Principal's Report

Barellan Show
A picture perfect day greeted Barellan on Saturday for the Annual Show. There was a genuine feeling of community spirit with many hands on deck to make the day run smoothly. Thank you to all community members who lent a hand on the day! Congratulations to all students who entered the various sections of art and craft and displayed their work in the pavilion. There were many awards won by BCS students — this school certainly has talent! Our school display looked amazing thanks to Mrs Whytcross. Of course many of the entries wouldn’t have been possible without our dedicated teachers who enable students to enter some of the categories, including the cupcake decorating, gingerbread decorating, vegetable creations, dish gardens and various drawing and painting sections!

Secondary State Athletics
Congratulations to Lisa Ohlsen who will be attending the NSW Secondary State Athletics Championships this week. Lisa will race in the 100m event on Thursday, with the finals running on Saturday. Best of luck Lisa!

Year 11 Examinations
Year 11 students will commence their final examinations for their Preliminary HSC courses on Thursday this week and will conclude next Friday. Good Luck!

Glitterball
The big social event for our K-2 students is coming up in Week 10. The students have been very busy starting to get organised for the annual event which will coincide with the Kindergarten Orientation Parent Information Session. Watch out for more information soon!

RAP Study Day
Tomorrow our Year 11 and 12 students will head to Ariah Park Central School to attend the Term 3 RAP study day. This will be an excellent opportunity for all students to gain information from their teachers as they prepare for their final exams for their courses. Make sure you ask lots of questions!

SAS Staff Recognition Week
Our School Administration and Support Staff (SASS) work tirelessly to provide support to our teaching staff and our students every day. This week students, parents and staff at Barellan CS would like to acknowledge the hard work done by our SAS Staff as part of SASS National Recognition Week. This year’s theme is ‘Stepping up to the Challenge’. Every day of the school year SAS staff face new challenges in the running of our public schools and the provision of the quality education which our children will need for life during this century. They are constantly adapting to change so that our children can have the best education possible at Barellan CS.

We have six SAS staff at our school. Mrs Clark, Mrs Male and Mrs Tubb who work in our office and library; Mrs Whytcross and Mrs Prentice who work in our classrooms; and Mr Waide, our General Assistant and Farm Assistant who looks after our grounds and maintenance and is also very good at retrieving lost handballs! Every day, in so many ways, our valuable SAS staff support us in our school. Without our SAS staff we would not be able to provide the wonderful school that we have here at Barellan CS.

National Recognition Week is a great time to thank all our SAS staff for their hard work and dedication to our school. Please give them all an extra big smile and thankyou this week to demonstrate to them that they are valued members of our school community!

Have a great week.
Calendar August/September 2014

September
Mon 01  HSC History Study Day @CSU
Tues 02  RAP Study Day @APCS
Thurs 04  Prelim Yearly Examinations Commence
Mon 08  K/1/2 visit the Pre School
Thurs 11  Healthy Harold visits Pre School visit K/1/2 Classroom
Fr 12  Book Swap & Cake Stall
Wed 17  Glitter Ball
Fri 19  Year 12 Last Day; Last Day Term 3

October
Tues 07  Term 4 commences staff & students

Environmental Workshops for Years 6 and 7
Year 6 and 7 have been invited to attend a series of environmental workshops in Temora on Friday 12th September hosted by Goldenfields Water County Council and featuring special guest Costa Georgiadis of Gardening Australia. Students will enjoy practical sessions including tree planting techniques, revegetation management and roosting boxes. Special guest Minister Katrina Hodgkinson will be attending to officially launch the GWCC500 project linking 500km of wildlife corridor. Students in Years 6 and 7 will receive permission notes to attend the workshops very shortly. It is sure to be a fantastic day!

Student Contact Details Update
Please complete the following table if you have CHANGED your address; your landline phone number; your mobile phone number or your emergency contact person/number.
This will help us if we need to contact you or your emergency contact person.
Thank you

| NEW ADDRESS |  |
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| NEW CONTACT NUMBER |  |

Reading Club Winners Term 3
Weeks 6 & 7
Riley Curran, Eli Koerper
85s - K/1/2 - Anika Smith,
Sophie Male
2/3/4 - Lillian Rainbird, Olivia Ellis
4/5/6 - Cooper Spowart, Sarah Wilson

Overdue Library Books
There are currently a lot of students who have several books borrowed from our library. Please have a good look at home and at school and return any BCS books.

