

# The Wave



Term 4 – Week 8

## Principal's Message

### 3 weeks until the End of Term 4

With only 3 weeks to go, there are lots of things still happening at school. Student reports are being finalised, preparations are underway for end of year activities, and we are organising our school for 2022.

Student reports will be coming home in week 10.

### Presentation Day Assembly

Our end of year presentation assembly will be held on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December and will need to be quite different this year due to the ongoing concerns around Covid-19.

**Unfortunately, parents/carers are unable to attend this event.** In addition, to maintain students in their cohorts, we will be holding 3 separate assemblies. One for Years K-2 students, one for Years 3 and 4 and one for Years 5 and 6.

We will make sure that lots of photos are taken to share with parents, carers and our community.

### School Leaders 2022

Year 5 students who have nominated to become one of our School Leaders in 2022 will present their speeches to the school on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> November. This is a brave step for our students, and we wish them all the best in giving their speeches!

We look forward to presenting the incoming school leaders with their badges at our presentation assembly in Week 10.

### Dental & Optical Visit

There is still time to get your notes in for this visit which is on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November. This is a great opportunity to have eyes and teeth tested for your child/ren.

Kind Regards,  
Stacie Luppi

## Important Dates

### Term 4 - 2021

#### Week 9

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November to  
Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December  
Dental & Optical Visit

#### Week 10

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> December  
Kindergarten – Year 2  
Ballina Cinema  
"Encanto" Movie

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December  
Presentation Day Assembly  
(Students Only)

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December  
Year 6 Farewell

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December  
Principal's Award Assembly  
(Students Only)

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December  
PBL Principal's Award Excursion

#### Week 11

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December  
Stage 3  
Roller Skating Fun Day  
(Lismore)

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December  
Stage 3  
Pizza Lunch & Ten Pin Bowling  
(Ballina)

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December  
Last Day of Term

Stage 3  
Laser Skirmish, Jumping Castle  
and other activities  
(At school)

## Canteen News



### THIS WEEK'S MEAL DEAL

**Fried Rice (v)**

**Popper**  
*(Tropical/Apple)*

**Cheese & Bacon Roll**

**Prize**

**\$6.00**

Welcome to Angie our new canteen volunteer.

**Alison Mann**  
**Canteen Manager**

## School Banking

School Banking is now finished.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Joan Gibson for her time and dedication over the years.

**Joan**  
**School Banking**

## Book Club

Issue 8 – Book Club has been handed out to students.

This closes on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2021.

Orders after this date will not be accepted.

## Dental & Optical Visit



# Dental & Optical Visit

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December, 2021



Next week we have the Dental & Optical Van coming to perform check-ups on all students who have returned their permission notes.

## PBL Weekly Focus

This week we are focusing on transitions between one area to another.

What is a Transition?

Transition time is the time it takes to change from one area to another and this provides students with an opportunity to practice transitioning smoothly and be ready for their learning activities when they arrive. Because transition time tends to be less structured, it is important to practice safe transitioning between locations.

## End of Year Monster Raffle

The SRC end of year 'Monster Raffle' is well underway. Ticket books have been handed out to students and there are HUGE prizes up for grabs, tickets are selling fast.

Listed below are local businesses who have kindly donated prizes:

Pet Stock	I Nails	Mr Mozzarella
Sea Silk Gallery	Barbeques Galore	Mezza @ The Point
Body Beyond Ballina	Eight Brothers	Mumbai Masala
Ballina Pool & Waterslide	Lennox Smokin Barrel	Burrito Bar
The Cove	Opal Nails	Ballina Tenpin Bowling
Gloria Jeans Coffee	Cherry Street Sports Club	Indian Kitchen
Northern Rivers Seafood	Direct Factory & Boots	Enspire
Priceline Pharmacy	Sportspower Super Warehouse	The Bicycle Emporium
Ballina Surf	Blooms The Chemist	The Cellar
Ballina R.S.L Club	Noodle Box Ballina Fair	The Coffee Club
Our Chemist	Repcos Ballina	Nosh
West Tower Tavern	Fishermans Co-Op	Baskin Robbins
Tonic Hair Body Beauty	The Book Warehouse	Bi Rite
Ballina Fair Cinemas	Ballina Book Shop	Red Earth Jewellery
Belle General	Sonnie's Thai	

All tickets **MUST** be returned to our administration office by **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December, 2021**. For every booklet sold and returned, students receive 1 entry into the draw to win a single pool admission and slide pass.

