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P & C
Meet on the second Tuesday of
month during school term.
All members of the school
community are invited to attend.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

THANK YOU FOR A FABULOUS TERM

As Term 2 draws to a close, I would like to thank the school community for their ongoing support of our school.

My thanks and congratulations to the students for their hard work and efforts, reflected in their Semester One reports. They have all worked towards achieving their personal goals. As we celebrate the students' success, we need to acknowledge the hard work, dedication and commitment of our staff, who go above and beyond to nurture our students, not just in the area of their academic progress, but by providing endless hours of support in the many, many extra-curricula activities provided.

I would like to acknowledge and thank the tremendous efforts of our SASS team, led by Trudy Collis, who have implemented the state LMBR administrative changes, which have been sweeping. They have been diligently committed to ensuring that the huge changes required have been implemented with minimal disruption to the school community. They are to be congratulated, as the minimal 'changes' seen by the community belie the many, many hours of hard work, professional learning and system changes they have managed... and this continues.

Well done and thank you for the ongoing support and efforts of our P&C, not just for their great fund raising efforts, but for their ongoing commitment to the School Plan and supporting us to provide resources for the benefit of all of our students.

During the holidays there will be ongoing construction work being carried out within the school, and our fence will be completed. I will be communicating the changes that will occur because of the fence, to the community in the first week back.

This has been another fabulous term. I wish everyone a very safe and relaxing holiday break. Staff will return to school on Monday 18 July, with ALL students returning on Tuesday 19 July.

THE UNIFORM SHOP

Our school enjoys the privilege of benefitting from a strong and committed P&C who provide a number of valuable services to our community including the Uniform Shop and Canteen. Our Uniform Shop is run completely by volunteers who are generous enough to provide their time and service in support of our community. Lately the volunteers of this service have had to endure some rude and aggressive

behaviour from some parents. This is completely unacceptable.

Recently the P&C decided, due to the unsustainable costs of running an Eftpos machine, that they would discontinue this service. This information was provided to the community through our usual channels of communication. Families still have the options of paying in cash and Flexi School (online) payments. This decision was not made by the volunteers who give time in the Uniform Shop. If a community member feels they have an issue or concern regarding this, they should write to the P&C, not direct their concern to the volunteers.

S3 OVERNIGHT EXCURSIONS

Last week our students in Year 6 enjoyed their visit to Canberra where they participated in many activities. Favourites seem to have been their visit to Parliament House and participating in a mock parliamentary debate, the Australian War Memorial and Questacon. Our students can be congratulated on their beautiful manners and great attitude and participation whilst away. Our thanks to Mrs Summers, Mrs Taylor, Mr Webb and Mr Jennings for accompanying our students – their participation, efforts and time away from their own families is greatly appreciated.

As I write this, our Year 5 students are in Bathurst, hopefully rugged up! They will be enjoying the experiences of the past gold rush era. Again, thanks to Mrs Bacon, Mrs Moulten, Mr Brown and Mrs Metcalfe - their participation, efforts and time away from their own families is greatly appreciated.

KINDERGARTEN 2017

Enrolments are now being taken for Kinder 2017. Forms can be collected from the office. Our kindy transition program – Neewbees will begin next term, running into Term 4 providing a unique opportunity for our students to become familiar with school, develop confidence and begin to develop a network of friends to begin their school journey.

If you find it difficult to get to the school to collect enrolment forms, please contact us so we can arrange to help you.

If you know of any children who live near you, who are starting school next year at BBPS, could you please encourage them to make contact with the school for enrolment forms.

PBL LAUNCH

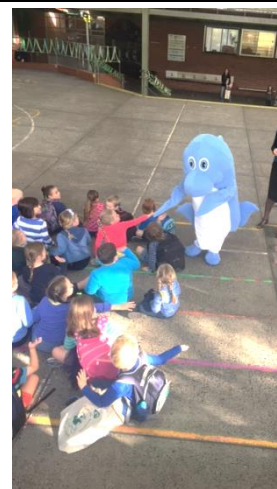
Last week after our successful launch of PBL we are proud to introduce our mascot Marley. Over the last few weeks our students have been 'buying in' to the rewards of their choice. The rewards day held on Friday was tremendous fun and our beautiful Marley even managed to make a guest appearance. For more photos and videos head to our newly revamped website. <http://www.bateaubay-p.schools.nsw.edu.au/news/pbl-is-launched-at-bateau-bay-public-school>

Congratulations boys and girls we are really proud of you!