We need to get some of these books returned or students may not be able to borrow. If you are unsure what books you have out, please check with your teacher during Library class.

Canteen Roster
& News

| Mon Sept 01 | Thurs Sept 04 | Fri Sept 05 |
| Alison Male | Jane Snaith | Sarah Lees |
| Mon Sept 08 | Thurs Sept 11 | Fri Sept 12 |
| Jeanette Brumby | Bernie Bandy | Tina Haeusler |
| Mon Sept 15 | Thurs Sept 18 | Fri Sept 19 |
| VOLUNTEER REQD | Karen Smith | CLOSED |
## 2/3/4 Class News

**Leaders:** Benjamin, Emily & Zach

**Welcome Bailey**
Today we welcome Bailey to our class and we hope he has a happy time making new friends and settling into the Barellan Central School surroundings.

**Barellan Show**
After a very busy week of preparing show entries all students entered cooking, floral and art pieces. Well done to anyone who won a prize but most importantly thank you to everyone for having a go and making the display in the pavilion so special. A SPECIAL THANK YOU to MRS WHYTCROSS who prepared the BCS display.

**The Accelerated Reader Program**
AR sustained reading is a silent productive time in our classroom. Everyone has improved so much at paying complete

**AL**
This week we will use time connectives and pronouns to write cohesive recounts about the show.

### Homework

- *Reading Eggs - this is such good practice for reading and spelling.*
- *AR books each night.*
- *1000 points on Mathletics*
- *Nearly all the student have progressed to a new level in the 50 Times Table Challenge in the last week. Thank you parents – there has been a boom in 50 challenges achieved in the last week... must be great practice happening at home.*

### AWARDS

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## K/1/2 Happenings

A huge congratulations to all students for their great entries in the Barellan Show. I was also very proud to walk around and see the wonderful work of the students at Barellan Central School on display.

This Thursday afternoon K/1 students will be walking to the preschool to visit students that will be attending Barellan Central School next year as part of their Transition to Kindergarten. We will be leaving school at 12:20pm and return to school before 3pm. As we will be having lunch at the preschool K/1 students will be unable to order their lunch on this day.

Year 2 students will combine with 2/3/4 for afternoon activities.

All of Primary have combined sport with Binya Public School this Friday.

### Homework

#### Home Readers
Please remind your child that these books should be read at home with minimal assistance. Many of you have been great voicing any concerns you have with any books that your child brings home. Please continue to contact me by phoning the school or sending a letter to school with your child. For students reading on higher leveled books, they do not have to all be read in the one night.

#### Home Work Sheets
New homework will be coming home today.

### K/1 Awards

**Peer Citizenship Award**
The Term 3 Week 7 citizenship award went to Madison!

**Mathletics**
Suleyman, John and Anika received Bronze awards in Mathletics last week. Congratulations!

**Reading Eggs**
Congratulations to Ronan and Madison for Receiving Gold Awards in Reading Eggs and Timothy for receiving a Silver Award!
Well done to everyone who entered items into the various categories for this year’s Barellan Show. What you all produced was fantastic and you should all be proud of your efforts.

This week should be fairly quiet week, with no big events happening although, a new assignment will be handed out this week. Time will be allocated in class to assist with the completion of the assignment. This assignment will be based around the concepts covered in our AL focus text and will involve the imaginative type of text in the form of poetry.

Next week we will welcome Healthy Harold to BCS. A note will be sent home this week with information about the visit.

**AL**
*Prayer for the 21st Century* by John Marsden

**Text Type**
Imaginative - Poetry

**Maths**
Time, Symmetry, 2D Space, Mass, Transformations

**Spelling**
i_e, y, igh, l, ie; difficult words 2

**Homework**
Accelerated Reader Text Mathletics
Spellodrome Reading Eggspress

**Awards**

- **MATHLETICS**
  - *Bronze Award*: Jane, Charlotte, Norman
  - *Silver Award*: Tyler, Cooper

- **SPELLODROME**
  - *Millennium Helmet*: Arnold, Tait, Jane, Charlotte, Norman
  - *Golden Bike*: Paige

- **ACCELERATED LITERACY**
  - Students achieving above 50% towards target: Tyler, Aysel, Sarah

- **CITIZENSHIP**
  - Lilly Geltch, Norman Haeusler

- **THANKS FOR SHOWING RESPECT**
  - Ryan Smith

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**GREAT BARELLAN BOOK SWAP!!**

*Recess on Friday 12th September @ Barellan Central School*

We all love to read! Share your love of reading and participate in the Great Barellan Book Swap!

