From the Principal’s Desk

Welcome back to school for 2015 and a special welcome to our new students and teachers, we are happy you have joined us and we hope you enjoy your time at Boggabri Public School.

Miss Stoltenberg has joined us from the Newcastle area, however, she was born and bred in this area and is very happy to be here closer to her family.

Miss Jones is our new Assistant Principal and is a local Gunnedah girl.

Classes this year are very similar to how they were last year, we have six classes.

This year the classes are as follows:-
Kindergarten – Mrs Ferguson / Miss Beasley
Year 1/2 – Miss Pauling
Year 2 – Miss Mexted
Year 3 – Mrs Wood / Mrs Clancy
Year 4/5 – Miss Jones
Year 5/6 – Miss Stoltenberg
Smart Start – Miss Beasley

Sport and scripture will be held on Fridays and we will also have our school assemblies on this day. Scripture will start on Friday 13th February.

Swimming Carnival

Our school swimming carnival will be held this Friday 6th February. The children come to school at the normal time and we will walk down to the pool as a school group. This carnival will involve the whole school from Kindergarten to Year 6. Those children turning 8 this year who can swim the length of the pool comfortably are entitled to participate in the primary carnival regardless of what year they are in.

The infants will have their own carnival in the small pool.

The primary will commence at 9.30am. The infants will. All parents, carers and friends and welcome.

Assistance on the day would be appreciated.

Sports Captains

Congratulations to Leath Readett and Lillian Purvis who were elected as the Kamilaroi sports captains and to Madison Kerr and Dylan Shepherd who are the Binnalong sports captains. I am sure that these four students will do a fantastic job encouraging everyone to have a go and try their best in all sporting events.

Class Letters

Each teacher will soon provide you with a class newsletter outlining important information, such as library day, the procedure for homework/readers and your child’s news day if applicable. If you have any concerns or questions please contact your class teacher or the front office.

Permission Notes

Please fill in the attached Student Emergency Update Information, walking and media permission notes and return to the front office as soon as possible.

Have a wonderful week.

Charna Wood
Principal

Up Coming Events

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School Swimming Carnival: Friday 6th February
Smart Start begins: Monday 9th February
Zone Swimming Carnival: Wednesday 18th February
Uniforms
Monday – Thursday

Girls
- School Dress with black shoes and white or navy socks, navy bike pants underneath (optional)
- School polo shirt with navy skorts (no bike pants visible), black shoes with white or navy socks

Boys
- School polo shirt with navy cargo shorts, black shoes with navy socks

Friday
Girls and Boys
- School polo shirt and navy mesh sport shorts with joggers and white or navy socks.

All uniforms, except the shoes and socks can be purchased from the school office.
We do run a very limited clothing pool where items are available for a small donation.
If you require a copy of the school uniform policy please see the front office.

Canteen News
The canteen has re-opened from today. If your child would like to order their lunch, please send their order on a paper bag or envelope with the money inside.
We are still in need of volunteers to help out on a Wednesday and Thursday. If you can spare one day a week/fortnight/term/month it would be a great help.
If you are on Facebook please join our Boggabri Public School P & C page to keep up to date with things happening.

Community News

Busy Little Hands at Play
Busy Little Hands at Play will be held on Tuesday 17th February and the 3rd, 17th and 31st of March at 9.45am-11.45am in the Smart Start room. For further enquiries please phone 67923562. You can always check dates & times on Facebook – Narrabri Neighbourhood Centre or Busy Little Hands at Play. For more information Phone Kate 67923562 Tues-Thurs or email kate@ndcas.com.

Farrer Memorial Agricultural High School Open Day
Farrer Memorial Agricultural High School will be holding an Open Day on Wednesday 18 February 2015 commencing at 9.30am for prospective student and their parents. Please RSVP: Enrolments Officer 6764 8607 or Email: kerry.hussey@det.nsw.edu.au
Dress casual and please wear a hat.
Year 7 – 2016, Selective Schools Exam will be held 12 March 2015 www.farrer.nsw.edu.au.

G.S.Kidd Memorial School
G.S Kidd Memorial School will be presenting the movie "THE WATER DIVINER" as a fundraiser, on Thursday 5th February 2015 at the Civic Theatre, Gunnedah commencing at 6.30pm with Pre Movie Drinks and Nibbles, movie commences at 7pm. Supper to follow
Tickets $25.

Tambar Springs Progress Association
Old-Time Bush Dance
Saturday 21st March 2015
Tambar Springs Showground
(Black Stump Way)
6.30pm for 7pm dinner
Band starts 8pm
Tickets $35/adult; $15/child (under 15years)
Kick up your heels and do-si-doh the night away with Nodding Thistles! Bookings & general enquiries to Bec Bavister mob. 0410 302732, or Kylie Short ph. 02 67442406.

The Great Tambar Tug-Off
Saturday 21st March 2015
Tambar Springs Showground
(Black Stump Way)
GRAND PRIZE; Half the pot & bragging rights (the more teams entered, the bigger the prize-money!)
Starts 12 noon
$20 per head/per team
(8 in team, mixed team, minimum of 2 females)
Canteen & BBQ running from 12pm
General enquiries and entry forms contact Bec Bavister mob. 0410 302732.