



## Boolaroo Bulletin

Term 4 Week 9 – 7th December, 2016

Dear Parents and Carers

A number of parents and carers have raised concerns about a neighbour of the school who they have seen standing or sitting in the street.

Staff are not aware of any inappropriate approaches or behaviour, nor, having spoken to him, of any suggestion of inappropriate intent.

We of course continue to encourage students and parents to follow our stranger danger advice to keep our school safe, but in this case we have nothing to report.

Louise Wrightson  
Principal

### Homework Club :

The last Homework Club for this term is today, 7th December. This wonderful program will continue again on Wednesdays in 2017 with thanks to Gay and her 'Our Community Place' volunteers.

### Breakfast Club:

Will be held again on a Tuesday during school terms from 8.15am to 9.00am. To register your child's interest please contact 'Our Community Place' on 49 58 7251 or email: [coordinator@ourcommunityplace.org.au](mailto:coordinator@ourcommunityplace.org.au)

### Ice Skating—Friday 9th December

Please ensure entry fee of \$10 and permission note are returned to the school by tomorrow, Thursday at latest. *Please Note: The students attending will require a warm jacket to wear to the venue.*

### Canteen

Please be aware that this Friday, 9th December, will be final Canteen order day for 2016.

**The school Canteen will NOT be operating next week for lunch and recess** on Monday or Friday.

On behalf of the school we take this opportunity to thank the hardworking volunteers for their tireless efforts to enable this wonderful Canteen service to operate. In particular, a big thank you goes out to Jess and Julie.

### Christmas Concert—Monday 12th December

For the Christmas carols please arrive at 6pm for a 6.30 start. Parents and family members are welcome to come attend. The P & C will be running a BBQ from 5.30 pm and the Canteen will be open for drinks and cakes.

### Water Activity Fun Day—Thursday 15th December

Will be held next Thursday, 15th December from 1.30—3.00 pm. A range of activities, including a 'slip and slide' will be available and we require a permission note be completed and returned to the school for your child/ren to participate. This has been sent home with your eldest child today.

### Movie Day—Friday 16th December **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL !!!!**

The whole school will walk to the Lake Cinemas in Boolaroo for a screening of the movie "Troll" and return for normal end of school day. Students may bring snacks and a drink to have during the movie. The cost is \$6.50 per student and notes and money are now due please.

### Library

All loaned library books need to be returned as a matter of urgency.

### NEW CLASS NAMES ADDED FOR 2017

Due to the increasing student numbers next year, at this point, we are planning on creating a fourth class. New names will be:

Kindergarten - JELLYFISH  
Years 1 & 2 DOLPHINS  
Years 3 & 4 SEALS  
Years 5 & 6 SHARKS

### School Shoes 2017 —Black

Parents/ caregivers please be advised that Black closed in school shoes will be a requirement of Boolaroo's uniform from the start of next year, 2017. When purchasing new shoes over the holidays please purchase BLACK ones. Black joggers are acceptable. Thankyou L Wrightson

### School Drive Subsidy

For parents who drive their children to school the Private Vehicle Conveyance Subsidy (PVC) is changing to the School Drive Subsidy with new and different rules. **THE CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS IS THE 20TH DECEMBER 2016. NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE TAKEN AFTER THAT.** Should you need information please see the office or go online to [transport.nsw.gov.au/schooldrive](http://transport.nsw.gov.au/schooldrive) or call 131 500.

## Term 4

Wednesday, 7th Dec	Homework Club
Friday 9 December	Hunter Ice Skating Stadium 10am to noon
Monday 12 December	Xmas Concert 5.30pm BBQ 6 for 6.30 carols <b>MANGOES EXPECTED</b>
Wednesday 14 December	Presentation Day 9am start
Thursday 15 December	Water Activity Fun Day 1.30—3pm
Friday 16th December	"Movie Day"  Last Day of school for 2016



## Book Packs

All packs must be paid for when collected and it is a great idea to have them over the holidays so students can cover their books and organise themselves for the new year.

There are Basic and Deluxe packs available for each year:

Basic Pack contains home reading book, exercise books and Mathematics subscription whilst Deluxe Pack contains above items plus additional stationery items: scissors, ruler, glue stick, eraser, pencils. These were purchased in bulk to enable substantial savings for you.

Class	Base Pack	Deluxe Pack
Kinder	\$29	\$38
Year 1	\$29	\$38
Year 2	\$27	\$38
Year 3	\$27	\$38
Year 4	\$27	\$38
Year 5	\$30	\$40
Year 6	\$30	\$40

## SO LONG, FAREWELL, GOODBYE ....

It is with great sadness we say farewell to two of our staff members at the end of this Term.

Ms Noble deserves our sincere congratulations on her appointment to Belmont Primary School as their full time Instructional Leader. Ms Noble has been such a wonderful asset for our school. Her support and dedication to our students has been outstanding and she will be greatly missed. We wish her all the best in her new position.

Ms Northam, from the Office, is also leaving our school at the end of term for a tree change. We sincerely wish her well for her future endeavours. She has been a treasured asset to our school this year.



# Fundraiser! Sausage Sizzle Glendale Bunnings



**Saturday 17 December  
9.00am - 4.00pm**

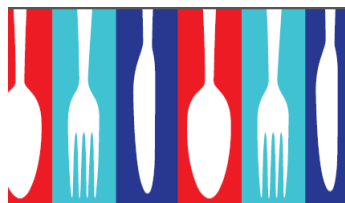
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Saturday, 24 December  
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