



Boolaroo Bulletin

Term 4 Week 6 16 November, 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have already reached Week 6 of last Term for 2016. That means it's only 5 more weeks to ***you know what!!***

Swim Scheme has been progressing well for our Year 1—4 students. We are happy with their improvement in such a short space of time and hope this whets their appetite to continue with the free classes next year. It is such a wonderful scheme for gaining such an important life-saving skill.

Everyone is welcome to attend the Captains' Speeches and Voting on Wednesday, 30th November in the school hall. This is a great opportunity for the Year 5's to speak publically as well as undertake a self-promotion exercise. Being chosen as a school captain (or vice captain) is a great honour. Whoever their peers elect, will surely be positive and wonderful role models for the younger students, along with being great ambassadors for our school.



Our Kindergarten 2017 Orientation Program finishes on Wednesday, 30th November. The current Kindergarten / Year 1 students will join our prospective Kindergarten students for a Teddy Bear's Picnic in the school grounds. Be careful if you go down to the woods that morning as you'll be in for a big surprise!

Please return any outstanding Permission Notes and monies due for the two end-of-year activities planned for your children.

Ice Skating - \$10 and Movie Day \$6.50.

Thank you.

Term 4	
7-18 November	Yrs 1—4 Swim Scheme
2.30 pm Thursday 24 November	School Assembly
2.05pm Wednesday 30 November	Yr 5 Captain's Speeches & Voting and Teddy Bear's picnic for K/1
Monday 5 December	Year 6 Farewell
Wednesday 7 December	Last Homework Club for year
Friday 9 December	Hunter Ice Skating Stadium
Monday 12 December	Xmas Concert
Tuesday 13 December	Last Breakfast Club for year
Wednesday 14 December	Presentation Day
Friday 16 December	Movie Day Last day of term

SCHOOL ZONE PARKING OFFENCES

Penalties for School Zones. Current as at 1 July 2015



Means that in the area in the direction of the arrow, you must **NOT STOP your vehicle** at any point on the road or kerb, unless there is a medical or other emergency.

MAXIMUM PENALTY

\$319

+ 2 POINTS



Means that you have no more than **2 minutes** for drop-offs or pick-ups of passengers or goods and the driver must stay within 3 metres of your vehicle.

MAXIMUM PENALTY

\$177

+ 2 POINTS



Means that in the direction of the arrow or arrows you are **not allowed to stop your vehicle** unless you are driving a bus.

MAXIMUM PENALTY

\$319

+ 2 POINTS



DOUBLE PARKING

You are **NOT PERMITTED** to stop or park your vehicle alongside another vehicle that is already parked parallel to the kerb.

MAXIMUM PENALTY

\$319

+ 2 POINTS

- STOP in a NO STOPPING zone: \$319 + 2 points, or STOP on or near a Children's or Pedestrian Crossing: \$425 + 2 points
- STOP on path/strip in built up area: \$177 + 2 points
- STOP or Park in a Disabled Marked Area without a permit: \$531



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Book Pack 2017 - A new initiative

Book packs for all students will be available to be collected the last week of this Term. Each year group will have their own itemised pack according to the Teacher's requirements depending on their class and stage requirements.

This will enable all students to cover their books and organise themselves over the holidays in preparation for the start of the new year.

Book packs will be priced accordingly to each individualised year and will need to be paid for on collection. We see this as a more efficient way of distributing your child's requirements and it also enables your child to personalise their books and take ownership and responsibility for them. The final price for each year will to be advised in the near future.



Good for Kids good for life

WATERMELON ICEBLOCKS

INGREDIENTS	QUANTITY
Diced Watermelon	2 cups
Fresh strawberries (hulled)	10
Lemon Juice	1 x lemon
Water (optional)	1/2 cup

METHOD

1. Combine all ingredients in blender and blend until smooth
2. Pour into ice block moulds
3. Freeze until hard
4. Enjoy on a sunny summer day!



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The community acknowledges traditional custodians of the land on which the school is located

