 14's and spearheaded an improved effort resulting in a draw in their first game followed up by a loss to a much bigger team in the second. The girls tackled well and tried their hearts out in a combined effort with girls from 3 other schools.

8 girls represented in the Under 16's and came away with an impressive win over a committed opposition. Jessica Kelso in her last game excelled for 3 points (we will miss you Jess). Phoebe Cheatley returned for her first game this season and surprised herself by playing so well. A great team effort.

9 boys ran out in a combined Under 14's side and accredited themselves well in a hard fought bruising encounter for a narrow loss. Most of the boys are still learning the game and becoming familiar with teammates from other schools. The boys can all take something positive out of their efforts against a more experienced opposition. Boys you can feel it building so stick with it. All 6 of our boys, playing in a combined Under 16's with Quirindi singled out for praise for their gutsy and determined efforts in another hard fought and bruising loss against more experienced opposition. The Quirindi coach went out of his way to thank the boys for bolstering his inexperienced team.

Josh Sweeney had a big role playing with the Carinya team for a good win in the Open's. Josh was awarded 2 points by the Carinya coach and his effort has inspired some more of our senior boys to step up for the rest of the season.

Behaviour off and on the field was again in general good. There are a few things to work on during the week including the need to maintain team discipline and not allow ourselves to be dragged down by questionable niggly tactics from some of the other teams. The players were again well supported by parents, friends and ex-students on the night.

Thirty one players attended training last Thursday which included 4 girls from Manilla Central School and 6 boys from Oxley High School who are making a big effort to travel to Barraba to join us.

I am in regular contact Coaches from Quirindi, Oxley, Manilla and Carinya as we coordinate the preparation of combined sides.

There is a reason that other schools are lining up to play with you guys-so keep up the effort, keep up your discipline and keep demonstrating the high levels of sportsmanship that we are becoming known for.

Once again a very big thank you to Barraba Rugby Club members Mark Harris, Jack McCarthy and Chris Sweeney without whom we would struggle to provide this opportunity for our students.

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Even though the competition is suspended this week for the long weekend we need to maintain our fitness so I will see you at training!

**Points for this week were awarded to:**

### Under 14 girls

3 points Jessica Lott and 1 each to Alethea Fawcett and Nicola O'Dell

### Under 14 boys

3 points Mackenzie Austin, 2 Max Gudshus (in only his second game) and 1 Lane "Tank" Simpson, who will be doing extra laps at training for a premature try celebration!

### Under 16 girls

Phoebe Cheatley 2 points, 1 point each to Taylah Wilkinson and Katie Fisher

### Under 16 boys

1 point each to Clay Bonnici, Callan Mallise, Hamish Nicolson, Matt Thompson, Zac MacDouall and in his first game this season Jayden Gillogly

### Open's

Josh Sweeney 2 points

**Player of the round was awarded to:**

Jessica Kelso

*Mr Maloney*

## Secondary Library Open Every Wednesday Recess & Lunch

## Kitchen Garden

Thank you to year 9 students Hayden White and Jayden Gillogly and to our new Teacher's Aide Chloe Taylor for their efforts in the kitchen garden. A big winter clean up saw a large crop of cherry tomatoes along with potatoes, beetroot and snow peas picked. Pak Choi and peas have been planted and there is lettuce, silver beet and Bok Choi ready for harvest with carrots and more beetroot, snow peas, onions and garlic on the way.

A berry patch consisting of blueberries, raspberries, strawberries and passionfruit has been planted out for the spring. Future projects are likely to include a fruit orchard, native plant shelter belts, native (stingless) bees and hydroponics (thankyou to Mrs Brown for donating the equipment).

Thankfully our Silver Perch fingerlings have so far survived the frosty mornings in our Aquaculture set up so hopefully the hospitality class will be cooking fish in a few months!

*Mr Maloney*