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Term 3

Week 6

Buronga Public School celebrated Book Week on Friday 18 August with our annual Book Week Parade and group activities using the 2017 shortlisted books.



It was wonderful to see so many parents and friends at school to watch the Book Week Parade, where students dressed as a character from a book they enjoy. It was lovely to see all our students engaged and participating in the event. A big thank you to parents and carers who, along with their children, put an amazing amount of effort into the costumes.



Following activity groups, students enjoyed what can only be described as a fantastic feast at lunchtime provided by our dedicated and generous parents and carers. We enjoyed hot food that warmed us on a very cold day, glorious fruit platters, tasty dips, cheese, crackers and savoury delights, a variety of healthy sandwiches and to finish a wonderful dessert table.



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In 1946 the Children's Book Council of Australia (CBCA) established annual book awards to promote children's books of high literary and artistic quality. These awards are now the most influential and highly respected in Australia.

Each year, schools and public libraries across Australia spend a week celebrating books, and Australian authors and illustrators. Teachers and librarians conduct activities relating to a theme to highlight the importance of reading.

The winning books for 2017:

Younger readers	Rockhopping
Early Childhood	Go Home Cheeky Animals
Picture Book	Rain
Information Book	Amazing Animals



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Year 5/6 MaKey MaKey



What's MaKey MaKey?

MaKey MaKey is an invention kit for the 21st century. Turn everyday objects into touchpads and combine them with the internet. It's a simple Invention Kit for Beginners and Experts doing art, engineering, and everything in between!

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P&C News

Hello Everyone

We are in full festival mode and need your help. If you know of a business that would be willing to be a sponsor in the form of cash donation or prize donation please let me know.

Father's Day is fast approaching. Our Father's Day Raffle will be drawn on Friday, September 1st at assembly. We are once again asking for donations for our raffle hampers. They can be placed in the box in the office. The Father's Day Stall will be held after assembly with items ranging from \$2-\$5.

Have a great week! Sarah

Head Lice

We have a number of cases of head lice reported at school.

Please check your child's hair and treat appropriately at home. If you need assistance treating your child's hair, please come and see us at the office and we can help.

Untreated cases cause extreme discomfort and allows head lice to spread throughout the school community.

Please talk with your children about not sharing hats and students with long hair consider wearing it tied up. These simple actions can minimise the risk of head lice spreading. Thanks for your cooperation.

School Planning

Buronga Public School wants to hear your feedback. Constructive feedback is vital for our school to continue to develop and improve.

Students, staff and parents are asked to complete a short survey that will keep us informed and provide some directions for future planning. Please take the time to fill in the survey. We are hoping all parents and carers are able to participate. It is short, quick and easy.

If you need any assistance in accessing the survey or would like to use school technology to complete the survey please feel free to call in and we can arrange this.

You can access the survey at

<https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/buronga>

You can complete the survey using smartphones, ipads, tablets, laptops or computers. The survey will typically take 15 minutes or less to complete and is completely confidential. The parent survey will be conducted between 21 August and 13 October.

Barrier Athletics

The Barrier Athletics Carnival is scheduled for Friday 1 September at the Aero Ovals in Mildura. If your child qualified to compete in the carnival, you will receive notification and carnival details from Mr Stewart.

Buronga Public School EFTPOS

We have now EFTPOS facilities at the school office. Parents and Carers can pay for school expenses using this system.



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