# Year 6 Farewell

Invitations for the Year 6 Farewell have been handed out.

We confirm the photos will be taken at the Jockey Club and not at School as listed on the invitation.



## Year 6 Farewell

### 2021

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December

We would like to invite all Year Six students to the 2021 Farewell. We will be celebrating the Class of 2021 in style on Wednesday the 8<sup>th</sup> of December. Please indicate below if your child will be attending the event and if you plan to join us for the evening.

**Date:** Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2021  
**Location:** Ballina Jockey Club  
**Times:**  
5:00pm Parents & students begin to arrive at Jockey Club for photos  
5:30 – 6:15pm Presentations  
6:30 – 7:30pm Sit down dinner (catered by Bilambil Farm Spit Roast) followed by dessert and cutting of the cake.  
**Please indicate below whether you require a vegetarian meal.**  
7:45 – 8:45pm Disco (students to be collected by 8.45pm)

**Theme:** RAINBOW  
**Cost:** \$30 p/p. Students can bring up to 2 adults. **(Adults must be fully vaccinated to attend and are required to wear a mask inside)**

**All adults will be required to sign in with the QR code and show their certificate of vaccination at the door on the night.**

Note and money must be returned to the office by **Friday 3rd December**

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**Year 6 Farewell – Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2021**

My child/ren \_\_\_\_\_ will be/will not be attending the Year 6 Farewell on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2021.

Accompanying my child will be \_\_\_\_\_ adults.

I will require \_\_\_\_\_ vegetarian meal.

I enclose \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the dinner paid by cash, EFTPOS or online payment.

I would like to use my credit to the total of \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the payment of the meals.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Interview with Ross Tremayne – School Learning Support Officer**

- 1. How many years have you been at Ballina Public School?**  
7 years.
- 2. What is your favourite thing to do at Ballina Public School?**  
Seeing kids achieve their goals.
- 3. What is your favourite food?**  
Hamburger.
- 4. Who is your favourite sports team?**  
Brisbane Broncos.
- 5. Who is your favourite Actor or Athlete?**  
Michael Jordan.
- 6. Where is your favourite holiday destination?**  
Queensland.

## Supporting our Local Community

### We Need You

Out of School Hours Care  
Central Ballina  
Operates

Before School Care 7:00am to 9:00am  
After School Care 3.20pm to 6.20pm  
Vacation Care 7.00am to 6.20pm

Applications are available at  
[www.rainbow.nsw.edu.au](http://www.rainbow.nsw.edu.au)

Also Rainbow 4 John Sharpe St East  
Ballina

Government Child Care benefits and  
rebate available.

All enquiries phone Jan or Jodie at the  
Rainbow Children's Centre for  
Information (02) 6686 6621.

## John Huegill Memorial Charity BAREFOOT BOWLS DAY

Sunday 5 December 2021 2pm  
@ Cherry St Sports Club, Ballina

**\$25** PER PERSON  
under 15 years \$10

includes \*Dinner \*Dessert \*1 Drink

No experience necessary | Bowls and Coaching provided  
Teams of 4 or we can put you in a team

Funds raised will be used to purchase  
'Care Packs' for victims of Domestic Violence and other Rotary projects

Bookings:

Jodie Shelley 0427 287 627 or  
Col Lee 0417 862 602

JOIN US  
for a fun  
afternoon

Have FUN  
with  
FAMILY  
&  
FRIENDS

Prizes  
&  
Raffles

Thank you  
to our major  
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