

Bundarra Primary School



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Thursday 3rd December 2020

TERM 4 2020	
Friday 4 th December	Mini Olympics
Monday 7 th December	Foundation 2021 – Transition Session 3 (2pm-3pm)
Tuesday 8 th December	State wide Transition Day – Foundation 2021 transition Session 4 (9am - 12:30pm) Grade 3/4 Excursion – Portland Foreshore
Wednesday 9 th December	Grade 5 Excursion – Portland YMCA
Friday 11 th December	Grade 6 Day Out - Warrnambool
Monday 14 th December	Foundation/One Excursion – Portland Foreshore
Tuesday 15 th December	2/3 Christmas Lunch
Wednesday 16 th December	Grade 6 Graduation Ceremony – details to come
Friday 18 th December	Last Day Term Four for Students 2:15pm dismissal
TERM 1 2021	
28 th & 29 th January	Student Assessments – students to attend allocated timeslots TBC
Monday 1 st February	First full day of school for all students – more details to come

***Please note that dates are subject to change**



Star Students

F1A: Omar Diab

F1M: Xavier Aitken

23L: Ava Robertson &
Molly Hinch

23V: Byron Moore

34S: Curtis Rowbottom

34H: Matilda Litchfield

56B: Caleb Tizhe

56G: Mrs Pratt

56C: Ajay Dingemans

P.E: Samuel Andrews

STEM: Quinn Elijah



BOOK RETURN

Please return ANY Library books or readers to the tub outside the library.
Even if you've had them for a long time!

SUPER STUDENT



Adele Anderson

Adele is a **SUPER** student because she is **SUPER** friendly and she is **SUPER** helpful. She makes sure that no-one is left out and that everyone has a friend. Adele has such a **SUPER** positive attitude and she is **SUPER** persistent that no task is too big or too small. She has **SUPER** manners, always remembering to say please and thank you. Adele has a **SUPER** big smile that we love seeing each and every morning. We are **SUPER** lucky to call Adele our friend in F/1M. Well done Miss Adele xox

Indi Surrey

Indi is a **SUPER** student because she tries **SUPER** hard in class activities. She is **SUPER** persistent and displays confidence during writing and maths tasks, remembering to always try her best. Indi has **SUPER** manners and is **SUPER** helpful, always willing to lend a hand. Indi is a **SUPER** friend and is always smiling, which makes everyone else smile too! We are **SUPER** lucky to have in you in F/M Miss Indi!!



F1M

Ngata from Mrs Hulonce...

It's super hard to believe we are here, in T4W9!

Student Leaders 2021

This week has been full of student leadership opportunities, with Grade 5 students presenting their leadership speeches to our middle and senior students. We are looking for School Captains, Vice Captains and House Captains and House Vice Captains. The speeches were well presented and showed a great deal of research and understanding of the roles. Well done to all those who presented. Voting was completed, and staff have reviewed the selection. What a fine bunch of leaders we have at Bundarra!

The successful student leaders will be announced on 8th December, during the Grade 6 Graduation ceremony. Some parents will be able to attend this event, but we are limited so ask only those who have been invited attend. We'll add the recording to social media, so everyone will still get to help us celebrate!

Mini Olympics

We are really looking forward to this event tomorrow, students have been allocated their "countries" and the schedule is jam packed with fun activities. Be sure to check out our Facebook page for photos and updates.

2021 classes-

On 8th December students will meet their 2021 classmates. Staff teams are as follows...

Junior Team-

F2021- Anna Mason
12A- TBC
12L- Sandra Logan

Senior team-

34B- Erin Bailey
34S- Jo Shelton
45M- Emily Munday
56C- Rai Cullen (Learning Specialist)
56G- John Grinstead

Specialist team-

PE- Tye O'Connell
ICT/STEM- Lindelle Wombwell
The Arts (Music/Art)- Caitlin Down
Literacy and Numeracy Intervention- Marg Donald, Judy Holden and Carolyn Silva

Education Support team-

Kate Mee (Community Liaison/ wellbeing), Belinda Pridmore, Pam Travers, Tony Burgess, Marie Hein, Julia Pratt, Skye Roche, Emma Carr (Finance), and Emma Spencer (Administration)

On a sad note: We are saying goodbye to Verity McDonald for 12 months, as she takes on a contract at Portland Primary School. We have certainly benefitted from Mrs Mac's dedication to Bundarra over the years. We wish her all the best for 2021!