*Here’s how it works….*

**BEFORE FRIDAY 12th SEPTEMBER**

Choose one or two books from home that you no longer want. They can be for adults or children. Bring your books to school before Friday 12th and put in the box in the front office or library or give to Miss Murdoch. Please make sure that your name is in the front of the book or fill in the book plate below and paste in the front of your book.

**ON FRIDAY 12th SEPTEMBER**

Bring a gold coin to school and choose a new pre-loved book to take home! All donations will go to the Indigenous Literacy Foundation.

*Also bring some extra money for the SRC Cake Stall which will be raising funds for the secondary excursion.*

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Southern New South Wales

Graincorp is one of Australia’s largest agricultural supply chain and logistics companies.
We currently have positions available for:
- Grain Handlers
- Grain Samplers
- Weighbridge Clerks

These are seasonal roles with limited accommodation offered at certain sites. All successful applicants will be required to attend pre-harvest training days to be held during October 2014. Work is to commence October/November.

To apply please visit:

Enquiries to:
- Wyalong - Tegan Slade - 0269793000 - tslade@graincorp.com.au
- Barellan - Nicole Male - 0259717000 - nmale@graincorp.com.au
- Wagga - Bec Murray - 0269268407 - rmurray@graincorp.com.au

For Sale
Barellan Rural Fire Brigade
1 large roller door app 10 foot x 10 foot.
$300
Contact Les Irvin or Ian Waide.

Interested in trying Basketball?
Narrandera Basketball are about to commence their junior spring competition.
The association takes single nominations and places children into teams.
Players names and year at school are required please message Lee on 0409443711.
Narrandera Basketball has a facebook page you can message or email lee.longford@bigpond.com.au.
or contact the above mobile for more details.
Age groups are Juniors Div Yrs 1, 2 & 3, Intermediate Div Yrs 4, 5 & 6 & Senior Div Yrs 7 +.
Junior Div games at 5.00pm, Intermediate Div games at 5.50pm & Senior Div games at 6.40pm concluding at 7.30pm.
Girls will play on Thursday afternoons and the boys for the first two weeks will play on Fridays and after the school holidays will play on Wednesdays.
Registration cost is $50 per child and games fees are $3 per week.
Competition will commence Thursday 11th September 2014. Name to me by the above methods by Monday 8th September 2014.
Looking forward to a new season of basketball.

Do you have slow or messy handwriting?
Do you struggle from writer fatigue in examinations?
Then you need a WriteWeight.
Visit www.writeweight.com.au

The website has full details and prices for ordering online.

The Write Weight device is a weighted cylinder that slips on top of your pen. Its main function is to train the hand muscles for writing, to help alleviate writer fatigue during examinations.
BARELLAN UNITED FOOTBALL/NETBALL CLUB
Two Blues NEWS

BUFNC PRESENTATION NIGHT – Saturday 13 September 2014
To be held at the Barellan Club
Perpetual Trophies need be returned to me ASAP please.

Northern Riverina Football League – 90 yrs (1924-2014)
This book has been researched and compiled by Keith Rees
If anyone is interested in purchasing a book, please give Kim a buzz. Books are $35.00
Great Fathers Day present!

St Therese Catholic Parish Barellan—September Mass times
September 07 10am
September 14 10am
September 21 10am at Binya. NO Barellan Mass
September 28 10am

Spine Society of Australia
Reminds all girls in Years 7 & 9 that this is the recommended time to download the ‘Self-Detection Brochure for Scoliosis’. The brochure can be accessed via the link on the Scoliosis Australia home page at www.scoliosis-australia.org.

Barellan Hall Committee AGM
Thursday September 11
Barellan Club @ 5.30pm.
All welcome

Barellan Clay Target Club
Open Day
Sunday 14th of September
10.30 a.m.
Barellan Clay Target Club will be conducting an open day to enable people over 12 years of age to come & try clay target shooting without having a shooter’s license. Juniors (12 to 18 years) must have parent/guardian consent on forms provided on the day. Parent/guardian must also supply photo ID ie; driver’s or shooter’s license.

