Belrose Public School

Principal’s Message

Congratulations to the ‘Students of the Week’ and the ‘Belrose Bus’ students on a wonderful job. Well done!!!

Our swimming team attended the Zone Swimming Carnival on Tuesday at Warringah Aquatic Centre. The team performed extraordinarily well and won the handicap trophy. Congratulations to the Belrose students who have been selected in the Warringah Zone swimming team. These students are Alex, Danny, Liam, Holly, Magali, the Senior Boys and Junior Girls relay teams. These students will compete at the Regional Swimming Carnival on 25 March.

Congratulations to Magali who set a new zone record. Well done!!!! Congratulations to Tayne and Emily who have been selected in the North Sydney Region basketball team. Tayne will be attending the state carnival at Bathurst. Emily will be attending the state carnival at Albury. Both these carnivals will take place in May.

Our first ‘Open Evening’ for prospective Kindergarten enrolments for 2015 will be held in the school hall on Tuesday 1 April commencing at 6.00pm. A local letterbox drop advertising our ‘Open Days’ will take place prior to this night. Brochures will also be left at local preschools and long day care centres. If you have a child commencing Kindergarten in 2015 you are very welcome to attend.

The Stage 3 students had a great excursion to the Botanical Gardens yesterday.

Stage 2 students will be participating in a three day ‘Claymation’ course next week. I am looking forwarding to joining the students in this activity as I have not seen this program before.

Thank you to the students who have returned their Expression of Interest forms. The EOIs need to be returned to school no later than Friday 21 March.

The family barbeque was very well attended last Friday. Thank you to Mr Hill and the bands for providing the entertainment and to the P&C for organising the event.

The ‘Man Night’ is Friday night at the Belrose Bowling Club commencing at 7.00pm. See you there.

Barry Chamberlain, Principal
STUDENT OF THE WEEK - WEEK 7

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BELROSE BUS WINNERS—PERSONAL BEST

MATHLETICS AND READING EGGS
Mathletics and Reading Eggs operate as user pays systems. The cost was invoiced on your Term 1 Statement of Account and is $15.00 for Mathletics and $15.00 for Reading Eggs. These are wonderful programs which can be accessed both at school and at home. Payment is required by 21 March to enable your child to continue accessing these programs. If you have any problems with fees please see Mr Chamberlain. Jenny de Wilde & Lyn Chapple, Assistant Principals

ETHICS CLASSES
Ethics classes are now available in NSW public primary schools as an option for children who do not attend Special Religious Education (SRE) / Scripture. We currently have no ethics classes at Belrose Public School and are assessing demand for 2014. Notes have been sent home today with each child. Please return the slip if you are interested in choosing Ethics for your child in 2014 by 21 March. For more information about ethics classes and Primary Ethics and how you can volunteer, please click on this link: www.primaryethics.com.au or email any questions to our school's Ethics Coordinator, Amanda Lavac-Brewer (Ethics Co-ordinator) at primaryethics@live.com.au Barry Chamberlain, Principal

You could be a Sea Eagle
Play Rugby League

You are cordially invited to meet the Principal, Ms Jann Pattinson

Wednesday 19th March
9.30am in the Jan Jones Room

After a short presentation by the Principal and a Q&A session, school tours will be run, concluding with morning tea.
ZONE SWIMMING CARNIVAL
Congratulations to our Zone Swimming Carnival team who competed at the Warringah Aquatic Centre yesterday. Belrose School won the handicap section. Special thanks to parent Kim Ryan who was our team manager and to all the parent helpers who assisted on the day.

PSSA SPORT REPORTS

Senior Cricket
We played a good and fair game. Unfortunately we got smashed. We made 6 for 37 and Killarney Heights made 8 for 90. We still had fun and we did really well at the start with some quick runs. Luke played exceptionally well with 6 wickets, 2 catches as wicket keeper and 4 amazing bowls. Player of the match goes to Luke. By James

Junior Cricket
It was a tough game against Killarney Heights with a score of 5/30 and Belrose ending up with 7/34. Player of the match was Callum with 3 wickets in his over. By Charlie J

T-Ball A
We played an awesome game and won 33 to 12 against Killarney Heights. Special mention to Lelah W who played really well but got injured and kept on fighting. There were two players of the match which were Gemma L and Claudia J but everyone played really well. By Magali O

T-Ball B
We played against Killarney Heights and won 35 to 14. We had lots of fun even though it was very hot. Player of the match went to Jess G for catching 3 people in a row. A special mention to Sallie M for doing great work on first base. Congratulations Belrose and keep up the good work. By Samantha P

Softball B
We had a good game but we lost 5-9. We had fun and played well. We played against Killarney Heights. Player of the match was Jewel because she took some awesome catches. Well done team. By Shae

PSSA competition tomorrow: Belrose v Wakehurst at Belrose School and Wyatt Oval. T-Ball and softball is played at Belrose School and cricket is played at Wyatt Oval.
VOLUNTEER ASSISTANT TREASURER
Thank you to one of our parents who has kindly volunteered to audit the P&C financial reports.

