Who will buy?

Year 3/4 and Mrs Horder with their food stall at lunchtime this week.
Dear Parents & Caregivers,

Next week, all Public schools will be celebrating **Education Week – Lighting the Way to a Better World**. Baradine Central School will also be celebrating **NAIDOC (National Aborigines and Islanders Day Observance Committee)**.

Our students will be out and about in the local community showcasing the school’s culture and values – **Respect, Quality, Participation and Safety** - through the sharing of their recently learned skills and displays of their school work.

Family members and the wider community are invited and encouraged to join with BCS students at some of the activities being organised. The schedule of activities is listed below for your information.

Cheers

Chris Clarke - Principal

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**Education Week Program**

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<td>All week</td>
<td>Wellington Street (former bakery window). Display of writing by Years 5/6 &amp; Miss Baldock</td>
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<td><strong>Tuesday 29th</strong></td>
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<td>BCS VC room. Debating contest against Trangie Central School with Years 9/10 and Miss Birrell, via video conferencing.</td>
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<td>Wellington Street. Street Stall featuring produce from the Primary classes’ vegie garden program (Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden) by Years 3/4 &amp; Miss Baker.</td>
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<td><strong>Wednesday 30th</strong></td>
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<td>Baradine Preschool. K/1 &amp; Mrs McGlashan will read stories to the preschool students and have lunch with them.</td>
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<td><strong>Thursday 31st</strong></td>
<td>9.00am - 11.00am</td>
<td>Wellington Street. A free breakfast BBQ will be in operation for the community by students in Years 7-12 with Secondary teachers.</td>
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<td>10.00am - 11.00am</td>
<td>Wellington Street. Table displays of our ASPIRE program, classwork &amp; projects, sporting skills and maths quizzes throughout the morning.</td>
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<td>Business houses. Complimentary Morning Tea will be delivered by the Food Technology students with Miss Riley &amp; Mrs Hotchkiss.</td>
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<td>Baradine Hospital. Year 2 class &amp; Mrs Eastburn will visit long-stay residents with handmade gifts.</td>
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<td><strong>Friday 1st August</strong></td>
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<td>BCS Front Lawn. NAIDOC address at the flagpoles. Keynote speakers Reece Buckton &amp; Mr Merv Sutherland.</td>
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<td>9.45 am</td>
<td>Dandry Gorge. Yr 2-12 students depart by buses for Dandry Gorge.</td>
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<td>Recess/morning tea – students provide their own.</td>
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<td>Lunch – catered by BCS P&amp;C – sausage sizzle, fruit, water.</td>
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<td>Arrival back at school.</td>
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Parents and community members are invited to come along to any of the events on the program
Engagement is one of the keys to success and this week Year 3/4 have been truly engaged in their learning. This week saw the completion of their unit, 'who will buy?' and as the final lesson the class opened a shop at lunch time on Thursday. Students learnt about many aspects to running a shop including setting the date and time, menu selection, advertising, food preparation, serving, setting up, cleaning up and counting the money. They also developed their understanding about service, profit, expenses, change and supply and demand. The students had a fabulous day and certainly showed a keen interest in business. Year 3/4 would like to say a very big thank you to everyone that purchased from their shop and are proud to announce they raised $106.80 for the Canberra Excursion. They hope the egg sandwiches, salad plates and cup cakes were enjoyed!

Welcome back to another wonderful term of learning at school. We have had a great start to Term 3.

Thank you to Xavia Bucan, who has been a wonderful help this week as our Class Captain.

We are learning all about narratives in Literacy and have been writing some funny stories about what we would like to do in certain environments and situations. We are studying 'The Very Cranky Bear', and working out orientation (characters and setting), complication (problem) and resolution (solving the problem).

In Maths we are learning about ordinal numbers. We have had a race across the front grass area of the school and were lucky enough to video it as well. Then when we watched the video we could really see who came in specific positions across the finish line.

Just a reminder that fruit break is every morning and the students are enjoying the apple slinky that I purchased in he holidays.

Library and PE are on Thursdays and please ensure your child has a hat at school.

If you have any concerns or would like to catch up with me, please make an appointment at the office or catch me before or after school.

Welcome back to Term 3, which looks to be a very busy term with lots of exciting things on! This week students have been busy working in all learning areas and getting back into the school routine. In Literacy students have been writing acrostic poems and learning about similes and alliteration. In Maths students have been focusing on subtraction with trading and volume using litres and millilitres. We have been learning about Botswana as part of HSIE and our project for the CWA Country of Study.

We have welcomed 2 new students to our 3/4 class, Bradley Owers and Johnathon Shepherd, who are both in Year 3. Both have made a fantastic start and are quickly settling into Baradine Central.

Next week is Education Week. Students from Year 3/4 will be having a stall in the street to sell some of the produce from the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden. We hope to see you there!

Canberra Excursion 100 Club Winners
1st-Judy Bruce  2nd-Jack Ramage  3rd-Xavia Bucan
Year 5/6 News

The Year 5/6 students are getting very excited about their excursion to Canberra! It is only a week and a half away before we head to the ACT and explore the sights and sounds of our nations capital city.

This term the students are selecting and performing a poem of their choice for our termly speaking and listening assessment task. This term we are tying in our speaking and listening assessment task with our Annual Public Speaking competition. Please help your child to select a poem and learn it by heart.

For Education Week the class will have a writing display in the empty shop next to IGA. Please come and have a look at some of the students information reports on Canberra.

Active After School News

Active After School has started back again for this term. It runs from 3:00-4:10pm on Tuesday and Thursday. This term Mrs McGlashan is teaching golf skills, games and activities and Miss Baker is teaching hockey skills and games.

Students need to have returned a signed permission note for AAS to attend these sessions.

