



# BINYA PUBLIC SCHOOL

Term 3, Week 6

27 August 2025



## Education Week, Leaders Report - Catherine Bianchini

As you can probably see kids are dressed up, this is for our 2025 book week. Some last minute costumes and some long before prepared, either way they all look very good.

Kids running around and having fun. Kidz Konnect. Mrs Gordon and Miss Ceccato have been having a great time making creative activities and the little kids have been having a blast. Kidz Konnect is every Friday at 10:30.

Almost all our students have finished their readers club 50. This is a school challenge to encourage kids to continue reading as much as they can and next Wednesday we have our club 50 reward.



Last term George won the Small Schools spelling bee and Asta and Isla became runners up. Because George won he progressed to the next level which was the regional finals. Quite a big achievement.

Hugh Kite made it to NSWPSA AFL National Carnival and to celebrate we had a footy colours day. Kids enjoyed hot dogs and hot chocolates for lunch and altogether students and staff contributed \$100 to Hugh's travel and playing expenses. It was a huge accomplishment for Hugh.

KROP- Kids Rapt On Performing. 2 weeks ago students had a great time performing at KROP. Our play was Room on the Broom with a few tweaks we had Australian animals and a Binya Bunyip. Students performed 3 times over 2 days. It was a great experience.

Barellan Show is approaching quickly. Colouring in, drawing, cooking, finger knitting and much more are being prepared for entries, Mrs Gordon has been very busy getting ready and has helped us a lot. Kids are very excited as they prepare for our pavilion exhibition.

For the next 4 weeks Miss Ceccato will be teaching some classes as she is training to become a teacher.



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## Sports Report by Catherine Bianchini

The last 2 terms have been quite busy with lots of sporting events.

We started Term 2 with a fantastic achievement – our P6 relay team consisting of Catherine, Hugh, George and Cooper broke the record at the NSW PSSA Swimming Championships and came home with a gold medal!

Next up was the Zone Cross Country at Lake Wyangan, where Sam, Cooper, George, Quade, Asta, Harry, Jack and Archer competed. Jack and George both qualified for Riverina and went on to run in Gundagai.

Catherine, Isla, Chloe, Cooper, Henry and George played in the Small schools touch team on June 10.

The Small Schools Athletics Carnival was held in the last week of Term 2. All students in Years 3–6 competed in track and field events, while our K–2 students took part in a variety of fun tabloid sports. A special congratulations to Jack, who was named Junior Boys Champion, and to Hugh, who was awarded 11 Years Champion.

The PSSA Soccer Knockout was held on Wednesday, 30th July at Ted Scobie Oval. George and Henry represented the Small Schools team.

Jack, Hugh, Archer, Harry, George, Quade, Cooper, Sam, Asta, Isla and Catherine all qualified to compete at the Zone Athletics carnival last Friday.

Sam, Catherine and Hugh qualified for individual events at Riverina, along with the P6 relay team consisting of George, Cooper, Sam and Hugh. This will be held in Albury on September 5.

Hugh Kite is playing for Riverina in the NSWPSA Touch Championships in Dubbo this week.

Harry, Asta, Sam, Jack and Quade will be representing Small Schools at the Trent Barrett Rugby League and League Tag Gala Day next Tuesday.

It's been a busy term filled with outstanding sporting achievements – congratulations to all our students for their effort, enthusiasm, and success!



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# AWARD WINNERS



**Archer Kite** -For showing great curiosity and creativity when using coding to bring your lego creations to life in science. Your problem-solving skills and enthusiasm for technology are fantastic to see.

**Madeleine Kite** - For using wow words to make your stories exciting and for independently using taught spelling strategies in your writing. You are becoming a confident and creative writer – keep it up!

**Harry Kite** - For listening to feedback and implementing it in your learning! Your efforts show determination, a positive attitude, and a desire to learn.

**Luca Bianchini** - For demonstrating responsible behaviour in the playground by showing care for others and making thoughtful choices. Your actions reflect our school values and help make our school a safe and respectful place for everyone.

**Henry Kite** -For making thoughtful and insightful contributions during our discussions about the difference between being angry and being mean. Your ideas helped everyone understand how to express feelings in a kind and respectful way.

