Dear Parents and Care-givers,

The week that was! As we prepare for the holiday break we still have numerous activities that we are involved in! Stage 2 had a very successful “Market Day” last Friday, our very successful Multi-Cultural Public Speaking entrants competed in their Zone round at Maitland PS, our Debating team won their round with Telarah PS, reports went home, Pie Drive orders arrived (thank you to the volunteers who worked from 7.30am to 6pm last night to bundle up the orders), a Seasons for Growth celebration was held for the Junior and Senior groups, Girls’ Cricket and Boys’ Touch were postponed and we were able to finally go ahead with our Years 3-6 Athletics Carnival. Tomorrow see’s our Senior Choir head off to the HSPA for their Regional Training Day, Regional Softball Trials (good luck Ben and Jada) and it is our last day for the term.

Farewell: As we come to the end of the term we say farewell (but not goodbye) to Mrs Jessie Wright and Mrs Kylie Humphreys. Mrs Wright will be taking up an Instructional Leader’s position for 18 months at Woodberry PS and Mrs Humphreys is taking maternity leave. We are currently interviewing for Mrs Wright’s position and will know the result by Friday and Ms Jamie Devin will be replacing Mrs Humphreys.

Thank you: Thank you for your support and dedication to Bolwarra over the last term and a huge thank you to the wonderful staff who worked so tirelessly over the last ten weeks. Keep safe and we look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 14th July.

Have a safe and relaxing holiday.

Regards
Sue Swetnam

Some great photos from the Athletics Carnival today.
IMPORTANT DATES

2015

- 26th June  Cluster Choral Music Rehearsal
  Hunter Boys Softball
  **Last day of Term 2**
- 14th July  Term 3 begins
- 17th July  NSW PSSA Cross Country
- 20th July  Dance2bFit starts
- 21st July  Prim Prom Cluster Rehearsal
  PSSA Girls Touch
- 23rd July  Netball v East Maitland
- 24th July  K-2 Athletics Carnival
  National School Tree Day
- 29th July  Basketball Gala Day
  MLC Presentation Night – 6pm
- 30th July  Book Fair
  Open Day for Education Week
- 22nd Aug  P&C Comedy Night – save the date

NOTES IN CIRCULATION

Canberra Excursion 2015 – final costs and itinerary
Point Wolstoncroft Year 5 Camp
Stage 2 Public Speaking Competition

WEBSITES

**School Website**  www.bolwarra-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

**P&C Website**  www.bolwarrapandc.wordpress.com

**Online Uniform and Lunch Orders**  www.flexischools.com.au

**School Email Address**  www.facebook.com/BolwarraPublicSchool
OFFICE NEWS

Visitors to School
The auditor also stressed the need for ALL volunteers that enter the school site MUST sign in and out at the Front Office (this includes Canteen workers, reading helpers, scripture teachers, etc). You will then be given a Volunteer badge that has to be returned to the office at the end of the visit.

Road Safety
It has been reported there have been a number of near misses by cars and a bus recently. Please be mindful that children don't have high-level awareness of road safety and it is up to drivers to ensure their safety. Please, please be extra vigilant so we don’t have a preventable accident. Also, pedestrians are using the dangerous practice of walking through the staff carpark instead of using the pathway.

YEAR K – 6 NEWS

Bolwarra Public School now has Skoolbag!
Skoolbag is a great ‘school-to-parent-communication’
Download the FREE Skoolbag App on your smartphone through the ITunes App Store or Google Play.

Birthday Book Club
When it is your child’s birthday, they have the opportunity to donate a book of their choice (already purchased by the library) for the small cost of $6.00. After paying, the children can come to the library and select a birthday book.
The books will be presented to the children on assembly. Each book will have a special message inside saying who has donated the book. The birthday child will be the first to borrow the book.
The following children have recently joined the Bolwarra Birthday Book Club: William, Max

Upcoming School Excursions:

Stage 2 Great Aussie Bush Camp 2015
As a result of significant interest, all students in Stage 2 are invited to attend this year’s excursion to The Great Aussie Bush Camp. This camp will be a 3 day/2 night camp which will take place during Term 4 (Week 9) - Wednesday 2nd December, Thursday 3rd December and Friday 4th December. The cost of the camp will be $255 (this can be paid in instalments). The cost of the camp includes transport to and from the camp, 2 nights’ accommodation, all camp activities and all meals at the camp. Stage 2 teachers will attend the camp with students, and students will also be supervised by qualified camp instructors from the Great Aussie Bush Camp. A permission note will be sent out the first week back in Term 3 which will give more information and also request a deposit for the camp. If you have any questions regarding the excursion, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Matt Leleu
Excursion Coordinator
Year 6 Canberra Excursion

The Year 6 Canberra Excursion will take place from Tuesday 11th August – Friday 14th August. Thank you to all students who have returned their medical forms and permission notes. Please remember that final payment for the Canberra Excursion needs to be made by the end of Week 1 next term (Friday, 17th July). The total remaining cost of the excursion if students have paid the $50 deposit is $385 (total cost of the excursion is $455, minus $50 deposit, minus $20 travel distance rebate we have received as a grant from the Federal Government).