Our Treasurer would really appreciate some help with the financial aspects of the Canteen, Band program and/or other P&C activities. Anyone who is an accountant or book keeper would be ideal, however if you would like to learn MYOB and basic bookkeeping – this would be a great place to start. Please contact Linda Lamb on 0499 772 488 for more information.

CANTEEN NEWS

Bento Boxes
Wednesday special Momo’s Bento Boxes are available from the Canteen for a cost of $5.00.

**Karage Box:**
- Japanese style chicken nugget, Edamame—Japanese soy beans and rice ball

**Gyouza Box:**
- rice ball, Gyouza (vegetarian) - Japanese dumpling, Edamame (contains sesame oil)

**Meal Deal:**
- a choice of Bento Box (above) and a juice popper or bottle of water for $6.00

Please order as normal (on a paper lunch bag) on the day. Pre-orders are not necessary. Copy of ingredients will be available from the Canteen.

Sushi Day Fridays
No need to pre-order
Choose from cooked tuna, teriyaki chicken or avocado sushi roll.
$4.00 each including a juice popper or a bottle of water.
Additional rolls for $3.00 each.

BAND NEWS

The Family BBQ held last Friday night was a fabulous night. I would like to thank all of the families who attended and made the evening such a success. Proceeds raised from the BBQ contributes to the Band Program so we are very appreciative of the support shown by Belrose families. Entertainment was provided by the Jazz Band and BB4 (Brass Baton Big Band 4) and both bands sounded fantastic. I would like to thank the Band Committee - Linda L, Jenny G, Trista Z, June B, Bev B, Michelle K, Rebecca G, Gitta J and Miss Dooley for your assistance in organising and running the evening. A big thank you to Mr Chamberlain and Fergus L for their wonderful efforts on the BBQ. I would also like to thank Nick from IGA for providing food and refreshments for the evening. Meredith Kawamura, Band Committee

BOOK CLUB

Issue 2 orders close tomorrow, Friday 14 March. Please return order forms and payment to the book club mail box in the office foyer. Scholastic offer a 100% satisfaction guarantee on any book club item. If you are not completely satisfied, simply return the item within 30 days for credit or refund.

Pamela Macri—Book Club Co-ordinator
Belrose OSHC Centre News!
e_boshc@primaryoshcare.com.au  ph. 0430 247 493

Welcome to another exciting and informative BOSHC news!

We have a wonderful menu filled with many nutritious and delightful snacks every afternoon; this is displayed on our parent notice board.
We also display our weekly program which is filled with many fun filled activities devised utilising the children’s interests and needs. Make sure that you see our daily journal that displays examples of the children’s’ works as well as loads of photos.

We endeavour to provide a well-rounded and engaging program for the children to participate. As such, after consulting with children, parents and staff we have decided on the following additional activities within the Centre that complement or weekly program. AASC (Active After School Communities) is one addition to the program that enables us to bring in qualified coaches to expose and encourage children to participate in a variety of sporting activities. Thereby promoting healthy attitudes and lifestyles. The biggest plus is this is of no additional cost to families and government funded. We also offer homework club to all children every afternoon which is overseen by the educators. If you would like your child/ren to participate in homework club; please complete the appropriate form and return to an educator.

The weekly program for this term in OSHC is as follows:

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We have community meeting once a term and this term it will be held on Wednesday 19 March at 5.00pm, please let us know if you would like to attend.
The co-ordinator and Manager attend the P&C meeting once a term to update all the events at BOSHC.

Families can contact staff at the Centre by calling or emailing. Centre Managers can be contacted directly by emailing headoffice@primaryoshcare.com.au.

Please come and visit we would love to meet you and your child/ren.
See you soon!

Amanda, Sam and the BOSHC Team.
AUTISM SUPPORT FOR PARENTS ON NORTHERN BEACHES

Frequency: Monthly, third Thursday
7.30pm to 9.30pm

Provided By: Autism Community Network (ACN)

Venue: Encores Annex on the ground floor of Manly Warringah Rugby Leagues Club, Corner Federal Parade & Road Brookvale

Cost: Free

Please feel free to contact us at info@autismcommunity.org.au at any time if you require further information, or refer parents to our website, www.autismcommunity.org.au for more support options.