**Ryan Kite** - For consistently showing independence in his learning and approaching every task with focus and determination. Your positive attitude, kindness, and all-round effort make you a fantastic role model in our classroom!

**Catherine Bianchini** - For beginning to challenge yourself independently and pushing your learning to new levels. It's great to see you growing in confidence and aiming higher on your own.

**Asta Overs** -For showing increasing confidence and determination when tackling new mathematical concepts and challenges. Your steady effort and genuine curiosity are helping you build a stronger and deeper understanding of mathematics.



Education

2025

Leadership Award

Catherine Bianchini

Binya Public School

For commitment to your  
leadership role

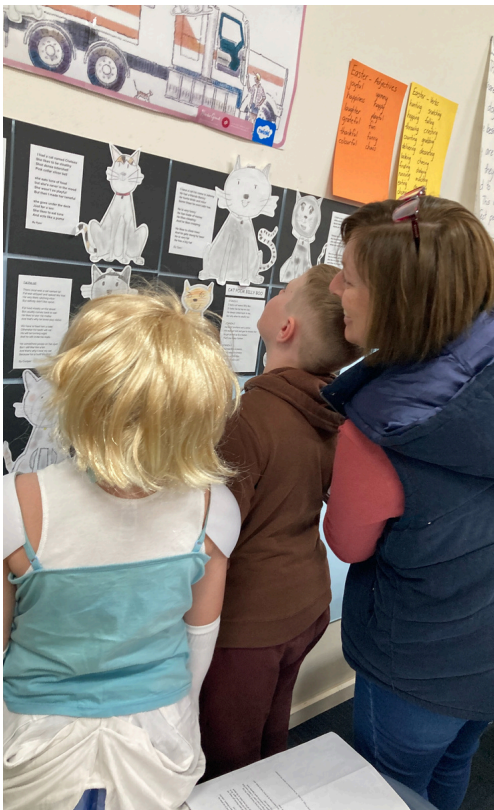
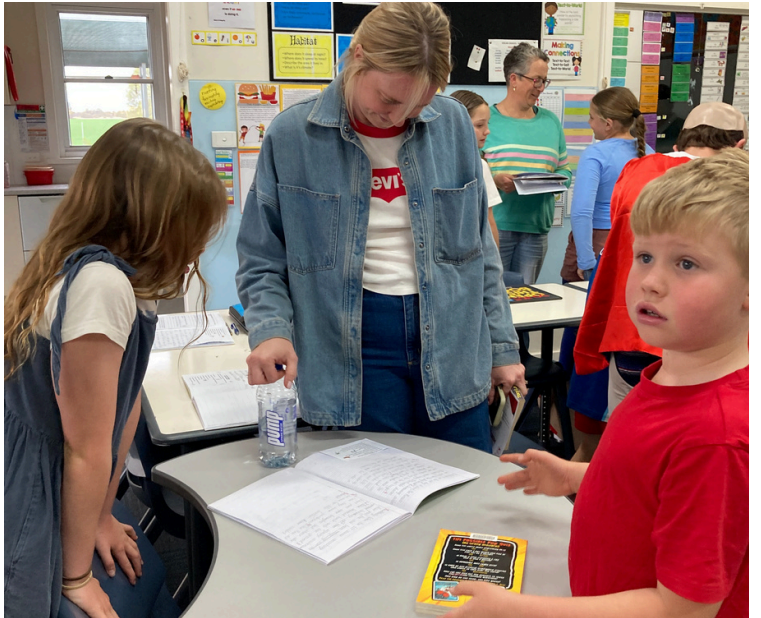
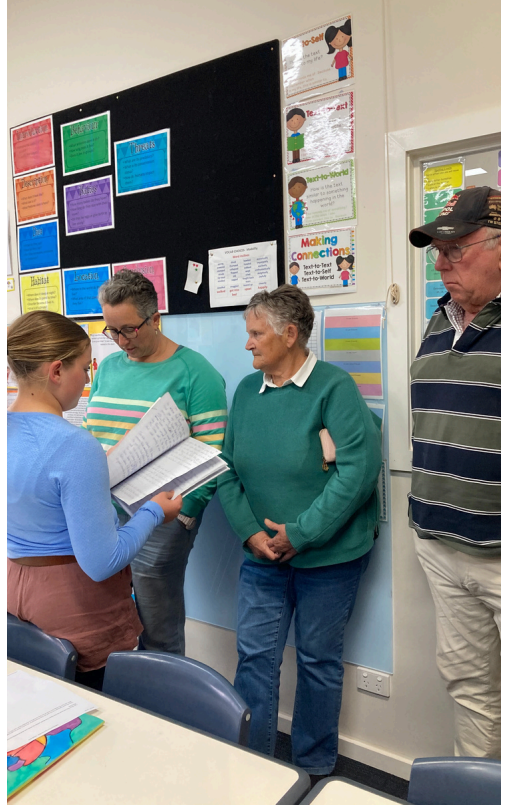


