



Bathurst South Public School - Newsletter

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Term 4, Week 3, 30th October 2019

Dear Families,

Please remember this Sunday is our 'School Run4Fun Colour Explosion'. This brilliant activity will be held at Bathurst South PS from 10:30 am to approximately 12:30 pm. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. Please stay afterwards to purchase a sausage sandwich and drink, all proceeds will go towards the P&C who are raising funds to reimburse the school for the top level shade structure. The day is focused on fun and fitness, with the added benefit of raising money for the school. All students have received a fundraising book that was sent home in Week 1. Should the predicted rain eventuate, a notice will be placed on SchoolStream and Facebook early Sunday morning. If this does occur an alternate date for this event will be advised later this term.



On Monday, Mrs Connell organised a fantastic Cupcake Day/Competition. It was made even more special as the entire school population and our visiting parents had the opportunity to watch the student dance groups from Stages 1, 2 and 3 perform for them. Thank you to all students and families who participated by sending in cupcakes. In total \$330 was raised to support our Schools Spectacular dancers.

As you may have seen on our Facebook page or Prime News, we had 4 students artworks unveiled as part of the Bathurst Railway Museum fencing. When you're next driving down Havannah St, stop and have a walk along and look at the fantastic designs from Finney Eldershaw, Alexis Bastow, Charlie Clark and Abigail Johnston.



It is with delight that I can inform you we are soon to commence the Cooler Classroom project that was announced earlier in the year. This will see all 10 classrooms as well as our Library air-conditioned. I will be hosting the 'start up' meeting next week and from the time work commences it should take approximately 12 weeks to complete.

Our 33 soon to be Kindergarten students in 2020 had their first experience of 'Big School' last week as they participated in Week 1 of their transition program. The students were excited on arrival, engaged during the session and appeared eager to return this week again. I look forward to seeing them once again tomorrow.



Our '**Keeping On Track**' winner for this week was **Jordan Hooper**. Jordan received a \$5.00 canteen voucher as his prize. Well done!

Yours sincerely,

Greg Cross

Principal



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Term 4 Calendar

31 October - Kinder 2020 Transition 9:00 am—11:00 am
31 October - AECG Bathurst High
5 November - Enviromentors Presentation
7 November - Kinder 2020 Transition 9:00 am—11:00 am
11 November - Remembrance Day
14 November - Kinder 2020 Transition 9:00 am—11:00 am
15 November - Schools Spec Rehearsal Cowra
21 November - Netwaste Presentation
21 November - Kinder 2020 Transition 9:00 am—11:00 am
22 November - DotPoint BINGO night 6:00 pm-9:00 pm, in School Hall
29 November - Year 6 Mini Fete
4 December - Year 7 Transition, Denison College– Bathurst & Kelso Campus's
4 December - Special Assembly - 2020 Leadership Speeches
5 December - AECG Awards
6 December - Student Reports Sent Home
9-13 December - Parent Teacher Interviews
10 December - Year 6 Farewell
12 December - Presentation Day 9:30 am
12 December - Christmas Carols
13 December - Principals Morning Tea
16 December - PBL-On Track Day
18 December - Students Last Day of 2019



Year 6 Mini Fete Friday 29 November

Every year at Bathurst South, it has been the tradition for students in Year 6 to plan a Mini Fete for all of the students to enjoy. The primary purpose for this event is to raise money to purchase a Year 6 Farewell Gift for our School.

All students are invited to bring in their fete spending money as soon as possible over the coming weeks. **Please place all fete money in an envelope clearly marked with your child's name, class and amount on the envelope and place in the post boxes under the Canteen. We will not be taking Online or EFTPOS payments for the Mini Fete.** Then, on Mini Fete Day, each child will be given a card of tokens equal to the amount of money they have brought in. These tokens can be 'spent' on the day. No 'real' money will be used. Any unused tokens will be entered into a raffle to be drawn on the day.

If students who have paid are absent on the day of the fete, refunds can be arranged by contacting the Principal in writing no later than Friday 6th December 2019.

Please remember that all Mini Fete spending money needs to be handed in by Tuesday 26th November so the office staff are given time to collate student spending tokens.

The Year 6 Mini Fete is for students only.

AWARD ANNOUNCEMENTS

Merit Awards

Phoebe Whitehead, Layla Andrews, Noah Sing, Imogen Farmer, Krystle Roberts Byrnes, Zali Ross, Eva Chiaramonte, Hannah Wakefield, Jai Andrews, Maddsion Wakefield, Hayley Bailey-Allen, Austin Woodyatt, Tameika Clarke, Emilio Diaz-Paama, Alexis Dennis x2, Max Stiff x3

Large Awards

Harry Colyer, Jasmine Watson, Tayah Clarke, Savannah Auvaa

Book Awards

Lillie-Anne Riley, Isabella Ward

WELL DONE!

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) News

The three expectations that we have at Bathurst South are being Respectful, being a Positive Learner and being Safe. This week students have been focusing on expected behaviour on Bottom Level.

Students will continue to collect flag stickers for their race track to complete a lap of Mount Panorama. Students receive a Blue Award when they are half way around the track and another when the lap has been completed. On Track Day will be held on Monday 16th December 19.

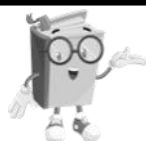
SAFE

RESPECTFUL

POSITIVE LEARNER

Bottom Level	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Be aware of others• Move in a sensible way• Stay in bounds• Use area appropriately• Sit down when eating• Walk on concrete• Bags against the wall	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Share the space• Be considerate of others• Keep area clean and tidy• Solve problems calmly	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Follow instructions• Share, care and help others• Give each other a fair go• Follow set handball rules
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Michelle Chiaramonte



Book Club

Book Club orders must be placed online by Friday November 1, 2019.



Canberra Excursion

There are 15 positions remaining for our 2020 Canberra Excursion.
Be sure to get your deposit in to secure your place.



RUN 4 FUN COLOUR EXPLOSION

THIS SUNDAY - November 3

We hope you are all collecting lots of sponsorship and preparing for fun!

Registration from 10.30am

Be sure to wear your white shirts.

Please return COMPLETED sponsorship forms to the mailboxes by Friday (name, class, prizes, correct money)

OR pay on the day.... **Adults \$10, under 16's are \$5.** All friends and families of our community welcome so spread the word

A sausage sizzle and drinks will be available for an additional cost.

See you all there.

Helpers are required for the day, please phone Bianca Young on 0435 030 110.



Bathurst Child & Family Network

Find us on Facebook

School Starters Picnic

Adventure Playground, Durham Street Bathurst

The **first 100** school starters for 2020 kindergarten to register on the day will receive a **FREE** gift!



All 2020 school starters will receive a certificate on the day

It's FREE ...bring your 2020 school starter plus the whole family, picnic & rug!

Enjoy FREE games, activities, entertainment, prizes & more!

**Friday 8th
November
4.30 - 6.30pm**

For more information please call Centacare Bathurst on **6331 8944** or like 'Bathurst Child and Family Network' on Facebook to keep updated



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