Wurruck and have fun!

"Respect is a two-way street, if you want to get it, you've got to give it" –
R.G.Risch

Getting Along

Showing respect for others is one of the most important values in the world. It means showing care for another person or thing, like the environment.

Without respect, everything around you would be less peaceful. There would be more wars, more problems and less happiness.

You show respect in many ways every day that you may not even realize! Respect occurs when you:

- Listen to others
- Play fair
- Use good manners
- Wait your turn
- Compliment someone
- Pick up after yourself
- How you treat others

2/3 CHRISTMAS LUNCH



As a celebration of our year together in 2/3 we are going to have a special Christmas lunch on Tuesday 15th December.

We will be having a traditional roast dinner and dessert.

The children will be making Christmas and table decorations and for this special lunch.

There will be no cost and the students can come in casual/Christmas clothes. We are all very excited about having our Special Christmas Lunch together.

Many Thanks for all your support during this crazy year.

Have a lovely Christmas.

Ms Logan Mrs Mac Miss Belinda



56 Classes

Over the next week or two, students in 56B, 56C and 56G will be watching different movies as part of their final reading unit. They will be analysing, critiquing and comparing different elements of each film, tying together their work from the year. The movies will be rated either G or PG. If families have any questions or concerns, please contact your child's classroom teacher. Thank you!



GRADE 6 GRADUATION

Our Grade 6 graduation will be held on the 16th of December. Limited adults will be able to attend on site.

Students will be having a special lunch at the RSL at a cost of \$16 each.

Notes in regards to the ceremony and lunch will go home with students tomorrow.

BUNDARRA PRIMARY SCHOOL MINI-OLYMPICS

FRIDAY 4TH DECEMBER (WEEK 9)

THE OLYMPICS ARE COMING TO BUNDARRA! Next week, students will be participating in a Mini-Olympics activities day on Friday. Students have been allocated into 'Country' groups for the event and are encouraged to try and wear items of clothing that represents their Country. We have decided to keep the Junior school and the Senior school separate for the day. This means the Junior students (Grade F/1A, F/1M, 2/3L & 2/3V) will be participating within their Mini-Olympics from 9am-12:10pm and the Senior students (Grades 3/4H, 3/4S, 5/6B, 5/6C & 5/6G) will be participating from 12:20-2:50pm.








The day will include a variety of modified athletics events, with the focus being on fun, participation and teamwork. Students will complete 7 different modified activities with their fellow Country members. Medal presentations will occur at the completion of the Senior Mini-Olympics. Spot prizes will also be awarded for great sportsmanship and effort throughout the day.

We are looking forward to having the opportunity to complete our first modified whole school sporting event for the year and I hope all students are excited for this opportunity.




Please see the 'Country' groupings for both the Senior and Junior students, so that you can start to prepare your outfits for the day.

GO FOR GOLD!!