Club coach will be in attendance and instruct on SAFE GUN HANDLING and coaching on shooting clay targets. A BBQ lunch will be available around noon, followed by our regular shoot in the afternoon which anyone from the coaching is welcome to participate in. Guns and cartridges available.

This is an excellent opportunity to try clay target shooting without having a shooter’s license and be shown safe gun handling techniques.
For further information;
Phone Ken Whytcross 69683272 or 0428696670
Or Les Irvin 69639354 or 0428696592

Some Community Thankyou's

* From the Show Society
Thank you to all the volunteers who helped make the 89th show a success. The committee would also like to thank the generous members who donated their prizes back to the show, this kind gesture is very much appreciated. Once again thank you for your continuing support of the Barellan show society.

* From the Barellan Aged Care Committee
Thank you to all the wonderful people who gave donations for the show we were overwhelmed with the response. We are so truly thankful to you all.
With your help Barellan Aged Care have banked another $2000
Thank you all so much

* From the Turner Family
Thank you to everyone who helped George celebrate his 90th birthday. George and the family are very grateful to everyone who came on the day and for your generous lunch/afternoon tea contributions.
WHERE CAN I ACCESS MIGHTY MINDS SERVICE?
61 YAMAIL STREET GRIFFITH 2680
PHONE: (02) 6923 3195

CRISIS
Mighty Minds is not designed to provide crisis care. If you or the child is in need of immediate support please contact:
• 000 Emergency Services
• Your General Practitioner
• Mental Health Line (24-hour freecall service) on 1800 011 011

ABOUT THE MURRUMBIDGEREE MEDICARE LOCAL (MLL)
An important part of the Australian Government's National Health Reform involves setting up a nation-wide network of Medicare Locals to better address local health needs, improve access to services and make the system easier for people to navigate.

Medicare Locals will coordinate primary health care services so people will find negotiating their way through general practice and other health services much easier, with less paperwork and better access when they need it.

One of the main roles of MLL is to promote integration and coordination of primary health care delivery and tackle local health care needs and service gaps.

MLL will have a key role in driving improvement in primary health care and in ensuring services are better tailored to meet the needs of local communities within our distinct geographic areas.

Staff work from Service Centres strategically located in Wagga, Griffith, Lockyer, and Young, so as to ensure the efficient delivery of programs, services and support across this total geographic area.

MIGHTY MINDS
51 YAMAIL STREET GRIFFITH 2680
Ph: (02) 6923 3195

The Riverina Murray Family Referral Service (FRS) is your link to support bringing together families and support services at various stages of need. Our aim is to link families with appropriate services.

The FRS can provide information and access to a number of support services including:
• Housing or Accommodation
• Financial Assistance
• Parenting
• Drug and Alcohol Support
• Domestic Violence
• Youth Support

• Health
• Counselling and Mediation
• Mental Health
• Culturally appropriate support
• Health and Well Being
• Education .........etc.

The Riverina Murray Family Referral Service is operated by Relationships Australia Canberra & Region - Riverina Branch

Family Referral Services are funded by the NSW Government as part of Keep Them Safe action plan to improve the safety and wellbeing of children in NSW.

RELATIONSHIPS AUSTRALIA CANBERRA AND REGION INC

MIGHTY MINDS EMOTIONAL WELLBEING PROGRAM FOR KIDS UNDER 16

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You are invited to come and hear
Celia Lashlie Live

"Growing Gorgeous Boys Into Good Men"

A researcher and social commentator, Celia Lashlie worked for 15 years within the Prison Service. In 1995, she became the first woman to work as an officer in a men's prison in New Zealand. Her final role in the service was as Manager of Christchurch Women's Prison until 1999.

Celia has a degree in anthropology and Māori, is the mother of two adult children and Nana to three.

She now works on a number of projects, all of which are focused on improving the lives of at-risk children and empowering families to find their own solutions to the challenges they face.

In September 2004, she completed the "Good Man" project. The project, which facilitated discussion within and between 25 boy's schools throughout New Zealand, aimed to create a working definition of what makes a good man in the 21st century.

The project provided a significant insight into the minds of teenage boys and what they are feeling during this period of their lives.

Celia's insights will challenge the way teachers manage the behavior of boys in the classroom. She will also seek to raise awareness of female teachers about the way they interact with boys and will present some ideas about the impact of what she sees as boys' progression on their study habits and the way they approach school life.

