

Baradine Central School Newsletter

Uluru ... counting down

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Monday

6th June 2016

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FRONT COVER

Kane Olsen and Ethan Andrews have been practising their skills for erecting their tent in preparation for the upcoming Uluru excursion.



June 3rd - 7th
North West Equestrian Expo

Tuesday June 7th
Life Education Van
AECG AGM

Wednesday June 8th
Police Liaison Visit
Deaf Sports Day at Dubbo
Secondary High Jump & Javelin

Thursday June 9th
Primary High Jump
Speech Pathology visit

Friday June 10th
Athletics Carnival

Monday June 13th
Public Holiday

June 15th-16th
Secondary League at Dubbo

Friday June 17th
Regional Cross Country

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Uluru Excursion – it's almost here!

Preparations are well in hand for the much anticipated two week excursion to the red centre of Australia featuring a visit to Uluru – Ayres Rock. Twenty nine students from Years 7 to 12 have signed up to participate in this one only, heavily subsidised trip through outback NSW, SA, NT and Queensland. Joining the excursion and supporting students are 14 adults being a composite of staff, parents and greatly appreciated volunteers.



Students not participating will follow a modified timetable of study during Weeks 9 and 10. Mrs Horder will relieve as Principal and Miss Birrell will relieve as Head Teacher for the last two weeks of term, due to the excursion commitments of myself and Mr Edwards.

New Cattle

The school is indebted to the amazing generosity of our newest sponsor, Mr Phillip Kirkby, of Wave Hill Narrabri.



Mr Kirkby, who is the principal of the acclaimed **Wave Hill Santa Gertrudis Stud**, has donated two stud heifers and a stud bull to Baradine Central School. The three animals have a value of

approximately \$25,000 and will be the foundation stock for the school's new cattle stud.

Mr Kirkby was the owner/breeder of the 2015 Brisbane Grand Champion bull, Wave Hill Jager.



This bull then went on to be sold for a record price.

Excerpt from the Land Dec 28, 2015

Among the breed's big sellers were Phillip Kirkby's Wave Hill stud, Narrabri, which sold bulls to \$67,500, twice, including Wave Hill Jager and Wave Hill Jackal, at the annual multi-vendor Santa Central Sale at Clifton, Qld.

While we wait to receive the official stud papers, the agriculture students will enjoy breaking in and knick naming the three new additions.

North West Equestrian Expo

Our representatives at Expo this year are Year 9 students **Mariah Pennell** and **Kelly King**. Mariah braved the extreme weather conditions on the weekend to participate in the equestrian events at Coonabarabran Showground, placing 4th in the One Day event. Mariah was also featured in a Sydney newspaper on Saturday. Kelly will have her events on Tuesday.

Congratulations

Well done to all the Primary students who performed very admirably in the Zone Cross Country at Quambone. The team going on to the Regional Finals at Coolah will be announced soon.

Semester One Reports

Teachers are currently preparing the Semester One reports for all students. They will be available at the end of next week.

Cheers

Mrs Chris Clarke - Principal

WET WEATHER

If postponed due to wet weather, the alternate date will be Tuesday 14th June.

Athletics Carnival

Friday 10th June

Kurra



Wilga



HIGH JUMP

Come to school and watch the students do their High Jump.

Secondary at 1:30pm - Wed. 8th June

Junior Primary at 11:30am - Thurs. 9th June

Senior Primary at 1:45pm - Thurs. 9th June

ATTENDANCE MONKEY

Week 5

Year 2 100%

Year 10 95%

Congratulations



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JAVELIN



Come to school and watch the students do their Javelin.

Secondary at 12:30pm - Wed. 8th June

BEST DRESSED BEST POSTER

Get creative with your outfit on Friday for the carnival and come dressed up, or in your house colours (Kurra-blue, Wilga/red).

There is also a competition for the Best House Poster. Get your artistic flair happening and support your house.



ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



This week we welcome Healthy Harold and the Life Education Van to Baradine Central School. All Primary classes will visit the van tomorrow for their valuable lessons. **Please note if your child does not pay the \$4:00 entry fee by tomorrow morning they will not be attending.**

Kindergarten also welcome to their class **Heidi Taylor**. Heidi will join the K/1/2 class on Thursdays and Fridays and during the rest of the week she will engage in Distance Education. We all hope you have lots of fun making new friends and learning all about school routines.

Teachers are busy writing your child's Semester One reports at the moment. When you receive your child's report I encourage all of you to make an appointment with your child's teacher so any questions that you may have can be answered.

Uniform is continuing to be a key focus this term, we are currently looking closely at sports uniform. It was lovely last week to see a marked improvement in the number of students in sports uniform. I look forward to seeing all students dressed correctly for sport tomorrow. Remember it is your responsibility to ensure your child comes to school in full uniform. We have a clothing pool at school and also sell the sport shirt and shorts at the front office.

