Important Information

**Facebook Page**
To help provide improved communication between school and home, our school now has an official Facebook page. This will be a great way to provide, last minute communications about excursion changes or wet weather postponements, etc.

Here is the link:
https://www.facebook.com/Booral-Public-School-879904085397643/timeline/?ref=br_tf

**Enrolments**
If you are aware of any new families that have moved or are moving into the area. Could you please ask them to come and see the school for enrolment information. I am attempting to confirm our numbers for next year and staff our school appropriately for next year.

**What’s On**

**Fun Run**
There are still a number of students who have not returned their Fun Run forms. These need to be returned with or without sponsorship. As funds are used to support a charity we need to ensure that all money is accounted for. We require families who have not returned the sponsorship money or empty form to complete a statutory declaration to indicate how much money was raised by their family or that no funds were raised. The form is attached to this newsletter.

**Aboriginal Cultural Day**
Wandiyali came yesterday and we had groups. My first group was the dancing and we ate crocodile. Then we went to the painting and it was fun. Then we went to the face painting. They painted dots on my face.

Noah K-1

**Kindergarten Orientation**
Monday 26 to Wednesday 28th October will be our 2016 Kindergarten Orientation sessions. These sessions will take place between 9.30am and 11am.

A parent information sessions for parents will be on Wednesday 28th October at 10am in the Library.

**Musica Viva**
On Wednesday 4th November our whole school will be travelling to Stroud School of Arts for a performance with the other local small schools. The bus will leave Booral at 9.30am and return by 11.30am. There will be a small cost of $3 for this excursion. A permission note is attached to this newsletter.

**Swim School**
Our annual Swim and Survive program will be running between Monday 16th November and Friday 27th November. The exciting news for our students is that this program is being fully funded by the school and our P&C. Permissions notes have been sent home today.
**Calendar**

**Term 4**

**Week 4**

Monday 26th Oct  Gymnastics K-2 11.35—1.10

Mon—Wed 26th—28th Oct  Kinder Orientation

**Week 5**

Monday 2nd Nov  Gymnastics K-2 11.35—1.10

Wednesday 4th Nov  Musica Viva Stroud School of Arts

P&C meeting 5.30pm

**Week 7 & Week 8**

Swimming School

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**Head Lice Treatment**

Don’t forget that the P & C has Moov Head Lice Treatment solution for $14.00 & Triple Action Lice Combs for $5.00 for sale at school. Please see Mrs Jacobson in the office.

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**Canteen Roster for Term 4 2015**

October 26 – Maree Hart, Maree Blanch

November 2 – Mandy Sepos

November 9 – Jenny George, Fleur Waters

November 16 - Julie Johnston, Suzanne Strauss

November 23 – Lea Blows

November 30 – Maree Hart, Maree Blanch

December 7 – Mandy Sepos

December 14 – Fleur Waters

We would love some more mums, dads or grandparents to help out in the canteen. If you can help us out one day each term, please contact Fleur on 4994 9196.

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**3/4/5/6 Photo Booth and Lolly Guess**

Thank you to everyone, for supporting our class fundraising stall. We hope you have been able to use your photo to brag to friends and family about your dinosaur encounter or underwater experience! Congratulations to Mark Pepperall, the winner of the Mentos guess and to Paula Cole the winner of the sour worms. Correct answers were: Mentos 143 and Sour worms 197.

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**Its On Again!**

**You are invited to the annual**

**Glen William Gymkhana**

**WHERE:** Glen William Road (next to Glen William Hall)

**WHEN:** Saturday 7th November 2015

*Pony club events 10am, Open events 1pm

*BBQ available from 9.30am

*Entry to grounds $5 (competitors free)

Whether you are a rider or a spectator, join us for all the fun of our annual Gymkhana.

Homemade cakes and sweets, Handmade crafts

Tea and coffee, Drinks and chips

Raffle, Lucky gate entry, Catch-the-Rooster Hoopla

For enquiries please phone

Donna-0428255944

Sue-49965528
P & C News

Kindy Orientation

The school will be holding a parent information session as part of the Kindy Orientation on Wednesday 28th October. P & C will be hosting the morning tea. If anyone can help on the day please meet at school at 9am. If you are unable to help please consider sending in a plate for the morning tea.

