

BARADINE CENTRAL SCHOOL NEWS

March 23rd, 2020



A big thank you to our local IGA for their ongoing support towards our school.



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Thank you!



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Coronavirus
(COVID-19)

COVID-19: IDENTIFYING THE SYMPTOMS

SYMPTOMS	COVID-19	COLD	FLU
	Symptoms range from mild to severe	Gradual onset of symptoms	Abrupt onset of symptoms
Fever 	Common	Rare	Common
Cough 	Common (usually dry)	Mild	Common (usually dry)
Sore Throat 	Sometimes	Common	Sometimes
Shortness of Breath 	Sometimes	No	No
Fatigue 	Sometimes	Sometimes	Common
Aches & Pains 	Sometimes	Common	Common
Headaches 	Sometimes	Rare	Common
Runny or Stuffy Nose 	Rare	Common	Sometimes
Diarrhea 	Rare	No	Sometimes for children
Sneezing 	No	Common	No

Adapted from material produced by WHO, Centres for Disease Control and Prevention.



TOGETHER WE CAN HELP STOP THE SPREAD AND STAY HEALTHY.

For more information about **Coronavirus (COVID-19)** visit [health.gov.au](https://www.health.gov.au)



Australian Government

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents and Caregivers

COVID-19

This is the beginning of another interesting week in our world of the Coronavirus pandemic. I will release as much information about the impact of COVID-19 on BCS's operations as often as possible via our available communication resources:

- School electronic sign
- Skoolbag app on your phones
- BCS Facebook page
- Newsletter and website

I am aware that there has been talk in the community, of people who went on the Canada excursion, having the virus and spreading it. I want to assure you and the wider community that no one from the school has tested positive to the virus and as the Canada travellers returned on February 24, some four weeks ago, they are all in the clear and well past any incubation period.

Our school's approach has been to provide our students with some awareness of the pandemic situation but maintain normal routines as much as possible.

Over recent weeks, quite a few students and staff have had sickness (cold & flu symptoms) and anyone who presents at schools as unwell, will continue to be sent home for the duration of the sickness.

I am appreciative of how inundated our local doctor's surgery has been and will continue to be. So for the time being, a phone call to the school explaining absence due to sickness, will suffice instead of the usual required doctor's certificate.

K-6 PERSONALISED LEARNING PLANS

All primary students have created a Personalised Learning Plan (PLP) with a series of goals set for the year. Normally, the plans are discussed with parents at parent/teacher meetings. Since all large gatherings at BCS are cancelled, your child's PLP will be mailed to you this week.

Parents are requested to sign the bottom of the PLP and return to your child's teacher please.

7-12 PERSONALISED LEARNING PLANS (PLP)

All students Years 7-12 who identify as Aboriginal, also have a PLP that will be mailed out this week. Parents are requested to sign the bottom of the PLP and return to your child's Year Advisor please.

PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS

Parent/teacher evenings that are usually held in Term 1 in the hall have been cancelled due to social distancing regulations.

However, any parent/carer, who wishes to meet with a teacher one on one is welcome to ring the office and arrange a meeting to discuss their child's progress during Term 1.

These meetings will be conducted outdoors to allow for the 4 square metre social distancing regulation and will occur at a time that is mutually convenient.

*Cheers
Chris Clarke
Principal*

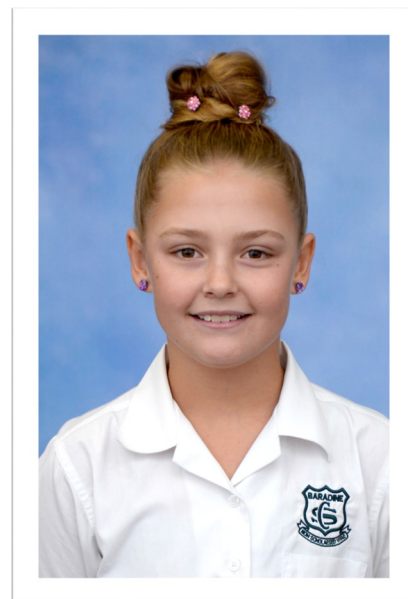


Anzac Day services 8/4/20 + 25/4/20
Easter Hat parade and Easter raffles 9/4/20
P&C meeting 26/3/20
AECG meeting 26/3/20
Moorambilla Auditions 8/4/20