Looking forward to seeing you all at the carnival later this week! **If you are a Kindergarten parent remember this will be your child's first big carnival, so don't miss this wonderful opportunity to be there and share in their joy!**

Mrs Horder - Assistant Principal

PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

Jorja Carey for working well in Year 4

Josie Campton for working well in Year 4

Fleur Andrews for a big effort in Year 5

Brody Whillock for impressive work in Year 7

Clinton Lennon for impressive work in Year 8

Kaleb Biles for always being cheerful, courteous and well mannered



SECONDARY HEAD TEACHER'S MESSAGE



Bradley Owers - 7th

Year 7-10 Half Yearly exams wrapped up last week and classes are now running normally. There were some great results coming out of the exams, with some students showing huge amounts of improvement. Students are reminded to bring all required equipment to school including their books, pens and pencils.

We have a busy week coming up leading into the long weekend. The Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday, which the students are looking forward to. If you are free on Friday please come down and cheer on our athletes. Parents wishing to volunteer to assist in the running of the day would also be greatly appreciated. Javelin, 1500m and High Jump will take place on Wednesday, starting at about 1:30pm. This will be held at the town oval and all are welcome to come down and support the students.

On Wednesday morning we will be getting a visit from a Police Liaison Officer, who will talk to all

of Secondary for about an hour on issues involving young people. There will be a focus on bullying and cyber bullying.

Next week our Under 16's Rugby League team will be heading to Dubbo to compete in the Central Schools Championships. This is taking place on Wednesday 15th June. Notes will be sent out and will need to be returned promptly due to Monday being a public holiday.

The Uluru excursion is fast approaching. It is under two weeks away now and the students are getting very excited. Please make sure your child is prepared for this trip and pack the required clothing etc. If you have any questions about the trip please contact the school.

Finally I would like to remind parents to return the health-check notes that were sent out. This is a free service provided to ensure all of our students are fit and healthy.

Mr Edwards - Secondary Head Teacher

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PRIMARY NEWS/HOMEWORK

KINDER/1/2



Homework for this week will be spelling and an activity based around three dimensional shapes.

I look forward to another great, busy week. Please be reminded that Healthy Harold is visiting the school on Tuesday and our Annual Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday of this week. Look forward to seeing you there.

Have a great week.

Miss Lummis - Kinder/1/2 Teacher

YEAR 3/4



English - Complete spelling activities.

Maths - Complete the questions in your workbooks.

Integrated Learning - Complete one activity on the homework grid.

Don't forget to bring your 'Crunch and Sip' each day. Please remember to bring your homework books back to school each Friday.

Miss Dorman - Year 3/4 Teacher

YEAR 5/6



Homework is given out every Monday and due in every Friday. It consists of spelling, maths facts, reading, speaking and listening project and a choice matrix.

Don't forget your Crunch and Sip every day.

Miss Baldock - Year 5/6 Teacher



Organisers of this years Biggest Morning Tea would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who supported and helped raise nearly \$1,000 towards the Cancer Council.

PRIMARY ZONE CROSS COUNTRY

On Thursday 2nd June, 14 students from Baradine Central School attended Zone Cross Country in Quambone.

All of the children tried their best during their events. **Alex Wicken, Trent Biles, Savannah Carey** and **Riley Siemsen** all placed 1st in their age groups. **Jorja Carey** and **Kaleb Biles** placed 2nd, **Claudia McConaughty** and **Zalia Curtis**

placed 3rd, **Liam Ryan** placed 4th and **Liam Wicken** 5th place.

The students ate some delicious food from the canteen including hot dogs, cupcakes, donuts and satay chicken kebabs.

We had a great day in Quambone and all students put in a great effort.

Miss Dorman 3/4 and the Cross Country students.



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SECONDARY HOMEWORK

YEAR 7/8

Math Extension (*Mr Edwards*) - Complete Integers worksheet, due 9th June.

Science Extension (*Mrs Talbot*) - Matter in the Home due Tuesday 7th June, assessment on Rocks due 9th June.

History Extension (*Miss Brazier*) - Complete summary of Bennelong information sheet, due 9th June.

Year 7 Italian (*Miss Brazier*) - Complete Gladiator assessment (what was not finished in class), due 9th June.

YEAR 9/10

Math (*Mr Edwards*) - Complete Negative Numbers worksheet, due Monday 9th June.

Science (*Mrs Talbot*) - Element research due Wednesday 8th June.

Year 10 English (*Miss Birrell*) - Complete poem analysis.

History (*Miss Brazier*) - Complete revision and research questions , due 9th June.

YEAR 11

Math (*Mr Edwards*) - Complete Measurement topic, due 14th June.

Biology (*Mrs Talbot*) - Different digestive systems due Thursday 9th June.

Chemistry (*Mrs Talbot*) - Periodic table relationships due Tuesday 14th June.

Senior Science (*Mrs Talbot*) - Hazards at home due Thursday 9th June.