Many families have been making regular repayments towards the excursion. Please contact the office if you are unsure of your remaining payments.

Students will be required to wear full school winter uniform on the day that we visit Parliament House. This is:

**GIRLS** – Winter pinafore, white shirt, navy stockings, black shoes.

We are aware that some of the girls have outgrown their pinafores. If this is the case, please try to borrow from one of the other girls.

**BOYS** – Long grey trousers, grey short or long-sleeved polo shirt, grey socks, black shoes (jogger style is OK but NO skate shoes).

- Navy school sloppy-joe or zippered jacket (with or without school logo) – NO other navy jackets or tops please.
- If the boys have outgrown any part of the uniform or the clothing is looking a little ‘tired’, try to borrow a uniform from another student.

We always pride ourselves on our appearance during this excursion and our school has always received very positive comments regarding students’ dress and behaviour. Please endeavour to make sure that your child brings the correct winter uniform, including black shoes, for this part of the excursion.

Debating

Congratulations to Lexy, Lanah, Myra and Molly on a successful debate against Telarah Public School on Tuesday. We argued that ‘Parents shouldn’t have to buy their children a pet’. Many people could relate to our team line that, ‘Pets equal mess and mess equals stress’! Our next debate is early Term 3.

Karen Lange - Assistant Principal

Girl’s Netball

Our next match will be played against East Maitland PS on the 23rd July. A permission note will be sent home the first week of Term 3. We will be playing at Maitland Netball Courts once more. Thank you to Brooke Holz who has been umpiring for our team - we appreciate your help. Also, thank you to the parents who have been transporting and cheering on the girls, it’s always lovely to have that support.

Girls Touch Football

Our next game will be played early next term. We will play the winner of a game between Thornton PS and Eleebana PS. More information to come home shortly.

Library

Book Fair is on again during Education Week, Thursday 30th July in the hall. We look forward to you joining us. The theme this year is ‘Under the Sea’.
Seasons of Growth

Congratulations to all who have completed the Seasons for Growth program this term. 'Seasons' is a program designed to help children cope with change and loss in their life. They have been a joy to work with and yesterday Mrs Moore's group joined with Ms Blayden's group for a final celebration of our time together.

2C and 5A Holiday Photos

5A are completing a unit of work on our favourite holidays so the photos below show the McDonald family (2C and 5A) enjoying their holiday in New Zealand.

Holiday Activities

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Please see the end of the newsletter for more details.

P&C NEWS

P&C Committee

We are calling for nominations for P&C President and 2 Vice Presidents. We need these positions filled so our P&C to run effectively.

Please collect a nomination form from the office, or by contacting Amanda on 0439 939 934 if you can fill these positions and help your school.
Bing Lee

We have been given an exciting opportunity to raise much needed funds for our school. BING LEE THORNTON will offer us reward points and all we need to do is mention Bolwarra Public School when they are completing the sale. Ask the staff to make sure it is recorded on the bottom of your invoice – it’s as simple as that. This includes anything form a simple USB stick to a whole house of appliances.

But wait there’s more: As an extra bonus they have offered us DOUBLE POINTS for any purchases made from now until the 2nd week of July. And... if you have already purchased an item at BING LEE THORNTON in the last month, they will backdate our rewards points!

If you need electrical goods, please consider shopping at Bing Lee Thornton.

Uniform Shop News
The uniform shop will open on a **Friday morning from 8.30-9.30am**. The uniform shop welcomes donations of 2nd hand summer and winter uniforms as well as jumpers in a reasonable condition. If your child has had a growth spurt please feel free to drop off your no longer needed items to the uniform shop or the office.

We are currently calling for anyone who has an outstanding embroidered patch order to please contact the uniform shop for a refund, as they no longer available. Any orders not refunded will be considered a donation to the uniform shop!!

Alison and Lana
Uniform Shop Co-ordinators

2015/2016 Entertainment Book fundraiser - **THIS IS NOW URGENT**

There are 5 entertainment books still outstanding. Reminders have gone home this week. Please help us finalise this fundraiser and return payment and/or books immediately.

If you have purchased the app, the book needs to be returned to school. If you wish to make a payment please follow the link on the order form to make payment (http://www.entbook.com.au/344m00) or complete the order form and return to the office.

