

BONVILLE NEWS

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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Thank you to everyone who submitted the School Uniform survey. With a return of over 60%, 95% of parents expressed a desire for change. We appreciate the comments and feedback, most of which were very positive. The Uniform Party will finalise the collating process and make a recommendation to the P&C next Monday seeking endorsement. Following the P&C meeting the school community will be informed.

Last week I reported a Parent Communication survey would go home by week's end. I apologise for the delay and hope to have distributed by the end of this week.

Each day I am amazed and delighted with the level of care our students have for their environment. Many of our students are developing a deeper understanding of sustainable living and the impact plastics have on our environment, and ultimately on us. Around our school I am reminded daily of this care. Bonville Public School is mostly free of litter, even the smallest pieces of plastic are quickly snapped up by quick thinking students before they leave a trail of havoc through our environment and into our waterways.

Last week some of our students commenced the beautification process of the school boundary. In coming years the well established gardens bordering our school will add to our great school environment. Well done and thank you kids!

Please enter the following dates and times into your calendar. As we head into our final two and a half weeks of school there is so much going on.

Monday 10th December

- Student Reports go home.

Friday 14th December

- Year 6 Lee Winkler Surf Lessons and Ocean Awareness Program. (all day)

Monday 17th December

- 9:30am Presentation Assembly (Memorial Hall)
- 11:00am Thank you morning tea (library)
- 12:30pm Year 5/6 Mini Fair (all students)
- 5:00pm Christmas Concert (bottom oval)

Tuesday 18th December

- 9:30am Bonville's Got Talent (talent quest)
- Year 6 Farewell (Year 5/6 Memorial Hall)

Wednesday 19th December

- All students (Sawtell Reserve and swimming pool)
- Last day for students.

This week we celebrate the wonderful learning and newly acquired knowledge our Stage 2 and 3 students have gained about the Garby Elders of the Gumbaynggirr Nation. The Garby Elders originate from the Corindi/Red Rock area where they hunted and gathered food sources from nearby bushland, estuaries and the

Arrawarra Rock Pools. Please come along and celebrate with our students their learning this Friday in the library from 11:45am.



Mick (one of our Student Learning Support Officers) working with Dylan, Ashton, Abby, Mitchell and Shannon.

Assembly this week

Class 3/4 will be presenting assembly this week from 2:30pm.
Everyone is welcome!

P&C News

The next P&C Meeting will be held on December 11th @ 7pm in the school library. Everyone most welcome!

What's On This Week!

Tuesday 4.12	Wednesday 5.12	Thursday 6.12	Friday 7.12	Monday 10.12
	Class 3/4 Assembly from 2:30pm	Band/Choir Peer Support Sport day	Canteen day	Student Reports go home

Bongil Bongil Community of Schools MUSICALE 2013

'An Opportunity to Shine Like a Star'

Next year the Bongil Bongil schools will be presenting a musical extravaganza of mega proportions. Auditioning for LEAD roles will take place this Tuesday 4th December between 3:30pm-4:30pm at Toormina High School and is open to any of our students who will be in Year 3 – 6 next year. If you are unable to attend these auditions there will be another round of auditions on Tuesday 11 December between 3:30pm-4:30pm at Toormina High School. All students Year 3-6 will have opportunities to take part in non-lead roles early next year.



\$1 a scoop this Thursday!

'Fundraising for 2013 Lake Ainsworth Excursion'

Library News

Overdue library books are NOW due! All Home Readers are due this Friday.
Mrs Hart

DIAMOND AWARD

Congratulations Bonville students for achieving the NSW Premier's Sporting Challenge Diamond Award. Over the past two terms our students have embraced morning fitness, PE and sport. As a result they accumulated hours of fitness per week.



The Diamond Award is the highest level of achievement.

Community News

Does anyone have Agapanthus in their garden they would like to donate to the school to help beautify our grounds? Thank you Mr Pitt for donating Agapanthus, we are happy to take more. Mulch is also needed. Please contact the school if you are able to assist.



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FREE student chairs and tables. Please contact the office for further details.

Year 5/6 Mini Fair

There will be stacks of fun and games, competitions and prizes.

To purchase from the Mini Fair all students must use tokens.

Tokens will be available for sale from the office early next week.

Some activities include;

Wet sponge throwing

White elephant stall

Disco

Face Painting

Movie and popcorn

Plus a sausage sizzle lunch

.....and more

Bonville School Community Christmas Concert

Christmas Concert for the community on Monday 17th December from 5:00pm with Santa arriving at 6:00pm.

Please come along with a picnic rug or chairs. There will be a bbq and drinks for sale.

Small School, Large Family, Great Results!!

**Michael Hepi
Principal**



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