Recently, Year 8 Aurora student, Josie Campton, travelled to Sydney for her first week long Aurora Camp. Students from across regional NSW who are enrolled in the Aurora Year 8 virtual classes for English, Mathematics and Science, came together to meet their class members and teachers face to face. The week in Sydney included English, Maths & Science lessons as well as interesting visits to Sydney University and Taronga Zoo.



Year 9/10 Textiles

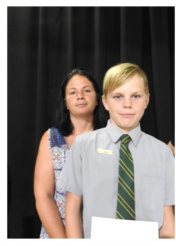
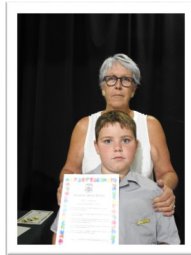
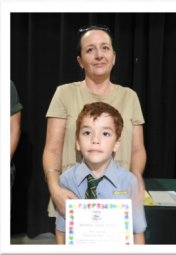
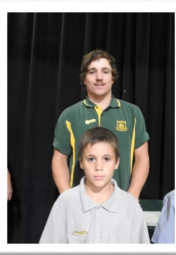
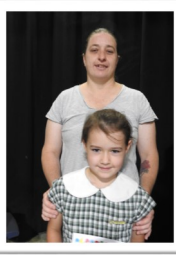
We have had the pleasure of a guest professional artist, experienced basket maker and talented weaver Zimmi Forrest visit our school. Zimmi is visiting from Byron Bay and started us off making textile baskets. This project will continue throughout the year. We are looking forward to taking home our finished hand made creations later this year. If you are interested in her work, look her up on instagram - Weaving Nature.

Pictured: Alice Harris, Poppy Evans Prouse, Valarie Dunn, Molly Murray and Zac Haywood.



**Claudia McConaughy
out and about with Miss Showgirl
at the Coona Show.**

Student Representative Council Induction



Primary

Leilamarie Louie, Reegan Siesen, Preston Lennon, Jackson Ruttley, Ian McKenzie, Leila Ruttley, Lincon McConnaughty, Shakiah Harper, Jordan Pagett, Elijah Myers & Paula Evans.
Absent: Jace Saunders.

Junior Secondary

Samual Pagett, Abby Thompson, Emily Hinchliffe, Jorja Carey.
Absent: Valarie Dunn & Poppy Evans Prouse.



Senior Secondary

Molly Murray, Isaiah White, Brody Whillock, Madison Masman, Holly Arndell & Madisen McGill.

House Captain Induction

Primary

Shakiah Harper - Captain
Cooper Ruttley - Vice Captain

Secondary

Ted Matthews , Jo Rawson (Absent) - Captains
Jordy Whillock & Riley Seimsen - Vice Captains

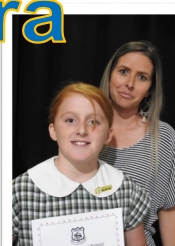
Primary

Leila Ruttley - Captain
Tyson Dunn - Vice Captain

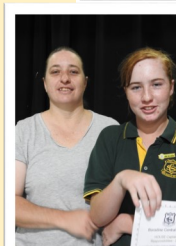
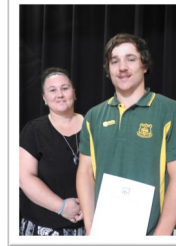
Secondary

Clinton Lennon & Madison Masman (Absent) - Captains
Eliza Ruttley & Zac Haywood- Vice Captains

Kurra



Wilga



Awards of Recognition

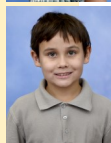
Principal's Award



June Curry
Being a treasure in Kindergarten.



