

BEPS

Balliang East Primary School
Newsletter



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Check Your Child's Bag!!

Forms sent home this week:

Absent note – due Friday 4th April

Egg Guess:

Thank you to all the families who donated a bag of eggs. Each classroom has a jar of eggs. Students can bring \$5:00 cash, or pay online, to have 3 guesses. Closest guess for each classroom will win the jar of eggs which will announced first day of Term 2.

Special Easter Raffle:

IGA Maddingley has kindly donated an Easter Egg hamper for our families to win. To enter your family's chance to win, please send \$2:00 to school. Each family can only purchase **one** entry ticket so that all families have an equal chance to win.

We will draw the winner at assembly on the last day of term.

Thank you to Hayley Vassallo for organising this for us.



Late Arrivals:

If your child arrives at school after 10 past 9 you must sign them in at the office. Students not signed in are often left as absent on the roll as it is easily missed by the teacher and admin.

Absence Notes:

If your child was absent during Term 1 and you did not provide a reason, they will be showing on the roll as 'Unexplained' which the Department does not look favourably at. If you receive an absent note today, please provide a reason for each of the dates on it, sign and return it by the last day of term. Any notes not returned will have their child's reason changed to 'Parent Choice Unauthorised'.

Pizza Lunch:

Last day of Term 1 will be a fun day. The students will be doing Easter activities followed by Pizza lunch. Orders closed last Friday. Please pay before Pizza Day.

Term 2:

Pie Warmers:

The pie warmer will operate during Term 2 and 3. Students can bring food wrapped in foil or in the foil containers with their name or initials clearly written in permanent marker.

Food must be defrosted and, if required, cooked prior to sending. Do not send frozen nuggets, fish fingers etc. Cook them first. It is a pie WARMER, not an oven.

Beanies:

Students may wear their school beanies during Term 2 and 3 when the UV is below 3. This will be checked daily in class. If they don't wear their beanie, they will still be required to wear their sunhat. Beanies are available for purchase at \$14:00 each. Non school beanies are not permitted.

Premiers' Reading Challenge:

This year's PRC has started. All students are registered. Parents may enter books at home. The older students will also complete their records at school. The PRC ends on the 5th September.

Carpark Gate Clearance:

Please keep at least a car width away from each side of the front gate at home time. We need this area to stay clear so that the staff, parents and students have a clear view of the road. We are also very conscious of the dangers of cars moving in this area as students are exiting the school yard. I have contacted the Council and requested 'Keep Clear' signage and line marking but have not yet heard back from them.

Important Dates:

Friday 4th of April:

Pizza Lunch Day

Assembly – 2:00pm

Term 1 Ends 2:30pm

Tuesday 22nd of April:

Start of Term 2

Friday 25th of April:

Anzac Day – Public Holiday

Friday 9th of May:

Mother's Day Morning Tea




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March Citizenship Award



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AFL PLAY



come find your awesome

DARLEY AUSKICK CENTRE
Darley Park
Wednesday's 5-6pm
Starts 30 April 2025

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AFL PLAY



AFL Superkick

GET IN THE GAME

Step into your footy era! Learn the skills and put them into action with our NEW AFL Program!

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Students of the Week Awards:



