

Berrima Public School

NEWSLETTER



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Growing hearts and minds of lifelong learners

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WEEK 10

LANTERN WALK

A HUGE thank you to everyone involved in the set up, pack up and organisation of this year's Lantern Walk. What a magical night for our community!

Special mention to :

- Gep and Emma Blake for working their magic in the COLA
- Megan Stone for her prowess in the kitchen
- Mrs Kennedy for her inspiration and dedication
- The students, teachers and families for their creative installations
- Artists from the Sydney Opera House, Clare and Keila
- All of the helpers in the kitchen, COLA set-up and track workers.
- Our amazing P&C

This event was a timely reminder of the importance of community and the joy and connection we have at our school.

SENTRAL PARENT PORTAL

Semester 1 reports will be sent home via the Sentral Parent Portal tomorrow. Please check that you have access to this app and if you are experiencing any difficulties please phone the office. Year 6 received their reports this way last week as a trial and we found that a few parents needed to be given a 'key' to access the app. Once they had phoned the office they were able to access their child's reports very easily. We thank you for your patience as we work out the stumbling blocks in this process.

ART WORKSHOPS

As a culminating activity for our Term 2 focus on the arts we are very lucky to have a number of our visiting artists return on Wednesday June 29. We are excited to be offering our children these workshops that will introduce them to some new skills and experiences. It has been such a pleasure to watch the children's growth in asking the artists questions to deepen their understanding of art appreciation.

INDUSTRIAL ACTION

The NSW Teachers Federation has directed its membership to take industrial action in the form of a 24-hour strike on Thursday 30 June 2022. As a result of the strike, we will still be open but will be providing minimal student supervision on this date. Minimal supervision means onsite teaching and learning continues however temporary class structures and a modified timetable are required to meet safety and supervision requirements.

Thank you for your support and understanding during this short period of disruption.

TERM 3 CURRICULUM FOCUS ~ PDHPE

Next term our curriculum focus is Personal Development, Health and Physical Education. We look forward to offering a numbers of skill building workshops including hockey, rugby and gymnastics. We have been fortunate to secure a sporting grant towards covering some of the costs of these experts. There will be a small fee of \$25 per student to cover the remainder of the costs of these activities. This works out at \$2.50 a week. A note will go home this week.

END OF TERM ASSEMBLY

We warmly invite you to join us on Friday July 1 for our end of term celebration of learning assembly at 9.30am. We hope you can join us!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

TERM 2 WEEK 10

Monday June 27	P/T interview notes due
Tuesday June 28	Yr 3-6 Choir @8.15am Student reports go home
Wednesday June 29	Art workshops P/T interviews
Thursday June 30	INDUSTRIAL ACTION Minimal supervision
Friday July 1	NO Friday Morning run End of Term assembly @9.30am

TERM 3 WEEK 1

Monday July 18	Staff Development Day
Tuesday July 19	Students return for Term 3
Wednesday July 20	
Thursday July 21	
Friday July 22	Friday morning run Gymnastrix

P&C MEETINGS FOR 2022

- Term 3: Monday August 8
- Term 3: Monday September 5
- Term 4: Monday October 17
- Term 4: Monday November 21