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BONNYRIGG HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

A school dedicated to quality teaching and learning

Term 1 Week 7

12 March 2025

A Message from Mr McKay

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome to week 7 term 1 2025. I am sure that you are all concerned at this present moment regarding the outcome of the Tropical Cyclone that hit the North Coast NSW and the Queensland Coast. When listening to the News of late many negatives are mentioned and few positives. For a person like me, I have a number of extended members of my family in NSW and QLD who have been in danger with flood scares and loss of property. I am sure that we wish all persons affected a positive outcome. To any of my community out there with similar circumstances, I wish all your family the best as well. Unfortunately, the rain keeps falling.

I am looking forward to the Year 3 and Year 5 NAPLAN assessments beginning online today. Our staff and students are ready for any challenge that is presented to them. I ask parents and care givers that you ensure that each child comes to school prepared especially in the morning providing them a good breakfast. They are saying that to stimulate the mind requires a trigger, and this would be good food. Our students in our classes work hard to achieve their best and I thank parents and families in supporting them along with their teachers to ensure them that they will do their best. As always, we wish every single child participating in NAPLAN the very best and congratulations already. The time frame for NAPLAN runs in week 7 and 8 of this term. If a child misses an assessment due to illness or family issues etc, they are able to work with the NAPLAN Coordinators and attend a catchup-parents must request this.

I am extremely pleased to say that as of today-Wednesday, I was able to meet up with the Local Member for Liverpool – Charish-Ma Kaliyanda. To have a discussion with a person who wants to achieve the best for all children especially those in the Liverpool area was exceptional. We raised some issues that impact on us all at the school level e.g Crossing lines on Lewis Street and Wilson Road. Also, ongoing maintenance issues in the school that need to be addressed. I would like to take this opportunity and say thank you to her for listening and wanting to raise our issues further. We all appreciate your direction.

I am pleased to say, that our school along with many other schools in our area, will be celebrating Harmony Day. This is always a great day for all. This year like other years we will continue to show case our cultural skills we learn in our Community Language classes and showcase them to students, parents and the Community. Parents will be able to move around the school and visit classrooms and see how our students learn about their own culture in their classrooms and community language rooms and of course classrooms.

A huge reminder to all parents that we will be offering an opportunity of requesting parents to attend Parents and Teacher

Coming events for Term 1

Date	Events
Thursday 13 March	Stage 2 Assembly
Friday 14 March	Kinder Assembly
Tuesday 18 March	Support Unit Assembly
Thursday 20 March	Harmony Day Stage 3 Assembly Support Unit Assembly
Friday 21 March	Stage 1 Assembly
Tuesday 25 March	Year 6 Cecil Hills HS Visit Parent Teacher Interviews Support Unit Assembly
Wednesday 26 March	Cross Country Carnival
Thursday 27 March	Stage 2 Assembly
Friday 28 March	Kinder Assembly

interviews on either Tuesday the 25 March from 3.00pm to 5.30pm or Tuesday 1 April from 3.00pm to 5.30pm. If you feel that you need a different time, I ask you to make contact with your child's teacher and see if they can make a change that would better suit. It is important that parents and Care givers do make appointments as they are able to find out about how their child is performing in the class and how the teachers are working with all students in classrooms.

I would like to acknowledge staff, family, students and community on March 28 for their efforts in fasting for Ramadan during EID celebrations. Well done!!!!!!

Thanking you,

Daryl McKay
Principal

Harmony DAY 20 MARCH



Let's come together to celebrate
our cultural diversity!

Assembly 8:45am

Students can wear orange or their
national dress on the day.



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Parent Teacher Interviews



We are holding our Parent Teacher Interviews on
Tuesday 25 March and Tuesday 1 April between
3.00pm to 5.30pm.

Bookings can be made through the Parent Portal.
Information will be sent home shortly with details on
how to make the bookings.

SCHOLASTIC

Book Club

Book Club issue 2 has been distributed and will be
due back no later than

Monday 24 March 2025 by 9:30am.



All orders must be in an envelope with the student's
name and class clearly marked on it. If the order is
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EASTER RAFFLE

Just a reminder about our annual P&C Easter Raffle. We ask if students can bring in Easter eggs to donate to their classroom by Wednesday 2 April 2025.

Easter Raffle will be drawn on Monday 7 April 2025.

GOOD LUCK TO YOU ALL



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