Kenzie Stonham
Loving learning in Year 1.



Malaki Sutherland
Loving learning in Year 3.



Kalem Hinchliffe
Excellent work ethic in Year 7.



Abby Thompson
Excellent work ethic in Year 7.



Halle Hinchliffe
Effort and application in Agriculture.



Eliza Rowley
Outstanding all round improvement in Year 11.



Mason Ruttley
Trying hard in Kindergarten.



Reegan Siemsen
Tying hard in Year 2.



Sharney Egan
Excellent improvement in all round participation.



Maddison Jonhston
Excellent work ethic in Year 7.



Emily Hoffmann
A mature and responsible approach to learning.



Annalise Edwards
Excellent work ethic in Year 10.



Regan Evans
Impressive effort in Year 12.



Student of the Week



Lexi Andrews
Trying hard in all area's.



Elijah Myers
Demonstrating a proactive attitude towards all learning activities.



Jorja Carey
Working consistently well in classes.



Annalise Edwards
Productive in all subjects.



Reegan Evans
Excellent work in Maths.



Lachlan Ryan
Fantastic effort with his writing.



Kalem Hinchliffe
Diligence and great understanding in Maths.



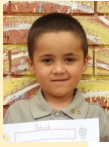
Bradley Owers
Working well independently in Maths.



Eliza Rowley
An excellent attitude to start Year 11 - positive, hard working and mature.

Awards of Recognition

Positive Behaviour for Learning



Patrick Gardner
Safety-Washing his hands well.



Jordan Pagett
Safety- Practising good hygiene and hand washing.



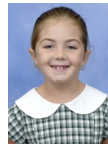
Emily Hinchliffe
Safety-Keeping her hands and feet to herself.



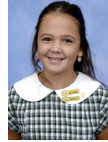
Tess Rawson
Always polite and respectful.



Jo Rawson
Always following staff instructions and being a respectful school leader.



Paige Stonham
A brilliant hand washing role model.



Suzannah Carey
Understanding the school safety values.



Poppy Evans Prouse
Always demonstrating safe behaviour.



Billy Carey
Always following staff instructions and being a respectful school leader.



Madisen McGill
Being polite and respectful to all staff and students.

Secondary Gotcha Reward

20 Gotcha's Achievement Certificate

Jayden Ryan

Hannah Percival

Rueben Ruttley

Term 1 Barrel Draw- \$50.00 Voucher

Olive Lennon



Respect

Follow Instructions
Show good manners
Treat others the way we wish to be treated.

Quality

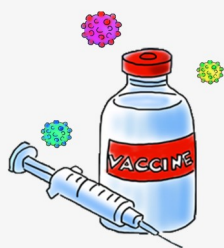
Try to produce your best work.
Take pride in your appearance.
Wear full school uniform with pride.

Participation

Be organised and on time.
Be involved.
Work in work time, play in play time.

Safety

Be safe in the school environment.
Play safe.
Look out for others.



2020 Vaccination Clinic Dates

Tuesday 24th March - Year 7 (**tomorrow**)

Tuesday 28th April - Year 10

Tuesday 27th October - Year 7



Important Reminder



Coonamble Aboriginal Health Service

Student consent forms are now overdue!

(Due on Friday 6th March)

Please return the required permission form immediately if you wish your child to attend this highly valuable service.

Clinic dates for BCS– Tuesdays 5th– Thursday 7th May

Extra consents forms are available at the office.



Attention: Parents/ Carers/ Visitors



It is a Health & Safety requirement that all visitors to our school enter via the school office to sign in.

If you require a meeting with a teacher please inform the administration team to set up a time that is convenient to both you and the teacher.

Please do not interrupt a teacher in the classroom without prior notice or approval.