Mini-Olympics - Senior Groups

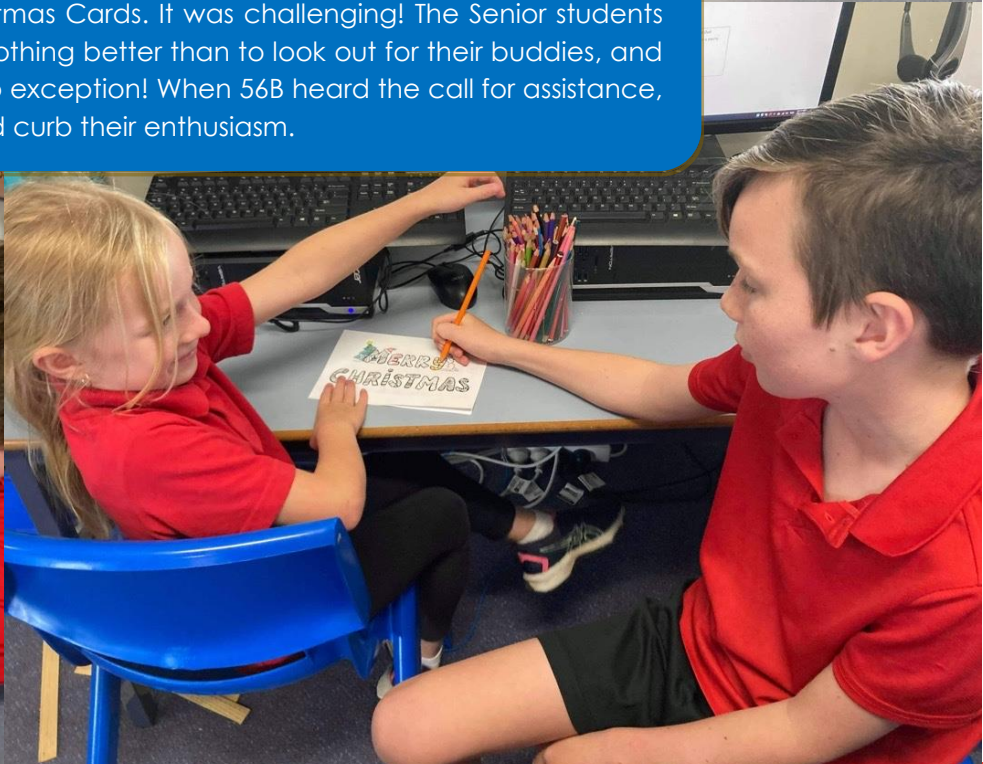
Australia Flag Bearer: Zahra Nancarrow	U.S.A Flag Bearer: Evelyn Kruis	Jamaica Flag Bearer: Amelia Hulonce	Canada Flag Bearer: Will Shelton	New Zealand Flag Bearer: Jack Lipscombe	France Flag Bearer: Bodhi Duncan	Italy Flag Bearer: Jayla Ryan
Kadence Mcqualter Phoebe Rawson Reef Bennett Lexia Dimtrijevic Isaac Jennings Lidia Thomas Connor Anderson Quinn Elijah Gabi Norris Alleah Stephens-Barry Zahra Nancarrow Hudson Sherwell	Eric Haines Matilda Litchfield Ashley Brogan Ljdia Emeny Konnar Johnstone Caleb Tizhe Maggie Barbary Zane Hansford Kayden Peatt Lucas Arnold Haylee Pye Evelyn Kruis	Royston Inman Ollie Osborne Kendall Walter-Saunders Axel Cambridge Hrehaan Gurung Ayman Diab Seb Rennie Bailey Cotter Amelia Hulonce Levi Tizhe Ryan Dark Kaidan Saunders-Smith	Chase Baker Amelia Kruis Zarli Overall Elly Cotter Ciara Macdonald Will Dalton Will Shelton Jasper White Matilda Andrews Brianna Dark Ashraf Diab Indie King Ben Twomey	Xavier Tait Bella Carlyon Alleah Jones Xavier Osborne Colin Charles Lydia Soderman Jett Dean Jack Lipscombe Paige Dimtrijevic Jacob Mckenzie Levi Johnstone Amarni Peatt	Bodhi Duncan Evie Fry Destiny Smith-Watts Jeremy Boreham Darcy Johnson Romei Kelly Maddison Humphrey Todd Leonard Chase Debono Logan Davis Keira O'Callaghan Ella Beyer	Jayla Ryan Kyden Newton Imarni Henderson Curtis Rowbottom Logan Haupt Will McIntyre Lillyann Plummer Samuel Andrews Aiden Murray Connor Ashworth Kyan Taylor Xavier Sherwell
						
