Dear Parents

School Concert Update
Yesterday an order form to purchase tickets was sent home. The order form, with money, needs to be returned by this Friday, August 26th.

This year’s School Concert tickets cost $15 per ticket with a limit of 4. Any family wishing to buy more than 4 tickets will be placed on a waiting list. Once sales have closed, any leftover tickets will be distributed.

Student Free Day
Next Monday, August 29th is a student free day. Staff will be increasing their knowledge of the Victorian Curriculum so we are ready to implement it successfully in 2017.

NAPLAN
We have received our 2016 NAPLAN results. Student reports are being sent home today. Over the next few weeks staff will be ‘delving into the data.’ This will allow us to compare student NAPLAN results against our other assessments. From this we will identify areas of strength as well as areas to improve in. Our aim is to use this data so improve student learning at Buln Buln.

Car parking
Please remember that the parent car park closest to the school is only accessible via a left hand turn from Old Sale Road. If you are driving from Brandy Creek Road you need to turn into the bus lane/stop area, turn right onto Old Sale Road, then turn left into the car park.

Lunchtime ICARE Clubs Program
This week our Junior School Council is running games at lunchtimes. Thank you to Rachel Henshall for organizing game cards for this activity. Students are having a lot of fun with the games!

Grade 5/6 Hooptime
Congratulations to our grade 5/6 teams. All teams participated well, showing sportsmanship as they competed against each other, as well as other schools. Our All-stars team will be competing in the next round in October.

Sleepover
Woohoo – our grade 2 sleepover is this Friday. Students and staff are super excited! The theme of our sleepover is ‘Smurfs.’

Nicole Ball, Acting Principal
Award winners:

**200 & 100 Nights of Reading**

200 nights reading: Elsie, Tanesha, Skye, Brielle and Sarah.


**ICARE awards:**

Matthew, Declan, Daniel, Alexis, Keely, Teshayla, Mia, Travis and Toby.

**Parent Club**

Just a reminder that the Fathers’ Day stall is coming up next week on Friday 2nd September. All gifts will be $7. If you can help out on the morning from 8.45am please leave your name at the office. Thank you.

**FROM THE CHAPLAIN**

This week in the junior cooking session students made Mini Pizzas and Jam drops. Thanks to my four parent helpers, Bec Kimm, Kylie Sharp, Natalie Pecovnik and Cassie Bailey, the children were able to have plenty of hands on experience in the kitchen. Here they are enjoying the food they cooked.

We also made the pizza dough and talked about how yeast acts to make the dough rise. This is my favourite recipe which I use to make dinner rolls and also pizza bases.

**Ingredients**

- 3 teaspoons dry yeast
- 1 Tablespoon brown sugar
- 650 ml lukewarm water
- 4 Tablespoons olive oil
- 1 Kilo of bread or pizza flour
- 1 Tablespoon sea salt
- Extra flour
- Milk or egg to brush

**Method**

Mix the yeast and sugar in a small bowl and add the water and stir until yeast and sugar dissolve. Leave for 10 minutes and allow the mixture to froth before adding the oil.

In a separate bowl mix together the flour and salt and make a well in the centre. Add the liquid slowly until the dough forms into a ball. Turn out onto a floured board and knead until the dough is soft. Cover and leave in a warm place to rise for about 40 minutes. Shape into rolls and place in trays. Allow to rise 20 minutes or until doubled in size. Brush with milk or egg mixture. Bake in preheated oven at 220C for 15 to 20 minutes.

It’s amazing how food brings back memories. Just the smell or taste of some foods connects us with special people and places. One of my special recipes was something that my Nana would make. She would always have lemon curd in the fridge for me when I went to stay. She taught me how to make it and I still enjoy making this with the lemons from my tree. This week in cooking the students and I made a batch and they took some home to have on their toast. Perhaps you have a recipe that someone made for you or with you, something that brings a smile to your face as you recall that special someone who made it.
Next Monday is a Student fee day but on the following **Monday 5th September** the students who will be preparing a snack to eat for lunch or take home include; **Edi, Jack, Edith, Oliver, Kadia, Connor, Lily and Brielle.** I am in need of helpers for this session which runs from 11:30 until 1:30. If parents or grandparents of these students would like to assist please send a message via the office or an email to kingwillbj@hotmail.com

**Barbara Kingwill – Chaplain BBPS**

**MARC Library**

Yes, it’s Newsletter time again. During this fortnight student learning for middle and senior students has been generated by the Book ‘Fabish’ by Neridah McMullin. This great picture story book explores both animal and human bravery during the Black Saturday bush fires of 2007. The main significant character being ‘Fabish’ a retired race horse. After discussion students then sought information about other animals and the special bonds they have with us and how this so often is shown in acts of bravery by animals when their owners are in danger.