Date: Thursday 11 September 2014
Time: 4.30pm – 6.00pm
Location: Griffith Exies Club
Cost: $20 per person, includes light supper
Booking: Complete registration form below and return to Marg Andreazza on fax: 6964 5522 or griffithconnections@gmail.com
Contact: Marg Andreazza, Griffith Connections Ph: 6962 6833 or 0408 207 734

For more information visit: www.celiaclashlie.co.nz
Results for Barellan Show 30th August 2014

Children's Art
Preschool/Kinder Most Outstanding Exhibit – Max Conlan
Year 1 & 2 Most Outstanding Exhibit – Bailey Drinkwater
Year 3 & 4 Most Outstanding Exhibit – Ella Male
Year 5& 6 Most Outstanding Exhibit – Sarah Wilson
Year 7 & 8 Most Outstanding Exhibit – Tom Geddes-Kaney
Year 9 & 10 Most Outstanding Exhibit – Emma Braddock
Year 11 & 12 Most Outstanding Exhibit – Shane Gibson

Flowers Decorative
Most Successful Exhibitor – Edna Conlan
Children's Decorative
Most Outstanding – Sam Conlan
Best Floral Face – Sophie Male

Flowers Senior
Most Successful Exhibitor – Edna Conlan
Most Outstanding Exhibit – Edna Conlan
Bloom Of The Show – Rhonda Male

Jams And Preserves
Best Lemon Cheese – Val Hawker
Most Successful – Reta Spencer
Best Lemon Cheese Junior – Jack, Sam & Toby Lawrence

Cookery
A.S.C of N.S.W Rich Fruit Cake Comp. – No Entries
Most Successful Exhibitor – Mace McEwen
Most Outstanding Exhibit – Val Hawker
Man Only Chocolate Cake – Graham Pelligrino

Children's Cookery
Most Successful – Jane Hauesler
Best Exhibit – Jane Hauesler

Needlework
Most Outstanding Exhibit – Marjory Longford
Most Successful – Nola Malone
Junior Needlework
Most Outstanding Exhibit – Luke Gordon

Fine Arts Adults
Most Outstanding Exhibit – Brad Wilson
Most Successful – Brad Wilson

Photography
Most Outstanding Exhibit Non-Enlarged – Lyndal Davies
Most Outstanding Exhibit Enlarged – Reta Spencer
Most Successful – Lyndal Davies

Children’s Photography
Most Outstanding Exhibit Non Enlarged – Luke Gordon
Most Outstanding Exhibit Enlarged – Luke Gordon

Em Irvin Memorial Trophy
Most Successful in the Pavilion – Reta Spencer

M T Male Memorial Trophy
Most Successful Junior in the Pavilion – Luke Gordon

Adult Craft
Most Outstanding Exhibit – Josh Cullen

Children's Craft
13-16 Years
Most Outstanding Exhibit – Tom Geddes – Kanety
12 Years & Under
Most Outstanding Exhibit – Jane Hauuesler

Junk Art
Adult Section - Ellis Robertson
Junior Section – William Ellis.

Poultry
Champions:
Soft Feather Large Male – Cotterill Poultry
Soft Feather Large Female – Cotterill Poultry
Hard Feather Large Male – Cotterill Poultry
Hard Feather Large Female – J & R Blenkiron
Hard Feather Bantam Male – Cotterill Poultry
Hard Feather Bantam Female – J & R Blenkiron
Soft Feather Bantam Male – Cotterill Poultry
Soft Feather Bantam Female – Cotterill Poultry

Water Fowl – Emma Cowled
Breedling Pair – Cotterill Poultry
Bird in Show – Cotterill Poultry
Best Junior - Hannah (Yanco High)
Junior Bantam-Hannah (Yanco High)

Ring.
Supreme Led Exhibit – Parker Family ‘Caramia Cotton Candy’
Supreme Ridden Exhibit – Tegan Marangon ‘Gold Trace’

Birds
Champion Large Parrot – Les Hoskin
Champion Small Parrot – Peter & Mary Jarrett
Champion Budgerigars Cock – Les Hoskin
Champion Australian Finch – Les Hoskin
Champion Foreign Finch – Peter & Mary Jarrett
Champion Canary – Les Hoskin
Champion Peachface – Les Hoskin
Champion Quail – Les Hoskin
Champion Cockatiel – Les Hoskin

Best Junior Exhibit – Tyson Crowhurst