Principal’s Report

Grandparents Day Celebration
Thank you to all parents and grandparents who came along to today’s celebration and assembly! Thank you to the Primary staff for organising activities for our children and their grandparents to do together today.

School Captains
Congratulations to Matthew Giddings and Theresa Gor- ing who are our secondary school captains for 2016. Thank you to Tayla and Reece for also nominating for captain; voting was close!

Year 11 Reports
End of Year 11 reports have gone home today. Overall our students have done well throughout their first year of senior schooling. Students can now take the advice of their teachers to fine tune their studies for Year 12.

Past BCS Students Excel
Three past Barellan Central School students have excelled at the World Skills Australia Regional Event in Wagga Wagga last week. Tim McDonald (electrical) and Erin McDermott (hairdressing) won gold medals, while Jayden Ashman in his first year came equal third in metals for his welding work. Tim and Erin will now go to Melbourne in October next year to compete in the National competition.

Congratulations to all three students!

End of Year Assessments
Students across the school will be completing their end of year assessments next week. Good luck to all.
**Calendar Term 4 2015**

**October**
- Tues 27: Learner Driver Information Session 2.15pm
- Wed 28: Enviro Champs @ ACS
- Fri 30: 2016 Kinder Orientation Day 1; 9am-10.40am

**P&C Meeting 3.30pm, Sport Shirt Discussion**

**November**
- Mon 02: Years 7-10 Examination Week
- Mon 09: 2016 Kinder Orientation Day 2 9am-12.45pm
- Sat 14: RAP Graduation @ Leeton
- Mon 16: Year 9/10 Work Experience for 1 week
- Tues 17: 2016 Kinder Orientation Day 3 9am - 3pm
- Wed 25: RAP Study Day @ ACS, Year 10/11
- Mon 30: Swim School commences Mon, Tues, Wed for 2 weeks

**December**
- Thur 10: Presentation Night
- Fri 11: Primary Assembly/Infants Christmas Tree
- Tues 15: Rewards Day Lake Talbot
- Wed 16: Last Day Students Term 4
- Fri 18: Last Day Staff Term 4

**January 2016**
- Wed 27: Staff return Term 1
- Thur 28: Students return Term 1

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**Learner Driver Information Session at Barellan Central School**

Steph Puntoriero from Narrandera Shire Council will be holding a **free** Learner Driver Information Session for parents and supervisors who are teaching their children to drive.

You can learn all the simple steps on how to teach a learner driver at the workshop and how teaching someone to drive can be a happy experience.

This workshop will be held at the Barellan Central School Library on Tuesday 27th October 2015 at 2.30pm.

For bookings or more information please contact Steph on 0448 623 049.

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**Library Books**

We are currently beginning to undertake the stocktake of our Library books. Could all students please have a look at home and at school for any library books that might be hiding on bookcases or under beds etc and return them. Thankyou

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**P&C Supporting Our School**

**Canteen Roster**

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**P&C News....**

Attached to this week’s Gazette is the order form for the new Sport’s Shirts.

Order forms need to be returned by Friday October 30th.

At this stage the shirts are only for Upper Primary and Secondary.

If your child is in lower primary and you would like them to have a shirt, please return the form as an **Expression of Interest**, please do not enclose any money.

Orders for upper primary and secondary need to have payment enclosed.

There will be a special P&C Meeting this Friday, October 30, at 3.30pm to discuss the new shirts.

For clarification or more information please contact Joanne Ohlsen or Christie Smith.
Happy Grandparents Day to all of the wonderful grandparents and grandfriends of K/1 students. The contributions you make towards your families and the wider community are incredibly appreciated.

Thank you to the year 2 for hosting this years Glitter Ball. We all had a wonderful time dancing and playing games with our friends in glittery clothing and accessories. Thank you also to Mrs Kenny for her assistance toward the year 2 cohort. I know year 1 are looking forward to hosting the Glitter Ball next year when they are in year 2.

Thank you again to those who are covering our new home readers.

REMINDER: PMP (gross motor skills) will be on Tuesdays during Term 4. Please ensure sport uniforms are worn Tuesdays and Fridays this term.

As we are now into Term 4 students must wear a hat to school if they wish to go to the oval during lunch 2 or for any activities in the sun. We will be reinforcing the “No hat, play in the shade” policy.

If students require a new school hat, please contact Jeanette Brumby and make this order as soon as possible.

This Friday K/1 will be split between the other primary classes for part of the morning due to having Kindergarten 2016 Orientation students at the school.

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**Library**

Library day is tomorrow. Please remind your child to bring their library bags.

