Secondary Zone Cross Country Team

BCS was represented at the Zone Cross Country Carnival on Friday by eight students. Michael Conlan won the Boy’s 14Yr event with Sandy Flagg runner-up. Lisa Ohlsen was placed 2nd in the 15Yr Girl’s and Jessie McDermott 4th.

These four have qualified for the Riverina Carnival in Gundagai later this term.

Lilian Geltch, Kira Jasperson, Kylie Giddings and Brad Geltch also competed, all gaining top 10 finishes.

Congratulations to you all.

Primary News

Winter Warmer

Years 5 & 6 will be selling warm Milo this term on Tuesday and Wednesdays at Recess for $1.00 per cup.

The money will go towards the Primary Excursion to Canberra planned for Term 3.

Primary Assembly

The Primary Staff and Students invite parents and community members to their Term 2 Assembly on Friday, May 22nd commencing at 1.45pm.

Netball Results

The JRAP Netball team (ACS, APCS, BCS combined) thrashed Murrumburrah Primary 47–0 last week in the first round of the PSSA Knockout. They now progress to the second round to play one of the Temora schools.

The combined Primary Zone Netball Team travelled to Wagga to play in the Wagga School’s Competition. They won one game on the day and gained a lot from the experience.

Tennis

The opening round of the PSSA Tennis Knockout was played today, results next week.

Stewart House envelopes MUST be returned tomorrow morning. No envelopes will be accepted after this. Thankyou.

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
May
Tues 12 NAPLAN commences for 3 days, Yrs 3,5,7,9
Thurs 14 P&C Meeting 2pm
Fri 15 BCS Athletics Carnival
Mon 18 Yr 7-10 Examination Week
Fri 29 AFL Clinic K-10

June
Mon 08 Queen’s Birthday Holiday
Thur 11 PSSA Riverina X-Country Please note
Change of Date
Fri 26 Last Day Term 2

July
Mon 13 Staff Return Term 3
Tues 14 Students Return Term 3

Whilst we strongly encourage parents to capture photographs and video footage of their children performing at school events, we do ask that you are mindful in distributing / uploading the captured image/film to social media without consent of all other people visible in the image/film. (Parent consent is required for all students under the age of 18.)

Important reminders for parents
• Could the parents of Primary Students who travel home by bus, please advise the school of any changes to travel arrangements for Term 2.
• Could all parents/caregivers please advise the school office, in writing, of any changes to address, phone number or emergency contact details as they occur. Thankyou

P&C and CAI T EEN NEWS
Ganmain Pies and sausage rolls are back!!!!!
Tracey Gordon has taken over the roll of Canteen Co-Ordinator and is currently learning the ropes from Karen. If you are unable to do your rostered canteen day please phone or text Tracey on 0427 553 123 so we can arrange a swap.
P&C Meeting Thursday, May 14 at 2pm. All agenda items to Jo Ohlsen please, 0429639355
Happy Mothers Day to the wonderful K/1 mothers for yesterday. I hope that students remembered to give you their mothers day present which they made at school. Thanks to Mrs Whytcross for helping students make such a wonderful gift as well as the lovely wrapping paper.

This Friday BCS will be having our Athletics carnival. K/1 will follow our normal routine in the morning and will walk to the town oval at 10.45am to eat recess. After recess and a short break we will be doing running races followed by field and novelty events. It would be wonderful to see as many parents there as possible for a great day of fun. K/1 will return to school after lunch.

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This Week

Library
Library day is tomorrow. Please remind students to pack their library books and bags.

Hot Shots
Hot Shots is on this Wednesday. Due to NAPLAN testing K/1 will be doing hot shots during period 2 rather than period 3. Joggers must be worn.

Homework
Home Reading
Please remember to write in home reading books each time your child reads. Supporting your child through reading the book is very important and will develop reading confidence and enjoyment in students from a young age.

Awards
Mathletics
Unfortunately our network was down at school today so I have been unable to access the awards. They will be published in next week’s Gazette.

Reading Eggs

Leaders: John & Darcie

We hope all the mum’s had a lovely day and enjoyed being pampered.

Athletics Carnival - Everyone has been working hard to hone their athletics skills ready for the carnival on Friday. Parents this is a great day to come along and cheer on your child. Go Macarthur … O.K and Farrer.

This week is quiz week all students will be doing assessments in all subject areas. Over the past few weeks we have been getting ready so we know what to expect.

Good luck everyone
Just do the best you can do.

Problem of the Week

Congratulations to Bailey who again solved last week’s problem and explained how he did it. The answer was b – two triangles.

This week’s problem
Geb had 15 stamps.
He gave 4 to his aunty and 5 to his sister. How many stamps did Geb have left?

4
5
6
9

50 Challenge

Use each 50 challenge attempts to practise unknown facts.

A little help at home makes a big difference. Students will bring home their own set of paddle pop sticks to work on tables.