Ms Dwyer
Relieving Principal

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mon 18 July	Staff Development Day
Tue 19 July	First Day of TERM 3
Wed 20 July	Debate vs Toukley PS
Thur 21 July	Scripture/ Ethics Commence Tough Gala Day Girls
Fri 22 July	NSW PSSA Cross Country Carnival
Tue 26 July	Kindergarten Gymnastics Commences
Wed 27 July	2017 Opportunity Class Testing Year 4
Thur 28 July	Netball Schools Cup, Basketball Gala Day AFL – Hunter Tumbi Taster program commences – Stage 3
PLEASE NOTE THAT THESE DATES ARE SUBJECT TO LATE CHANGE	



DEPUTY PRINCIPALS REPORT

P.B.L THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

Week 9 &10: Using the canteen – Use polite talk, line up safely and shop and go.



Bateau Bay Happy Cards: Congratulations to those students who have been awarded a Bateau Bay Happy Card this week. Well done!

Playground Rewards for Term 2 Week 9 and Week 10:

Kindergarten: Mena P – KM, Ruby B - KD

Year 1: Harper R – 1T, Hayley J – 1F

Year 2: Lily J – 2C, Chloe H – 2C

Year 3: Tiana T- 3-4B, Jonte S – 3H

Year 4: Sophie B – 4-5F, Annalise S -4J

Year 5: Isaac B – 5B, Dom S – 5M

Year 6: Amelia B – 6S, Byron S – 6S

Property Central Citizenship Award: The Term 2 Week 9 winner of the Property Central Citizenship Award is Max of 4M. His award read "for upholding our school values, "Safe, Respectful and Responsible" and for always striving to achieve his personal best". Congratulations Max.

The Term 2 Week 10 winner of the Property Central Citizenship Award is Jonte S of 3H. His award read "for being a courteous and considerate class member at all times". Congratulations Jonte. One student per week will receive a Citizenship certificate from Property Central and a \$20.00 book voucher. There will be a different grade chosen each week.

2016 Bike Licences: Congratulations to the following student on obtaining her bike licences: Kirra R – 6W

NAIDOC Week Activities: All students and staff will be celebrating NAIDOC Week with a special day on Friday July 29 (Term 3 Week 2). NAIDOC Week celebrates the uniqueness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture. Members of the local Kuriwa AECG have been invited to participate in the day's activities. The "Dare to Lead" team have organised a variety of class activities between 11.30 and 1.30 which consists of art, craft, story- telling, culture, song, music and dance. The students have been invited to wear black, yellow and red mufti to celebrate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day as well. More information will be sent home in a parent information note in early Term 3. It should be an exciting day.

Congratulations to the following students who have received book prizes for their enthusiasm and dedication to home reading.



Matilda H 3M	Paul G 4J	Madison A 3M
Maya W 4J		

Congratulations to Miranda C of 6W who was selected as a member of the Sydney North Basketball team.

The team played in the State Basketball Carnival in Tamworth from Tuesday May 24 to Thursday May 26 and came 6th overall. To be selected to play at such a high level is an outstanding achievement and one that Miranda should be very proud of. We are very lucky to have such a talented basketball player at our school. Congratulations again Miranda!



CHES

Last week our A and B teams travelled to Terrigal to play eight matches.



Our A team comprised Nicholas G, Rhys B, Cooper D and Saige A. Our B team were; Joshua T, Cooper L, Paul G and Zachary G. Our A team lost to Terrigal B team by three games to one and our B team reversed this result by winning their matches three games to one.

Once again I would like to thank Mr Garaty and Mrs Glover for supervising and transporting the teams and extend congratulations to all our students who represented our school well. Today (Friday 24) our B team will play a team from Avoca Public School, we wish those players all the best in round 8 of the competition.

Ross McGowen
Chess Co-Ordinator

**Rewarding regular savers
with spectacular prizes.**

We're bringing the exciting news that Prize Lights have appeared in the Outback sky, and the Dollarmites are giving students who demonstrate regular savings behaviour the chance to win spectacular prizes.

How to enter

Students must simply make three or more School Banking deposits during Term 3 for a chance to win one of the Star Saver prizes, including camping kits, instant cameras and magazine packs.

What's more, students who complete the fun Stargazing online activity, along with making three or more school Banking deposits during Term 3, will also go in the separate draw to win one of the Supernova prizes – a PlayStation 4 pack. Students can complete the Stargazing activity online at any time during Term 3 by visiting commbank.com.au/prizelights

Win a bag of sports equipment for your school

We're also giving schools participating in the School Banking program a chance to win one of 75 bags full of sports equipment, valued at \$200, when students make three School Banking deposits during Term 3.

