# The Wave



### Term 3 - Week 9

### **Assistant Principal's Message**

### **School Concert**

The school is buzzing with excitement in preparation for our extravaganza! Music is flowing through the hallways and there are lots of happy, smiling faces who can't wait for their moment to shine on stage.

The Wednesday evening performance has already sold out, but you can still purchase tickets for the Tuesday and Wednesday matinee sessions.

### **Check In Assessment**

Year 6 has participated in the Department of Education Check-In Assessment. This allows teachers to really see how students are going academically and what we can do to help them reach their learning goals.

#### **Postcards**

Here at Ballina Public School, we are lucky to have an incredible body of students who do exceptional things on a daily basis. We would like to start giving these students the acknowledgement they deserve for the effort they put in each and every day.

Starting next term, we will be sending home Positive Postcards through good old fashioned snail mail. We will be identifying students who have regular attendance, make good behaviour choices, are doing their best work in the classroom and any other good deed that really stands out.

We held a school wide art competition to find 4 winning designs. These will be the artworks used on our postcards. The competition winners will be announced next week.

Please ensure that your postal address is up to date with the front office and keep a look out for the postman to arrive!

Angela Wraight
Assistant Principal

# **Important Dates**

**Term 3 - 2023** 

Week 10

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September
Whole School Dress
Rehearsal

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> September** 12:30pm Matinee Session BPS Extravaganza Concert

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September BPS Extravaganza Concert 12:30pm Matinee Session

BPS Extravaganza Concert 6:00pm Evening Session

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September
Last Day of Term

SRC Mufti Day
Casual Clothes
Gold Coin Donation

# \$6.50 MEAL DEAL

Choice of

Ham & salad wrap Or Chicken & salad wrap

> Up & Go Choc or Vanilla

Apple cereal snack

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.



Last Chance to buy your tickets!

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

### 2024 Kindergarten

Do you have a child starting school next year?

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





### Tell them from me survey

The Tell Them From Me Survey for parents is now open for you to engage with. The purpose of the survey is to give the school feedback regarding yourself and your child within our school context. The survey is anonymous when you participate. The link can be accessed on computers and mobile devices. We would appreciate learning how we can best support you at our school.

Website: <a href="http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/x23g3">http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/x23g3</a>



# Before you Begin

Language:

English (Australia)

Your child's school is participating in a survey that allows parents to express their views about their perceptions of their children's experiences at home and school. If you have more than one child at the school and your perceptions differ for each child, you may choose to complete the survey more than once to provide feedback on each child's experiences.

Your participation in the survey is anonymous and confidential. When you submit your survey, the responses are recorded on a secure site without personal identifying information. Your answers will be mixed with those of other parents and caregivers from the school. You may skip any questions you do not wish to answer, other than the one asking which school year your child is in.

I understand and am ready to start:

**Begin Survey** 

In Partnership with





# **End of Year Monster Raffle**

On behalf of everyone at Ballina Public School, I would like to extend my sincere appreciation to all local businesses who have donated items to support our end-of-year raffle. The response has been amazing. Please get behind these supporting businesses whenever you can and shop local!

Forty Winks (Bedding Package)	Malibu Burgers	Community Project Playcentre	Enspire
The Bicycle Emporium (Drift Bike)	Sun's	Mezza	Ballina Pool & Waterslides
Ramada	Ballina Surf	Juice It Up Bar	Smokin Barrell
Che Bon	Opal Nails	Bondies	Indian Kitchen
Dinner Is Served	Thai on High	Tonic Hair Body Beauty	Café Boker
Mumbai Masala	Palace Cinemas	Babalinos	Cherry Street Sports
Coffee & Kitchen	Ballina Ten Pin Bowling	Hartley's Fresh Market	Aero Nails
Gallery Cafe	Analise's Hair Studio	Sportspower Super Warehouse	The Kitchen
Fisherman's Co-Op	Byroness	The Lounge	Cathy Walshe The Barber
Book Warehouse	Taco Bell	Brad's Butchery	Kelp
Stellarossa	Ballina Marineland	Ballina RSL	Body Beyond
Sushi Don	Ballina Bait & Tackle	Our Chemist	Northern Rivers Seafood
Blooms Chemist	I Nails	Subway	Terry White Chemist
Our Chemist	Martins Bakery	Dominos	Blushed
Kebab Zone			

Stacie Luppi Principal

## **Community Notices**



Do you want to help your child build resilience for school and for life?

### **ANXIETY COACH**

MONDAYS 13 NOVEMBER – 27 NOVEMBER 2023 THE FAMILY CENTRE BALLINA

Anxiety Coach is a child development course that aims to support you parents and caregivers take a preventative role in the development of anxiety problems and support children to develop skills to reduce anxiety. It is what we call a 'parent-led' approach, meaning that you take on the role of the coach in your child's life, and are able to guide them through difficult emotions when they arise. It is recommended for parents/carers with children aged 2-12 years. 3 x 2 hour sessions.



SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER



To find out more call The Family Centre on 1800 211 154