English (*Miss Birrell*) - Assessment task on Bruce Dawe.

PDHPE (*Miss Brazier*) - Complete revision questions and complete study notes for dot points 1 - 9, due 9th June.

Modern History (*Miss Brazier*) - Complete source analysis historical investigation assessment task, due 8th June. Study notes – all to be complete and double check all work for topic is complete, due 9th June.

YEAR 12

Math (*Mr Edwards*) - Complete Spherical Geometry topic, due 14th June.

Senior Science (*Mrs Talbot*) - Bionics questions due Tuesday 14th June.

English (*Miss Birrell*) - Assessment Task on Shoe Horn Sonata.

Modern History (*Miss Brazier*) - Complete study points for dot point A – O and complete essay on Apartheid topic , due 9th June.

PBL
EXPECTATIONS

Participation

RESPECT

SAFETY

QUALITY

9/10 SCIENCE EXPERIMENT

Year 9 and 10 finished their topic on Plate Tectonics with a bit of a bang.



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STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Kinder/1/2 **Ian McKenzie**

Trying hard to follow school rules.



Year 3/4 **Alex Wicken**

Improved effort in concentration during writing lessons.



Year 5/6 **Paige Morgan**

Working hard in all areas of her learning.



PRIMARY PBL AWARDS

Kinder/1/2 **Lucas Plowman**

Taking pride in his school uniform and appearance.



Year 3/4 **Claudia McConnaughty**

Taking pride in her uniform and appearance.



Year 5/6 **Savannah Carey**

Takes pride in her uniform and appearance.



YEAR ADVISOR AWARD

Year 7 **Erika Morgan**

For an excellent effort in studying for her exams, especially English.



Year 8 **Mia White**

Working well in Maths.



Year 9 **Mariah Pennell**

For a fantastic effort and great sportsmanship during Central Schools Touch Football.



Year 10 **Jamie Bruce**

For excellent design solutions in Industrial Technology.



Year 11 **Rachel Siemsen**

For a great Agriculture half yearly exam result.



SECONDARY PBL AWARDS

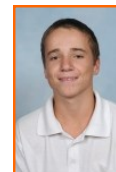
Year 7 **Daniel Fitzgerald**

Always uses appropriate language and allows others to do their best.



Year 8 **Clinton Lennon**

Using Appropriate school language.



Year 9 **Kelly King**

For using school appropriate language.



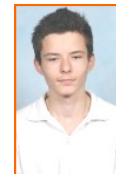
Year 10 **Samantha Owers**

Always using appropriate school language.



Year 11 **Stephen King**

Using appropriate school language.



BARADINE CENTRAL SCHOOL UNIFORMS

The school sport uniform is now available in all sizes from size 4 to 3XL. Green caps can also be purchased, with or without the school logo, as well as the school bucket hats.

Second hand grey shirts and shorts and white shirts for secondary, can also be obtained at a low price.

Each of the above items can be purchased through the front office during office hours.

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Athletics Carnival

10th June 2016

Time	TRACK	SHOT PUT	DISCUS	LONG JUMP
9.00	Marshalling			
9.15	Gift – Semi finals			
9.30	Secondary Boys/Girls 200m (#24-29)	Junior Primary Boys (#30)	Junior Primary Girls (#31)	11 yrs/ Senior Primary Girls (#32-33)
10.00	Primary Boys/Girls 200m (#34-39)	Secondary Boys (#40-42)	Secondary Girls (#43-45)	
10.30	Secondary Boys/Girls 400m (#46-51)	11 yrs/ Senior Primary Boys (#52-53)	11 yrs/ Senior Primary Girls (#54-55)	Junior Primary Girls (#56)
11.00	Primary Boys/Girls 800m (#57-62)		Secondary Boys (#63-65)	Secondary Girls (#66-68)
11.30	Secondary Boys/Girls 800m (#69-74)	11 yrs/ Senior Primary Girls (#75-76)	Junior Primary Boys (#77)	11 yrs/ Senior Primary Boys (#78-79)
12.00	Primary Boys/Girls 100m (#80-91)	Secondary Girls (#92-94)		Secondary Boys (#95-97)
12.30	Infants Competitive Running Races (#120-125)			
1.00	Secondary Boys/Girls 100m (#98-109)	Junior Primary Girls (#20)	11 yrs/ Senior Primary Boys (#21-22)	Junior Primary Boys (#23)
1.30	TUG-O-WAR Kurra Vs Wilga		Infants novelty field and track events	
1.45	Relays (#110-119)			
2.00	(if time allows) TUG-O-WAR - Parents Vs Teachers Teachers Vs Students Novelty Races			
2.15	Gift Final			
2.30	Presentations – Division Champions – House winner			
2.50	Tidy up			

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These times are a guide only and could change due to participating numbers in events.
Please allow for earlier or later starts when attending events.