Principal’s Message

Congratulations to the fabulous children who received ‘Student of the Week’ awards at our last assembly.

What a fabulous day last Friday for the Father’s Day Breakfast. It was great to see so many dads at school. Thanks to the organisers and helpers who made the day so memorable. I hope all dads had a fabulous day on Sunday. It was great to see Mr Hill present at the breakfast.

Congratulations to the Milo Cricket girls who won their Regional Final. They will now participate in the state final next term.

Well done to the boys and girls who represented the Warringah Zone at the Regional Athletics Carnival on Monday. There were 61 schools represented at the carnival. The senior boys relay came 6th in the final. The junior boys relay came 3rd in their heat. Boyd ran 4th in his heat of 100m. Emily came 23rd in the 11years shot-put and Magali came 14th in the junior 800m.

Congratulations to Holly who has been selected in the Independent High School’s Junior Basketball squad for 2015. Well done Holly.

Cyber bullying is one of the biggest safety issues facing young people today. Bullying and harassment online is commonplace. Messages and images can spread very quickly reaching a huge potential audience in a matter of seconds. Even when deleted from applications, images and messages still exist in the cyber world.

Parents need to give children strategies to stay safe online. These can include:
- Show respect for others
- Think before you send
- Treat online passwords like your house key
- Block bullies
- Don’t reply to harassment
- Save the evidence
- Tell someone

Dates

**Term 3**

- **Friday 12 September** Summer PSSA Trials
- **Tuesday 16 September** Awards Day Regional Spelling Bee
- **Thursday 18 September** 9.30am K-2 Concert
- **Friday 19 September** Summer PSSA starts Last Day of Term 3

**Term 4**

- **Monday 6 October** Labour Day Public Holiday
- **Tuesday 7 October** Students Return
- **Thursday 9 October** Wild Flower Excursion—Kindergarten
- **Tuesday 14 October** X Factor—6.30pm
- **Wednesday 15 October** Swimming Squad Starts
- **Tuesday 28 October** Orientation Day—Kindy 2015
- **Thursday 6 November** Transition Program—Kindy 2015
- **Thursday 13 November** Transition Program—Kindy 2015
- **Thursday 20 November** Transition Program—Kindy 2015
- **Tuesday 25 November** C.A.R.E.S Year 5
- **Friday 28 November** Summer PSSA ends
STUDENT OF THE WEEK

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Channel 10 News Weather Segment Filming at Belrose Public School

Channel Ten’s Eyewitness News will be filming their weather segment live at Belrose Public School on Monday 15th September. This is a wonderful opportunity to showcase our school so we would like as many students as possible to be present. Students are asked to be at school, in full winter uniform and on their best behaviour from 4pm until 6pm. Children who choose to remain at school from 3pm must be accompanied by an adult – teachers will not be responsible for supervision between 3pm and 4pm. Parents are welcome to be present during filming.

STEWARDO HOUSE

A big thank you to all the students who participated in the Stewart House PJ and Onsie day. A fantastic amount of $453.00 was raised.

UNSW ENGLISH COMPETITION

Congratulations to the following students who achieved excellent results in the UNSW English Competition. Certificates will be presented at assembly on Monday 15th September at 2:30pm.

Samantha Meikle
GATS Coordinator

Year 3
Merit
Lachlan
Credit
Sienna

Year 4
Merit
Jack
Credit
Breyton

Year 5
Credit
Claudia
Credit
Jordan

Year 6
Merit
Ben
Credit
Oscar
Credit
Samantha

DISTINCTION – Quinn (Year 3)

HEADLICE

Headlice has been reported in various classes throughout the school. Please check your child’s head regularly and treat accordingly.

OUR WEBSITE

Click on the links below to access information and photos that have been uploaded to our school website.

