

Booral Public School

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Newsletter Term 1 Week 6

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Important Information

Workbooks & Voluntary Contributions

Payments have been coming in steadily for workbooks and voluntary contributions. Thank you for your prompt attention to this request. Please be aware you can pay for these items in instalments. Just remember to bring money, secured in an envelope with the amount, your child's name and class, clearly on the front. Payments can also be made on the Booral PS website.

Sick Students

Please remember that if your child is sick they should remain home. Students should not return to school until they are recovered.

Students who present to school unwell will be sent home.

Work packs for sick students will be ready for collection from Thursday morning. Further work will be available next week.

Current Cancelled School Events

The following school events have been cancelled as per our advice from NSW Department of Education and NSW Health.

- Combined Cross Country, 20/03/2020
- P&C Meeting, 02/04/2020
- Student Disco, 03/04/2020
- Easter Hat Parade, 08/04/2020
- School ANZAC Service, 09/04/2020
- Stroud ANZAC Service, 25/04/2020

Current Postponed School Events

The following school events have been postponed until further notice as per our advice from NSW Department of Education and NSW Health.

- PSSA Tennis
- PSSA Girls cricket

- School assemblies
- School excursions
- Interschool activities
- Student banking
- Scripture Lessons

Current Planned School Events

These following school activities will still be held but with altered organisation.

- Harmony Day, 23/03/2020, will be completed in class rather than whole school rotations.
- School Cross Country, 30/03/2020, will be without spectators.
- Canteen will operate on a week to week basis.

Stage 2 Camp—Zoo Snooz

Unfortunately we have had to cancel our ZooSnooz excursion this year.

For those families who have made payments towards the camp we ask you to contact the office. We can either refund your payments, using electronic transfer, or keep them as fees in advance for future excursions.

Programmed School Maintenance

Currently builders are working on our administration building. We also have painters starting work on our K/1 and 1/2 classrooms.

NAPLAN

Students in years 3 and 5 require headphones to complete the NAPLAN online. Children may bring their own headphones, can you parents ensure they have them for the trial NAPLAN on Monday 23/03/2020 and for NAPLAN next term.

Students without their own headphones will use a set we have here at school.

Student Banking

The Commonwealth Bank has suspended student banking until further notice.

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Dates for your Diary

Week 9	
Monday 23 Mar	Harmony Day NAPLAN Online trial
Week 10	
Monday 30 Mar	School Cross Country
Week 11	
Wednesday 8 Apr	Rewards Day
Friday 10 Apr	Good Friday (Public Holiday)



Cricket News

On Monday our girls cricket team travelled to Bulahdelah to play Manning Gardens PS in the second round of the PSSA Knockout competition. The girls played extremely well and demonstrated admirable sportsmanship throughout the match. We won our match by 47 runs with 5 wickets in hand. We are now onto the third round, congratulations girls!

Lilli Harding was our top run scorer with 24 runs, including one boundary of 4. Our bowlers, Addison, Amber, Lilli Harding, Arianna Finch, Rachel Jenkins and Gabrielle Courtney all bowled fantastic overs, their training over the past three weeks has really paid off. Honourable mentions go to Rachel Jenkins and Dawn Tonitto, both players didn't stop running whilst we were fielding and made sure the field was free of gaps for runs. Sienna Jenkins and Isabella Eggelton both did an amazing job wicket keeping.

A massive thank you is owed to all of our parent volunteers for transporting our students to the match. Brooke Pepperall photographed our match, her photos have been published alongside our story. Scott Courtney and Jason Nosworthy both set up the gazebo and measured out our boundary. Kim Harding helped prep our players before the match, working them through drills and helping settle nerves and Sheridan Thomas kept score. Sienna and her mum, Melissa Jenkins, brought along posters they'd worked on to help support our team. Thank you to all



Class Awards 13/03/2019		
K_1	Audrey	Quickly learning how to find and use seesaw activities
	Ebony	Always remembering to 'shine'
	Halibelle	Always completing her work carefully
1_2	Saxon	His effort and enthusiasm towards maths
	Amira	Her hard work and concentration in maths
	Logan	Showing great persistence with challenging work
2_3	Malakai	A great start for you learning journey at Booral Public School
	George	Always being a respectful, responsible, resilient and engaged student
	Indi	Fantastic progress in reading for term 1
5_6	Riley	His positive attitude and work ethic towards his work
	Gabbi	Her persistence during challenging activities
	Lucy	Assistance in the classroom when others are absent
Library	Tamzin	Her interesting and informative book reviews
	Thea	Being an amazing library helper
	Lytic	Her interest & enthusiasm in all library activities.
	Alex	Great answers about parts of a book

Canteen News

Roster:

26/3 - Kerri Graham & Jane Tonitto
 2/4 - Sarah Grey & Tracey V
 9/4 - Aleshia Spencer & Felicity Harvie