Van Berwick and Will Hunt - Wellbeing Awards



Hugh Kite, George Conlan, Cooper Hunt and  
Catherine Bianchini received awards from  
NSWPSSA for breaking the standing record at  
the Swimming Championships in April







# WEEK 7

**Monday 1 September**

School uniform

**Tuesday 2 September**

Sport uniform

**Wednesday 3 September**

Sport uniform

**Thursday 4 September**

School uniform

**Friday 5 September**

Riverina Athletics - Albury

Kidz Konnect

Sport uniform

Library

# WEEK 8

**Monday 8 September**

School uniform

**Tuesday 9 September**

Mobile library

Sport uniform

**Wednesday 10 September**

Gymnastics - Sport uniform

**Thursday 11 September**

School uniform

**Friday 12 September**

Kidz Konnect

Sport uniform

Library



**SAVE THE DATE**  
**Binya Presentation Night**  
**Thursday 11 December**

# SHOWTIME

The Barellan Show is on this Saturday!  
Mrs Gordon will be at the school Thursday morning to pick up entries they must be at the school by 9am. Otherwise entries will need to be dropped to the show office by 5pm Thursday for judging Friday. We thank Mrs Gordon for making a special trip to the school to collect the students' entries.

# SPORT

## Sports Equipment Update

From this week, students are asked not to bring balls (football, cricket, or similar) from home to school. The school provides a large supply of balls for play, which we maintain and replace as needed to ensure all students have fair and safe access.



Hugh played for Riverina in the NSWPPSA Touch Championships in Dubbo last week and was named Riverina's Players player for Riverina. Greatwork Hugh!

Quade, Jack, Asta, Sam and Harry, Quade played in the Small Schools teams at the Trent Barrett Rugby League and League Tag Gala Day yesterday.



Congratulations Asta for being named player of the day for her team.

Good luck to Catherine, Sam and Hugh, who will compete in individual events at the Riverina Athletics Carnival, alongside George, Sam, Cooper, and Hugh who will be running in the P6 relay team. The carnival will be held in Albury on Friday 5 September.



CHILDREN'S  
BOOK  
WEEK  
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# BOOK AN ADVENTURE



My costume is based on the Queen of Hearts from the movie and book, Alice in Wonderland. I enjoy this book because of the way the illustrations were drawn to make you laugh, such as when she used a hedgehog as a croquet ball and a flamingo as a bat to hit into the hoops.

By Isla



Why I Went As Tracy Lacy

I am dressed as Tracy Lacy from Tracy Lacy is completely bananas!!! By Taina Lacy.

I like reading this book because I can relate to it and it is very funny. For example, in Kindergarten she drew a unicorn with a rainbow next to its butt. When I was in kindergarten I drew a horse with a cupcake near the back and thats why I went as Tracy Lacy

By Asta



I am George the farmer from George the Farmer, written by Ben Hood.

I like this book because they shear sheep, and I like shearing sheep.

By Jack



I am Captain Underpants from the adventures of Captain Underpants by Dav Pilkey.

I like this book because it's funny and interesting. A funny part about this book was when Captain Underpants slingshots Dr Diaper with his underwear. I was laughing that hard I nearly fell of my chair.

By Cooper



I'm Pat Cummins from Howzat Pat by Pat Cummins

I like this book because I like how he moves from the city to the blue mountains and played cricket with his friends.

