Bunnaloo Public School NEWSLETTER



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2023 SCHOOL DATES

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December

7th - End of Year Reports go home & SRE Xmas Church Service

8th - Echuca Fun Day!!

11th - Working Bee at Bunnaloo Community Centre

14th - Concert/Presentation Evening

15th - Final Day at School for all Students K-6

18th & 19th - Pupil Free Days , Curriculum Days for Staff

STUDENT AWARDS

Henry Haworth - For fantastic effort in cooking.

Olivia Gardiner - For being so helpful in cooking.

2024 Sporting Dates:

- 19/2 Small School's Swimming Carnival in Deniliquin (TBC)
- 23/2 Deniliquin District Swimming (Hay)
- 5/4 Netball Trials (Deniliquin)
- 15/5 Small School's Cross Country
- 27/5 Deniliquin District Cross Country (Deniliquin)
- 31/5 EDNA Primary School's Netball Carnival
- 9/8 Deniliquin District Athletics
- 25 29/11 Bunnaloo PS Whole School Swimming

Echuca Fun Day

On **Friday the 8th of December** our whole school will be travelling to Echuca to celebrate the end of the year.

A big thanks to the P&C who are covering the cost of the Lakes Coach that will take us too and from Echuca on the day.

All other costs associated with the day will be covered by the school.

We will be departing from the school as soon as the last bus arrives in the morning.

Children will need to bring their recess and lunch and plenty to drink, especially if it is a hot day.

The program for the day will be as follows.

10 - 11 Mini Golf at Rich River Golf Club

11:30-12:30 Ride on the Paddle Steamer Canberra, followed by an ice cream at the Port Ice Creamery

1:15 –2:15 Bounce at Gravity Shack Trampoline Centre.

Then return to School by Coach.

On the day if it is more convenient for families, children can either be dropped off at Rich River or pick up from Gravity Shack.

Children will need to be in full School uniform.

Please complete the attached consent form at the end of today's newsletter and return it to school ASAP to assist with the organisation of the day.

WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL

Hall Set Up Working Bee

A working bee will be held at the Bunnaloo Community Centre to set up ready for the 2023 Concert and Presentation Evening on **Monday the 11th of December from 8am**.

No Utes or Trailers will be required as everything that we need is now stored in the hall.

The working bee will only need to set up the stage and bring out the chairs.

Hopefully many hands will make light work on the day. All assistance will be greatly appreciated.

Big Bunnaloo Bike Ride

While the weather wasn't exactly kind we had an absolutely fantastic day at last Friday's bike ride.

Thanks to the families who came along and helped out on the day, to those who donated eggs and ice creams that the kids really enjoyed after a big day on the pedals.

All of our students K-6 are to be heartedly congratulated on their magnificent efforts.

Our students as a group K-6 completed 357 laps of our 1.2 km course which totalled 428 km.

Our challenge was 270 km (the distance from Bunnaloo to Melbourne) which the kids absolutely smashed.

Instead of just travelling to Melbourne we would have swing a quick 180 and then made our way back to the Toolleen Tin Shed for a refreshing break.

Well Done to all of our riders and a huge thanks to Transport NSW & the NSW Police for their great assistance in making the ride happen.



Bunnaloo Public School Concert and Presentation Evening

Our Annual Bunnaloo Public School Concert and Presentation Evening will be held at the Bunnaloo Community Centre from 6.30pm sharp on **Thursday the 14th of December**.

Children will need to be at the hall by **6.15pm**.

As noted in recent newsletters a working bee will be held at the community centre from 8am on Monday the 11th of December.

A second working bee will be held after the concert to pack up the stage/chairs/sweep the floor etc so that the hall is ready for the Bunnaloo Day Care group the next morning.

Hence our 6.30pm start so we will be able to get this done and still be home at a reasonable hour.

A super will follow the Presentation Evening, can each family please bring along a plate on the night.

Raffle tickets for our Hamper have been included with today's newsletter.

Can all sold tickets & hamper donations please be back to school by **Wednesday the 13th of December** at the latest.

The raffle will be drawn at the end of our proceedings.

A big thanks to the Wise Family, Murray River Council, Echuca/Moama Apex, the Deniliquin Lions Club, Helen McRae and the Bunnaloo Public School for their generous donations of awards that will be presented on the night.

Christmas Colouring Competition

Mrs Dickson will be having a Christmas Colouring Competition this year.

Categories are Kinder, Year 1/2, Year 3/4 and Year 5/6.

If you would like to participate in Mrs Dickson's Colouring Competition please come to the office and pick up a colouring.

Entries Close on the 8th of December, winners will go up in the office.

Colourings will be judged by her family.

SRE Church Service

A reminder that the Annual SRE Xmas Church Service will be held at the **Bunnaloo Church from 12:15pm on Thursday the 7th of December.** All Welcome.



Library

This Thursday will be our final borrowing day for 2023.

All Library Books will be collected on **Thursday the 30th of November** ready for our end of year stocktake.

FREE BOOKS !!!

The library has been clearing older and damaged books off the shelves, and we have a number of books not needed any more.

Students (and Parents) are welcome to come and look through and take some home.

The books are in the library in tubs labelled free books!

Ms King will be there to assist students to choose books.

Christmas Hamper

Once again we will be running a Christmas Hamper Raffle this year that will be drawn at the Concert & Presentation Evening.

If each family can donate appropriate item(s) for the hamper(s) and send them along to school before **Wednesday the 13th of December**, it would be greatly appreciated.

Raffle tickets included with today's newsletter.

All funds raised will support student excursions in 2024.



Bunnaloo P and C Fundraiser

A message from the P & C,

Bunnaloo Public School has it's own NGR Card.

As a P & C we are asking for donations in tis upcoming harvest.

Any donations small or large would be greatly appreciated to help us to continue to access new educational resources, excursions, inclusions and provide our students with as many experiences possible.

It's easy to do. If you or a family member would like to donate some grain from their upcoming harvest, they can quote this NGR Number at the silo complex and nominate how much to donate from each load.



Bike Ride 2023











































































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