Monday Note – Term 1 Week 9 – 2015.

Belmont North Public School - Newsletter

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Principal’s Report – Mr. Scott Campbell.

T-Ball Gala Day is this Wednesday at Barton Oval. If you are planning to provide transport for students other than your own children then the school must sight your current licence and car registration details. This is a NSW DEC student welfare policy that must be adhered to.

The Belmont Neighborhood Centre’s Garden Party was a huge success last week. Thank you to Chris and all the staff at BNC for allowing our school to contribute to such a great event. Thanks also go to clever Mrs. Mandas and our wonderful teachers for giving up their very valuable time and energy to run our stall.

Expression of interest forms for high school in 2016 should have been completed and returned to school last Friday 20 March 2015. If you have not returned yours please do so before close of business on Tuesday 24th March, 2015.

Research into cyber-bullying has confirmed that most cyber-bullying happens in the home or on personal devices used away from the school environment. Families can help to reduce this terrible phenomenon by monitoring the apps and platforms that their children use; especially in terms of social media.


This week the teaching staff will be establishing the “Milestones” for our 2015-2017 School Strategic Plan. These milestones are the accountability points for our year and they allow us to measure whether or not our programs have been effective or not.

REMINDER MESSAGE:

If your child has a day off school due to illness or another reason, an absence note should be sent to school within 7 (seven) days of the absence.

Upcoming Events

March 25
T-Ball  PSSA Gala Day

March 27
Cross Country  K-6

April 1
Easter Hat Parade

Important Announcements!

School Fees for 2015 are $44 per student and can be paid by instalments.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

“Real generosity to the future lies in giving all to the present”.

— Albert Camus.
Term 1, Week 8 Award Winners

Principal’s Award

K/1C  Madison
K/1N  Taj
2S     Meila
3B     Athena
4A     Fred
5/6M   Anna
5/6W   Taylah

Student of the Week

K/1C  Christopher
K/1N  Brendan
2S     Lucia
3B     Hamzah
4A     Sofala
5/6M   Eliana
5/6W   Toni

You Can Do It – Organisation

K/1C  Jacob
K/1N  Zoe
2S     Caleb
3B     Ashton
4A     Ben
5/6M   Georgie
5/6W   Amelia

Merit:

K/1C  Kye
2S     Codie
3B     Aisea
4A     Eris
5/6M   Dean
5/6W   McKenzie

Weekly Focus – Getting Along
MARCH 2015

Monday 23rd
- Book Club Due

Wednesday 25th
- T-Ball Gala Day

Thursday 26th
- Yoga to Go

Friday 27th
- Cross Country K-6
- Healthy Lunch Box Workshop 9.30am

APRIL 2015

Wednesday 1st
- Easter Hat Parade
- 12 noon

Thursday 2nd
- Last – Yoga to Go

Thursday 2nd
- Last Day of Term 1

Tuesday 21st
- Children Return Term 2

Dear BNPS Children and families,
You are invited to attend

The Easter Hat Parade
At Belmont North Public School

Date:   Wednesday 1st April
Time:   12.00 midday

All children are invited to make an Easter Hat at home and bring it to wear in the parade.

SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY - FRIDAY 27th MARCH

We will be holding our X Country Race on the school Ovals and around the school perimeter, this Friday, 27th March starting at approx. 10:00 am. The whole school (K-Yr 6) will be participating in this event. The Infants will be completing a modified course and then becoming interested spectators, while encouraging the rest of the school to complete their course.

All children need to wear their sports uniforms, running shoes, a hat, sunscreen and bring a bottle of water, as it can become hot.

If you need your puffer, because of the running, please make sure that you bring it for the race.

Parents and family are most welcome to come and join us for the event!

Glenda Williams

“FREE” - Healthy Lunchbox Workshop
27th March 2015
Time: 9.30am to 10.15am
Belmont North Public School - Library

Register at the school office NOW!
**Easter Fun Day**  
**Saturday 4th April**  
9.30am - 1.00pm

Join the Easter Bunny for:  
- Wetlands Adventures,  
- Craft & Face Painting,  
- Fun Games,  
- Raft Building,  
- BBQ.

- $5 adults, $2 children under 12 (under 3 free)

**School Holiday Activities**

There’s lots to do, so come along and join in the fun:

- Dipping Nets,  
- Canoeing,  
- Bike Riding (bring your own bike or hire one),  
- Planting,  
- Walking Trails,  
- Become a Wetlands Explorer (go in the draw for a weekly prize pack),  
- Bring a picnic or eat at Spoonbill Cafe.

**Wetlands** will be closed on Good Friday, Easter Sunday & Easter Monday.

Book in for these activities on Wednesday 15th April

**Bush Skills Adventure** 8 to 12 yrs ($20 per child)

Have fun making a bush survival shelter, a bush damper & learn about useful bush skills too!

**Wriggly Wetlanders** 5 to 8 yrs ($20 per child)

Explore the wetlands, get creative and crafty with our fun wetland activities.

**Bookings Essential - 4951 6466**

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**SPECIAL EVENT**

**Fundraiser Movie Event - 2nd April**

Get your friends together & join us at Glendale Events Cinema for the premiere of

**The Spongebob Movie**  
**Sponge Out of Water 3D**

All tickets $12. Entertainment from 5:30pm movie starts at 6:30pm.

Tickets from www.stickytickets.com.au

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**Anita’s Creature Comfort**

Anita’s Creature Comfort is a registered Pet Minding & Dog Walking Service in Newcasle with a qualified Veterinary Nurse caring for your animals. I offer pet minding in your home or your pets in our own relaxed environment. Your dog can also look forward to a relaxed enjoyable walk with my weekly dog walking service, paying special attention to your furry friend.

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**Kidzcare Caring Kids**

**HOLIDAYS 23rd, 24th, 25th & 26th APRIL**  
**Childcare Benefit and Rebate Available**

**ACTIVITIES**

**Lake Macquarie** PCYC KidzCare offers

- Vacation Care (8.30am to 5:30pm)  
- To children in years K-6

PCYC Lake Macquarie KidzCare offers a range of structured and free play social activities, sports, excursion to movies, Symphonic, shark and ray centre, laser tag and bowling, as well as arts and craft activities that vary daily. Afternoon tea provided. For more information contact Lake Macquarie PCYC

PCYC Lake Macquarie, Lake St Windale, NSW Phone: 02 4948 6622

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**Yoga to Go** Family Day

What a fantastic morning! Thank you to all the parents who learned warrior pose, angry cat, down dog, played stretching games and became mindful! It’s always fabulous that so many of our parents and friends participate in these activities. Our Yoga teachers were most impressed with your efforts and also asked us to pass on their congratulations. Well done everyone!  

Glenda Williams
P&C FUNDRAISER

Belmont North Public School P&C
will be having a Dinner Night at

Belmont McDonalds

Monday 30th March 2015.
Come along to Belmont McDonalds between

TIME: 6.00 - 700pm

and the P&C will receive 10% of the total sales.

EASTER RAFFLE TICKETS

Please hand in all money and tickets to the P&C letterbox located at the canteen by Wednesday 1st April.

Thank You for your support.
BELLMONT NORTH PUBLIC SCHOOL CANTEEN PRICE LIST

PLEASE NOTE: the canteen does not give out credit unless approved by Mr Campbell or an Executive teacher. A bill will be sent home with your child. All recess & lunch orders must be in by 9.15am.

PLEASE NOTE: there are to be NO CHANGES made to meal deals, they come with juice OR water, mousse OR jelly & popcorn.

Please write items clearly – Juice OR Water, Mousse OR Jelly.

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