Yes – we are collecting the Woolworths stickers. Last year we collected over 15,000 stickers and so far we only have about 500. Hopefully everyone is keeping their cards at home until they are completed.

Term 3

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Everyone in Year 4 is getting very excited about our school camp at Myuna Bay. There are now only 15 school days till we go. A packing list will be sent home soon – please remember that:

- no-one needs new clothes
- everyone does need 2 pairs of joggers including one old pair for wearing in the water.

Each year some of our students participate in the University of NSW competitions. Several of our students have earned certificates for the tests that we have completed so far. Well done everyone.

Thank you to all the parents and family members who often help out with excursions and sporting events by offering to drive our students to and from the venue. As part of the WHS risk management for these events we need to have a copy of your current driver’s licence, your current car registration and a Working with Children declaration. At the moment we are able to accept a signed declaration on a form we can give you. From the start of 2016 all drivers will need to have a Working With Children Check obtained online through The Office of the Children’s Guardian. I have attached a fact sheet for your information. The check is free for volunteers and lasts for 5 years. This is just another way we are working to make sure our children are safe.

A reminder for all drivers – most of the areas adjacent to the school gates and crossings are either “No Parking” or “No Stopping”. The fines for offences in these areas are very expensive, but more importantly by stopping and parking illegally you are placing students in danger. Please obey the signs. One of our Kindergarten students earned a Principal’s Award last week for being a safe pedestrian. Amia was able to tell school visitors around her that she needed to go through the pedestrian gate not the vehicle gate. Well done Amia!
Merit Awards  Term 3 - Week 2

**KN**
- Joshua F: Working hard with numbers
- Nyah E-C: A lovely enthusiasm for learning
- Liam C: Beautiful manners at all times

**KH**
- Kaysha G: Improvement in reading
- Hayden S: Excellent work in maths
- Nate E: Effort in writing

**1C**
- Noah N: Amazing writing about ‘memories’
- Emmi A: Amazing writing on a ‘memory’
- Jazmine C: A fantastic speech

**1-2A**
- Belle B: Enthusiasm in reading groups
- Keely E: Working well in reading groups
- Hannah M: Great effort in writing

**2-3C**
- Kade M: Great effort at all times
- Abigail L: Effort in speaking and listening
- Kayden F: Great effort at all times

**3-4H**
- Harry S: Marvellous mathematics
- Ashtyn B: Working at 100%
- Amy D: Crushing Mr H with her great speech

**4-5N**
- Sharla C: Being fabulous
- Emilie C: Always working hard
- Cale T: Making good choices

**4-5F**
- Kloie T: Effort in maths
- Charlotte J: Fantastic effort at dance festival
- Harry A: Great attitude

**6WB**
- Jerremie A: Demonstrating understanding of mapping skills
- Kirsty F: Creating a wonderful description of a character
- Martin W: Being expressive in writing and speaking tasks

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**STUDENTS OF THE WEEK**

| KN       | Lila C   | 3-4H     | Lainee P |
| KH       | Cordelia R | 4-5N    | Dakota F |
| 1C       | Liam H   | 4-5F    | Callan G |
| 1-2A     | Henry G  | 6WB     | Zoe W    |
| 2-3C     | Dominic H | Principal’s Award | Amia S |

**“YOU CAN DO IT” AWARD WINNERS**

| KN       | Harrison H | KH | Jacinta N | 1C | Tahnaya F |
| 1-2A     | Nicholas D | 2-3C | Tatiarna N | 3-4H | Preston B |
| 4-5N     | Evelyn A  | 4-5F | Ella C    | 6WB | Heather W |

**LOST PROPERTY**

Please take a good look at these items. The reading glasses have been at the office for a long time. The necklace is sterling silver. Book and toy found together at the end of Term 2 at 3:10pm on a seat outside the hall.
The Act of Kindness Award
(This week we have two students who deserve recognition!)

Term 3 Week 2 went to

Clayton T for caring for others by showing consideration.
Ellie K for going above and beyond expectations to find a lost item.

PUBLIC SPEAKING
Over the past few weeks all classes have been busy writing and presenting speeches. Last week these students were selected to represent their class and deliver their speeches in front of their stages. Two students underlined below from each stage have been chosen to represent BPPS at Booragul Public School in Week 4.

KINDERGARTEN: Oliver C, Cordelia R, Meila E, Caleb B
STAGE 1: Abigail L, Damien E, Sienna R, Sarah C, Nick D, Reid C, Kade Mc, Bailey B, Jazmine C
STAGE 2: Grace R, Thomas Mc, Heather C, Eli T, Ally S, Zahli B
STAGE 3: Patrick K, Kiara K, Hailie T, Anika W, Hayley S

Congratulations to all students for doing an amazing job and good luck to our representatives.

Mrs Cashin and Mrs Hickey

Book Week
We will be having a character parade on Wednesday 26th August. This year’s theme is “Books light up our world”. More information will be sent home soon.