**PMP**

Gross Motor Skills is tomorrow (Tuesdays) Please ensure your child wears appropriate sport uniform and runners.

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**Home Reading**

Reading is very important for children, especially during these early years in their schooling. Reading regularly helps build reading fluency, increases vocabulary and develops comprehension skills, ensures reading success therefore building confidence and promoting children viewing themselves as “READERS”. Please remind students to complete their home reading each night.

**Reading Eggs Awards**

Tom received a Gold Award in Reading Eggs last week. Rebekah and Taylor received Silver Awards. Congratulations!

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**2/3 News**

Leaders: John & Brianna

Today was Grandparents day at Barellan Central School. 2/3 enjoyed sharing skills, conversation and games with the Nanna and Pas.

A Glittering Success-Well done to the Year 2 hosts. You all did a very selfless job in making sure all your guests had a really good time and managed to enjoy the fun yourself.

Could parents please help your child ensure they have two lead pencils, an eraser, pencil sharpened and glue stick ready for work this term.

**Problem of the Week**

Congratulations to Brianna who solved last week’s problem. She used her times tables facts and worked out each child will receive $6.

The Weeks Problem-

Which shows the map of Australia flipped over the dotted line?

**Mathletics Awards**

Bronze- Lillian 2599, Matilda 1023, Anika 3048
Silver- Emma 2599
**Year 4**

Over the past two weeks it has been exciting to see the amount of progress made throughout the class with their multiplication and division work. We have all been working really hard throughout the year to improve on our individual levels. A big thankyou to Mrs Whytcross for coming in and helping take one of the groups.

We joined together with 2/3 and really enjoyed revisiting some of our cricketing skills that we had learnt from the start of the year. Farrer posted a big score in our game of continuous cricket, we will see how Macarthur go chasing it down this week!

On Friday afternoon we had an enjoyable afternoon working together to create 3D models with toothpicks and frozen peas. Pictures on front page of today’s Gazette.

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**5/6 News**

What a great week we all had last week.

We all voted for our secondary school leaders last week and the newly appointed captains should be announced soon.

The local swimming pool opens this week and Barellan swim club will also commence this week. If you would like your child to participate in the swim club call into the pool one afternoon this week and speak to Heather or Rebecca Rainbird.

With the hot weather approaching and the pool opening, we will begin to use the pool for some sport sessions. We will attempt to give ample warning in regards to these sessions and ensure your child will be correctly equipped for pool activities. With all pool activities a ‘rashie’ will need to be worn by all students, both male and female. A student will not be permitted to swim without the correct sun protection. If your child cannot swim for any reason, please send a note advising us of the situation and other arrangements will be made for your child for that week.

If you have any questions or concerns please ring the school and request a meeting with either Mrs Conlan or Mrs Hart.

Cheers

Mrs Conlan

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**Awards**

**Mathletics:**

**Silver Award:** Spelling: Nace Borland

**Weekly Super Spellers (85%+):** Nace Borland, Spencer Tarlinton, Jordan Spowart, Benjamin Giddings, Ella Male, Olivia Ellis, Anika Praestiin, Ruby Male

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**HOME LEARNING**

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Mathletics set tasks, Weekly Spelling list words and A.R weekly, as well as our new Homework contracts which are due at the end of week 5. Please remember to bring A.R. books and folders back to school each day for summaries to be

Hope you all have a terrific week!

-Mr Mannes

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**Focus Areas This Week**

**AL**

My Place by Nadia Wheatley

**Text Type**

Information Report

**Maths**

Area, volume and number patterns

**Spelling**

Words associated with My Place

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**Quote of the Week**

“You will never know your limits unless you push yourself to them.”

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**Homework**

**Accelerated Reader Text**

- Mathletics

Complete the writing task ‘The alien school’ by Tuesday.

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**Awards**

AR Target winners:

AR 85’s winners:

Dojo Points winner:

1st—Arnold Luppi

2nd—Will Ellis, Sarah Wilson, Paige Kenny and Jake Bourchier.

3rd place: Charlotte Rainbird and Ebony Praestiin.

Congratulations on your effort, attitude & behaviour!!
New Sports Shirts

The P&C are excited to introduce a new sports polo shirt to the uniform selection for both primary & secondary students. This shirt will be made of a light weight fabric, very similar to the Two Blues polo shirts.

An order form and sizing details are below. The turn around for these shirts is 6 weeks and we hope to have them back before the end of this term. If not they will be handed out first day back next year. The cost of the new shirts is $40 each, please use the sizing chart below to choose the size you require.

