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**WEEKLY CLASS AWARDS**

**INFANTS CLASS**

![Image of student](image1)

**Felicity Duley:**
Taking great pride in all her work and being a thoughtful and supportive class member for her peers.

**Primary Class**

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**Hayden Piggott:**
Big improvement in story writing and public speaking this term.

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**TOUCH FOOTY DAY HELD**

The Touch Footy Knock Out day was held last Friday after a postponement from Thursday because of the weather. Frida’s weather was much more suitable and a great day of sport was held between Rukenvale PS, Old Bonalbo PS and The Risk PS. Despite being defeated in round 1 by Rukenvale, The Risk team showed plenty of talent and will be even better next year. We congratulate Old Bonalbo who defeated Rukenvale in round 2 and go onto play in the finals series in Sydney on September 18.

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**What’s in this week’s Newsletter**

- Barkers Vale Interspeak
- Community Assembly
- Lake Ainsworth
- Friday lunches
- Mufti Day
- Mobile Library
- Mobile Dentist Service
- Billy Cart Bonanza

**Attachments**

- Permission Note K-2
- Street Stall
- Yr 5-6 Raffle Tickets

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Some great action shots between The Risk and Rukenvale thanks to Mr Hausen.
COMMUNITY ASSEMBLY
NEXT WEDNESDAY 10 SEPTEMBER
OUR CELEBRATION OF BOOK WEEK
Next Wednesday’s community assembly will be a very entertaining one with students celebrating National Book Week. They will be dressing up as book characters, singing songs and providing entertainment about the short listed books for 2014. We hope everyone can come along and enjoy the show and witness the presentation of awards to selected students.

The assembly starts at 2.15pm.

LAKE AINSWORTH EXCURSION
Another reminder for Year 5/6 students and their families that we continue to accept weekly or fortnightly payments. For the excursion on 17 November.

We will also require one vehicle to assist with transport to the camp on the Monday (as well as Mr Mac’s car) and 2 cars to bring the 6 students back on the Friday. Please keep this in mind and if you can assist let Mr Mac know.

MOBILE DENTAL SERVICE
Most of the check-ups were conducted this week with a few still to happen early next term.
The dental staff will be in contact with families to discuss any follow-up work to be carried out on 13/14 October.

WHOLE SCHOOL TRIP TO BARKERS VALE PS
INTERSPEAK FOR 3/4/5/6
DAY CAMP FOR K/1/2
WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER
The COLOURSS network are conducting a very exciting day of activities at Barkers Vale PS on 18th September. It is another way for our students to join together for stimulating educational activities with same age peers.

The 3/4/5/6 students will be a part of the public speaking competition. 4 students will participate whilst the others will enjoy being an audience for the 24 speakers and learn from their performances.

The K/1/2 students will have a hands on day of music, craft, art and literacy with all their friends form the other schools. The cost for the K-2 day is $5 which pays for food for recess and lunch. K-2 students are asked to just bring a drink and a piece of fruit for fruit break.

We are asking for assistance with transport one more time this term. Mr Mac, Mrs Petherbridge and Ms Sawford will be using their cars so we will need 3 or 4 parent vehicles to get us all there. Parents are very welcome to stay at Barkers Vale and join in the activities.

TIMETABLE
9am - Leave TRPS in cars
9.45 - Arrive Barkers Vale
10am - activities begin
2pm - Activities finish. Travel back to TRPS

Please complete the permission note and return to school next week so we can be sure we have transport covered.

WHOLE SCHOOL MUFTI DAY
THIS FRIDAY 5 SEPTEMBER
GOLD COIN DONATION
The student parliament has asked if they can hold a Casual Dress day for all students this Friday. Mr Mac has approved this activity to raise funds to enter the school into 2 categories for the billy cart races on Sunday! The school will also pay for entry into 2 extra categories.
The student parliament are asking students to donate a gold coin for the privilege of dressing in casual clothes.

KYOGLE BILLYCART BONANZA
SUNDAY 7 SEPTEMBER
The COLOURSS network are supporting the inaugural BILLYCART Bonanza to be held on Fathers Day this year. The COLOURSS staff are setting up a marquee (The Risk shade shelter) as a child’s activity centre with colouring in, mask-making and playdough activities. We will use this as a vehicle to promote the benefits of Small Schools to the Kyogle community. Our school has also accepted a kind offer from Ron Allen who has built a billycart and will allow us to decorate it and run it in the schools competitions. We will be looking for pilots for the billycart on the day!

MOBILE LIBRARY
A reminder that the Mobile Library will be here again this Friday. Students are really enjoying this FREE community resource. Kids just have to remember to bring the books back and their card.

FRIDAY LUNCHES THIS WEEK
STUDENT PARLIAMENT
Macaroni Cheese $1.50 per plate

WHOLE SCHOOL ART
At the beginning of this year I introduced a new program called “Whole School Art” to The Risk. Every Wednesday at lunchtime we rearrange furniture in the K/1/2 room to provide workspace for 26 students. Maureen McNeice, Abby Sawford and myself work collaboratively to deliver this program. It began as an experiment. I wanted to provide directed opportunities for the older students to support the younger children in a positive learning environment.

We are thrilled with the way the program has evolved. The children are motivated and producing quality work. We have looked at famous artists. Vincent Van Gogh was very popular.

We have made a school mural inspired by the circles of Wassily Kandinsky.

The children have just completed collages after studying the work of Jeannie Baker. These were photographed and displayed. Feel free to come and look at your child’s work which is either on display or kept in their individual Art Portfolio.

Louise Petherbridge
K/1/2 Teacher

THE RISK PUBLIC SCHOOL