Dear Parents and Carers,

**School Plan 2015-2017**

Our School Plan 2015-2017 is now available for viewing from the school’s website. I wish to thank the students, staff and community for their contributions to our plan.

There will be a community meeting for parents, carers and interested community members on Tuesday 16th June 2015 to present and discuss the plan and what it involves for our school over the next three years.

**Booral School’s Sesquicentenary**

Our next meeting will be Thursday 11th June at 3.30pm. We will be discussing the program for the day. Commemorative key rings can be purchased from the school office for $6 each.

**Pink Student Details Cards for 2015**

Have been sent home with all students, please complete and return to school office. Those still outstanding are: Louis, Jasmine & Imigen.

**Seussical**

Gloucester High School will be performing the musical “Seussical”. This excursion will be for Years 3-6. We will be attending the matinee on Thursday 18th June. The cost for the excursion will be $2. Notes will be sent home tomorrow.

**Booral School Athletics Carnival**

Our school athletics carnival will be held on Tuesday 23rd June at school. The day will begin at 9am.

**Yr 3/4 Excursion**

This year the combined 3/4 excursion is to Myuna Bay Sport and Rec camp. The camp will be on Monday and Tuesday 10th and 11th August 2015. The cost of the trip is $190. The P&C will be contributing $20 per student, therefore cost to parents will be $170.00. A $20 deposit will be required to confirm attendance. Preliminary note asking for the deposit to secure a position was sent home on Tuesday.

**Anthony Pearson**  
Principal

**Calendar**

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**Congratulations** to Sienna who has completed this year’s Premier’s Reading Challenge!
SRC Talent Quest

Well done to all our contestants- your performances were great.
Parents, staff and students enjoyed you sharing your talents.

1st. Bella and Imigen- Dancing
2nd. Gwen- Dancing
Encouragement award. Lena- Singing, Dancing

Pirate Day Friday, Term 2 Week 8

The SRC have initiated our school taking part in Pirate Day Friday on Friday 12th June. The day was organised by a father named Nathan who last year found out that his 6 year old son had brain cancer. He found out that more children die each year from brain tumours than any other disease in the country, including any other type of cancer. A number of New South Wales schools have joined for the cause. Nathan will be sending a white eye patch for each of our students, and they can add their own design.

Students are asked to dress as pirates and bring in a gold coin donation, which will go towards the Kids Cancer Project.

We hope all our students will support this cause.

Also.... for Term 3 .... FYI

Our school supports a sponsor child in Africa named Stifano. To raise the funds that we need to send, it is anticipated that the SRC will conduct a Fun Run in school grounds on Friday 31st July (Week 3).
Sponsor forms will go home the first week back of Term 3.

The Great Book Swap

This year our school is supporting the work of the Indigenous Literacy Foundation by holding a Great Book Swap on our school’s NAIDOC Day on Friday 26th June 2015 at Booral Public School.

To take part students need to bring along a book that they are happy to swap with another student and a gold coin donation to choose a “new” book.

Books students wish to swap need to be placed in the collection box in the school office on or before Wednesday 24th June 2015. Students may donate more than one book if they wish.

The Indigenous Literacy Foundation (ILF) works to put books into the hands of children and families in remote Indigenous communities across Australia. In the lifetime of the project, with the support of many people and organisations including schools, they have sent more than 120,000 new, high quality books to over 230 remote communities. The ILF also runs an early literacy project called Book Buzz, which puts board books into the hands of babies, toddlers and their families. The Foundation has published and funded more than 40 community books, some of which are translated into first language. Please help us support their work!

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**P & C News**

**Head Lice Treatment**  
Watch this space for information regarding Head Lice Treatments for the school community.

**Stroud Brickthrowing Christmas in July Celebration**  
The P & C will be joining in the Brickthrowing Christmas in July celebration by have a food stall selling Soup on Saturday 4th July. If anyone can help on the day please contact the school.

**P & C Dates to Remember**

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**Have you considered becoming a foster carer?**

There are children and young people needing care in the Manning, Great Lakes and Gloucester regions. Being a foster carer is both challenging and rewarding but our carers don’t have to do it alone. Catholic Care Hunter-Manning provides ongoing support to our carers to assist them in meeting the needs of children in their care.

An information evening on *becoming a foster carer* is being held on the 24th June 2015, if you are interested in attending please call 6539 5900 to book.

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**Lunch Order**

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Talent Quest
Dear Parent / Carer / Friend,

The 150year celebration committee is running this popular group tea towel project to commemorate our Sesqui Centenary at Booral Public School.

The unique tea towel design is made up of drawings by all our students and staff. The drawings are arranged into one commemorative design and screen printed in blue onto high quality white tea towels.

We chose tea towels because the project gets the children involved, produces a wonderful memento and meaningful gift for parents, relatives and special friends. The tea towels look amazing, are so easy to post and make a fabulous reminder of your child's early years. There is a sample tea towel hanging in the office to view

ONLY $10 for a limited edition tea towel. Tea towels can be ordered by dropping the order form below with payment to your class teacher in an envelope clearly marked "TEA TOWEL ORDER".

Make sure you don’t miss out! Preserve your child's artwork and remember friends and teachers forever!

place your orders now.

Final orders are due before → 26/6/2015

If you have any queries please call the school office 49949266.

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TEA TOWEL ORDER FORM

Student Name: ____________________________ Class: ____________

Contact Name and Phone Number: ____________________________

Number of Tea Towels Ordered: 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ or more → ☐

TOTAL amount $_________ 

Please enclose payment with your order

Cash or cheques made payable to: Booral Public School

TOTAL Enclosed $_________ 

You can also pay online at our website just google Booral Public School

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