Welcome Back
Welcome back to all our students and families after a much appreciated mid year break. Thanks to all of the families who made the effort to involve themselves in our mid year parent/teacher interviews, and thanks to Lisa and Cheryl for all of their time and effort that was dedicated to assessment, report writing and the interview process. Welcome back to Joy after her recent Long Service Leave and a big thanks to Judy for so capably running the office in Joy’s absence.

Small Schools Athletics Carnival
The Small School’s Athletics Carnival will be held at the Deniliquin Rams oval in on Thursday the 30th of July. Transport to and from the event will be a parental responsibility. More details will be included in next week’s newsletter.

DATES TO REMEMBER 2015

July
Term 3
20th - P & C Meeting
24th - Canteen
27th - Police Visit
28th - UNSW English Competition Yrs. 3-6
30th - Small School’s Athletics Carnival

August
6th - Years 3/4 Leo Barry Fun Day
7th - Years 5/6 Leo Barry Fun Day
11th - Maths Competition
13th - Deniliquin District Athletics Carnival
14th - Canteen
19th - Author Visit
27th - Book Week Parade

September
10th - Tony Bones
7th-9th - 5/6 Bendigo/Ballarat Excursion
14th-17th - 3/4 Excursion
18th - Last Day of Term 3

Bunnaloo Public School

Tuesday 14th July, 2015

Dates for Term 3
11/8 - Maths Competition
13/8 - Deniliquin District Athletics Carnival
14/8 - Final Canteen
7/8/9th September - Year 5/6 Excursion
14/15/16th September - Year 3/4 Excursion
10/9 - Tony Bones Performance
18/9 - P. & C. Movie Night at the Bunnaloo C.C.

Police Visit
On Monday the 27th of July we will be having a visit from the NSW Police Force Youth Liaison Office, Senior Constable Paul Ebsworth who is based in Deniliquin Local Area Command.

Between recess and lunch Senior Constable Ebsworth will talk to both the K/1/2 and Year 3/4 classes about Stranger Danger/Road Safety and Vehicle Safety. After lunch he will speak to the Year 5/6 class about Social Media Awareness & Safety, Cyber Bullying and Bullying in general.

At lunchtime from 1-2pm Senior Constable Ebsworth will be presenting a parent session along similar lines to the Year 5/6 session but with a focus on keeping your children safe whilst on the internet. With so many homes now having wi-fi and children accessing Facebook, on line games and apps like Snap Chat this is a very timely session that will be of great benefit to all parents. This is not something that we can hide from just because we are a small, rural and isolated country school. Students from Bunnaloo P.S. have already put themselves in risky situations online and hopefully advice gained from this session will prevent any further dangerous situations. I would expect all Year 5/6 students to have at least one parent present for the session, while parents of younger children are most welcome to join us on the day. Hopefully the knowledge gained on the day will help to make all of our students safer in the future. Can all parents who will be attending the session please complete the attached attendance confirmation note so that I can confirm numbers with the Senior Constable.
Canteen
The next Canteen will be held on Friday the 24th of July with Charlie, Lily and Marcus to provide food.

Book Week
A reminder that the Book Week Parade will be held on Thursday 27th August. Students are asked to dress as a character from one of their favourite books. We encourage children to make their own costumes and not get bought costumes.

P. & C.
The next P. & C. meeting will be held next Monday the 20th of July from 7.30pm in the library. All welcome.

Awards
Students to receive awards on the 23rd June were:
Sam - Contributing well in class discussions
Willem - Good work on morning Maths Mentals
Lily - Excellent Comprehension test result
Jim - Always completing work neatly in class.

PVC Subsidy
There has been a delay in the payment of all Private Vehicle Conveyance claims for Semester One as the Transport Department have not processed any claims as yet. These claims will be processed in the coming weeks and payment will be made sometime in August.

MATHTOURA PRESCHOOL
2016 Preschool Enrolments
Applications open Monday 24th August
Families are welcome to tour the Preschool Tuesday 25th August from 12.00-3.00pm.
All applications strictly close on Wednesday 9th September.
Contact Sharnie Celli, Nominated Supervisor
Monday- Wednesday should you have any questions, phone 58843362 or email mathourapreschool@bigpond.com.

POLICE VISIT
ATTENDANCE FORM
FAMILY NAME: ________________
There will be _____ (number of adults) attending the Parent Session on Monday 27th July, 2015 At 1pm
If your child is going to be absent from school please call staff in the school office to let them know as soon as possible.

Please send this completed note to school on the first day back after your child’s absence.

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