By Harry



I am a Wombat from Diary of a Wombat, by Jackie French and Bruce Whatley's. I like this book because of its illustrations and humour in the Wombats life. They made it so you felt like you were the Wombat. The pictures really showed that.

By Henry

CHILDREN'S  
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# BOOK AN ADVENTURE



I am Big Jim from Dogman Big Jim Begins by Dave Pilkey.

I like this book because the hero animals make it more interesting.

By Luca



I am the Grinch from how the Grinch stole Christmas by Dr. Seuss

I like this book because the Grinch starts off not liking anything and wasn't very social. But when he met a little girl that was kind he became more social and even went to a Christmas dinner. By George



Today I am dressed up as Cinderella from the Big Book of Princess stories. I like this book because I have good memories of my Mum reading it to me. By Ryan



I am dressed as Specky Magee from the book Specky Magee & the Boots of Glory by Felice Arena.

I love this book because he makes the characters stand out by making them have funny names.

By Quade



I am dressed as a cricket player from Cricket, I just love it by Tom Jellett.

I like this book because the girl does all the cricket shots including rampies, on drive, straight drive and a block.

By Sam



I am Rosie from Rosie Revere the Engineer by Andrea Beaty.

I like this book because she is an engineer and I like making things.

By Maddie



I am Spot from Spot goes to the park by Eric Hill.

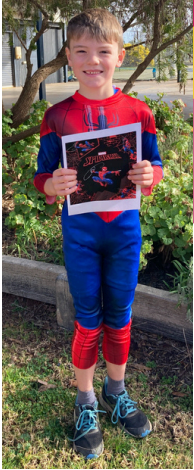
I like this book because the pictures are good.

By Will



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# BOOK AN ADVENTURE



I am Spiderman from  
Spiderman by Stan Lee. I  
like this book because  
Spiderman can shoot webs  
from his hands.

By Archer



I am the farmer from The  
Factor of Why I love Tractors  
by Jenny Lovlie.

I like this book because it has  
cool tractors and a librarian.  
By Van



I am Wizz from the book Do  
Not Open This Book written  
by Andy Lee and Illustrated by  
Heath Mckenzie.

I like this book because it is  
fun and it's kind of interactive.  
It's funny when he gets really  
angry when you turn the page  
and most of the time  
something changes when you  
turn it. By Catherine



I am Tracy Lacy from the book Tracy Lacy  
completely Coo-coo bananas! By Tania Lacy and  
illustrated by Danie Macdonald.

I like this book because I can relate to her. She  
is a Coo-coo bananas. When I was in  
kindergarten, I drew a cupcake rainbow unicorn  
in my free time. My favourite part in the book  
is when it shows you the rainbow pony picture  
that has pink rainbow farts and candy vomit  
pony. By Chloe



I am Possible from I'm  
Possible and the Time  
Travelling T.Rex by Axel  
Maisy.

I like this book because  
Tim is smart and funny.  
By Xave





# KIDZ KONNECT



**0-5 YEARS SOCIAL AND CREATIVE ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN.  
PARENTS NETWORKING WITH NEIGHBOURS AND FRIENDS.**

**10.30AM - 11:30AM**

**EVERY FRIDAY MORNING DURING SCHOOL TERMS.  
BINYA PUBLIC SCHOOL  
BRING ALONG A PLATE TO SHARE -  
TEA/COFFEE AVAILABLE.**




# BARELLAN SHOW

98th ANNUAL SHOW



**SATURDAY  
30TH AUGUST 2025**

\$50 WRISTBAND FOR RIDES  
ENTERTAINMENT  
ARTS & CRAFTS PAVILLION  
POULTRY SECTION  
OLD KENTUCKY ANIMAL FARM

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## NEW LEGO SECTIONS IN THE BARELLAN SHOW!

**O - CRAFTS**  
389. Lego - Adult Kit Only  
390. Lego Creation - adult (No Kit)

**P - JUNIOR CRAFTS  
13 - 16 YEARS**  
399. Lego Model (Kit Only)  
390. Lego - Own Creation (No Kit)

**Q - JUNIOR CRAFTS  
12 YEARS & UNDER**  
406. Lego Model (Kit Only)  
407. Lego - Own Creation (No Kit)

**ALL LEGO MUST BE SECURED ON A BASE OR IN A BOX**

