# Barkers Vale Public School Newsletter



#### excellence

#### innovation

#### opportunity

success

#### MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome back to Term 3 and to our new families. You have joined a wonderful school community that is supportive and engaged. Danielle Haywood We have a busy and exciting term ahead beginning with our 'Movie Night' this Friday 28 July. We will be showing by popular demand (our students voted on the movie) Big Hero 6. The movie will begin at 6PM on the small field near the vegetable gardens. This is a family event open to the community. As this event is outside school hours it is important that parents accompany their child/ren at all times. It is BYO picnic dinner and seating. Rug up and enjoy a family screening under the stars.

#### Academic Reports

We handed out our Semester 1 reports in Week 10 of Term 2. If you would like an interview please contact your child's teacher and arrange a mutually convenient time to meet.

#### **Professional Learning**

Our staff are continually engaged in Professional Learning that supports our understanding of the Teaching and Learning Cycle. We are currently involved in a project, which is providing professional learning around collecting student data to develop teaching cycles that are specifically targeted to your child's individual needs. Our Assistant Principal Curriculum and Learning Toni Steel is also working with us to identify areas of need from data collected and develop teaching sprints that target identified student needs. As a staff we are committed to being life long learners, remaining open to innovation and always improving our practice.

## PBL

#### Positive Behaviour for Learning

I am Safe – Playground: (Integrity) I am kind and include others, I play fairly, I use and share equipment appropriately, I keep my hands and feet to myself, people feel safe around me, I am a trusted friend. Byron Writers Festival Year I to 6 will be attending Byron Writers Festival on Wednesday 9 August. They will be travelling by bus to and from the event. Kindergarten will be going on a Fairy House hunt in Brunswick Heads and enjoying a picnic lunch. A note will be sent home this week with further details.

Book Week We will be celebrating Book Week in Week 6 and encourage all families to start thinking about outfits for the parade. This year we are asking parents to select a book that your family enjoys and dress up together for the parade.

#### P&C Canteen Roster Term 3

WEEK	DATE	HOME COOKING
3	Mon 31 July	Pamplin – Aho - Kerr
4	Mon 7 Aug	Rogers-Falk – Buscaino
5	Mon 14 Aug	Jett – Sharma – Koker
6	Mon 21 Aug	Hagan – Hardy – Rangel
7	28 Aug	Layton/Moore – Pope
8	Mon 4 Sept	Maatta – Rico
9	Mon 11 Sep	Shedden – Tzannes
10	Mon 18 Sept	0'Brien – Stellar

Proud member of **COLOURSS** Sports Carnivals "Towards a brighter Future" (Community of Learners Of Upper Richmond Small School)

#### **P&C** News

If you can spare any time on Mondays, even an hour, please drop in and support our students and canteen.

### What's On

Friday 28 July Movie Night

Wednesday 9 August Byron Writers Festival Y1-6 Fairyland Kindy Excursions

Thursday 10 August Zone Athletics at Riverview Park South Lismore

> Week 6 TBA Book Week

Wed 20 -Fri 23 September Yr5&6 Camp Goodenough

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