**Important Information**

**Uniform**

Our school is a uniform school. Please ensure that students are wearing correct school uniform. The P&C uniform shop always has uniform items in stock and available.

Students should not wear non uniform coloured jumpers, jackets and pants. For safety reasons scarves are not to be worn at school. Shoes need to correctly fit your child and be predominantly black.

Students should not wear jewellery to school other than sleeper style earrings and medic alert necklace or bracelet.

Students will be asked to remove any non uniform items. In cases where uniform items pose a risk of injury students will not be allowed to complete some activities.

**What’s On**

**Zone Athletics Carnival**

Zone Track events will be held on Friday, 14th August at Vi Bartlett Oval, Raymond Terrace. Students will need to organise their own transport to and from the event.

**Public Speaking**

As a part of our public speaking program students in Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 will be participating in a video conference to learn how to write an effective speech and how to present that speech to an audience. The VC will be on Thursday, 13th August, 11am-1pm.

**K-2 Combined Athletics Carnival**

Students K-2 will participate in a Combined Athletics Carnival on Tuesday, 18th August. The event will be held at Stroud PS. Notes were sent home yesterday & notes & money need to be returned by Monday 17th August. **Please note that the cost will be $3.00.**

**Rewards Day**

Tomorrow is Rewards Day for those students who are eligible. Students are permitted to come to school out of uniform. It is expected that sun safety and foot protection rules are still followed. Classes have organised their own activities.

**Premier’s Reading Challenge**

The Premier’s Reading Challenge ends on Friday 21st August 2015. Please ensure that all your child’s books have been entered via the Premier’s Reading Challenge website. Late entries can not be accepted.

If you are having trouble or need help to enter your child’s books please contact the school for assistance.
**Calendar**

**Week 5**

- **Thursday, 13th August**
  - Public Speaking VC Yrs 3-6
  - 11am-1pm.
  - Rewards Day—out of uniform.

- **Friday, 14th August**
  - Zone—Track Events.
  - Captains’ Assembly

**Week 6**

- **Tuesday, 18th August**
  - K-2 Combined Athletics Carnival
  - Stroud PS.

- **Friday, 21st August**
  - Captains’ Assembly

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**Sesquicentenary News**

Our sesquicentenary will be held on Saturday, 10th October 2015. There is an order form for tickets for the dinner at Stroud Country Club with this letter. There will be limited seats so get in early to avoid disappointment.

Children attending the day time activities will be in period costume. So please start thinking about your outfit.

**Tea Towels**

Tea towels that were ordered have been distributed. There are a limited of tea towels available for sale. These are a great keep sake of this special event. All students who were enrolled in Term 2 are represented on the tea towel. Tea towels can be purchased for $10 from the School Office.

**Key Rings**

Key rings are available for sale to commemorate our sesquicentenary. Key rings can be purchased for $6 from the School Office.

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**Real humanity is shown when we care for others** - Professor Fred Hollows

The Fred Hollows Foundation is keeping Fred’s vision alive through The Fred Hollows Humanity Award which recognises Year 6 students who follow in his footsteps by showing care and compassion for others.

After three successful years in the ACT the Award is expanding into NSW with the support of NSW Premier Mike Baird.

Teachers, principals, parents and members of the community are encouraged to nominate a compassionate Year 6 student through the online nomination form by August 21. It’s a great opportunity for students to be recognised outside the sporting and academic realm.

All nominees and their parents will be invited to a presentation ceremony in Sydney to announce the NSW winner.

To nominate a student and learn more about the award go to [www.hollows.org.au/humanityaward](http://www.hollows.org.au/humanityaward)

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Dungog and District Little Athletics Club is having a registration day this Thursday the 13th of August at 3.30 pm. Registration will be held at DINS in the back office. Registration is also available online. For prices and details please contact Libby on 0427921810 or Tammy on 0421 791 776.
P&C News

P&C Report

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.

Canteen News

Fresh for Kids canteen campaign is again running its successful program to encourage children to eat more fresh fruit and vegetables during Term 3.

Students are simply rewarded with a sticker for purchasing food from the canteen that contains fresh fruit and/or vegetables. Once students have collected 2 stickers they can hand their completed entry over to the canteen manager and instantaneously receive a Fresh for Kids colour pencil with character eraser – there are 7 to collect.

Once the campaign has concluded, all completed entry forms need to be sent back to Sydney Markets where they all go in a draw to win some fantastic major prizes. Prizes this year include:

First Prize: Home entertainments pack including a 32” LED LCD TV and a 3D Blu-ray Player.

Second Prize: 1 of 3 iPad minis 16GB with Wi-Fi

Third Prize: 1 of 10 Fresh for Kids gift pack including a backpack, lunch box cooler and drink bottle.

Fourth Prize: 1 of 20 Event cinemas movie gift cards.

The Canteen Campaign commences on Monday 10th August 2015 and runs for 6 weeks, finishing on Friday 18th September 2015, with major prizes to be won.

P&C Dates to Remember

P&C Meeting Wednesday 2nd September at 5.30pm
150th Celebrations & Markets 10th October 8am—2pm

Premier's Reading Challenge

End of Premier’s Reading Challenge

The Premier’s Reading Challenge ends at midnight on Friday, 21st August. All books must be recorded on-line by that time for students to receive a certificate.

Please contact me if you need assistance to record books on-line.

S. Parsonage

Congratulations to

Allie who has completed this year’s Premier’s Reading Challenge!
Booral Public School

1865- 2015  150 Years Celebration

Invitation

Saturday, 10th October 2015

8.00am - 2.00pm  -  Community markets will operate
                -  Historical display

10.00am  -  150th Anniversary Assembly

6.00pm  -  Dinner (2 course meal) and entertainment at Stroud Country Club

BBQ lunch, coffee, tea and refreshments will be available for purchase.

School band and choir will provide entertainment throughout the day.

2300 The Bucketts Way Booral NSW 2425
Booral Public School
1865 - 2015  150 Years Celebration
RSVP - Thursday 17th September, 2015

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Dinner Stroud Country Club  __________ X $30 = __________

$30 per seat (2 course meal)

Dinner is an adults only function
Seats are limited, book early to avoid disappointment.

Merchandise

BPS Key ring  $6 each  __________  __________

BPS Tea Towels   $10 each  __________  __________

Payments can be made on the Booral Public School website or by cheque, cash, money order at the school office.
STROUD ROAD

'Bash 'n Bang'

Family Bonfire & Fireworks

Saturday 29th August

Entertainment from 6.00pm

Adults / High School $10.00
Kinder to Year 6 $3.00

Experience incredible views of Saturn & the Full Moon through Dustin's telescope by Gold Coin Donation

Food & Drinks Available  ‘Random Raffle’ Draw

Bring a chair & say good-bye to Winter with our warm bonfire
As we welcome in Spring with a night's sky filled with colour

A Stroud Road Community Hall Fundraiser
Gratefully supported by :-

Enquiries :- Rod Williams 0439 193288 or Garry Snowdon 0427 396745