



BARHAM PUBLIC SCHOOL

2019 NSW Term 4 Week 8 Newsletter

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UPCOMING EVENTS

25 th Nov -6 th Dec	Intensive Swimming Program
4 th Dec	Murray Haven Choir
6 th Dec	Whole School Christmas Assembly
9 th – 10 th Dec	Step Up Program High School Transition Days Preschool Transition Days
11 th Dec	Murray Haven Choir
16 th Dec	Graduation Dinner 6pm
17 th Dec	Presentation Day – 9.30am
18 th December	Whole School Reward
	Last day of school for students
5 th February 2020	First day of school for 2020 for students

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Welcome to Week 8

Thankyou to everyone who came to see the Year 5 leadership speeches on Wednesday. They were of very high quality and it is hard to predict who will be presented with the school captain badge on Presentation Day.

With such a chilly start to the week, we have had to adjust the learn to swim program. Students will be having a catch-up lesson on Friday this week as their culminating lesson. Students have been very organised to date bringing in all they need for their swimming lessons. Keep up the great effort!

On Wednesday our choir will head to Murray Haven to continue their rehearsals for the Christmas concert and on Thursday ukulele lessons continue in preparation for their performance at Presentation Day.

Kinder transition continues with a full day on Friday before they join us for the Step Up program on Monday and Tuesday next week.

It promises to be another wonderful week. There is just two and a half weeks of school remaining for our students and staff. Our Presentation Day Assembly will be held on Tuesday 17th December at the Barham Club.

The last day of term is Wednesday 18th December. Please note that there is no school on Thursday 19th December or Friday 20th December of Week 10.

Roslyn Buchanan

INTENSIVE SWIMMING PROGRAM



KINDER TRANSITION





WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Mark the calendar for Friday 6th December at 2pm and head in to school for our Christmas Assembly! Year 3/4 will be leading the assembly and each class will spread the Christmas cheer with their own item. It promises to be an action-packed afternoon and we would love your company.

YEAR 7 TRANSITION – STEP UP

The Year 6 students continue their transition program on the 9th and 10th of December, attending the High School for full days. Students go to the High School in the morning and leave from the High School at the end of the day. These transition days run in conjunction with our **Step Up** program where all students will be learning about their new classroom, classmates and teacher for 2020. More information will be provided about organisation for 2020 in next week's newsletter.

WEEK Gr8

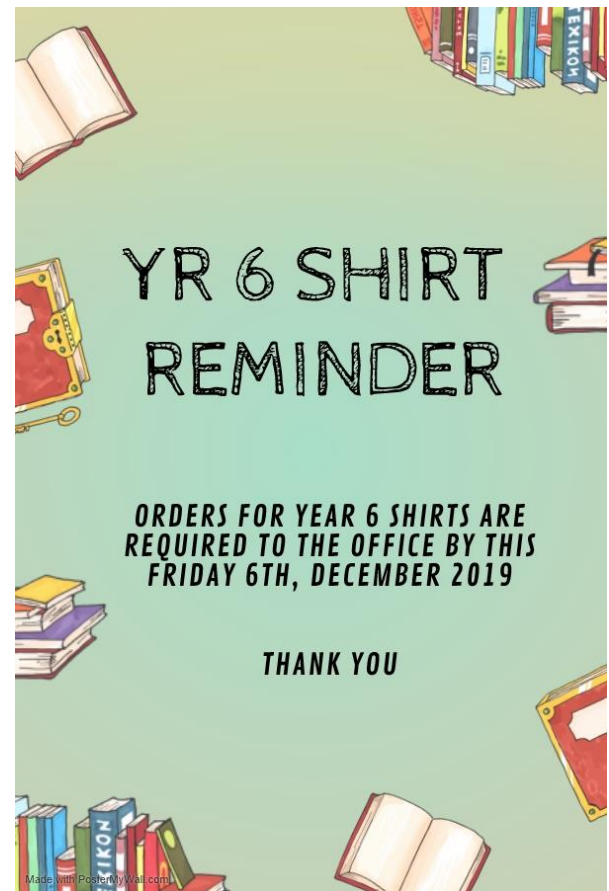
Year 5 leaders and students in the SPARC programs will join forces this week to help celebrate week Gr8. Mrs Lake and Robyn will support the students to create fruit platters to share with students at their break. This is a way of giving to others – actions that make others feel good and give you a sense of achievement. Great work!

