Some donations from some of our parents including sawdust and collect eggs. A massive thank you to everyone who has helped with getting the chicken coop up and running. Mr Gany, Mr Morton, Mr Rubie, Mr Walsh and especially the hardworking boys from the Boys Shed. We have also had some donations from some of our parents including sawdust and laying mash.

I would also like to say a massive thank you to our wonderful families, educators and management committee for another successful year at Oosh.

We would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Canteen News
Canteen will be closed on the last two days of the school year, Tuesday 16 and Wednesday 17 December 2014. No lunch orders or on-line orders will be taken on these days.

We wish you a very Merry Christmas and have a safe and happy holiday.

Robyn Brunton

Women’s Cardio Kickboxing classes
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P & C News
Helpers Needed
Carols in the CoolZone will be held next Friday night 12 December. We are in need of volunteers to man BBQ’s, drinks and popcorn/fairy floss stalls on the night. We also need some help bagging fairy floss on Thursday 11pm in the Uniform shop at the cottage. If you have some time to spare please see Robyn Brunton in the canteen so that we can create a roster.

Yr 6 Shirts 2015
Year 6 2015 shirts can be ordered now, order forms and money are to be returned to the P & C via the canteen. Shirts will be ordered mid 1st Term.

Last Meeting for 2014
Last meeting for the PMC will be held at Mingara on Tuesday 16 December at 6.30pm. It will be followed dinner at Ming Dragon Restaurant. All welcome.

UNIFORM SHOP
Special Holiday opening times
Tuesday 13 & Tuesday 20 January 2015
10.00am – 12noon
Friday 16 & Friday 23 January 2015
10.00am – 12noon
Wednesday 28, Thursday 29 & Friday 30 Jan
8.45am – 10.00am

Term 1
The first 5 weeks of Term 1 2015
Mondays 2.00pm 2.45pm
Wednesdays and Fridays
8.45am – 10.00am
Normal Trading Hours will resume in Week 6
Monday 2 March 2015
Monday 2.00 – 2.45pm
Friday 8.45 – 9.45

Coming Up:
2015 Kindergarten Welcome BBQ
What a lovely atmosphere there was yesterday afternoon at our welcome barbecue for our 2015 Kindergarten families outside the cottage. It was great to see our new Kindergarten parents and children and Kindergarten teachers for 2015 getting together in such a relaxed way. Many thanks to all the Kindergarten teachers and staff who helped out and did a magnificant job, either on the barbecue or serving the food and drinks. Thank you also to the families who came along.

It’s All Happening at Carols in the Cool Zone!
Our 2014 Carols in the CoolZone is fast approaching. It is all happening here at Berkeley Vale Public School on Friday 12 December in the Cool Zone. The gates open at 5.30pm. All children must be accompanied by an adult. If you can help out on the night please let the school office know. We look forward to a great night and hope all our families can come along and join us. Please look for the details in the enclosed flyer.

Lions Club Raffle
The Kilmany-Bateau Lions Club is again conducting its giant Christmas Stocking Raffle at Batteau Bay Square. It will be drawn on Christmas Eve at 1pm. We would appreciate if you were able to sell the book of 5 tickets – which were previously sent home - at $1 per ticket to support this great cause. The school receives a large percentage of the sales of the tickets. Money and tickets, sold or unsold, need to be returned to the canteen so that they can be put into the draw at Bateau Bay Square in plenty of time. Thank you in anticipation of your support.

Narelle Armour
Principal

K-2 Presentation Assembly
Our end of year K-2 Presentation Assembly will be held next Wednesday 10 December from 9.30am in the school hall. Parents are most welcome to attend.

Kindergarten Families 2015
All our 2015 kindergarten families will receive a letter before the end of the term, advising them of their child’s starting date and time for next year.

Combined Scripture Service
Our combined Christmas Scripture Service will be held on Friday 12 December in the school hall. Years K-2 will start at 9.00am and Years 3-6 will start at 9.35am. Parents are most welcome to come along.

K-2 Celebration Day
The K-2 Movie/Picnic Day is on Monday 15 December (last week of school). The children travel by bus to The Haven at Terrigal to have a picnic lunch and then on to the cinemas at Erina Fair to see the movie ‘Paddington’! – (G). Look out for the details coming your way soon.

Year 1 Sport
Tomorrow, Friday 5 December is our last sports session for 2014. Many thanks to all the wonderful parents and grandparents who helped and assisted throughout the year. The boys and girls and Year 1 teachers appreciated your help and support.

