Dear Parents,

Unfortunately due to the wet weather the Year 4 Camp to Lake Tabourie has to be postponed until next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Hopefully by then the rain will have cleared and we will have a week of sunny days for both the Year 4 camp and then the Year 5 camp to Shallow Crossing later in the week on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

The year 6 camp to Pigeon House last week was amazing. The kids were just fabulous and handled the challenge of the mountain really well. Photos of all the camps will be posted in the 'Gallery' on our website in the coming days.

Our school participated in the National Day Against Bullying last Friday. Children have been discussing this topic in class and they have also been interacting with the app ‘Take a Stand’. We have all been very proud to see our children actively helping their friends. At Batemans Bay Public, we have a zero tolerance to bullying and we strongly encourage all parents to discuss any issues with their child’s class teacher. Please take the time to have a look through this very helpful website: [http://www.takeastandtogether.gov.au](http://www.takeastandtogether.gov.au)

A reminder to all parents about consistent and regular attendance. If your child is away, send a note the next day. Did you know that if your child has one day a week off school over the course of their primary schooling, they miss more than a years’ worth of school. Developing a regular pattern of attendance now in primary school is essential.

Looking forward to a busy week of LEARNING CARING SHARING PLAYING

Sue Maxworthy
Principal

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**K-2 ASSEMBLY NEWS**

JS will be hosting this week's K-2 assembly. Assembly is on Friday and begins at 9am in the school hall. Below are last week’s award winners.

- **JM**: Jarrod Kelly & Cadence McAdam
- **JMC**: Zoe Williams, Kodi Perkins & Gypsy Waterson
- **JST**: Charlee Rush & Harlan Cotter
- **JSN**: Desmond Rankmore & Ivy Innes Nebelung
- **JE**: Dan Rowing & Matilda de la Rue
- **JL**: Amelia Clark, Tisha Aldridge & Jaleesa Smith
- **JLT**: Connor Warren & Portia Jordan
- **JW**: Milly Betts & Sarah Clarke
- **JC**: Riley Zarew & Harris Davies
- **JS**: JR Mozes & Matilda Grant
- **JT**: Taleah Knight & Kate Isaacs
- **JSK**: Jordan Thomas
- **JSL**: Daniel Campbell
- **JSS**: Shiloh Kurzynski

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**URGENT URGENT!!**

Yes its that “hopping mad” time of the year again, where the P&C are asking for your help to assist with donations of Easter eggs & fluffy bunnies for our P & C Easter Raffle. If you are able to assist please drop them off at the front office ASAP.

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**Donations are Greatly Appreciated!**
**TERM 1—2014**
*Calender of Events*

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**SAVE THE DATE**

**Senior Camps**

- 31 Mar—2 Apr Year 4 Camp
  - Lake Tabourie
- 2-4 April Year 5 Camp
  - Shallow Crossing

**HAPPY HAT PARADE**

*Easter Hat Parade is Thursday 10th April from 12:15pm-1:00pm*

All parents, carers and family members are warmly invited to this family fun event.

We invite all children in Preschool - Year 2 to join in the fun and parade their hat.

Easter raffle to be drawn.

More details coming soon.

**BREAKFAST CLUB**

This is the breakfast clubs last week of operation for Term 1. Thank you to all the volunteers and families who have donated their time or items for use in the Breakfast Club. This highly successful program in our school will return in Week 2 Term 2.

**CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS**

The Canteen is in need of volunteers. If you are able to spare a few hours of your time once a month, once a fortnight or once a week, please contact the school office.

Student Banking is WEDNESDAY Bring your books in Wednesday and students will be given back their books on Thursday afternoon.

**UNIFORM SHOP HOURS***

Come and visit the uniform shop:

- Tuesday 8:30am to 10.00am
- Wednesday 2.30pm to 3.00pm

Located in the canteen we are here to help with all of your uniform requirements.

**Thank you to our breakfast club sponsors. Please support these businesses who support us!!**
**REMOVING HEAD LICE**

Mention head lice and most of us develop an itch. While head lice and nits (the eggs of head lice) are certainly annoying and persistent, they are not dangerous. Here’s everything you need to know to rid your kids of head lice and nits.

Find out more:


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**NSW University Competition**

Students still wishing to enrol in the University Competition you can still apply! Please see Mrs Canham for an application form and further info. Closing date 31 March 2014

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**SCHOOL ATTENDANCE**

Did you know that if your child misses as few as eight days in a school term (less than one day per week), by the end of high school they will have missed a whole year of their education? By law, parents are required to send your child to school every day the school is open for instruction (not including pupil free days). And by law, if your child has to be away from school for any reason you must send a signed note explaining the reason for the absence as soon as possible after the absence.

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**Outdoor Cinema “Frozen”**

Saturday 5th April 2014
Batemans Bay Salvation Army Amphitheatre
6:00pm Dinner
7:00pm Movie
Sausage Sizzle, Drinks and Popcorn will be on sale to raise money for Youth Programs!
In the event of unfavourable weather the movie will be held inside the church.

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**After School & Vacation Care**

Flexible programs providing a fun, stimulating and nurturing environment for all children.
To book call 4472 3277

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**Skool of Rock**

Peter Rich will be here on Fridays to meet with students interested in joining Skool of Rock band. New and returning students are all welcome. Skool of Rock will be on Fridays from 11:00am —1:40pm & students are to pay as they go or a term in advance.
Please see Peter on Fridays in the hall if you are interested or call Peter on 0414 473 569

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**Community News**

**LET’S DISCO**  For Children years 3 to years 6
When: Friday 4 April 6pm—8pm
Where: The Annex (opposite the Anglican Church) 1 Herarde Street
Cost: $5.00 per child or $10 per family (includes a snack)
Enquiries 4472 5822 Tues-Fri 9am-1:30pm

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