To complete the Stargazing activity, or to find out more, visit commbank.com.au/prizelights



WAVES AT THE BAY NEWS

CANTEEN ROSTER

CANTEEN ONLINE ORDERING: www.flexischools.com.au

Week 1	Monday	Nicky J Kath
	Tuesday	Help needed please
	Wednesday	Mel & Mel R Help needed PM
	Thursday	Mary, Justine
	Friday	Craig, Erin Help needed please
Week 2	Monday	Kim B Nicky S
	Tuesday	Alex, Kirrili, Dani
	Wednesday	Mel & Mel R Peta
	Thursday	Mary, Justine
	Friday	Craig, Erin, Help needed please

Thank You to Our Amazing Volunteer Canteen Crew



A round of applause to the team of parents & grandparents who work behind the scenes to get lunch out to our hungry young customers during term 2; **Nicky J, Kim, Nicky S, Kath, Kirrili, Alex, Danee, Mel P, Peta, Mel R, Jo, Mary, Justine, Linsey, Margaret, Erin, Tabitha, Kelly & Mel T.** What a team!!

Thanks for Your Support

Thank you kindly to our young customers & their families for your continued support of our canteen and our menu. This makes all the effort worthwhile.



Just Started Ordering on Flexischools?

If so, *thank you!* We really do appreciate you taking the time to register for online ordering with www.flexischools.com.au. It has made such a difference to our menu. We've got more

handmade menu items than we ever have and your willingness to assist us by ordering online makes that achievable in a big school like BBPS.

Like us on Facebook

The canteen here at BBPS has its own Facebook page. To get regular behind the scenes updates from us simply search 'Waves at the Bay Canteen'.

Donna Ross
Canteen Manager

INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS REGARDING SCHOOL TRAVEL



Transport for NSW

If provided with a School Opal card or school travel pass the student must comply with the [Student Codes of Conduct](#).

The School Opal card or school travel pass can only be used for approved travel on school days between the student's home and school or college between 6.30am and 7pm (6.30am and 9.30pm for TAFE students) The Scheme does not cover travel to and from:

- before and after school care or child-minding premises
- before and after school activities
- school excursions
- sports events
- work experience
- Vocational Education and Training (VET) at a location away from where the student is enrolled
- multi-campus high schools, weekend schools, pre-schools or mini-schools (except for full-time geographically isolated distance education students).

Ticketing and Concessions

Infrastructure and Services **Transport for NSW**

Use public transport... plan your trip at transportnsw.info


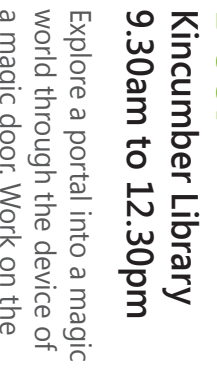

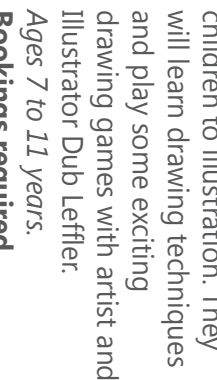


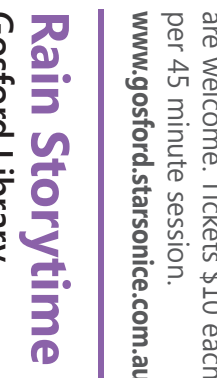
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Winter Wonderland