Primary Class Homework/News

<p>Kinder/1 Miss Lummis</p>	<p>Welcome to Week 9! Hard to believe the term is drawing to a close! Homework this week will be spelling words/weekly sound and a maths activity based on what we are learning in class. Please be reminded that fruit break is 10am daily. It is encouraged that your child brings a fresh piece of fruit for this. Our pet fish 'Squeak' is doing well and we are loving learning about fish, their senses and lots of facts in Science. We have also been reading lots of books this term by "Mem Fox" so if you have access to the internet try listening to some of her stories! Here's to another great week.</p>
<p>Year 2/3 Miss Baldock/ Mrs Horder</p>	<p>Year 2/3 continue to be having lots of fun learning about number facts and length in Math. They are becoming very good at measuring the length of objects. In science we have been growing and caring for broad beans. This week we will be transplanting them in to bigger pots and hopefully they will go home at the end of this week. Homework continues to be handed out every Monday and it is due on Friday. In the last couple of weeks Year 2/3 have been forgetting to bring their homework back in. I encourage all parents and carers to make sure students return homework every Friday. Have a happy week.</p>
<p>Year 4/5/6 Miss Dorman</p>	<p>Homework is distributed every Monday and required to be returned on a Friday. In order for student readers to be replaced it is required to return the previous weeks book. A reminder that students in Year 4 are required to wear enclosed leather shoes on a Friday afternoon for our Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Program (SAKG). Students in Year 4/5/6 who were elected as members of the Junior Student Representative Council (SRC) will attend their first meeting in the upcoming weeks.</p>

Sun Safe at BCS

'No Hat, No Play'

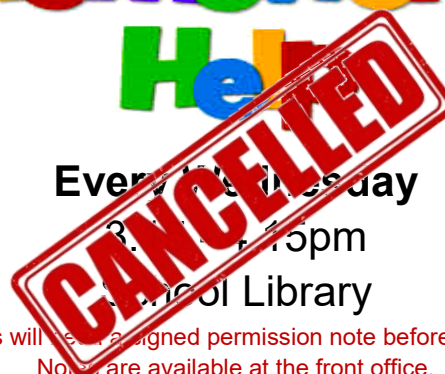


Please remember to wear your school hat/cap each day.



Homework Help

Every Tuesday
3.00pm - 4.50pm
School Library



Students will be assigned permission note before attending.
Notes are available at the front office.

School Hours

Primary and Secondary

8.30 am - 3.00pm

Students should not arrive at school before 8.30am as there is no playground supervision.



Find us on:

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

March

Anna Arndell 22nd
Reegan Siemsen 26th
Alex Wicken 27th
Kenzie Stonham 31st



April

Thomas Curry 8th

DATES TO REMEMBER

MARCH

Tuesday 24th Year 7 Vaccination Clinic—**Tomorrow**

APRIL

Thursday 9th Last day Term 1

Monday 27th Staff Development Day

Tuesday 28th Students resume Term 2

Tuesday 28th Year 10 Vaccination Clinic



Facility Management

CLEANERS REQUIRED IN BARADINE AREA

Training and uniform provided
Award Wages

Please email your résumé to:
careers@jossgroup.com.au

Or for more information contact Cherie
Ph: 0418 773 071 between 8:00am - 4:30pm
Monday to Friday

A Working with Children Check is required

BARADINE CENTRAL SCHOOL EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Baradine Central School is seeking expressions of interest for a part-time temporary **School Administration Officer**. The key role of the position is Attendance Officer, involving collaboration with the school's attendance team and significant community liaison work.

The position is the equivalent to 2 days per week with flexible hours.

MUST HAVE:

- Current Working with Children Check
- Basic administration qualifications and proficiency with Microsoft Office programs
- Excellent communication skills
- Maximum 2-page resume including qualifications and experience
- Name and contact details of two referees

DESIRABLE:

- Knowledge of Department of Education's Attendance Policy and Procedures.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mrs Christine Clarke, Principal
6843 1805 or email applications to:
baradine-c.school@det.nsw.edu.au

CLOSING DATE: Friday, 27th March 2020