

The Wave



Term 3 – Week 7

Principal's Message

Education Week Awards Ceremony

It was a privilege to attend the Goonellabah Education Office Education Week Awards Ceremony on Tuesday afternoon at Southern Cross University.

Each year, schools are asked to nominate staff and students to recognise the contribution they make within our schools and Public Education. This year, three Year 6 Ballina Public School students were presented with awards – Whyllie, Ruby, and Karnikqua. Two staff members also received awards for their ongoing commitment to Ballina Public School – Mr Tom Pearson and Mrs Mary Cameron. It is wonderful to have these people acknowledged in the wider education community for all that they do and have achieved at BPS.

Playground Installation

After months and months of waiting, the play equipment on the East Site has started to be installed this week. I'm sure that the students will get many hours of enjoyment with this once it is all finalised.

BPS Extravaganza Concert – Preparations continue!

It is getting very exciting here at BPS with costumes and accessories arriving daily at the school – there is lots of practising taking place in the hall and the students (and staff) are doing an amazing job getting ready for the big show later this term! Make sure you get your tickets!

Got It! and Royal Far West Programs

This week we have had external teams of people visit the school to support students, staff, and families from the Got It! and Royal Far West programs. We are extremely grateful for their time in assisting us to provide another layer of care for our school community.

Stacie Luppi
Principal

Important Dates

Term 3 - 2023

Week 8

Thursday 7th September
Book Club Closes

Week 10

Monday 18th September
Whole School Dress
Rehearsal

Tuesday 19th September
12:30pm Matinee Session
BPS Extravaganza Concert

Wednesday 20th September
BPS Extravaganza Concert
12:30pm Matinee Session

BPS Extravaganza Concert
6:00pm Evening Session

Friday 22nd September
Last Day of Term

\$6.50 MEAL DEAL

Ham & Cheese Toastie

Up & Go
Choc or Vanilla

Fruit Salad Cup

Prize

Our meal deal is a set deal and cannot be substituted for other items.

Our Canteen is open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 8:45am till 12:00pm.

Father's Day

A big thank you to all those families who supported our Father's Day Stall.

Happy Father's Day – enjoy your gifts!



BALLINA PUBLIC SCHOOL
PRESENTS
'MUSIC THROUGH THE DECADES'

1950'S
1960'S 1970'S
1980'S 1990'S
2000'S

TICKET PRICES
\$8.00 ADULT
\$4.00 CHILD
\$15.00
(FAMILY OF 4)

EXTRAVAGANZA

TUESDAY 19TH SEPT	12:30PM MATINEE SESSION
WEDNESDAY 20TH SEPT	12:30PM MATINEE SESSION
WEDNESDAY 20TH S	SOLD OUT M EVENING SESSION

SCHOOL HALL

TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE FROM OUR
ADMINISTRATION OFFICE FROM MONDAY 14TH AUGUST
UNTIL SOLD OUT!

Evening Session is SOLD OUT!

Please call into our administration office to purchase tickets for the Matinee sessions on
Tuesday 19th September and Wednesday 20th September at 12:30pm.

2024 Kindergarten

Do you have a child starting school next year?

Enrolments can be undertaken online via our school website (ballina-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au) or alternatively please contact our administration office and we can arrange for an enrolment pack to be posted to you.

NOW TAKING ENROLMENTS FOR 2024





At Ballina Public School we offer high quality, educational teaching and learning programs. We value family, community and culture.

SPECIAL EDUCATION UNIT





Our Special Education Unit offers 3 support classes for students with disability. The personalised learning and support needs of students are addressed through a collaborative planning process. Adjustments to learning enable equitable participation by students in a full range of educational activities on the same basis as their peers.

Each small class is able to provide intensive learning support to students from experienced and dedicated special education teachers and student learning support officers.

It's an environment that enriches and enhances every child's learning.

Students travel from surrounding areas and special transport services are available by application.

For enrolment enquiries, further information or to arrange a tour please contact our school and speak to the Principal Mrs Stacie Luppi or Assistant Principal Support Mrs Lee Yabsley.

Class KF – Mrs Franklin

We have been working hard in Mathematics. The students are learning about counting on and subitising numbers.



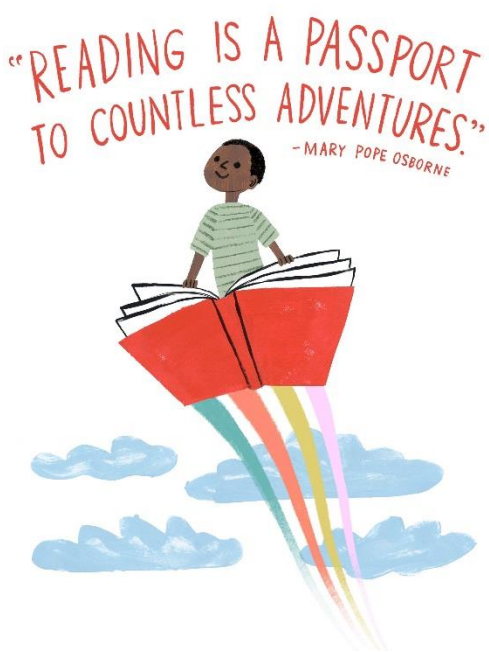
Mathematics
is
Fun!





KF
having
fun
in
the
Playground
with
friends!





Reading
in
KF!



Community Notices



MARVEL JUNIOR HOCKEY GALA DAY



SAT 16TH SEP 9AM - 12PM

BATTLE OF THE HOOKIE-ROOKIES

COME & TRY!

COME & TRY HOCKEY IN SAFE, GAME-PLAYING CONDITIONS

- Flat & smooth surface of Turf
- Age-appropriate small teams
- Other new, beginner players
- Refined kid-friendly rules.

Sticks & Shinpads Supplied. Bring your own Mouthguard (if you have one)

ALL KIDS 5-15 YRS
NEW & BEGINNERS
COME AND PLAY!

REGISTER YOUR SCHOOL OR TEAM
OF 4 TO 8 PLAYERS
NOW!

OR REGISTER INDIVIDUAL
PLAYERS - TO JOIN A
TEAM ON THE
DAY!

Our newest Hockey heroes battle it out in a tournament of round-robin games, for the
MARVEL JUNIOR HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIPS.
5 - 15 Years Old Goonellabah Turf

REGISTER A TEAM **REGISTER INDIVIDUALS**

Enjoy a fresh brew from
Coffee Addictions

Lunch & Ice Cream from
JUNKYARD BBQ
food van

Come & cheer them on!
Show your support for
our awesome local kids

Email: summerlandershockeyclub@gmail.com Phone: 0411 144 799
<https://www.holidaycampshockey.com/marvel-hockey-gala-day>
Goonellabah Hockey TURF - Oliver Ave. (behind Workers Sports Club)



Rotary

Ballina-on-Richmond

ROTARY DUCK RACE

Sunday 10 SEPT 2023

11am - 3pm Fawcett Park - Ballina

COMMUNITY FUN DAY

DUCK RACING ON THE RICHMOND RIVER - ENTERTAINMENT - FOOD - BEST DRESSED DUCK



Community Duck Tickets
\$5 ea or 3 for \$10

1st PLACE
Harvey Norman Ballina \$500 Voucher

2nd PLACE
Launch Performance & 4x4 \$250 Cash

3rd PLACE
Resonator Music \$100 Voucher

Buy tickets online



www.trybooking.com/CDTBW





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