

# **Bega Valley Public School**

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#### NEWSLETTER - Term 2 Week 6

#### Phone: (02) 64 921 280

#### What's coming up:

Fri 28th May PSSA Girls Soccer

Fri 11th June Regional Cross Country

Mon 14th June Queens Birthday Public Holiday

Tues 15th June 5/6 Weyman Shield

Fri 18th June Athletics Carnival

Fri 25th June Reports go home Last day of Term 2

### **PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**

#### **Dear Parents / Carers**

Recently the Principal's position for Valley Public School Bega was advertised to be filled as a permanent position. The process has now been completed and I'm very excited to announce that I have been successful in gaining the position as Principal permanently. I have been at the school since 2016 and during this time I have grown to know each and every student across the school and have seen first hand how dedicated and passionate the teachers and staff are at this school. It is a great honour to be leading such an amazing school. I welcome the opportunity to continue to develop connections across the community and watch our students become successful lifelong learners.

#### **Music Camp**

I had the pleasure of attending the SCLC Music Camp performance last night. The amount of talent we have across our public schools in the Sapphire Coast is truly staggering. Many students from BVPS participated in this camp and outstanding concert and I was extremely proud of each and every student there. A huge thank you needs to go to all of the teachers and tutors that provided this experience for our students. A special mention needs to go out to our specialist music teacher Candy McVeity who was instrumental in organising and running the camp. I know our students will fondly remember their time at camp for years to come.





Invoices for Voluntary Contributions have been sent home with students this week. Please check your child/children's bags for these contributions invoices which are sent out yearly for \$30 per student or \$50 a family. There are no compulsory fees to attend NSW Government schools if families are wanting and able to support the school by paying a voluntary contribution then this is a welcomed supplementation.

The raised funds this year will be used for new sporting equipment and outdoor educational games sets. We greatly appreciate the contributions families are able to make towards our schools resources.



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#### **SCHOOL STREAM APP**

The P&C is very supportive of the school's move to start using the School Stream app. You can download this app for free at the iTunes store or the equivalent app store for non-Apple phones.

The School will use this app to get information like newsletters, bus breakdowns, absent notes, excursion details etc. out to parents.

Once you have downloaded the app you will be able to sign up to Bega Valley Public School and get all the alerts in real time as they are posted.



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#### **FACEBOOK**

Please join the school's Facebook page, it is a great source of information about what is happening in

the school. Information from the school will go out on School Stream and the info from the P&C will go out on **Facebook**, so make sure you join both.



P & C REPORT Term 2 Week 6 NEXT MEETING <u>Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> June</u>

## <u>at 5.30pm.</u>

All welcome to attend.

## **COMING UP on Friday 18th June 21**

The School Athletics Carnival will be the next event that P & C will be catering for.

Keep an eye out for more information, but we will be holding a cake stall and sausage sizzle that we will require volunteer help on the day.

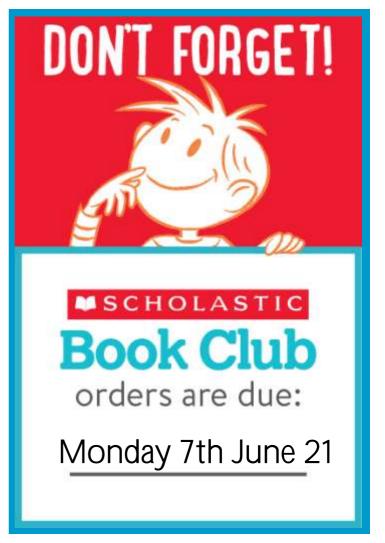
### P & C Events

Please keep an eye out for other P & C run events during the year. Things are still a bit fluid with COVID; but we are aiming to do as much as possible and put a lot back into the school community.

New members are always welcome and we also appreciate any volunteer help we can get.

## **BOOK CLUB**

BOOK CLUB catalogues were handed out to students this week, and all orders are to be handed in at the office before the due date please.



Also make sure that your child's name is clearly mark on their order along with their class and correct amount of money in a sealed envelope/ bag.

## **Class News K60**

What a busy first half of the term we have had in K6O. In our writing lessons over the past few weeks, our learning intention has been to use time connectives to sequence ideas in our writing. Using the book 'Bee and Me' as a stimulus, we described a sequence of events using cohesive vocabulary to indicate order e.g. at first, next and after. Below is a picture of Dean and Darcy showcasing their learning.