ES STAFF: Pam	ES STAFF: Tony	ES STAFF: Kate		ES STAFF: Julia		

Mini-Olympics Junior Groups

AUSTRALIA Flag Bearers: Zahra Nancarrow	U.S.A Flag Bearers: Evelyn Kruis	JAMAICA Flag Bearers: Amelia Hulonce	CANADA Flag Bearers: Will Shelton	NEW ZEALAND Flag Bearers: Jack Lipscombe	FRANCE Flag Bearers: Bodhi Duncan	ITALY Flag Bearers: Jayla Ryan
Rory Anderson Bruce Walker Ajay Dingemans Layla Fry Chase Richards Amelia Tait Hamish Blake Molly Hinch Ryder Peatt Erin Hollis-Compton	Bella O'Connor-Scott Adele Anderson Nevaeh Rowbottom Azarah-Lee Taylor Allegrah Field Ava Robertson Tyler Berg Zain Makevits Ethan Farrugia Xavier Aitken	Jye Flory Layla King River Jensz Lilie West Chase Saunders-Smith Ellie Anderson Bianka Brody Billie Pridham Richard Walker Harry Ginn	Penny Kruis Savanna Richards Carleigh Farrugia Jack McGregor Evie Reeves Bailey Doosjen Dakota Guy Lukas Peart Waseem Diab Zane McCarthy	Charlee Monk Byron Moore Troy Carlyon Tyla Sharp Kiah Schlemmer Kooper Overall Omar Diab Jacob Yeoman Kaylee Johnstone Layla Marlow	Chase Ashworth Lucas Farrugia Michaela Murrell Amelia Stach Ivy Hunt Ava Baker Alayla O'Connor-Scott Indi Surry Nate Johnson	Marcia Moore Willow Saunders Tayden O'Callaghan Angus Hinch Natalie Borg Hayden Pryor-Hollis Willow Breen Dion Hollis Robert Walker
						
Education Support: Marie		Education Support: Belinda	Education Support: Kate			



This week in ICT, grade F1M were assigned the challenge of printing Christmas Cards. It was challenging! The Senior students at BPS love nothing better than to look out for their buddies, and today was no exception! When 56B heard the call for assistance, nothing could curb their enthusiasm.





It's that time of year again when we ask for donations for our Christmas Raffle! Any donations will be happily accepted at the office! Toys, Food, Christmas Goodies, Games, Books, anything you would love to win!

Raffle tickets have been sent home with families this week. Please return tickets to the office by December the 16th. The raffle will be drawn on Thursday the 17th of December.

Thank you so much to families who have already donated items!

Christmas Raffle





Orientation Day

Restrictions have lifted and Orientation Day is back on the calendar!

Tuesday 8th December 2020

(Primary Schools will distribute information)

(Continuing with our Year 7 subject information)
Visual Art

Visual Arts at PSC is where the 'Creative Magic' happens. At Year 7, students will explore the idea of using their own experiences to generate ideas for artworks. They will create artworks using Drawing, Lino Printing, Watercolour Paints and Ceramics that we fire in our very own kiln.

The Art Department is a buzz of activity and offers a safe space for students to discover their creativity. There are always senior students working on their projects that can mentor and inspire our younger students, and we offer a weekly Art Club and various activities throughout the school year such as Chalk Art Day, Photography Competitions and the exhibition of students work.

We are passionate about the Arts and aim to give the students a pathway to explore their individual creativity through a variety of subjects such as Visual Arts, Graphics, Photography and Media Studies.

Health and Physical Education

Physical Education aims to build on skills and fitness. Throughout the year you will participate in swimming, minor games, SEPEP soccer and softcrosse. The lagoon run and beep test are annual highlights of our fitness program as students set personal challenges and friendly rivalries each year. Health explores resilience, rights and respectful relationships, puberty and personal wellbeing. Students will also have the opportunity to participate in a variety of inter-school sports.

LOTE - Indonesian

Learning a new language is a great way to explore the world around us!

At PSC, students learn Indonesian as a second language. Our Indonesian classrooms are colourful, fun and busy spaces where students learn about Indonesian language and culture. In Year 7, we learn to greet each other and talk about ourselves in Indonesian; we learn about popular sports and watch an Indonesian soccer movie; and we also explore schools in Indonesia and talk about our own school life using Indonesian. (Fun fact: In Indonesia, school starts at 7am!) We start off the year learning some new words and by the end of the year, we are able to write a whole paragraph in Indonesian about ourselves and our school life.

So, 'sampai jumpa' in the PSC Indonesian classrooms to discover the fascinating culture and language of Indonesia.

**BE RESILIENT
BE SUCCESSFUL
BE RESPECTFUL
BE CREATIVE**

Student Caity shares her first year thoughts...

What do you remember about your first day at Portland Secondary College?

I remember meeting new people and finding out my confusing classes.

What has been your favourite thing you have been involved in?

I don't really know what my favourite thing is, there's too many.