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST – SCHOOL LEARNING SUPPORT OFFICER

Please see advert in this newsletter for further information about this position within our school.

YEAR 5 LEADERSHIP MORNING TEA AND SPEECHES





SWIMMING

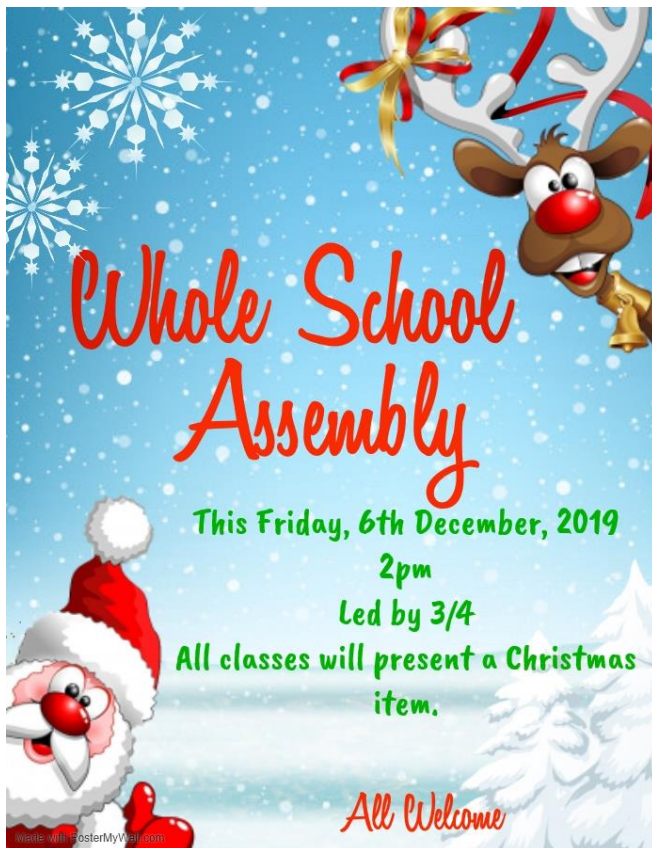
LESSONS

Lunch will be at normal time on this day.



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If you are unavailable, please arrange your own substitute, or contact Sonya at the canteen on 5453 2321

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Position Vacant

Student Learning Support Officer (SLSO) – Temporary

A temporary position as a Student Support Learning Officer (SLSO) at Barham Public School will exist for Term 1 2020 with the possibility of extension for the remainder of the year. The successful applicant will be available to work from Monday to Friday for approximately 30 hours a week.

SLSOs work under the supervision and direction of a teacher to assist in the implementation of quality learning programs for targeted students.

Duties may include:

- Directly implementing teacher-planned activities according to teacher directions.
- Assisting generally with whole class activities, with specific assistance given to targeted students or small learning groups.
- Working with other students in the class to allow additional class teacher teaching time with targeted students.
- Preparing learning resources to support targeted learning programs.

A successful applicant needs to have:

- a current Working With Children Check
- effective communication skills
- the ability to follow directions
- the ability to uphold the routines and confidentiality of the classroom and school
- skills in the use of computers, and basic administrative skills.

Please submit applications addressing the above criteria to The Principal (Rel.), Barham Public School, by Thursday 12th December 2019.

Digital Storytelling Workshops: Thriving and Surviving

Swan Hill, 14 – 16 January 2020

Are you 12 - 25 and have experienced tough times?

This project provides an opportunity for young rural farming community members to voice their experiences of tough times and for others to learn from these stories.

Share your experience, and advocate for the region in this FREE and empowering opportunity (worth \$2500!)

For more information and express your interest:

Contact Rhiannon Jennings, YACVic Rural Development Co-ordinator

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