Pie Drive
Wow!
A huge thank you to all the wonderful mums and a dad who helped us sort over 900 pies and treats yesterday.
We also had some wonderful parents who chased large orders through workmates, friends and family. Thanks to all the families for supporting this fundraiser.

Canteen News

**FLEXISCHOOLS UPDATE:** If you have any queries regarding this process please phone Flexischools directly on 1300 361 769.

Thank you to all the wonderful volunteers that have come forward this week to fill vacancies in our roster. Helping in the canteen is a great way to be an active member of the school community, meet other parents, gain food handling experience and most importantly as our canteen is a major fundraiser for our school we function solely on our friends and families giving up their precious time to volunteer.

**We still have many shifts to fill for the rest of term 3** so if you can help fill these please contact Tiffany on 0429 402 848 to keep our canteen open.
# Canteen Roster

## Term Three

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Unlike our usual workshops, the activities these holidays will be open to both boys and girls. As always though, our organisation's overall objective is to reach equity and diversity within the aforementioned fields, and as such, we hope for at least 50% female participation and will be taking measures to ensure that no student of any gender or background is left behind.

The activities run from 9:15am to 1:05pm on either: Tuesday 30 June, Wednesday 1 July, Thursday 2 July or Friday 3 July - the same activities will run each day, to allow for as many students as possible to experience our activities, so students need only attend one of the four days. It is our aim to reach 60 attendees per day. For enrolment details and more information see details below:

James Rabbitt
Robogals Newcastle | President
University of Newcastle, Australia
Mobile: 0424 157 206
newcastle.president@robogals.org | http://www.robogals.org
Hinton/Wallalong & District Tennis – The Tennis School

Address: Swan Street, Stuart Oval Email: samsondog@bigpond.com
Hinton Tennis Club Phone: 0410 448 936

Tennis Camp & Cardio Challenge
MONDAY 29 June 2015

Kids Tennis Camp 1.00 pm to 3.00 pm
Cardio Challenge 3.00 pm to 4.00 pm

This school holidays drop your kids off at
Hinton Tennis Courts

For a fun, friendly, HOT SHOTS Tennis Camp. Loads of games, modified equipment, mini nets, tennis activities and prizes.
COST: $10.00 per child (3 kids or more $5.00 off per child)
Kids bring your hat, sunscreen, water bottle and snack

CARDIO TENNIS – for parents, grandparents, or anyone who would love to have some fun, get fit and challenge themselves all to music. See how many steps you can do while wearing a pedometer (supplied) and learn new skills.
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Don’t miss out. Places limited – Call Sonja on 0410448336

Kurri Kurri Tennis Club Inc

Address: Coronation Street Email: kurrikurtinentennisclub@gmail.com
Kurri Kurri NSW 2327 Phone: 4936 2188

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BASKETBALL FUN DAY AND MULTISPORTS FUN DAY!

**Holiday Fun**

**Maitland Mustangs**

**Monday 29th & Tuesday 30th June 2015**

**Day 1 - Basketball, Day 2 - Multisport**

**Cost:** $50.00 for the 2 days or $30.00 for 1 day, Families with 2 or more children pay $15.00 per child there after

Lunch is provided (sausage sizzle) but kids are to bring their own morning tea and drinks for the day. Canteen facilities will be available.

**PLEASE NOTE - NO BASKETBALL EXPERIENCE REQUIRED – IT’S A FUN DAY OF LEARNING AND GAMES**

**Where:** Maitland Federation Centre, 10 Bent Street, Maitland 2320

**Time:** 9:30am to 3:00pm (please arrive by 9-15am for registration)

**Ages:** Open to infants and primary school children 5 years and over

For further information and enrolment form, please contact:

Maitland Basketball Association’s office on 4934 3503
SUNDAY 5th JULY
CORROBORREE AT MINDARIBBA LALC
5:00PM – 9:00PM

MINDARIBBA LALC NAIDOC WEEK
5th JULY – 10th JULY

THURSDAY 9th JULY
TOUCH FOOTY COMP AT WALLSEND TOUCH FIELDS AT 9:00AM
CONTACT JOEY GRIFFITHS

MONDAY 6th JULY
MARCH / FLAG RAISING
Meet at Maitland Court house 8:30am

For more information on these events please Contact Tamika on 40157000.
Alternatively there is a brochure available at MLALC front counter.

WEDNESDAY 8th JULY
KIDS DISCO AT MINDARIBBA LALC
6:00PM – 9:00PM

TUESDAY 7th JULY
ELDERS LUNCHEON
10:00AM – 2:00PM
INVITE ONLY

FRIDAY 10th JULY
FAMILY FUN DAY AT MINDARIBBA LALC
10:00AM – 2:00PM

SCHOOL HOLIDAY NETBALL CLINIC
REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN
FOR CHILDREN TURNING 8 – 13 YEARS IN 2015
Are you a passionate Junior netballer who would like to build confidence, develop teamwork and further enhance your skills? Pivot Netball Academy can assist you.

