# Monday Messenger

#### Week 7

Monday: 03.09.18 Monday Messenger

Tuesday 04.09.18

Wednesday 05.09.18 NRL visit Canteen - volunteer required

Thursday: 06.09.18 Student Banking UD Library Vocal workshop no 2

Friday: 07.09.18









A great place to be, a great place to learn







#### SAS STAFF RECOGNITION WEEK

This week is School Administrative and Support Staff (SAS Staff) recognition week. A week set aside to acknowledge and celebrate the outstanding contribution our SAS staff makes to the success of our school and to all students' education.

## Thank you felice, nikki, rebecca and Lorraine

f or all of your great work in our school. We all appreciate your wonderful efforts and dedication to the students at Bungwahl Public School. I would like to invite all parents and Carers to acknowledge our SAS Staff this week with a kind message of thanks.

#### FATHER'S DAY LUNCH

We would like to invite all Dad's, Grand Dad's and Step Dads to a special lunch on Friday 7th Sept at 12.pm .RSVP Tuesday 4th September.

#### BOOK WEEK PARADE

It was great to see all the students arriving to school dressed as their favourite book character and to have an opportunity to catch up with parents, grandparents and friends. It's always fun to see the children discussing why they have chosen a particular character and sharing the joy of reading. Congratulations to our winners. I was very proud of the Year 5 students as they performed their Readers Theatre and Rani and Peter who read their speeches on the drought.

#### YEAR 7 TRANSITION

Year 7 transition begins this week. Some of our Year 6 students will be travelling to Bulahdelah to join their Year 6 students on an excursion to Tea Gardens to participate in some fun activities, learning about High School, with their new peers. It is hard to believe our Year 6 students are in their last weeks of a 7 year primary school journey that started when they were 5!

#### ATTENDANCE

Our ATTENDANCE STARS for this term are Elizabeth, Sam, Michael and Tyson. Congratulations!

It is fantastic to see these students developing lifelong habits of persistence, commitment and reliability. It is so important for students to be here all day every day to gain the full benefit of the sequential learning and skills practice needed to succeed in leaning.



### PARENT/CARER HOMEWORK FOR THIS WEEK

We are inviting you to share your ideas with us as we continue to make our school the best place it can be! Please think about the following questions and communicate your ideas to me in whatever way suits your learning style (You can write/draw/sing/phone me...)

#### WHAT IS GREAT ABOUT BUNGWAHL PS?

#### WHAT MAKES AN EFFECTIVE LEARNER?

Below are the **CORE VALUES** of NSW Public Schools. At Bungwahl we follow all of these Core Values. Our School Core Values are RESPECT, LEARNING, COMMUNICATION and SAFETY.

## What VALUES do you see as the most important for students at Bungwahl PS in the future?

The Government recognises the importance of the following core values to the community. These values represent the aspirations and beliefs of the Australian community as a whole, including its concern for equity, excellence and the promotion of a caring, civil and just society. They are common to a range of secular and religious world -views and are found in most cultures.

INTEGRITY: Being consistently honest and trustworthy.

**EXCELLENCE**: Striving for the highest personal achievement in all aspects of schooling and individual and community action, work and life-long learning.

**RESPECT**: Having regard for yourself and others, lawful and just authority and diversity within Australian society and accepting the right of others to hold different or opposing views.

**RESPONSIBILITY**: Being accountable for your individual and community's actions towards yourself, others and the environment.

**COOPERATION:** Working together to achieve common goals, providing support to others and engaging in peaceful resolution of conflict.

**PARTICIPATION**: Being a proactive and productive individual and group member, having pride in and contributing to the social and economic wealth of the community and the nation.

**CARE:** Concern for the wellbeing of yourself and others, demonstrating empathy and acting with compassion.

**FAIRNESS:** Being committed to the principles of social justice and opposing prejudice, dishonesty and injustice.

**DEMOCRACY:** Accepting and promoting the rights, freedoms and responsibilities of being an Australian citizen.

#### Questions

What is great about Bungwahl PS? \_\_\_\_\_

What makes an effective learner?

What values do you see as the most important for students at Bungwahl PS in the future?



## Great Lakes Combined Film Festival

Please join us in celebrating our student's short films at Club Forster on

# Thursday, 20th September 2018

Doors open at 5.30pm for a 6pm start

\$8 per tickets or \$25 for a family of 4 www.trybooking.com/XPRN

Proudly sponsored by Club Forster Strictly alcohol free



If you know any students living in the Bungwahl area who will be starting school next year please let Felice or Amy know so they can be given all the information on the Kinder Orientation starting next Term.

Orientation Days: Wednesdays 24th, 31st October, 7th, 14th and 21st November2018

#### ABORIGINAL NUMERACY DAY

On Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> August we attended an Aboriginal Numeracy Competition at Forster Primary. Four students from Bungwahl were selected- Clare, Emily, Carda and Rani. These four students participated in three activities. The first activity was where we had to run across the field with a clip board with pages with 2 columns of addition, one person each did one column then ran across the field to the other person to do their column. After that we had recess. The second activity was "the dream crusher." It was where we had a bag of certain materials, which were the same as everybody else's. We had to make a tower higher than 450 mm but lower than 750mm. After we finished building the tower we had to see if it could survive a box dropping on it, then 1 weight, then 2, then 3. No one actually survived 3 weights. After that we had the third group which was the "treasure hunt." It was similar to battle ships although there was different boxes of things to land on like the dagger, the present and other things. We got the dagger which can wipe out their whole group and we killed 'The Palm's Team' the first chance we got! After that, we had our sausage sandwiches for lunch. We came home with a smile on our faces telling everyone we had a great time. It was a great experience for all of us and a fun way to learn Maths. Thank you for giving us this opportunity!

Clare Murray





## What's Happening

Week 8 Monday 10.09.18 Monday Messenger

Tuesday 11.09.18

Wednesday 12.09.18 Canteen - Volunteer Required NRL Visit

Thursday:13.09.18 UD Library Student Banking

Friday: 14.09.15 LD Library Kitchen Garden Program

Week 9 Monday: 17.09.18 Monday Messenger

Tuesday 18.09.18

Wednesday 19.09.18 Canteen Volunteer Required NRL Visit

Thursday:20.09.18 Student Banking UD Library

Friday: 21.09.18 LD Library Kitchen Garden Program



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#### Good for Kids good for life RAINBOW CRUNCH&SIP®

Feeling like you're stuck in a rut when choosing what to pack for Crunch&Sip®? Why not pack a rainbow? You could pack a different colour for each day of the week.

Red: Red capsicum sticks, cherry tomatoes, strawberries, red grapes.

Orange/Yellow: Carrot sticks, yellow capsicum

sticks, oranges, mandarins, pineapple. Green: Cucumber sticks, celery sticks, snow peas, green beans, kiwi fruit.

Purple/Blue: Red cabbage in salads, plums, blueberries.

Brown/White: Mushrooms, cauliflower rice, banana.



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Canteen volunteers Term 3

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26.09.18 Canteen closed - 'Shine on'

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No Volunteer No Canteen