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Monday 15th September 2014, Term 3 Week 10

BPS Calendar of Events
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- Performance Night – Tuesday 16th September.
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- Primary Assembly this week – Thursday 18th September.
- Stage 2 Attendance Bowling Reward – Friday 19th September.
- Last Day of Term 3 – Friday 19th September.
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Term 3 Week 9 2014
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Deputy Principal – Jenine Milgate

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I hope everyone has a great, relaxing and fun filled holiday and get ready for a BIG Term 4!

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Early Stage 1 & Performance Night News

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Miss Heaney
Wow! This term has gone so fast!! KH are very excited about Performance Night tomorrow, it will be a fantastic night and we are looking forward to seeing everyone there! This week in class time we will be finishing off our Term 3 units and cleaning up ready for a busy Term 4. Well done to all those students who attended the Pirate Attendance Party last week! I hope everyone has a safe and wonderful holiday! 😊

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Stage 1 News

Miss Bartley
WOW! Week 10 already! 1N are very excited about performance night and can’t wait to show everyone what we have been working on all term. Remember if your child has not brought in their costume please send it in by tomorrow! On Wednesday we have our reward ‘Fun Fair’ for all those students who have been coming to school and not missed more than 3 days of school. Thanks to everyone for making cupcakes for our fundraiser!

Miss Bartley
Can you believe this is the last week of Term 3? I hope to see you all at our performance night tomorrow night. Also, on Wednesday we are having our attendance fun fair party for all those Stage One students who have had 3 or less days off school this term. Have a wonderful week and holidays! 😊

Stage 1 AP – Miss Bartley
Thank you to everyone who supported Stage one’s cupcake day by making cupcakes or buying some. We made $260 dollars and all the proceeds will go towards our Dubbo excursion next term. Don’t forget our school performance night this Tuesday night, we hope to see everyone there. If anyone can lend a hand helping us to dress our kids that would be fantastic. Also remember to bring in your excursion notes!!

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Dane Edwards
Lejaby Elwood
Danika Leahy
Kayleigh Lollback
Jada-Leigh Shillingsworth
Clancy Lawrence
Lydia Gillon
Shaniqua Mackay
Shanarah Smith
Marcia Orcher
Lucas Creighton-Kemp
Quaylan Orcher
Dinemer Sucking

Gold
Taylah Barker
Shyleigh Morris
Nicholas Bales
Kaneesha Knight
Blake Sutton
Jeremy Kane
Emma Simmons
Natarlia Smith

DIAMOND
George Milgate
Shilah Orcher
Harrison Tancred
Jack Reid

AEO Caught Being Good Award
Charli Ibbotson & Blake Barker
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LC and MC News

Miss Nixon
Welcome to Week 10! Last week the MC had fantastic attendance again. We had 100% on 4 days! Last week we were lucky enough to attend the horse sports carnival and participate in a didgeridoo lesson with some of the Clontarf boys. This week we are looking forward to showing off our dancing skills at performance night! I hope everyone has a happy and safe holiday!

Ms Topalov
Wow! It’s the last week of term already!!! Tomorrow night is going to be fantastic, don’t forget to arrive there early to get a fantastic seat. Today was our last day for the LC Boxing and Fitness Program until next term. Thank-you to Peter and Lindsay for running this terrific program for the LC boys. Have a safe holiday.

Early Years Transition Centre News

Miss Bradley
What an exciting week ahead of us this week! Performance Night is finally here! The children will be performing with the main school in both the matinee and night time shows and are very excited to show you how much all their hard practice has paid off! Have a great holiday.

Instructional Leader News

Read with your child at any time; don’t forget that many everyday experiences provide opportunities to put reading and writing into action. Visit and use a library near you. Borrow books for yourself as well as for your child.

Bourke Junior Cricket Association
Bourke Junior Cricket will be holding a ‘Come and Try’ day on Saturday 11th October for the 2014/2015 season for 5-17 year olds. The day will be held at Davidson oval from 9am to 11am with a sausage sizzle at the conclusion of the morning.

Bluey Star of the Week
KB – George Milgate
KH – Hailey O’Sullivan
1N – Chad Lollback
1D – Dominic O’Sullivan
1M – Tiona Gibbs
MC – Shane Lamb

Michael O’Loughlin coming to Bourke
This Tuesday (16/09/2014) from 3.30pm to 4.30pm Bourke Youth off the Streets in partnership with Maranguka are hosting Sydney Swans legend and Aboriginal sporting great Michael O’Loughlin. All Bourke youth are invited to the Youth off the Streets Office for a sausage sizzle and have a kick around with an Aboriginal great!