Dear Parents /Caregivers,

Congratulations to all our swimmers who took part in the district carnival at Narooma on Tuesday. While we didn’t have anyone progress to the regional carnival it was great to see the effort and sportsmanship of our children on the day. Jerome Chatfield and JC Lole- Ngarima were selected in the regional PSSA Basketball team to compete in the state championships in Terrigal. A fantastic effort.

You may or may not be aware of the many bomb threats in schools that have been happening over the state since the beginning of term. One of our local primary schools was also targeted recently which is concerning and disappointing. The school did a great job in handling the situation. The main concern when dealing with such emergencies is the safety of the children and staff. The school has an evacuation policy that it follows in the event of such emergencies. It is not until after the event and everyone is safe and accounted for and the police or emergency services have given us permission to return to class that we then notify parents through our e-news or if time permits a note home to all families. In an era of instant social media these emergencies are often on news and social media sites before schools or organisations get a chance to inform their community of what happened. Please be aware that your child’s safety is our main concern and communication of the event will follow as soon after as possible.

Our Year 4 are the pioneers for our camping program for 2016 and I did enjoy watching part of tent Practise this morning. A great program . Most of the class camping notes have gone out at this stage. I have the best job as I get to spend some time at all the camps and it is a real highlight.

While our classes are settled some of the bus behaviours are not. Please talk to your child about their responsibilities on the bus. The main concerns are moving around the bus, inappropriate language, and calling out. Many thanks for your support.

Have a great week.

Tom Purcell
Principal
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Pelican Pantry Volunteer Roster

WEEK 5
Mon 29  Narelle Welsh
         Stella May
Tue 1   Cheryl Healey
Wed 2   Amanda Clark
Thu 3   Amy Viles
Fri 4   Melanie Ingram

UNIFORM SHOP—is open Thursday mornings 8:30-10am for any uniform requirements. The uniform shop is located in the canteen.

K-2 ASSEMBLY NEWS
2/3H (only year 2 students will be involved in the assembly) will be hosting this week’s K-2 assembly. Assembly is on Friday and begins at 9am in the school hall. Below are the award winners from last week’s assembly.

KS  Taavi Wright, Maci Hardman
     Brydee Bensley
KL  Abbie O’Donnell, Liam Cameron
K  Abbee Jobson, Lynkon Jones
KW  Hamish Bishop, Arkelis Lole-Ngarima
K/1L Jennifer Jackson, Archer Fardell
1TA Tallan Blake, Jemima Davis
1LT Tristan George, Tanekkah Brown
1W  Abigail Pearman, Jayden Denman
1/2C Jesse Ludovici, Savannaah Butler
2L  Jordyn Trick, Kayden Smith
2H  Isaac Chatfield, Raeden Hudson-Hughes
2T  Amarlie Smith, Kodi Perkins,

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU PHONE THROUGH ANY HOME TIME CHANGES TO THE OFFICE NO LATER THAN 1PM. THIS ENSURES THAT WE CAN GET THE MESSAGE TO YOUR CHILD’S TEACHER.
A great day was had by the 27 students competing in the District Swimming Carnival yesterday at Narooma Indoor Swim Centre. In what was extremely humid conditions the students all swam well in their heats with many of our students competing in the fastest heats. It was great to see our new swimmers at BBPS, swimming for the very first time at this level. There were plenty of smiles and at the end of the day exhausted faces!

This year the competition from our rival schools Ulladulla, Milton and Narooma was very strong. We did have one third place on the day going to Jesse Thompson. A great achievement. Thank you to all the parents for your assistance on the day and in the lead up with money and notes etc. Also thanks to Les Haynes and Nat Sharpe for coming along and helping out as our team manager on the day!

Mrs Blunden
REGISTRATION CATCH UP FOR THOSE WHO COULDN'T MAKE IT TO SATURDAYS REGO DAY
THURSDAY FEBRUARY 25 2016 4:30-5:30
SURFSIDE FIELDS www.clydeunited.com.au

Registration Fees 2016

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We look forward to seeing all our returning players and meeting any new players.

REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW The netball season comp starts on April 30th. Registrations are online this season. Previous players will or may have received an email from netball NSW with a username & password. Credit card payments will have a $2.60 surcharge or there is direct deposit. Registration days are Thursday March 3rd 4-6 pm, sat 5th March & 12th March 0930-11.30. iPad & laptop will be available to use to register & eftpos is available. We will have dresses available for trying on at registration days. If organising a team pls who ever the nominated team organiser is can a team sheet be completed & with all players emails written on the back. A newsletter will be forwarded to the current emails of players with the price & link for registering. All teams require an umpire (2 people would be ideal) and the umpire will umpire either before games & after game times.

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