Junior school students continued with learning the importance of thought bubbles and how they can best use them to enhance their drawings. Thought bubbles have also been used to enable younger children to better display their deeper understanding of a text. The linked text was ‘Grandpa’s Big Adventure’, by Paul Newman.

Great work everyone.

**Philip Bucknall**

**MARC Teacher/Librarian**

**Bookclub** – please return all orders and monies by tomorrow, **Wednesday 24th August.**
BULN BULN PRIMARY SCHOOL CONCERT 2016
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6TH

Please complete this form to order tickets for our School Concert. You will need to complete the details below and return the form by this **Friday, August 26th**. Tickets will be sent home on Friday, September 2nd.

Please note:
- Each family is entitled to 4 tickets.
- Buln Buln Primary School students do not need to purchase a ticket.
- Each ticket costs $15.00
- Any family wishing to have more seats need to write the extra number required on the order form. Once initial orders are completed, any leftover tickets will be distributed.
- Please include money with your order form, but only for a maximum of 4 tickets.

For more information, please contact Lyn or myself.

Nicole Ball, Acting Principal.

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BULN BULN PRIMARY SCHOOL CONCERT 2016 TICKET ORDER FORM
(must be returned by this **Friday, August 26th**)

Family name: __________________________  Student’s class: __________

I would like to purchase ____ ticket(s) for this year’s concert.

I would like to purchase ____ extra ticket(s) if some become available.

Money enclosed: ________________

Name: ____________________________

Signature: ________________________  Date: __________

Wheelchair access required: YES / NO (please circle)

Buln Buln Primary School
15 Old Sale Rd Buln Buln Vic 3821 : (03) 5626 8330 : www.bulnbulp.s Vic.edu.au
We want to ignite some fun and creativity into the school holidays!
St Paul’s has created another fun filled and interesting holiday program open to all children aged 6 – 13 years to enjoy. Each session has been designed and delivered by experienced teachers and professionals.

**Monday 26 September**

- **9.00 am – 12.00 noon**
  - Robotics Intermediate - $35
    - Coding, design and fabrication projects that develop knowledge in building and coding tech-based robots and robots that can talk.
  - Children will program the robots to perform specific tasks, using BESO Modular Kit.
  - Children will be asked to make robots that they can take home and display.
  - Please ensure you register in good time to avoid disappointment.
  - **Age 8 – 13**

- **1.00 pm – 4.00 pm**
  - **BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND**
  - **Sportacular - $35**
    - This is a fun and full session with an off-the-cuff style coming to primary sport space.
    - Children will learn new skills and angles to sport and physical activity.
    - Children will be asked to come along and participate in an intramural activity.
    - Fun, competitive and team oriented.
  - **Physical Education**

**Tuesday 27 September**

- **9.00 am – 12.00 noon**
  - **Petite Artists - $35**
    - Children will go on a creative journey into painting, drawing and design.
    - Children will be asked to use both their creativity and their traditional skills to create a masterpiece.
    - Children will be asked to make ornaments that can be taken home and displayed.

- **1.00 pm – 4.00 pm**
  - **Young Designers - $35**
    - Children will be taken on a journey into designing and creating their own unique designs for needle crafts, knitting, crochet and paper art.
  - **Age 8 – 13**

**Wednesday 28 September**

- **9.00 am – 12.00 noon**
  - **Laugh Out Loud Fun - $35**
    - Children will be taken on a journey into the world of comedy and laughter.
    - Children will be asked to make their own jokes and funny stories.
    - Children will be asked to create a funny skit that can be taken home and displayed.
  - **Age 8 – 13**

- **1.00 pm – 4.00 pm**
  - **Brigolong Bush Band**
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  - **Sausage Sizzle and Salads (Included)**
  - **Tea, Coffee, Slices for Supper (By Donation)**
  - **BYO Drinks and Glasses**

**Thursday 29 September**

- **9.00 am – 12.00 noon**
  - **Mini Masterchefs - $35**
    - Children will be taken on a journey into cooking and baking.
    - Children will be asked to make their own cakes and cookies.
    - Children will be asked to create a cupcake that can be taken home and displayed.

- **1.00 pm – 4.00 pm**
  - **Masterchefs - $35**
    - Children will be taken on a journey into cooking and baking.
    - Children will be asked to make their own cakes and cookies.
    - Children will be asked to create a cupcake that can be taken home and displayed.

*Please note: Children need to bring their own snacks and drinking water.*

*Children staying all day must be supervised at all times.*

**So come on, let’s SPARK up these holidays!**

Please meet in the Junior School Playground Centre, St Paul’s Anglican Grammar School, 150 Bowen Street, Warragul.

**Bookings will open Friday 19 August, 2016**

https://www.trybooking.com/MPTX