We hope to see lots of children at these sessions this term!

Premier’s Reading Challenge

We are nearing the end of the Premier’s Reading Challenge with only 3 weeks left to finish the challenge. A reminder that to complete this challenge students in K-Year 2 need to have read 30 books off the reading list and students in Years 3-6 need to have read 20 books off the reading list. Reading lists need to be given to Miss Baker so the entry can be made online. Well done to those students who have participated.

Music News

We have just had our bass guitar fixed by a wonderful bass player in Coonabarabran. It is sounding great and ready to be played. Hopefully we will be able to have the other bass guitar fixed soon too. If any students are interested in starting a band, please come and talk to me - I am at school on Fridays. With a newly renovated drum kit and bass guitar in great condition, we now only need students to play them.

Primary Sport

Wednesday 30th July - Primary Zone Athletics Carnival at Gulargambone.

Please ensure you have returned your note and bus money to secure a seat on the bus.

Good luck to our team of athletes for next week.

Regional Athletics will be held in Tamworth on Friday 29th August for those who are successful at the Zone Carnival.

Congratulations to Claudia McConnaughty who recently competed at the Gunnedah South Public School Horse Sports day on behalf of Baradine Central School. Results were 1st in Pairs, 4th in Girl Rider, 3rd in Bareback and 4th in Bending. There were 150 riders competing from 20 schools in the region. Well done Claudia!
Last week our focus was ‘Wear your full school uniform with pride’. Thank you to all those children who consistently look smart wearing their Baradine Central School uniform: “Respect”

Follow all staff instructions. We have been giving out lots of PBL’s to students for following all staff instructions. We have many people working at BCS and are pleased to hear our students are trying to be respectful at all times. Thank you.

Secondary Head Teacher News

With the big international events in the news this week in the Ukraine and Israel/Palestine it has been interesting to hear students in a range of classes asking questions about the causes and effects of these type of things. Children of all ages have very inquisitive minds and are able to absorb information from a variety of sources.

While technology has moved on and the younger generation are perhaps less inclined to sit down for the family dinner and watch and discuss the 6 o’clock news – it is still really important to have discussions with our kids about what is happening in the world outside of Baradine.

Year 7 News

Year 7 this week have been settling into our new homeroom, Room 11.

In TAS we have switched over to doing textiles and are looking forward to working on some fun sewing projects.

In Geography we are looking at tourism around the world and are working on planning a holiday as our project in class.

Written by Chontelle Vallette.

Year 8 News

It’s been a busy start to the term in Year 8 being back in the woodwork room with Mr McCutcheon and we are getting our safety tests out of the way so we can start working on our wooden tool boxes.

In History, Mr Lloyd has been teaching us about the history of Aboriginal people in Australia.

Some Year 8 students are in Sydney on the ASPIRE excursion to the university.

It’s been a busy start to the term with concert practice to keep us on our toes. ‘Shake Ya Tail Feather’ is going to be a hit to watch out for on the night!

Written by Fox Jones.

Year 9 News

In HSIE we are learning about the Kokoda Track and its importance to Australia.

In Science we have been working on producing an episode of a game show based on the periodic table.

In Maths we are learning about area and measurement by creating the floor plan of our own apartment.

In SLR we have been working on team work and how a team works, and in PDM we are learning about programming and designing our own computer game.

Written by Stephanie Bowling

Year 10 News

We are all looking forward to another busy term.

This week we have been coming up with ideas, costume and dance planning for our item in the end of term musical.

Notes went out last week for Year 10 students to order our Year 10 shirts. The quicker the orders are returned to school the quicker the shirts can be ordered.

This Term in Food Technology, we will be studying food product development, where students will look at the processes for developing food product, different types of food products and the way they are marketed to the consumer.

Written by Stacey Tanner.
Year 11/12 News

Mr Miles MacFarlane

This has been another quiet week with many Year 11 The Year 12’s are also very aware of the HSC work students away for Work Experience.

The 11 and 12 students are working together on their Written by Sophie Horder.
dance performance with the help of Ms Birrell.

Group Photo Orders

The following group photos taken on School Photo day are now available for order. Two options are available:

1. Secure Online ordering - discounted price of $14 per group photo

2. Manual Orders - $18 per group (SRC, School Leaders, House Captains) and $15 for a Whole School photo

Please collect an envelope from the Front Office which will have full details of both order options. Manual orders are required to be returned in the envelope with the correct money enclosed before 8th August so orders can be sent away for printing.

Old Photos Needed

Baradine will be celebrating their Sesquicentenary Anniversary in 2015 and are seeking any old photos that may be available of the following:

⇒ War photos
⇒ Township photos
⇒ School photos

Could you please bring them to the Front Office at Baradine Central School or the Rural Transaction Centre where they can be scanned while you wait.
Embroidered green school caps $13.50
Sports T-shirts $20 (4-16) & $24 (S-XXL)
Sports shorts $17 (4-16) & $29 (S-XXL)
New and pre-loved uniforms, as well as school hats are available for sale at the Front Office.

Please do not send your child to school with peanut butter sandwiches. There are children who are allergic to peanuts who could have an anaphylactic shock reaction.

Chris Clarke - Principal

STUDENT SUPERVISION
Please remember that student supervision commences at 8:35am.
Students who arrive at school prior to this must report directly to Mrs Clarke.

Congratulations
Attendance Monkey for Term 3 Week 1
Primary - Year 5/6  92.5%
Secondary - Year 8  100%

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COONABARABRAN ORBITAL SWING BAND
will be holding their next CONCERT
On Sunday 27th July 2014
at 2pm
in the
Coonabarabran High School Hall
Adults: $10
Concession: $5
Family: $15