The Principal and staff would like to congratulate the following children who received Awards at our Primary Assembly on Friday, 3 February 2015

**Year 2/3 Gadhu** Zane Curven, Aiden Roberts, Koorinda Andy

**Year 3/4 Bidhu** Ryan New, Liana Hummel, Sierra Gannon, Michael Davies

**Year 4/5 Wayalad** Dylan Steward, Phillip Davies, Kaylee Trenerry, Regina Nicholls

**Year 5/6 Murrar** Tyler Franks, Tamzin McCue, Frank Puglisi, Antonette Musumeci

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**MEET & GREET EVENING**

*Thursday, 19 February*

5.15-7pm

Our Meet & Greet Evening is on again this week. It is an opportunity to come and meet your child’s teacher and gain a better understanding of class structures. It is not a time for individual teacher interviews. We will have a free sausage sizzle and some short movies showing in the hall. Pre-schoolers will need to be supervised by their siblings as they watch the movies.

5.30pm Mrs Pearson Kinder
Miss Smith Year 1
Mrs Loughran Year 2
6.00pm Mrs Cross Year 2/3
Mr Garkut Year 3/4
6.30pm Ms Daly Year 4/5
Mrs Prior Year 5/6

Mrs Caves and Mr Constable will be around the hall and BBQ to guide you.

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**FAMILY PANCAKE BREAKFAST & ‘I WANT TO BE DAY’**

*Tuesday, 24 February*

The P&C have decided to run with a pancake morning as a welcome to our new Kinder Parents as well as new families to the school. Parents and students are invited to buy pancakes from outside the canteen. Pancakes will be on sale from 8.45am and will cost $2 for a plate of two pancakes, a variety of toppings will be available. When students go into class, parents are invited to stay and have a free tea or coffee and the opportunity to pick some books for their child/ren.

Year 6 have organised a ‘I want to be day’ as a fundraiser for children with cancer. Students are invited to dress up as ‘what they want to be when they grow up’. They are asked to bring a gold coin donation (this will be collected in class).

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**STUDENT OF THE WEEK AWARD “TIM”**

Lucia said she loves playing on the fort when at school. In between giggles, she also let Mr Constable know that she gave ‘Tim’ a go on a skateboard.

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**ZONE SWIMMING CARNIVAL**

The Zone Swimming Carnival will be held at Candelo Pool on Friday, 20 February. Congratulations to the following students who will compete at Candelo:

Angelita Hochkins
Lachlan Moresi
Campbell Moresi
Austin McKee
Harrison McKee

Because of the strict qualifying times these are the only students who can swim in the Zone Carnival.

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**YEAR 3 & 4 EXCURSION**

*9-11 March*

Notes went home last Friday. We would like all Year 3 & 4 students to attend.

Please contact Mr Constable if you have any concerns about the excursion.

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**BERMAGUI P&C AGM**

*Wednesday, 4 March*

5pm in the Staffroom
All welcome
PIRATES AT BERMAGUI
Bermagui Seaside Fair
Saturday, 14 March
The theme this year is “Pirate Pageant” so dress up as scoundrels of the sea. Come along dressed in the theme and participate in the Street Parade at 10am. 20 hand painted market umbrellas will be auctioned at 12.45pm. Questacon, “Making Science Fun”, musical entertainment, over 100 market stalls, the carnival, kid’s entertainment by OOPS the clown and fireworks at 8.45pm will fill the day. Be prepared for a swashbuckling load of fun!

CALENDAR
19 Feb  Meet the Teacher
20 Feb  Infant Assembly
24 Feb  Family Pancake Breakfast & ‘I want to be day’
9-11 Mar  Y3 & 4 Kianniny Excursion
13 Mar  Y3 & 4 AFL Gala Day
         Infant Assembly
14 Mar  Seaside Fair
24 Mar  Visiting Performer
31 Mar  AFL Skills K-Y2
2 Apr   Infant Assembly (Thu)
         10.45-11.30am

CANTEEN
Thank you to Vanessa Ballard for donating Arrowroot biscuits. Beth

CANTEEN ROSTER
Wed 18.2  Janette Neilson
Fri 20.2  Stacey Reid

SCHOOL COUNSELLING
School counsellors are experienced teachers who have a degree in psychology and post-graduate qualifications in school counselling. They can work with students of all ages and their families, throughout their school years.

Contact Mr Constable or the Learning Support Teacher—Mrs Caves if you would like to make an appointment.

The Southern NSW Family Referral Service provides advice and links families, children and young people to support services in their community.

1300 736 384

PRIVATE VEHICLE CONVEYANCE (PVC) SUBSIDY
If you’re not close to public transport and need to drive a student to a bus stop or school, the PVC subsidy can provide twice-a-year payments to help cover the expenses.

It is recommended to apply online as the quickest and easiest way.

To find out if you’re eligible, to apply online and to see all terms and conditions, visit - transport.nsw.gov.au/pvc

For further information, please call 1800 010 123 or visit the website.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Narooma Devils Junior Rugby League Club Rego & training . Every Wed & Fri 4pm Bill Smyth Oval $80 incl shorts, socks & sublimated full tracksuit. Enquiries - Nicole 0408447946 or Ross 0438745600

Gymnastics & Trampolining  Tue & Wed classes are full—names can be included on a waiting list. A few spaces available on Mon 3.30-4.30pm for fun & fitness. Enquiries to Ros after 6pm on 64934264

Kids Disco Sat 21/2 6-8pm Bermagui Country Club. Cost is $5 per child. Children under 5 years must be supervised. All proceeds go towards Tabitha Foundation

South East NSW Women’s Legal Service a Solicitor will be available for free legal appointments in Bega on Thu 19/2. For information, Louise 4229529/1800229529

ParentLine 1300130052 9am-9pm Mon to Fri, 4-9pm Sat & Sun or www.ParentLine.org.au Free professional help for Parents & Carers

Music Classes after school in the library. Learn to play guitar or piano. Half hour lessons $10. Instruments can also be supplied. Classes in groups of up to 3. Individual lessons can also be arranged to learn drums or music technology and beat making. Call Michael Hanlon on 0412702785 to make a booking.

BERMAGUI PUBLIC SCHOOL - ABSENCE NOTE

Student Name: ____________________________  Class: ____________________________

Date(s) Absent: ____________________________

Reason for absence or leave: ____________________________

Parent/Carer Signature ____________________________ Date ____________________________