For more information or sizing help please contact Christie Smith on 0409 719 225.

Shirts are $40 each.

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NEW SPORTS SHIRT ORDER FORM

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Payment Method: ☐ Cheque (made payable to BCS P&C) ☐ Direct Deposit (BSB: 062 548 - Acc No: 2800 1273 )

Order form & payment must be returned to the school by Friday 30th October
Behaviour Code for Students

NSW public schools are committed to providing safe, supportive and responsive learning environments for everyone. We teach and model the behaviours we value in our students.

In NSW public schools students are expected to:

- Respect other students, their teachers and school staff and community members
- Follow school and class rules and follow the directions of their teachers
- Strive for the highest standards in learning
- Respect all members of the school community and show courtesy to all students, teachers and community members
- Resolve conflict respectfully, calmly and fairly
- Comply with the school’s uniform policy or dress code
- Attend school every day (unless legally excused)
- Respect all property
- Not be violent or bring weapons, illegal drugs, alcohol or tobacco into our schools
- Not bully, harass, intimidate or discriminate against anyone in our schools

Schools take strong action in response to behaviour that is detrimental to self or others or to the achievement of high quality teaching and learning.

Behaviour Code for Students: Actions

Promoting the learning, wellbeing and safety of all students in NSW Public Schools is a high priority for the Department of Education and Communities.

We implement teaching and learning approaches to support the development of skills needed by students to meet our high standards for respectful, safe and engaged behaviour.

Respect

- Treat one another with dignity
- Speak and behave courteously
- Cooperate with others
- Develop positive and respectful relationships and think about the effect on relationships before acting
- Value the interests, ability and culture of others
- Dress appropriately by complying with the school uniform or dress code
- Take care with property

Safety

- Model and follow departmental, school and/or class codes of behaviour and conduct
- Negotiate and resolve conflict with empathy
- Take personal responsibility for behaviour and actions
- Care for self and others
- Avoid dangerous behaviour and encourage others to avoid dangerous behaviour

Engagement

- Attend school every day (unless legally excused)
- Arrive at school and class on time
- Be prepared for every lesson
- Actively participate in learning
- Aspire and strive to achieve the highest standards of learning

The principal and school staff, using their professional judgment, are best placed to maintain discipline and provide safe, supportive and responsive learning environments. The department provides a policy framework and resources such as Legal Issues Bulletins, access to specialist advice, and professional learning to guide principals and their staff in exercising their professional judgment. In this context the NSW Government and the Department of Education and Communities will back the authority and judgment of principals and school staff at the local level.
# Year 7—10

## Yearly Examination Timetable

### Week 5A (Nov 02–06)

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2013 Mitsubishi Triton 4 door, 4WD ute. 88,00kms.
New engine fitted in July 2015 due to Mitsubishi factory recall. Warranty/Full service history. Registered June 2016
$22,000 Phone Peter Tubb 69 639 272 for more information

Friday Junior Tennis
A few extra players again last week and our competition started. This week we have some time changes due to swim training. Junior swimmers will start tennis at 4pm and senior swimmers will start tennis at 5pm. Mrs Bourchier will organise the games this week. For more information contact Julie Kenny on 0448553225. Please note there will not be hot shots activities this week for beginning players.

Leeton Medical Centre News....
Due to high demands the Leeton Medical Centre will be conducting 2 clinics in November 2015.
Tuesday 10th November & Monday 23rd November.
Please ring Leeton to make an appointment.
Phone: 69532699

Sport and Recreation’s Swim and Survive lessons
Australian summers usually involve plenty of fun in and around the water, but no parent should forget how important it is to make sure children stay safe. Sport and Recreation’s Swim and Survive classes for pre-schoolers and school-aged children help youngsters learn important ways to be safe and enjoy our pools, rivers, beaches and lakes.
The intensive nine-day programs provide wonderful results, and are great fun as well. Plus, family discounts make our program affordable for all the children in the family. Sport and Recreation runs Swim and Survive classes in pools throughout regional NSW. Our instructors are nationally qualified and screened for their suitability to work with children.
Prices for nine lessons are $69 for school-aged children and $49 for preschoolers (prices exclude pool entry fee).
It’s easy with Sport and Recreation. For more information or to make a booking, visit sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au/swimandsurvive or phone 13 13 02.