BIG BOYS AT BLACKALLS PARK
Thursday 3rd September
Please put this date in your calendar. This is the morning we invite all our dads, uncles, grandfathers etc to school to help us celebrate with breakfast and special activities. Breakfast is from 8:15 and all activities conclude at 10:00am. More information will come home closer to the date.
MAJOR EXCURSIONS

MYUNA BAY – YEAR 4 (Wednesday 19th to Friday 21st August)
The cost of this excursion is $250.00 per student. Some people have fully paid for this excursion and some are making regular payments. **Total payments must be paid by Wednesday 12th August.**

CENTRAL WEST – YEAR 5 & 6 (Monday 31st August to Wednesday 2nd September)
The cost of this excursion is $300.00 per student. Some people have fully paid for this excursion and some are making regular payments. **Total payments have to be paid by Friday 21st August.**

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**BAND**

Band Payments for Term 3  ($12.50 EACH WEEK)

We have a large number of band students who are overdue with payments, some still owing for Term 2. Please pay your band commitment so your child is not disappointed when they miss out on their lesson.

**DANCE**

Term 3 dance payments are overdue

If you have not paid your dance fees by this Friday, we are very sorry but your child will not dance this term. This is an ongoing problem of not having the funds to pay the Dance Teacher.

We apologise if this upsets anyone but we have given advance notice since Term 2.

**YES WE ARE DOING IT AGAIN THIS YEAR!**

Please collect the Earn and Learn stickers from Woolworths when you shop. Tell your relatives, friends etc to help us collect. This program gives us a chance to purchase new educational resources for our school. Students have the choice of collecting stickers on a sheet or just pop the sticker in the box at Woolworths or at the school office and we will stick them on the sheets. Sheets are available at the office or at Woolworths. Thank you in advance for helping us save the Earn and Learn stickers.

Can you supply your child’s classroom with a box of tissues?

Winter is here and we have lots of students with colds and runny noses. We would appreciate a supply to be kept in your child’s class.

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**CANTEEN NEWS**

**CANTEEN ROSTER**

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**P&C NEWS**

Next P&C meeting

Tuesday 4th August – 6:30pm

**Uniform room times**

Monday mornings 8.45-9.15am
Thursday mornings 8.45-9.15am
Thursday afternoons 2.30-3.00pm

Uniform order for Term 3 is due back to the office today Wednesday 29th July.

Co-ordinator - Mrs Jane Mifsud

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If you are starting a new paid job in child-related work in NSW, you need to apply for a Working With Children Check.

If you are currently employed or you volunteer in child related work, please see FACT SHEET: Phase-in schedule and FACT SHEET: Exemptions on our Fact sheets and resources web page.

If you are applying from overseas or interstate, please see FACT SHEET: Overseas applicants or FACT SHEET: Interstate applicants.

**STEP 1: Complete an online application form**

- Go to www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/check and complete the online application form. If you do not have access to the internet, please telephone (02) 9286 7219 for assistance.
- Please make sure the details you provide are EXACTLY THE SAME as the details on your identity documents. If you have submitted the form with a mistake, please redo the form to avoid problems with the proof of identity requirement at step two.
- Ensure you select the correct category: paid or volunteer worker. The $80 fee for paid workers is not refundable if you are a volunteer and you choose ‘paid worker’ by mistake. A Check for paid workers will cover both paid and volunteer work in NSW for five years.
- Once you have submitted the form, you will receive an application number that looks like this: APP1234567.

Need help? Watch the online tutorial on YouTube. More video tutorials are available on our website: Online tutorials.

**STEP 2: Present proof of your identity**

- Go to a NSW Motor Registry, RMS agency, or Service NSW office (not your local Council). Find a location at www.service.nsw.gov.au/service-centre.
- You will need your application number and proof of your identity. You must have both of these items for your application to proceed.
- If you are in paid work, you will also be required to pay an $80 fee for a five year clearance. See FACT SHEET: Fee information.
PLEASE NOTE: Before you go to submit your proof of identity

- You cannot submit proof of identity on behalf of someone else. You must appear in person with your own documentation.
- Proof of identity cannot be performed outside of NSW. It must be completed at a NSW Motor Registry, RMS Agency, or Service NSW office.
- Additional identity verification options are available for authorised carers and their adult household members who live interstate, and for those who are medically unable to attend a motor registry or RMS Agency. See FACT SHEET Interstate or incapacitated authorised carers or householders. Identity verification options.

Receiving your results

You will receive your outcome and Working With Children Check number by email (or post if you do not have an email address). See also FACT SHEET: When will I receive my results? If you have not received your results within four weeks, please email your details and application number to check@kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au.

Find a NSW motor registry

Locations of Motor Registries, RMS Agency, or Service NSW offices can be found at www.service.nsw.gov.au/service-centre.

More information


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