FATHERS DAY BREAKFAST
SUSHI

On Tuesday 26th of August, year 4 went down to the hall to make sushi. There were tables in a semicircle and there where trays with all the ingredients on it. Then next to the tray there was a little bowl of water and you had to put your hands in so that you would moist your hands otherwise when you touched the rice, the rice would stick to your hands. When you had moistened your hands you would put some rice onto your nori roll. You would roll your sushi with a bamboo matt and then you would have a perfect sushi roll. When the lady came she would cut our sushi into a few pieces then you would put the sushi into a little plastic container. Then we got into two lines after we walked up to our class and began to eat. We had fun can’t wait till next year

Meriz 3/4J

3/4J’s PRO-BOT ADVENTURE

A pro-bot is a smart electronic car that uses centimetre to measure, draw and go through race tracks with your programming. It looks like a yellow sport car but it doesn’t drive like one. It is so slow, I stood still and still beat it. In the end we all had fun and all learnt something new. I learnt about angles and how one centimetre can make a big difference, good or bad.

By Callum 3/4J
PSSA SPORT
Trials for our summer PSSA teams will be continued this Friday 12th September. Students from Years 4, 5 and 6 are eligible to try out for a place in one of our PSSA teams. If your child wishes to be considered for selection in a PSSA team and will be absent on one or both of the aforementioned dates, please notify your teacher as soon as possible.

When selecting students during trials, consideration will be given to those who best meet the selection criteria for each particular sport. This means that teams must be selected on merit with no special consideration given to age or grade level. Qualities common among selection criteria include:

- Ability and strong skill level
- Sportsmanship
- Cooperation and attitude
- Commitment to training sessions

The selection criteria do not give any consideration to past representation or external participation.

The PSSA sports that will be offered are: Junior Girls Cricket, Senior Girls Cricket, Junior Boys T-Ball, Senior Boys Softball.

PSSA Coaches

SOCCER PSSA
If you have a PSSA soccer shirt at home please return it to Mrs Meikle ASAP. Thanks

GIRLS MILO CUP CRICKET TEAM
Last week the Girls Milo Cup Cricket team travelled to Putney to compete in the Sydney North Regional Final of the Milo T20 Blast School Cup. The girls played exceptionally well and impressed me greatly with their positive attitude, teamwork and sportsmanship. We played three games and then progressed to the final against Pymble Ladies’ College, which we won by 9 runs. The girls were thrilled with the outcome and I was extremely proud of all of them. They will now compete in the NSW State Final at Blacktown next term. Congratulations to Ashlee, Abi, Lauren, Holly, Clare, Charlotte, Claudia and Magali. Thank you to Mrs Powell, Mr Ogg, Mrs Marks and Mr Jacka for your support and for assisting with transportation.

Mr Rothwell
WINTER PSSA
Congratulations everyone on a wonderful season. You were tenacious, enthusiastic and consistently strived for self-improvement. You worked collaboratively, despite winning or losing. It was a pleasure to coach all of you this season. A huge thank you to all of the parents for your support on the sideline.

Final results are as follows:

**NETBALL**
- Senior A: 7th
- Senior B: 7th
- Junior A: 2nd – Runners Up
- Junior B: 5th
- Samantha Meikle and Jane Cohen
  Netball Coaches

**SOCCER**
- Senior: 5th
- Junior: 7th
- Barry Chamberlain
  Coach

**AFL**
- Senior: 3rd
- Junior: 3rd
- Hugh Rothwell
  Coach

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Year Two Special Swimming Scheme 2014

Year 2 attended swimming lessons at the Warringah Aquatic Centre from August 25 to September 5, 2014. It was a pleasure to see not only the wonderful improvement that all students made by the end of two weeks, but also their excellent behaviour while representing the school. The students also really enjoyed putting their new water safety skills into practice by learning how to save a life.

Congratulations Year 2!