Kian



Clarkson



Elsa

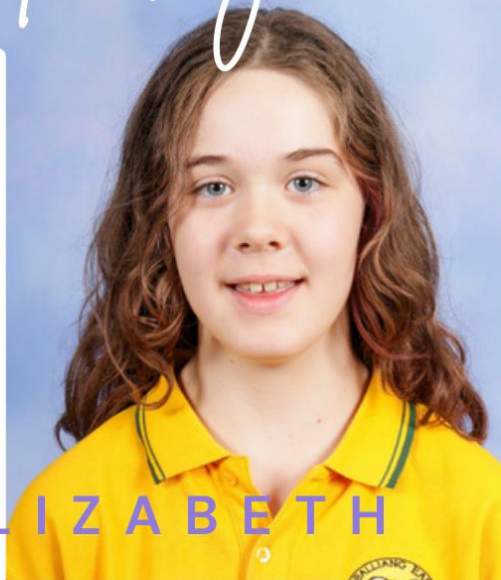


Charlotte

HAPPY
Birthday



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DENZEL



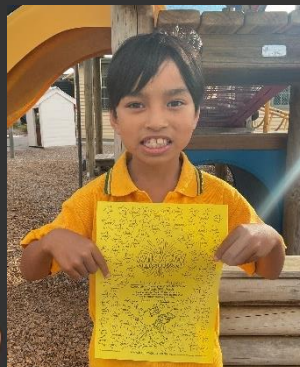
OUTSIDE THE GATE

DENZEL HAD HIS FIRST PRE-SEASON RUGBY GAME TODAY AND HIS TEAM (POWER HOUSE) WON 64-5 AND DENZEL SCORED 3 TRIES!!! HE PLAYED THE WHOLE 50MINS OF THE GAME TOO! EVERYONE WAS IMPRESSED BECAUSE HE IS NEW TO THE GAME.



Magic 300 words

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Clarkson

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Autumn School Holiday Program

Make a Mini Scarecrow Ages 5+

Join us to craft a mini scarecrow. All materials supplied just bring your brains, your heart and your courage!

Wizard of Oz Drop-in Craft Ages 5+

Drop in and create your very own Wizard of Oz-themed crafts! Whether you want to make a mini Tinman, a magical wand, or a rainbow suncatcher, there's something for everyone.

Wicked Ice-Cream Ages 5+

Are you a good witch or a bad witch? Make your own Wicked inspired ice cream using the power of magic (and a little bit of science).

Wizard of Oz Storytime and Face Painting All Ages

Travel somewhere over the rainbow and step into the magical land of OZ. Come dressed as your favourite character and join in the fun. Followed by whimsical face painting.

Emerald City Slime Ages 5+

Have a WICKED good time creating your own Emerald City Slime.

Easter Cookie Decorating Ages 3+

Decorate your very own Easter themed cookies. Get creative with colourful icing, sprinkles, and fun toppings.

Easter Drop-in Craft Ages 5+

Hop into our library for some Eggcellent Easter-themed craft activities!

Easter Storytime and Egg Hunt All Ages

Join us for Easter fun! Listen to Easter tales and songs then create a special basket to go on an Eggciting Hunt through the library.

Wizard of Oz Escape Room All Ages

Find the clues and solve puzzles to escape the library and collect a prize. Will you find your way home? Or will you be stuck in Oz forever? The magic awaits!



**MONDAY 7 APRIL TO
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AUTUMN SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM TIMETABLE

	Monday 7 April	Tuesday 8 April	Wednesday 9 April	Thursday 10 April	Friday 11 April	Saturday 12 April
10am - 11am		Wizard of Oz Drop-in Craft	Wizard of Oz Drop-in Craft	Wizard of Oz Storytime & Face Painting		*Emerald City Slime
11am - 12pm					Baby Bounce	
1pm - 2pm			*Wicked Ice-Cream			
2pm - 3pm	*Make a Mini Scarecrow		*Wicked Ice-Cream			
3pm - 4pm	*Make a Mini Scarecrow				Wizard of Oz Drop-in Craft	



	Monday 14 April	Tuesday 15 April	Wednesday 16 April	Thursday 17 April	ALL HOLIDAYS
10am - 11am	*Easter Cookie Decorating		Easter Storytime & Egg Hunt	Easter Storytime & Egg Hunt	Wizard of Oz Escape Room at Lerderberg Library
11am - 12pm	*Easter Cookie Decorating	Easter Drop-in Craft			Find clues and solve puzzles to escape the library and collect a prize. Will you find your way home? Or will you be stuck in Oz forever? The magic awaits! Visit any time during the School Holidays.
12pm - 1pm					
2pm - 3pm					Easter Egg Guessing Jar
3pm - 4pm	Easter Drop-in Craft				Guess the number of easter eggs in the jar. The closest guess wins! At Ballan and Lerderberg Library.

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