Exciting free programs for children aged 3 to 15 years old

Monday 4 July	Tuesday 5 July	Wednesday 6 July	Thursday 7 July	Friday 8 July	Saturday 9 July	Sunday 10 July
<div><div>Indigenous Australian Stories</div><div>Gosford Library</div><div>10.30am to 11.30am</div></div> <div></div> <div><p>Enjoy some Indigenous Australian stories during the regular storytime session.</p><p><i>Ages 3 to 5 years.</i></p><p><i>Siblings welcome.</i></p><p>Bookings required.</p></div>	<div><div>Creative Writing with Jess Black - The Magic Door</div><div>Kincumber Library</div><div>9.30am to 12.30pm</div></div> <div></div> <div><p>Explore a portal into a magic world through the device of a magic door. Work on the world, setting, characters, magical creatures and how to make it back into your own world.</p><p><i>Ages 8 to 13 years.</i></p><p>Bookings required.</p></div>	<div><div>Stories at the Gallery</div><div>Gosford Regional Gallery</div><div>10.30am to 11.30am</div></div> <div></div> <div><p><i>Ages 6 to 11 years.</i></p><p><i>Siblings welcome.</i></p><p>Bookings required.</p></div>	<div><div>Dub Lefler Illustration</div><div>Woy Woy Library</div><div>10.00am to 11.00am</div></div> <div></div> <div><p>This workshop will introduce children to illustration. They will learn drawing techniques and play some exciting drawing games with artist and Illustrator Dub Lefler.</p><p><i>Ages 7 to 11 years.</i></p><p>Bookings required.</p></div>	<div><div>Bedtime Storytime</div><div>Gosford Library</div><div>6.30pm to 7.00pm</div></div> <div></div> <div><p>Come dressed in your pyjamas and enjoy some bedtime stories and songs. Take home craft supplied.</p><p><i>Ages 3 to 5 years.</i></p><p>Bookings required.</p></div>	<div><div>Ice Skating Rink</div><div>Kibble Park, Gosford</div><div>10.00am to 8.00pm</div></div> <div></div> <div><p>Children and adults of all ages are welcome. Tickets \$10 each per 45 minute session.</p><p>www.gosford.starsonice.com.au</p></div>	<div><div>Ice Skating Rink</div><div>Kibble Park, Gosford</div><div>10.00am to 8.00pm</div></div> <div></div> <div><p>Children and adults of all ages are welcome. Tickets \$10 each per 45 minute session.</p><p>www.gosford.starsonice.com.au</p></div>

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Monday 11 July

Ice Skating Rink

Kibble Park, Gosford
10.00am to 8.00pm



Children and adults of all ages are welcome. Tickets \$10 each per 45 minute session.
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Tuesday 12 July

Ice Skating Rink

Kibble Park, Gosford
10.00am to 8.00pm

Children and adults of all ages are welcome. Tickets \$10 each per 45 minute session.
www.gosford.starsonice.com.au

Wednesday 13 July

Ice Skating Rink

Kibble Park, Gosford
10.00am to 8.00pm

Children and adults of all ages are welcome. Tickets \$10 each per 45 minute session.
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Thursday 14 July

Ice Skating Rink

Kibble Park, Gosford
10.00am to 8.00pm

Children and adults of all ages are welcome. Tickets \$10 each per 45 minute session.
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Friday 15 July

Ice Skating Rink

Kibble Park, Gosford
10.00am to 8.00pm



Children and adults of all ages are welcome. Tickets \$10 each per 45 minute session.
www.gosford.starsonice.com.au

Saturday 16 July

Ice Skating Rink

Kibble Park, Gosford
10.00am to 8.00pm



Children and adults of all ages are welcome. Tickets \$10 each per 45 minute session.
www.gosford.starsonice.com.au

BOOKING INFORMATION

Bookings required for all events unless noted.

Book online at

www.gosford.nsw.gov.au/libraries/what's-on or contact your local library branch.

Places are limited, please note the age range before booking.

Children under 9 years must be attended by a responsible adult at all times in line with Council's unattended children's policy.

Erina Library

Phone 4304 7650

Gosford Library

Phone 4304 7500

Kincumber Library

Phone 4304 7641

Umina Library

Phone 4304 7333

Woy Woy Library

Phone 4304 7555

Gosford Regional Gallery

Phone 4325 0056

Winter

Storytime

Gosford Library

10.30am to 11.30am

Enjoy some stories and create a melting snowman craft to take home.

Ages 3 to 5 years.

Siblings welcome.

Bookings required.

Snowflakes

Gosford Library

2.00pm to 3.30pm



Create beaded snowflakes, woven snowflakes and watercolour snowflake art.

Ages 6 to 10 years.

Bookings required.

Create a

Snowglobe

Gosford Library

10.00am to 11.00am

Create your own snowglobe scene and sock snowman.

Ages 7 to 12 years.

Bookings required.

Knitting

Workshop

Kincumber Library

2.00pm to 4.00pm

This event follows on from the knitting workshop in week 1 of the school holidays. Join us again and finish your projects or create something new. Ladies from the CWA can help you create a small knitted purse. Wool supplied by the CWA. Written instructions for patterns provided.

Ages 8 to 12 years.

Bookings required.

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Ages 7 to 12 years.

Bookings required.

Rain Storytime

Gosford Library

10.30am to 11.30am

Hear some rain themed stories and enjoy a simple craft activity.

Ages 3 to 6 years.

Siblings welcome.

Bookings required.

Science Fun

Gosford Library

2.00pm to 3.00pm

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Ages 6 to 12 years.

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