The Land Cookery
Its "The Land" Cookery time of year in Barellan. Friday 6th November, 12.45pm for entries -judged at the CWA Rest House during our meeting.
Have a go and try something new, all welcome to enter Men, Ladies and Section 11 is for Young Competitors.
80c entry fee at Branch Level.
It’s important to note some specific recipes and tin sizes are used, hints are in the entry conditions.
Call Cheryl Mayberry 403 166 519, Judy Findlay 6963 9346 to answer queries.
All entry conditions at https://cwaofnsw.org.au/cookery.html on the CWA of NSW website, go to Committees tab, then The Land Cookery
Section 1: Fruit Cakes
Class (a) Light Fruit Cake
Class (b) Sultana Cake

Section 2: Butter Cakes
Class (a) Marble Cake
Class (b) Lemon Sour Cream Cake

Section 3: Pear and Ginger Cake

Section 4: Macarons

Section 5: Zebra Cake

Section 6: Cake Decorations And Sugar Art

Section 7: Boiled Fruit Pudding

Section 8: Jam, Pickles & Relish
Class (a) Microwave Kiwi Fruit Jam Special Recipe
Class (b) Mint and Apple Jelly. Own Recipe may be used.
Class (c) Moroccan Tomato Relish Special Recipe

Section 9: Gluten Free Carrot Cake

Section 10: Victoria Sponge

Section 11: Special Section For Young Competitors
Class (a) Crunchy Topped Lemon Loaf—18 years and under as of the 31st March 2016
Class (b) Speedway Cake—12 years and under as at the 31st March 2016

The Land Cookery Recipes 2015-2016
Download a PDF of The Land cookery recipes from the website.
Are you interested in joining the Fire Brigade?
The Barellan Rural Fire Brigade members are looking for more people to join the Fire Brigade.
If you have thought about joining the Brigade, then now would be a good time to do this, as new members are always most welcome.
Please contact the Fire Captain, Les Irvin, for more details.

Barellan Club News
Friday Nights
Barefoot Bowls
Games start 6.30pm. Names in by 6.15pm
Break for raffles at 7.30pm
Free Raffle Tickets for Every Player
Club Vouchers for Winners
Everyone Welcome!

Junior Football & Netball Back in Barellan
Exciting news for Barellan Two Blues Juniors in 2016. We have a place in the South West junior competition. Barellan will field two football teams Under 11s and Under 15s and three junior netball teams, Under 11s, Under 13s and Under 15s.
For any further information please call Andrew Rainbird 0427102485 or Jodie Landy 0429639116

Wanted to Buy
BCS Summer Tartan Dresses, Size 10.
Please contact Stacie Luppi.

BCS 2015 School Magazine Page Sponsorship
We would welcome contributions to help keep the costs of the school magazine as low as possible. If you, your family, community group or sporting group would like to sponsor a page in the school magazine please complete the following form and return it to the school office by Monday 9th November (Week 6).

Many thanks,
School Magazine Committee

BCS 2015 School Magazine Page Sponsorship
I/We would like to sponsor, ___________ page/s in the 2015 BCS annual magazine at $5.00 per page.

Please find enclosed the total of

$ _______________________

Please complete the following page caption, by inserting the individual or group names of the sponsors:

This page is proudly sponsored by:

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Signed ________________________

Thank you
RCAV Waiting List enrolment form 2016

CENTRE: ____________________________________ ENROMENTS CLOSING 6TH NOVEMBER 2015

DAYS OF ENROLMENT: please circle preferences ......

RANKINS SPRINGS: Tuesday; GOOLGOWI: Tuesday and Wednesday;
BARELLAN: Wednesday and Thursday; DARLINGTON POINT: Thursday and Friday

CHILD’S NAME:______________________________________  SEX:_______

DOB:________________

PARENTS

NAMES:______________________________________________________________________________

ADDRESS:_____________________________________________________________________________

email address __________________________________________________________________________

PHONE NUMBER:_______________________________MOBILE:_________________________________

ABOUT YOUR CHILD

IS YOUR CHILD TOILET TRAINED?__________HAVE THEY ANY ALLERGIES ________________________

DOES YOUR CHILD HAVE ANY SPECIAL NEEDS or INTERESTS ?
______________________________________________________________________________________
______________________________________________________________________________________

CULTURAL BACKGROUND OF THE CHILD?

ABORIGINAL/ TORRES STRAITS BACKGROUND?

IS YOUR CHILD LISTED ON A HEALTH CARE CARD?_________Number.____________________________

ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION?
______________________________________________________________________________________

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME (completing this form):____________________________________________

PARENT/ GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:_________________________________________________________

Please fill this in and return to the local preschool or send it to our Griffith Office address:

unit 3, 16-24 Whybrow street Griffith 2680 or email rcavpreschool@bigpond.com

Thanks Cate, Tania, Yvette, Ali, Bin and Laura