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Balliang East Primary School Newsletter

21st February, 2023

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Check Your Child's Bag!!

Forms sent home this week:

Pink Stumps Attendance Note - due 20.2.23

PINK STUMPS:

Our Pink Stumps Evening will be this Friday 24th February. Please complete the Pink Stumps Attendance Note and return it to school this week. All parents received an email regarding the process for making a donation to the McGrath Foundation. **Please follow the link to donate prior to the night.** If you can't attend you are still welcome to donate to this great cause.

<https://www.pinkisthecolour.com.au/fundraisers/carynfox>

Make sure you bring plenty of cash on the night so you can make extra purchases. Items available on the night will be;

- McGrath Foundation Caps - \$10:00
- McGrath Foundation bandanas - \$5:00
- Extra sausages and drinks - \$1:00
- Pink hairspray
- Pink cupcakes
- Pink jelly
- Fairy floss
- Wooden Pink stumps Auction

We currently have \$390:00 of donations on our fundraiser page.

All people attending MUST make their donation prior to the night. This will cover the cost of your first sausage and drink.

Donations for Egg Guess:

Due to the popularity of the egg guessing, we will again do this for our Easter fundraising. We would like each family to donate a packet of chocolate eggs that can be put in the jar. Each classroom will have their own jar that the students can pay to make a guess. The winner takes all.

Pancake Day:

Thank you to the families who sent frying pans along today. The students did a great job making their pancakes and an even better job eating them.

Cybersafety Presentation:

Parents are encouraged to register for the Raising Kids in a Digital World presentation at Bacchus Marsh Hall on Wednesday 22nd March. The information may save your child from potential harm in the future.

Please refer to flyer below.

Coffee Tins:

Mrs Wood is collecting coffee tins for a senior school art activity. Please collect and send 500g tins into the General Office. Please ensure they have their lids.

School Council:

Our first meeting is next Monday 27th February at 6:30pm. This will be an onsite meeting.

MEGA Blocks:

This year Mrs D is collecting Mega Blocks. If your child has grown out of using them, instead of taking them to the Op Shop, could you please bring them into school to pass on.



Absent Notes:

When your child/ren are absent **please** come into the office on the day they return to school and sign an absent note. These notes have been prefilled and only require 5 seconds of your time.

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Important Dates:

Principal:
Mrs Caryn Fox

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School Council President:
Kylie Borchard

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| Every Friday: | Breakfast Club – 8:15 – 8:45 am |
| Wednesday 22nd February: | No Preps |
| Friday 24 th February: | PINK STUMPS Family Welcome BBQ |
| Tuesday 7 th March | Somers Camp |
| Monday 13 th March: | Labour Day Holiday |
| Wednesday 15 th March | Somers Camp ends |
| Wednesday 22 nd March: | Cyber Safety Info session for parents – Bacchus Marsh Hall at 7:30pm. |
| Thursday 23 rd March: | Ride to School |
| Friday 24 th March: | School Photos  |
| Friday 31 st March:  | Sports Day at Mason's Lane |
| Thursday 6 th April: | Easter Activities  |
| | End of Term 1 – 2:30pm |
| Monday 24 th April: | Term 2 starts |
| Tuesday 25 th April: | Anzac Day |

Students of the Week Awards:



Loki



Braxton



Almitra



Chase

Happy Birthday



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JOIN THE FUN!

**Maddingley and Surrounds
All Girls T1 Auskick Centre**

Bacchus Marsh Racecourse and Recreation Reserve (BMRRR) Oval 1, Maddingley

Thursday March 2nd - March 30th
(5-week program) 5:00pm-6:00pm

Contact: sam.pfeiffer@afl.com.au

Scan the QR Code to register!



JUNIOR GIRLS

FOOTY 4 FUN



Experience Australia's most loved sport through AFL Victoria's FREE Footy 4 Fun events delivered across Victoria! A footy experience full of fun activities, modified games & memorable moments to take home with you!

Footy 4 Fun Junior Girls is all about giving girls (turning 5-12 years old in 2022) the opportunity to experience football in a fun and safe environment through fun activities and modified game.

WHERE:

Bacchus Marsh Racecourse and
Recreation Reserve, Maddingley

WHEN:

Sunday February 26th
10:30am-12:00pm



REGISTER HERE!

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RAISING KIDS IN A DIGITAL WORLD 2023

FOR PARENTS & CARERS

Social Media

Online Gaming

Managing Devices
in the Home

Cyberbullying

Child & Tween
Online Trends

Strengthening Family
Communication

Impacts of
Screen Time

Explicit/Adult
Content

Bacchus Marsh Public Hall

Wednesday 22 March | 7.30pm



Martin McGauran
Primary School Teacher
& Digital Safety Educator

- 90 minute presentation
- Parents/carers only
- FREE to attend

Register to come along:

bit.ly/bacchusmarsh2023



Carley McGauran
Psychologist & Mum to 3 primary
and secondary aged kids



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BALLARAT & GRAMPIANS COMMUNITY LEGAL SERVICE



Legal Matters for Parents/Carers

Securing Your Future An information session for Bacchus Marsh Carers

The Pinarc Parent Support Program is proud to host the Ballarat and Grampians Community Legal Service for this important information session.

As children with disabilities reach adulthood, legal issues around wills, power of attorney, financial and medical management can become more complex.

This FREE session is open to families and carers of people with disabilities of all ages.

The Pinarc Parent Support Program is supported by the Victorian Government.



Date:
Monday 27th March

Program Times:
7.00pm – 8.30pm

Venue:
Darley Neighbourhood House
33-35 Jonathan Dr, Darley

How Much Does it Cost?
Free

Location of Program:
Bacchus Marsh

How do I register:
Contact Parent Support Coordinator,
Rebecca Paton
Phone: 53291361
Email: rpaton@pinarc.org.au

P: 1800 PINARC (1800 746 272) | E: admin@pinarc.org.au | www.pinarc.org.au

SCHOOL PHOTOS 2023 - Important Registration Information



School Photographs will be taken at

Balliang East Primary School

Friday 24th March 2023

There is no need to return any forms or payment to school before photo day

Flyers with Unique Image Codes will be issued to all students on or after photo day

When you receive your child's 2023 image code

Follow these 3 simple steps -

1 Go to order.arphotos.com.au and enter your child's 2023 image code



2 Tap on 'Add another child' to enter the image codes of any siblings



3 Fill in your contact details & review before confirming your registration*



*This information will only be used for distribution of personal image codes and ordering details.

That's it!

It's important to register each year to link your child's NEW images to your contact details
When 2023 images are ready to view in our secure webshop you'll be notified by email and SMS

- Create photo packages with any layout & YOUR choice of images + Multiple Image Downloads
- Order on any mobile device • Share the images with family & friends for FREE

** Please wait to receive notifications that new images are online **BEFORE** ordering for 2023 **



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