WEEK
7A Term 4
Monday November 16

The Gazette

Principal’s Report

Work Experience
Mr Hartley visited our Years 9 and 10 students out on work experience last Wednesday and reported great things back about our students. Congratulations to them all for giving their best efforts while in their various workplaces last week.

Boys’ Excursion
Our Year 6-10 boys are heading across to Leeton weir today for an overnight camping excursion with Mr Hartley and Mr Whytcross. This camp forms part of our Year 6 transition to high school program for 2016.

Year 6 Transition
Our Year 6 students will participate in Year 7 transition activities on Wednesday and Thursday this week with secondary teachers. Please see the timetable attached in the Gazette.

RAP Study Day
This Friday our Year 10 and 11 students will travel across to Ardlethan Central School for the Term 4 RAP study day. Year 10 are lucky to have this opportunity to get to meet their class mates and teachers for next year.

Swim School
Kindergarten to Year 10 students will be participating in our intensive swimming program next week and week 10. Get your supplies ready this week so you are all set to go on Monday!

Last Wednesday Mrs Hartley brought some ducklings and chickens to school. We got to pat them and hold them. We got to write about them and make a duckling or chicken for craft. They were cute and cuddly. The ducklings were soft and yellow and the chickens had a little bit of brown on them.
November
Mon 23  Boys 6-10 Overnight Excursion
Fri  27  RAP Study Day @ ACS, Year 10/11
Mon 30  Swim School commences Mon, Tues, Wed for 2 weeks

December
Thur 03  SRC Disco and Year 10 Formal
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

We are still after some Presentation Night trophies. If you have a Writing Award for Stage 1, 4, 5 or 6 could you please these to the front office this week.

Library Books
It is time to start and return your Library books in preparation for the end of the year. Any books you are finished with can be returned to the Library.

Thankyou

Swim School
Swim School commences next Monday for all students in Years K - 10.
Students need to make sure they have a rashie, towel and swimmers with them each day, clearly labelled with their name.
Students will also need to bring money for entry to the pool if they don’t have a season ticket.
Swimming groups are on the notice board outside the Staff Room.
Any questions regarding Swim School please contact the school.

P&C Supporting Our School
Canteen Roster

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All outstanding money for Sport Shirts needs to be Finalised.
Payments can be made by cash, cheque made payable to Barellan Central P&C or Direct Deposit
BSB: 062548
Account : 28001273
Thankyou.

Year Seven 2016 Orientation Program.
This timetable is for Year 6 students commencing today and running until Thursday.
The idea is to give students a taste of some of the subjects which they will study in Year 7 next year, which they don’t already have access too.
Each of the practical sessions will be two periods long.

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Don’t forget the Gazette is available each week on the school’s website in beautiful colour.
http://www.barellan-c.schools.nsw.edu.au
5/6 News

Week 8!!

We have some nervous Year 5 students who are ready to embark on their public speaking career and are busy producing ‘school leader’ speeches. I have received their clearance forms and was happy to write great things about our future leaders. Good luck with your speeches next week and the rest of primary will vote on Friday.

We hope the Year 6 boys have a fantastic time camping with Mr Hartley and Mr Whytcross. Some fun adventures there I’m sure.

School reports are being prepared at the moment and will go home towards the end of term. If you require an interview with either Mrs Hart or myself please phone the office and Mrs Male will pass the message on.

Cheers
Mrs Conlan

Focus Areas This Week

AL
My Place

Text Type
Revision

Maths
Nets, prisms and pyramids

Spelling
AR related words

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.

Homework

Home Reading
Although we are nearing the end of the year it is very important that home reading is completed every night to further their learning. Please remind students to complete their home learning.

Mathletics
Congratulations to Xavier and Aslan for receiving Bronze awards last week.

Reading Eggs
Congratulations to Naomi and Rebekah for receiving a Silver award and Dakota for receiving a gold.

Quote of the Week

If you can not do great things, do small things in a great way’ - Napoleonic Hill

Awards

Class Dojo Points for week 7
1st place—Norm Haeusler
2nd place—Charlotte Rainbird
3rd place—Ebony Praestin
Sport and Recreation’s Swim and Survive lessons

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.

Colleen Margaret McDonald (nee Clark)
Return thanks
Neil, Timothy, Anthony, Todd, Rae and family, would like to thank the many, many relatives and friends for the sincere messages, flowers and food which we received at the time of our sad loss of wife and mother, Colleen.

The on going support and love for our family from Colleen’s sisters and brothers and families, plus friends and the entire Barellan community has been amazing. Thank you so much.

A lovely lady
Who loved everybody she knew
And was loved by everyone who knew her.
Please accept this as our personal thankyou.
God bless you all. The McDonald and Clark Families.

Christmas Hamper Raffle
The Barellan Hall Committee are conducting a Hamper Raffle this year.
Tickets $2.00 or three for $5.00 available at the Barellan Post Office.
Donations for the raffle would be greatly appreciated and can be left at Findlay’s Depot or the Post Office.
Raffle will be drawn at the Christmas Markets on December 5th.

St Therese Catholic Church Parish Christmas Party
Sunday December 6th, 12pm at the Barellan Club.
Please RSVP to Vicki Tubb or place your name on the list in the Church foyer by Monday, November 30.
All welcome.

Merry Christmas

Barellan Museum Christmas Markets
Saturday December 5th
Barellan Community Hall
4pm
* Chocolate Wheel
* Raffles
* Hams
* Meat Trays
* Stalls
* BBQ & Drinks
* Music
* Mr whippy Ice Cream Van
& of course Santa!
For stall bookings phone Irene 69839445