ALSO OFFERING AFTER-SCHOOL JUNIOR NETBALL PROGRAM IN 2015
REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN
For children turning 8-13 in 2015
(only 10 positions available per age group)

For further info contact Jula Zilic
T 0429 698 384 E jula@pivotnetball.com.au

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Children’s Discovery Day

Release the kids into the wild

Tuesday 30th June 2015

When
Tuesday 30 June 2015
10am—3pm

Where
Botanic Gardens
Heatherbrae

Cost
$4pp (3’s & under free)

- Hunter Valley Beekeepers
- Ability Links
- National Parks & Wildlife
- Native Animal Trust
- Koala Preservation Society
- Local Land Services
- Earthcare

- Kookaburra Café
- Raymond Terrace Lions Club Hot Food Van

- Plant propagation
- Nature craft
- Grassheads
- Discovery Hunt
- Sketching & colouring in competitions
  & much, much, more

Our thanks to Port Stephens Examiner, advertising sponsor for Children’s Discovery Day

Contact Lynda for more information
Hunter Region Botanic Gardens 2100 Pacific Highway HEATHERBRAE 2324 (4.5km north of Hexham Bridge)
Ph 4987 1655, 4987 1440
admin@huntergardens.org.au
www.huntergardens.org.au
SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM
AT THE HUNTER WETLANDS CENTRE

Bush Skills Adventure
For 8 to 12 years 9.30am - 12.30pm
Wednesday 1 July 2015 & Thursday 9 July 2015
Have fun making a bush survival shelter, cook damper, learn knotting and other bush skills.
Cost: $20 per child Bookings Essential Ph: 4951 6466

Wriggly Wetlanders
For 5 to 8 years 10.00am - 12.30pm
Wednesday 1 July 2015 & Tuesday 7 July 2015
Enjoy a wetlands wander, then get creative with craft activities.
Cost: $20 per child Bookings Essential Ph: 4951 6466

Wetlands Explorer
For 5 to 12 years
Available any time
Collect your map and follow the trail. Answer the questions and become a Wetlands Explorer. Go into the draw for a weekly prize.
Cost: Free

Bring the family to the Hunter Wetlands Centre
A fun, environmentally friendly learning experience!
Open every day 9am to 4pm

Access
• Car/mini-bus parking available onsite.
• Train - easy 15 minute walk from Sandgate Station.
• Bus – 107 & 106 buses go past the Wetlands. 10 minute walk from stop at Marton St & Sandgate Rd

Cost
$2 per primary-school age child (special school holiday rate). $5 general entry

Activities
• Watch the Magpie Geese Feeding at 10.30 am & 2.30pm
• Try dipnetting from the jetty
• Playtime at Discovery Playground
• Check out the creatures in the tanks in the Visitor Centre
• Tank Talk - 12 noon (30-45 minutes) – Children can learn about reptile behaviour and care. They can actually handle some of the reptiles from the tanks in the Visitor Centre.

Facilities
• Toilets available in Visitor Centre
• Undercover picnic tables and shelter
• Cafe – meals, chips, ice creams, drinks
• Shop – gift shop
• Children’s playground
Hunter Writers Centre and Lake Macquarie Libraries

Present......

Creative Writing for Young People School Holiday Workshop
Learn valuable writing tips and practical exercised to fuel your imagination and build your writing confidence at a relaxed and supportive workshop designed for young writers 12 to 18 years.

When: Thursday 9th July 2015
Where: Charlestown Library
Time: 10am – 4pm
Cost: $25
For more information contact Karen Crofts, Hunter Writer Centre 0408 927 299; info@hunterwriterscentre.org or PO Box 71 Hamilton NSW 2303
TAFE Outreach are running the following courses in your area. For more information about these courses please contact Annabelle at TAFE on 6542 1115.

**At Kurri TAFE**
- Introduction to Floristry on a Friday from 9.30 am to 1.30 pm from 31 July
- Café Operations and Accommodation Services on a Thursday from 10 am to 1 pm from 6 August

**At Maitland TAFE**
- Café Operations on a Wednesday from 10 am to 1 pm from 12 August
- Acrylic Nails on a Monday from 10.30 am to 1.30 pm from 3 August

**At Metford**
- Basic Computing on a Friday from 9 am to 12 noon starting soon

Annabelle McLoughlin  
Outreach Coordinator/ Foundation Skills and Pathways  
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**ABSENTEE NOTICE**

My child ..............................of class ............. was absent on (date) ..........................

For the following reason .......................................................................................

Parent signature:  ..................................................................................................