

### **Balliang East Primary School Newsletter**

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# Check Your Child's Bag!! Forms sent home this week:

### **Ride AT School:**

Thank you to the parents who were able to get their children's bikes and scooters to school on Friday. The students did some really good activities and had a great time. We will make the 'at school' activities a priority going forward rather than trying to supervise 70 students as they negotiate the upkept track down School Road.

#### **End of Term Thank You:**

This term has been challenging for the staff with the passing of Mrs D and some additional issues we have been dealing with. I would like to sincerely thank all the parents who have supported us through the term and shown their patience and understanding.

Term 2 is a new term and we will all refresh and recharge over the break ready to continue our commitment in our role as teachers and ES staff. Thank you.

## Term 2 – Beanies/Pie Warmers:

During Term 2, the students can wear their beanies instead of their school hats if the UV is below 3. These must be the proper school beanies purchased through our Uniform Shop. Other beanies will not be accepted as this will open a can of worms. If you need a new beanie please speak to Mel or I.

Pie Warmers are back on for Term 2 and 3. You can bring **cooked** food wrapped in foil or in a foil container with your child's name clearly written on it. Make sure the food is defrosted and has been cooked, especially nuggets, chips, fish fingers etc. Remember, it is a pie **warmer**, not an oven and food poisoning is not pleasant.



27th March 2024

## **Egg Guess:**

Most children have had their 3 guesses for \$5:00 therefore, if those who have already done this would like to purchase extra guesses at \$1:00, they may do so tomorrow morning.

## **Easter Egg Hamper:**

Last chance to bring your \$5:00 Golden Ticket to school tomorrow. So far we have had 31 families and 2 staff purchase a ticket so your odds for winning are pretty good.

## **End of Term 1 Assembly:**

There will be an assembly at 2:10pm tomorrow afternoon. We will announce the Term 1 Social team and Egg Guess winners as well as draw the ticket for the Easter Hamper. All parents are welcome to attend.

School ends at 2:30pm tomorrow.

# **Library Bags:**

The students need to return their library books every Wednesday so that they can borrow school library books.

## **Payments Please:**

Could I please remind families that if you opt in to activities such as hot food days, you must pay before the day. It is unfair to expect the school to cover the cost of non-compulsory activities.

Our school significantly subsidies many events but we can't cover everything so please get your accounts settled by tomorrow.

# **Important Dates:**

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March:

Principal: Mrs. Caryn Fox

School Information: School No: 3787

Fax: 5369 5226

Phone: 5369 5148

148 Fax: 5369 522

**BEPS Mobile: 0418 316 148** 

Easter Activities End Term 1 – 2:30pm

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April: Term 2 starts

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> of April: Billy G's Cookie Dough starts

#### Farewell Mrs D: 1965 - 2024

The De Domenico family are very appreciative of the donations that school families have made to Peter Mac. If you would still like to show your appreciation of how wonderful Wendy was, please add a small donation and tribute at the link below:

https://memorialgift.petermac.org.au/wendydedomenico

# The March Charge:

The March Charge is underway and Ms Condon, Ms Heward, Mrs Pilbeam and Ms Borchard are all taking part!

The March Charge is a month-long fitness challenge to raise funds for people impacted by cancer. If you'd like to sponsor us, click the link below to view our personal fundraising page and make a donation:



**School Council President:** 

**Joanne Darrington** 

We've raised \$753.13 so far.

## https://www.themarchcharge.com.au/fundraisers/balliangeastprimaryschoolstaff

Your donation will help our local Cancer Council support those affected right now and fund world-changing research to help more people survive.

Cancer Council
The March Charge

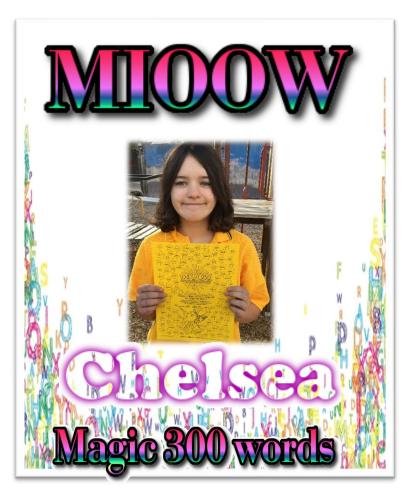
Thank you for your support!

# Students of the Week Awards:



School Values: Commitment Friendliness Honesty Integrity Respect











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**Ari competed in Athletics** recently and placed:-

60m 1st place

200m 1st place

300m 1st place

Discus 2nd place

High Jump 2nd place

She also worked super hard and got runner up 8 year old girl, runner up champion and most improved. Well done!



#### SCHOOL PHOTOS 2024 - Important Registration Information



School Photographs will be taken at

**Balliang East Primary School** 

Friday 1st March 2024

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 2024 image code

Follow these 3 simple steps -



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



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



It's important to register each year to link your child's NEW images to your contact details When 2024 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 2024\*\*