Mathletics Awards

Bronze- Jonathan 1056, Clancy 1040, Charlee-Anne 1860, Bianca 1810

Mathletics is a homework activity so could parents please encourage students to spend 50 minutes each week working on tasks and practising their basic fact skills. This could be in one session or for 10 minutes each week night.
5/6 News

This week students will be working on their mini assignment which will be completed over this week. This mini assignment will replace regular lessons for this week only. It is still part of our unit Making Informed Choices and will be marked as part of this unit. Also this week, students will be completing NAPLAN and Primary assessments. Students in Year 5 will sit the NAPLAN whilst those in Year 6 will sit assessments of the same nature alongside NAPLAN. Hopefully the weather will be fine on Friday for our BCS Athletics Carnival. Students have been practising some of the events as part of Sport on Fridays, so all are ready to compete to the best of their ability. I wish everyone luck in their events. If you are able to come along and help out on events, I’m sure Mr Hesketh would be very appreciative of an extra pair of hands.

Towards the end of last term, we held our first Student-Led Conference. I received notice that some parents were unable to attend on the day. If any parent would like to arrange an appointment to meet with me and their child, please contact the front office.

Homework

Accelerated Reader Text                     Mathletics
Spellodrome                                          Reading Eggspress

Awards

MATHLETICS  No awards this week due to internet problems.

Results next week.

Hot-shots is on again on Wednesday but at slightly different times due to NAPLAN.

| Period 2 – K/1 | Period 3 -  2/3 | Period 4 -  5/6 | Period 5 - 4 |

Awesome fun for Everyone!

**The Circus Challenge**

is coming to B.C.S on Monday 25th May.

This fantastic opportunity includes a 40 minute show and then workshops for students from K – 10.

The Circus Challenge is all about Active Minds, Active Bodies and Active Communities.

Reading Club

Winners Term 2 1&2

Tayla Hornbuckle, Kacey Eldridge

85s 2/3 - Alannah Curran, Madison Davies

4 - Matisse Dewar-Herrmann

5/6 - Melissa Noakes, Ebony Praestin
Barellan Central School  
NAPLAN 2015  
Years 7-9 NAPLAN Timetable

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*Time has been allowed between sessions for a short break:*

*Students can have a drink, visit the bathroom, stretch and revive themselves for the next test.*

*Years 8/10 will be collapsed and combined while Years 7/9 are sitting NAPLAN.*
## Year 7–10 Half Yearly Examination Timetable

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BUFC Netball Results 26.04.15
A Grade
Marrar 35 v Barellan 49
Players Player: Jody Landy
Coaches Award: Diane White
A Grade Reserves
Marrar 33 v Barellan 35
Players Player: Hannah Kenny
Coaches Award: Danae Conaln
B Grade: Marrar 33 v Barellan 36
Players Player: Meghan Brumby
Coaches Award: Jenna Trembath
C Grade Reserves
Marrar 16 v Barellan 20
Players Player: Shenaye Greentree
Coaches Award: Leah Irons

BUNFC HOME GAME
CLUB NIGHT
SMORGASBORD MENU
ADULTS $16
CHILD $10
* SWEET AND SOUR PORK
* HONEY CHICKEN
* CHICKEN AND CASHEW NUTS
* MONGOLIAN BEEF
* FRIED RICE
* PRAWN CHIPS
Available every Club night home game
5:30 - 7:30

To Friends of Barellan Uniting Church
On Friday, May 15, the State Moderator of the Uniting Church – Rev. Myung Hiva Park (leader of the U.C in NSW) will be visiting Barellan Uniting Church, accompanied by the Rural Chaplain, Julie Greig, for an informal morning tea and chat from 9.30 to 11.00am. We cordially invite those interested to come along for morning tea and to meet our newly elected moderator.
RSVP appreciated but not necessary.
Mrs Val Hawker

I love myself the way I am - Is that true for you
Do you want to feel better about yourself?
Are your beliefs limiting you?
Is your self talk negative or positive?
Join me at this workshop to make the changes needed for you to love the life you live

Location: Barellan Community Health Centre
Bendee Street, Barellan
Date/Time: Saturday 16 May at 10am till 1pm
Morning tea will be provided
Cost: $45 per person - Bring a friend and the cost for two will be $65
$25 student concession (16 years and over)

Bookings essential: contact me - Diane on 0418677181
The National Broadband Network (NBN) has arrived in Barellan!

This new technology offers a superior and reliable internet service, even during peak times.

Our friendly staff will arrange everything for you - we will order your connection with NBN Co and organise for a technician to come out and install the NBN equipment.

The NBN Co technician will conduct a radio signal survey from your home to ensure you get a high quality connection.

An outdoor antenna is then mounted on your roof and an NBN Box installed inside your home.

We’ll give you a free router to connect your wireless devices!

Check out some of our most popular NBN plans:

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  - $64.95 per month
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  - min total cost 12 mths $929.45/24mths $1838.85

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