P & C Dates to Remember

28th October 2016 Kindy Parents Morning Tea
4th November P & C Meeting at 5.30pm
2nd December P & C AGM at 5.30pm

Good for Kids good for life

Packing a Safe Lunchbox

Myth: It gets too hot to pack cooked meat, dairy, eggs or other high-risk foods in children’s lunchboxes

Fact: You can safely pack these types of perishable foods by doing the following:

- Use a good quality insulated lunch box
- Pack a freezer block or frozen drink with the cool items
- Pack the perishable foods close to the frozen item to keep them cool
- Encourage your child to keep their bag out of the sun
- Throw out any uneaten food at the end of the day

Source: Murumbidgee Local Health District

Sport and Recreation’s Swim and Survive lessons

Australian summers usually involve plenty of fun in and around the water, but no parent should forget how important it is to make sure children stay safe.

Sport and Recreation’s Swim and Survive classes for preschoolers and school-aged children help youngsters learn important ways to be safe and enjoy our pools, rivers, beaches and lakes.

The intensive nine-day programs provide wonderful results, and are great fun as well. Plus, family discounts make our program affordable for all the children in the family.

Sport and Recreation runs Swim and Survive classes in pools throughout regional NSW.

Our instructors are nationally qualified and screened for their suitability to work with children.

Prices for nine lessons are $69 for school-aged children and $49 for preschoolers (prices exclude pool entry fee).

For more information or to make a booking, visit sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au/swimandsurvive or phone 13 13 02
Charlotte’s memories from Canberra

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday last week, I went with the rest of 5/6 to Canberra. On Wednesday, we went to the Australian War Memorial to see and feel what it was like in the 1st and 2nd World Wars. Then back to the hotel for dinner and bed. It was hard to sleep, so we whispered for a bit.

On Thursday, we went to Parliament House and we saw the Ministers in action.

Holly’s memories from Canberra

When we arrived at Questacon it was amazing. It was so big and there was a huge clock on the wall. We went to the second floor and there was a huge lab. We all waited for a whole 20 minutes to see a huge lightning strike. There was also a tornado and an earthquake room. It was so much fun. I also went on the freefall. I held onto the bar and when I let go I hit my head on the step. It really hurt, but it was fun.
Booral Public School Fun Run

Statutory Declaration
OATHS ACT 1900, NSW, NINTH SCHEDULE

I, ....................................................., of .................................................................

[Signature of declarant]

[Residence]
do hereby solemnly declare and affirm that .................................................................

[The facts to be stated according to the declarant’s knowledge, belief, or information, severally]

And I make this solemn declaration, as to the matter (or matters) aforesaid, according to the law in this behalf made – and subject to the punishment by law provided for any wilfully false statement in any such declaration.

Declared at: ........................................ on ........................................

[Place] [Date]

in the presence of an authorised witness, who states:

I, ....................................................., a ................................................................., .................................................................

[Signature of authorised witness]

[Qualification of authorised witness]
certify the following matters concerning the making of this statutory declaration by the person who made it: [* please cross out any text that does not apply]

1. *I saw the face of the person OR *I did not see the face of the person because the person was wearing a face covering, but I am satisfied that the person had a special justification for not removing the covering, and

2. *I have known the person for at least 12 months OR *I have confirmed the person’s identity using an identification document and the document I relied on was .................................................................

[Describe identification document relied on]

[Signature of authorised witness]  [Date]
Musica Viva

Dear Parents / Carers,

A Musica Viva performance has been organised for all students K-6 at Stroud School of Arts on **Wednesday, 4th November 2015**.

Children will leave school at 9.30am & travel to Stroud School by bus. There will be a cost for the bus travel of $3.00 per child. The performance will commence at 10am and will finish at 11am, after which the children will travel back to school.

Please complete the attached permission note and return to school with $3.00, to classroom teachers as soon as possible and no later than **Monday 2nd November 2015**.

Yours sincerely,

Anthony Pearson
Principal

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Musica Viva

I give permission for my child/ren ____________________________
________________________________________ of class______
to attend Musica Viva at Stroud School of Arts on **Wednesday, 4th November 2015**. I understand that travel will be by bus and the cost is $3.00 per child.

I have enclosed $________ for payment of bus travel.

Parent / Carer’s signature: ____________________________ Date________