Mrs Stephens, Miss Dooley and Mrs Vohralik
**Canteen News**

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**Belrose PS Working Bee—Sunday 19th October, 9.00AM**

As we are well into Spring we will be focusing on two tasks - Moving mulch to some of the garden beds over near the playgrounds and replacing the logs bordering the garden beds on the Ralston Ave entrance. If you have a couple of hours to spare we would love to see you there. Another reminder will be sent closer to the day. Many thanks.

Sally Jennings, Grounds Co-ordinator

**Uniform Shop**

Spring is upon us and summer is just around the corner. It is almost time to go back into summer uniform. When the children come back to school in term four they are to come in full summer uniform. The Uniform Shop has a good supply of summer stock so now is the time to check your child's summer uniform and make sure your daughter's dresses are not too short and your son's shorts are not too tight. The Uniform Shop is open every Wednesday and Friday morning. Come and visit me and my lovely helpers.

Nicky McInnes

**Band News**

The annual Father’s Day Breakfast was held last Friday morning. We had a fabulous turn-out with many families attending. We are very appreciative of the support shown by the school community with so many families coming to have breakfast and supporting the Band Program.

I would like to make two special mentions. Thank you to Meredith and Adil from Belrose Bunnings who donated the eggs, bacon and bread as well as coming early in the morning to flip eggs on the BBQ. I would also like to thank Nick and Trent from IGA Belrose for supplying the ham and cheese croissants and the fruit juice. We are very grateful to IGA and Belrose Bunnings for continuing to support the Band Program. We were also delighted to welcome Bergil and Dee from Cafe Bel who brought their photo booth. The photos were certainly very popular!

An enthusiastic team of volunteers helped with making the morning a success. On Friday morning we served over 300 breakfasts. Wow!! Many hands make light work and thank you to all of the volunteers who came early in the morning and or your super effort in making this possible in a short period of time. Also, thank you to Mr Chamberlain and the staff for coming to school early on a Friday morning to cook on the BBQ and serve breakfast.

Meredith Kawamura - Band Committee
SUSHI MAKING

On Thursday, 28th August 3C learnt how to make sushi. We joined 1S for the lesson. A Japanese chef showed us how to do it. We made a sushi roll that was 14 metres long! It had crab stick, cucumber, pickled radish and other fillings inside it. At the end we cut it up and everyone was given about five pieces. We ate about two or three at school and took the rest home. It was lots of fun. Thank you Mrs Iwakura for organising our sushi making.

By Jessie 3C
Probots

Probot Day was so much fun. At the beginning Matt taught us how to control a Probot. Then we did two activities. In one activity you put a texta in the Probot and programmed it to draw shapes. In the second activity we had to program the Probot to follow a race track. Probot Day was the best!

By Sienna 3C
BELROSE OSHC Centre News!

e.boshc@primaryoshcare.com.au ph. 0430 247 493

Check out our Latest News!!!

Our Vacation Care program commences on Monday 22nd September and the program is now ready for collection. It includes suggestions made by parents and children after the last program such as Primary OSHCare Spring Fair, Movie Day, Food Revolution and Monsters, Magic and Make Believe!!! We would really appreciate advance bookings as this makes the planning and staffing of the program so much more effective.

To receive the Early Bird Discount please book prior to Friday 12th September 2014.
The program can be emailed on request - just contact the Centre at boshc@primaryoshcare.com.au

We are continually reviewing centre policies and procedures and recently issued our “Communication with Parents” policy to all service users. This policy details the ways in which we communicate through notices, letters, newsletters, email, meetings and formal reporting.

If you have any suggestions as to how we could improve this aspect of our service please contact the Centre staff.

We aim to broaden children’s experience in OSHC by acknowledging community events which are initiated by health, cultural or environmental issues. We have recently been participating in Cool Australia’s Enviroweek Challenge. So from August 24-30 2014, the children have taken up a green challenge to discover that their everyday actions really count for our natural world.