Who has been your favourite teacher?

My favourite teacher is either Miss Speers or Miss Jasper. Miss Speers because she was my Grade 5&6 Teacher so she knows the way I work and Miss Jasper because she's chill and fun.

What is your favourite subject?

I have two, PE and Humanities because they're just fun classes to be in!

What were you worried about before you started? How do you feel about that now?

When I first started at PSC I was worried about getting lost and if people will like me. Now I feel so much better, everything is so much easier than I thought it would be. It's like weight has been lifted of my shoulders and I'm not scared anymore.



TO DEVELOP CREATIVE, ARTICULATE, RESPECTFUL AND RESOURCEFUL YOUNG PEOPLE ABLE TO CONTRIBUTE POSITIVELY TO THE GLOBAL COMMUNITY.

CREATING THE OPPORTUNITIES

Caity's advice for our Grade 6 students attending PSC next year?

"It's not as scary as you think."

3 Words to describe PSC



Respectful
Clean
Sophisticated

Portland Holiday Program

January 11-27 2021

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL
Limited Spots Available



SCAN QR CODE FOR
PROGRAM DETAILS



Portland Holiday Program

\$85* per day or \$50 half day, less your CCS entitlement
(*Includes excursions and incursions)

MON JAN 11	🏠 Choose Your Own Adventure - Plenty of different activities on offer
TUE JAN 12	🏡 Playground Adventure - Pack your bag for fun filled day at the playground
WED JAN 13	🏠 Camping with A Difference - Don't forget your pillow, tent and sleeping bag!
THU JAN 14	🏠 Pony Beads - Create a pony bead masterpiece to take home
FRI JAN 15	🏠 Fresh Juice Delights - Blend your favourite fruits for a refreshing summery drink
MON JAN 18	🏠 PJ Disco - Come dressed in your PJs and let's bust out some moves
TUE JAN 19	🏠 Cookie Masters - Come along and decorate some biscuits
WED JAN 20	🏠 Virtual Cartoon Classes - Learn the art of cartoon drawing with our virtual class
THU JAN 21	🏠 Messy Play - Let's get creative with some messy activities
FRI JAN 22	🏠 Create With Paper - Let's have some fun with paper themed games and activities
MON JAN 25	🏡 Picnic At The Gardens - Pack your bag for fun filled day at the gardens
WED JAN 27	🏠 Celebrate Your Pet - Celebrate your pet by making them some delicious treats



Venue Walking Excursion

Scheduled activities and bus times may change due to circumstances beyond our control. Please confirm with the venue if needed.

WHAT TO PACK

- A wide brimmed hat - caps are not acceptable for outdoor play
- A labelled water bottle
- Sunscreen (if allergies are present)
- Suitable footwear to access the outdoors - strictly NO thongs are to be worn at the program
- SunSmart Clothing- strictly no singlets will be acceptable

FOOD

NUT FREE ZONE! - This means strictly NO Peanut Butter or Nutella in sandwiches please; this could be potentially life threatening to a child who suffers from anaphylaxis. Unhealthy foods such as potato chips, lollies and chocolate will not be permitted to be consumed. These foods will be required to stay in the child's bag until they are collected.

Healthy Lunch Box Examples to pack 🍌 Fruit 🥕 Vegetable sticks 🧀 Cheese 🐟 Tuna 🥪 Sandwiches 🍪 Crackers 🌯 Wraps 🥥 NUT FREE bars 🥚 Eggs 🥗 Salad 🍚 Rice Crackers 🥒 Dips

For more info visit > <https://heas.health.vic.gov.au/schools/healthy-lunchboxes>

**Please note: It is always best to pack more into your child's lunch box, if children run out of food families will be notified.

HOW TO BOOK

All new families are required to enrol first. Enrolments and bookings are made through Xplor Home app, payment via direct debit. See www.grampians.ymca.org.au for details.

2020 Parent Contributions NOW DUE

Statements went home with students to all families still owing for their 2020 Contributions.

Can these payments be made ASAP or contact Emma Carr, to arrange a payment plan (unless you have already done so.)

These payments are used to purchase all the stationary items that your children use in class.



Huge thankyou to our families for supporting our Book Fair last week. We were able to purchase \$800 worth of books for the school for free as a result!!