This week, K6O students went along to the Multi Sports Day which was held at the Bega Indoor Sports Stadium. Students were involved in a variety of sports, modified to suit their individual needs. The activities were run by professional coaches from state sporting bodies. The day was a great success with students and staff having a fantastic time.



## **Class News KB**

KB have been very busy this term. We had a wonderful time at the Bega Museum looking at and climbing on some of the old things. We especially liked the tractors and buggies. We have also been learning different types of breathing that will help us when we need to focus, like snake breathing, bee breathing and the grounding breath. In class we have been learning about Claude Monet and his love of painting outside. This week we did a recreation of the bridge over his waterlily pond. Here are some examples of our attempts at Impressionism painting.



## Class News 5/6R

We have been highly engaged in class listening to "Sadako and the Thousand Paper Cranes" and completing literacy based activities in this English unit. We are looking at Australia's global connections with other countries, in particular Japan. Making a paper crane is not an easy task, but the students are taking on the challenge. In Science, we have been predicting, hypothesising and completing experiments on light in groups, then drawing diagrams and writing up our results.

A highlight for our class was meeting our 1A class buddy and we look forward to continuing this relationship throughout the year! Many of our students have been involved in sporting, creative arts and musical opportunities this term.

In Maths we have been collaborating with a partner to show our problem solving strategies. We have been improving our addition and subtraction strategies when using money and learning about

budgeting.

We have started some athletics practice in fitness and are looking forward to continuing that in our sport time with field events athletics qualifications commencing this Friday (weather permitting!). Mrs Roberts will be running the high jump finals over the next few weeks, before out school athletics carnival on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> June.









## BEGA VALLEY PUBLIC SCHOOL SPORTS REPORT

Over the last two weeks so many students have represented our school in Soccer, AFL and Rugby League (tackle and tag) all students displaying great sportsmanship and resilience. Well done to these students.







# MUSIC NEWS

Eleven of our musical students are attending the 10th annual SCLC Music Camp this week at Kianniny Cabins, Tathra. They are having a fantastic time, learning new things, developing skills on their chosen instrument, singing, dancing and making new friends. There are students from Bega High School, Eden Marine High School, Eden Public School, Candelo Public School, Pambula Public School, Cobargo Public School, Towamba Public School, Wolumla Public School, Wyndham Public school and Tanja Public School. It is a great camp to meet students from other schools who will be attending our local high schools in the years to come.





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## Bega Valley Bin Bombers Lunch Box Ideas/Recipes

| Week | Recipe  | Photo    |
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| 2    | Zucchini Muffin2 zucchinis, grated & liquid squeezed out1 carrot grated1 corn cob worth of cornkernels1 small red onion finely diced1 cup baby spinach leaves1 cup wholemeal self-raising flour6 eggs, beaten1 cup tasty cheese, grated.Method1.Preheat oven to 180C. Line muffin traywith patty pans. (x12)2. Heat frypan over medium heat andcook the onion until translucent. Allow tocool.3. Place all ingredients into a large mix-ing bowl and mix until well combined.4. Divide mixture between the 12 pattypans in muffin tray. Bake for 25 to 30minutes or until muffins are golden and askewer comes out clean. | <image/> |

## One of the Kids

Free workshop for parents of kids with disability Wednesday 16 June 2021: Club Bega



## Free local workshop for parents of kids with disability

Learn about inclusive education, hear stories of success from a parent guest speaker and see how inclusion works in the regular classroom.

• For parents, family members, friends and allies of children with disability at primary school, preschool or lower secondary school

• Your child's disability could include autism, intellectual disability, cerebral palsy, spina bifida, Down Syndrome or any combination of physical, intellectual or sensory disability.

- Wednesday 16 June 2021 at Club Bega, 9.30am 3pm
- Free workshop, bookings essential <u>www.family-advocacy.com/events</u> or call 1800 620 588
- Facebook event to share: https://fb.me/e/1Hi4P76hg





# Enrolling now for Kindergarten 2022

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For further details or to book an interview with our Principal please contact the school office 6492 1280

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# Bega Valley Public School KINDERGARTEN 2022



The pathway to learning starts with the first steps in Kindergarten

## Smooth Start Dates Fridays

27th August, 3rd & 10th September 29th October & 5th November 2021



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