For our Waste Warrior activity we stopped to consider our everyday waste habits and make better choices for the future. Within the Centre we focussed on the use of paper and explored why and how we can conserve, reuse and recycle paper within the centre. For our Green Thumbs Challenge we explored how we can increase biodiversity in our Centre. As we were lucky enough to receive a donation of 6 Jamie Oliver Green Houses from the Walker Family we decided to utilise these to begin a herb garden project to promote healthy environments and people. We are also going to create a journal to promote and document the progression of our budding seedlings.

Photo left to right: Our Enviroweek Initiatives; Prepping to make paper, Complete Jamie Oliver Greenhouse, blending our paper mixture!

We are inviting participation for the community into any aspect of our Centre operation including attendance at some community related events such as our parent and community meeting and other activities through our Invitation to Participate which is displayed in centre. All families are also warmly welcomed to come and see our room to observe the children’s activities, daily journals, programs and work displayed.

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 as we would love to meet you and your children.
Amanda and the BOSHC Team
CHILDREN’S BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Looking for a venue?

- Alexandra Public Hall
- Beecroft Community Centre
- The Forest Room - Forestville
- Harbord Library Institute
- Manly Vale Community Centre
- North Balgowlah Community Centre
- Tramshed Arts & Community Centre

Great value venues with halls, class rooms and playgrounds.

To enquire about hiring one of Council’s 28 Community Centres, call 9452 1665 or 9913 3231 or visit www.warringah.nsw.gov.au

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DARK HORSE PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS MOVIE MAGIC PONY CAMP

Holiday Program Dates

Monday 22nd Sept – Friday 26th Sept - WEEK 1
Monday 29th Sept – Friday 3rd Oct – WEEK 2

Join our fun team of film horses and staff these school holidays!

Dark Horse Productions Equestrian Centre is pleased to announce the return of our much loved pony camp program for children aged 7-12 years.

Our school holiday program is tailored for interactive learning and outdoor fun centred around the care, training and husbandry of horses and ponies. Children will learn how to brush, feed, wash and ride our equine friends.

For more information and an information pack please call the office of Dark Horse Productions – 9986 2134

St Ives Medieval Faire

You are invited to the St Ives Medieval Faire – a new look this year by a mix of nightly events, live music, street performers, lovingly crafted wares and more.

The most historically accurate and authentic Medieval Faire in Australia! You won’t believe your eyes and ears as you become engulfed in the atmosphere of a real 13th century village. A Faire to remember for years to come. Look out for the Medieval jousting tournament, the horse and carriage ride, and much more besides!

A fun-filled day to entertain the whole family!

When? The first weekend of the school holidays – 20-21 September 2004
Where? St Ives Showground – 550 Mona Vale Rd, St Ives

Directions available from Group bookings
Contact Sam on 9416 8433
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AUSTRALIA’S YOUTH PRESENTS A SELF DEFENCE KARATE AND SAFETY AWARENESS PROGRAM FOR BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 7 TO 16 SINCE 1994

LET US BRING OUT THE SUPERHERO IN YOUR CHILD

- Our talented kids are likely to be bullied.
- Our fun karate games build important skills like self defence, agility, coordination, and teamwork
- Your child’s improved self-confidence will spill over into other areas of their life.
- Gradings are an important part of our system as they build self-esteem through the achievement of goals. Students grade every term and test themselves through 5 black belts. Gradings are free!
- Our instructors are minimum 2nd Degree Black Belts, and have gone through years of training in the teaching of young children.

Since 1994, Australia’s Youth Self Defence Karate has improved the lives of thousands of young people in the Sydney area through the study of martial arts.

Our classes are $17 per week; the most affordable in Sydney.

Time: New Students Aged 4 to 6 – 9:30 to 10:15 AM
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New Students Aged 7 to 10 – 10:15 to 11:00 AM
New Students Aged 7 to 10 – 10:15 to 11:00 AM
New Students Aged 11 to 16 – 11:00 to 11:45 AM
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No need to pre-register but just turn up on the day of your approximate time with loose-fitting clothing and gumshoes.

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