Sandra de Gruchy
Deputy Principal

CITIZENSHIP AWARDS

Bronze Assistant Principal: Logan Starkey KH, Aysha Alameddine KH, Jai Coates KH, Lachlan Holton KH
Marcus Engel KH, Jade Rowan 1H, Jodie Timp KB, Cooper McCullum KV, Kaden Minney KB, Matilda Montgomery 1L, Jheti Symes KV, Kayden Doldson 2H
Shyan Clark KS, Nieve O’Connor KS, Lily Brockwell KS, Viktoria Clark KA

Bronze Deputy Principal: Alexander Zanker 1L, Byron Etchells KV, Sienna Johnston KV, Alsha Sawateke KV, Logan Newland 1R, Ashlee Smith 1H, Noah Little 1L, Leo Pritchard 2H, Grace Dennis KD, Dallas Finch KD, Abbey De Bono 1L, April Lipscombe KD, Lalarae Neave 1L, Samuel Jackman 1H, Arche Hurst 1L


Bronze Honour Roll 1: Renee Menteleh 2H, Kayla Mccracken 2C, Teressa Mclean 2H, Lachlan Jacob 2K

Silver Assistant Principal: Jade Bennetlick 4P, Luke Collins 5L, Kai Bennetlick 4F, Calum Jordan 4F


Silver Outstanding Achievement: Miles Martin 6D, Aidan Bennett 5W, Jordan Ellis 4/5/6H, Shadone Wybro 5W, Emily Knebel 5C

Silver Honour Roll 2: Abigail Hibbert 6D, Ryan Goldsworthy 5W

Silver Honour Roll 3: Bailey Scott 6D

Reading Awards:

Deputy Principal Reading Award: Ethan Mahrous 5H, William Means 5H, Abby Greenhalgh 5H, Brody Herring KB, Evie Jaques KA, Mia Buchanan 1R, Jordan Muscat 4G, Tabitha Blake 5B


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KB | Maddy Wanton | Kaden Minney |
KD | Caitlyn Redman | Grace Densmore |
KH | Jai Coates | Alannah Conroy |
KS | Emily Trew | Shaylan Clark |
KV | Jack Kazanji | Jettyn Symes |
1AR | Hayley Mucscat | Gemma Winkle |
1H | Isabella Hula | Finn Redman |
1L | Alyssa Batesup | Noah Little |
1P | Lachlan Bagnall | Harpa Johnson |
1R | Eleanor Pondells | Holly Bryson |
1/2C | Indyanna Parlin | Brooke Jordan |
2C | Kaira White | Ava Sheild |
2H | Joshua Pribot | Jacob Wilson |
2K | Tarni Ricketts | Bella Caddis |
2M | Lilee Rogers | Labelle Turnbull |
3M | Billy Vale | Zoe Tail |
3L | Eliah Perricone | Kloe Gals |
3P | Tanisha Holt | Maxwell Gaddes |
3Q | Jessica Glyn | Zane Molony |
3T | Calli Weaver | Harmonie Parffitt |
4/5/6H | Adin Lincoln | Lekeshia Baldwin |
4F | Damien Shearer | Gemma Hasson |
4P | Harry Channa | Anira Graffen |
4S | Wesley McClay | Corin Ross |
4S/6H | Ka Forshaw | Chloe Joyce |
5C | Connor Williamson | Evon Hillman |
5W | Maximus Laney | Cody Norris |
6B | Jalena Campbell | Bailey Scott |
6F | Felicity Molloy | Oliver Reid |

**Junior Red Cross visit to Berkeley Village**

Student Recounts

Earlier this term, the Junior Red Cross visit to a local Berkeley Village, an aged care facility in our community. Here is a snapshot from two of the students who went.

**Trivia Night**

Last Thursday night Year 6 had their Trivia Night in the school hall. There were 10 different teams competing. The name of the teams were: Fantastic 8, The Geeko and the Grumets, The Disney Crew, I Dream of Genie, the Simlings, Men in Rainbow, The Poster Gangsters, the Randoms and the Nine Outlaws.

When all of year 6 arrived we were all so excited and the costumes were amazing. We played games and met new people, they were all so friendly. The people I played with were Mary and Jean. They were kind and generous but we were all so nervous when we walked in. When we heard about the trivia, we got some biscuits, lemonade and an ice block. Matt took a lot of cookies. We also saw little birds that had hatched. There was one lady that came around giving us a kiss on the head. I was very thankful. Sadly we had to go but it was an excellent experience to see them.

**Year 6 Orientation Day**

**Student Recount**

Last Wednesday Year 6 students from The Tuggerah Lakes area got together for our Year 6 Orientation Day at Berkeley Vale Campus. We were introduced to many teachers and important people around school. We experienced what it was like to move from class to class and some of our high school subjects.

From this day I have gathered a lot of information and handy things that I will need to know for next year. I personally found it was a great way to make new friends and get ready for the year ahead of us.

**HeleniPenTantary**

No...the boys from Boyz Shed have not been locked up!! They are standing next to their latest creation for the new chicken coops. They have made the chicken swing you can see all by themselves and have also created ramps, boxes and stands for the chooks to play on. Meanwhile the girls have been painting signs for it. There is a colouring in and naming competition which will give the chooks in the coop a name so all can be involved in this new addition to our school.

**BVPFS: Photo Identification Project**

Many thanks to the former students and teachers who have been working on the identification from photographs from 1986 to 1989. Your diligence is greatly appreciated. With the school year coming to an end it is time to return all photos to the School Office.

**The Winners of 2014 Yr 6 Trivia Night**

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