

Old Bonalbo Public School Newsletter





Be Respectful Be Safe Be a Learner

Term 2 Week 7 13th June 2025

A Message from the Relieving Principal

There's a bit of a chill in the air at the moment, Winter is here, so stay warm and enjoy the beautiful sunshine.

The UCPSSA Cross Country hosted by Bonalbo Central School was a great day, we ran, we slipped in the mud, and we laughed. Thank you to all parents and carers who came and supported our students. I am proud of all our students who took on the rough conditions. Congratulations to Eleanor - 5th, Jesse - 4th and Kai - 1st. We are proud to advise Jesse was able to progress in his age group, to the next level at Corndale, where he represented our school very well.

The Life Education Van visited us this week. The students were enthralled by the puppet "Healthy Harold" and came away well informed about online activities.

Our School will be holding our Athletics Carnival on Wednesday 18th June at Old Bonalbo Public School. Students will then go on to compete in the Combined Schools' Athletics Carnival to be once again held at Urbenville Public School on Friday 27th June. All students are to participate in this opportunity to have fun and compete with their peers. Private transport will be required. Further details will be published in School Bytes soon.

Due to Workplace Health and Safety concerns, staff will no longer be permitted to heat food for students' lunches.

The school has been forwarding SMS messages to the parents of absent students each day. Please respond to these SMS messages promptly to avoid the necessity of sending follow up correspondence.

End Semester 1 Student Reports will be sent home Friday 4th July 2025. We plan on holding another Parent/Teacher BBQ at the school combined with our School Athletics Carnival, on Wednesday 18th June, where you will have the opportunity to discuss your child's progress or any concerns.

It is that time of the year again when we collect Nationally Consistent Data on School Students with a Disability (NCCD). The NCCD will have no direct impact on your child and your child will not be involved in any testing process, so a copy of the information letter is included in this newsletter.

Thank you.

Mrs Raylee Ryan Relieving Teaching Principal



Dear parents, guardians and carers

Re: Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD)

Every year, all schools in Australia participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD). The NCCD process requires schools to identify information already available in the school about supports provided to students with disability. These relate to legislative requirements under the *Disability Discrimination Act 1992* and the Disability Standards for Education 2005, in line with the *NCCD guidelines* (2019).

Information provided about students to the Australian Government for the NCCD includes:

- year of schooling
- · category of disability: physical, cognitive, sensory or social/emotional
- level of adjustment provided: support provided within quality differentiated teaching practice, supplementary, substantial or extensive.

This information assists schools to:

- · formally recognise the supports and adjustments provided to students with disability in schools
- consider how they can strengthen the support of students with disability in schools
- develop shared practices so that they can review their learning programs in order to improve educational outcomes for students with disability.

The NCCD provides state and federal governments with the information they need to plan more broadly for the support of students with disability.

The NCCD will have no direct impact on your child and your child will not be involved in any testing process. The school will provide data to the Australian Government in such a way that no individual student will be able to be identified – the privacy and confidentiality of all students is ensured. All information is protected by privacy laws that regulate the collection, storage and disclosure of personal information. To find out more about these matters, please refer to the <u>Australian Government's Privacy Policy</u> (https://www.education.gov.au/privacy-policy).

Further information about the NCCD can be found on the NCCD Portal (https://www.nccd.edu.au).

If you have any questions about the NCCD, please contact the school.

Kind regards

Principal







Congratulations to our AWARD WINNERS







Week 2 - Term 2

Week 3 - Term 2





Week 4 - Term 2

Week 5 - Term 2



Pirate Day



Community Notices

YCould you use an extra \$500 towards school costs in 2025?

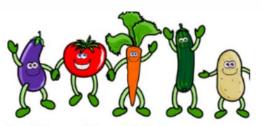
The Saver Plus Program is about boosting financial skills, to develop (and keep) good savings habits.

You can put money towards education expenses including:

- · Computers, laptops, and tablets
 - · Books, uniforms & shoes
- Sports & music, camps, excursions, and more...

If you save up to \$50 a month for 10 months, Saver Plus will double it. \$500 saved + \$500 matched = \$1000 (in 10 months).

Visit www.saverplus.org.au for more details. 1300 610 355



Breakfast and Crunch&Sip Programs Sponsored by Bonalbo

FOODWORKS

Thank you so much to Foodworks Bonalbo for your continued support of our Breakfast Club and **Crunch and Sip Program**











We know and have lived the story of devastation by bushfire and the challenges of flood.

You are now invited to be a part of a happier story ending. Our community was fortunate to secure grant funding under the Bushfire Local Economic Recovery Fund (BLERF) jointly funded by the Australian and NSW Governments for a Bush Regeneration Project. Admire the landscape; Swim in the Clarence (lifeguard on duty).

Celebrate and share Wahlabul and Githabul culture and the unveiling of a Scar Tree and art works.

Appreciate the achievements of Aboriginal work teams from Muli Muli and Jubullam to support the natural regeneration of the bush and the saving of a culturally significant scar tree. This tree now lives on as an accessible statement of the history and endurance of Aboriginal culture. It demonstrates good will and reconciliation in action and builds optimism for today's children and future generations.

FREE BUSH TUCKER inspired lunch: Roo burgers, chicken burgers, Macadamia nut pie, Pumpkin pie; and Vegetarian.

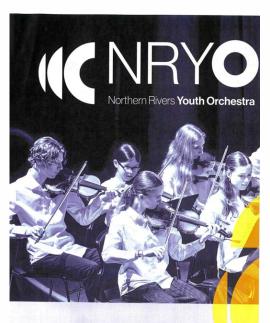
Where http://clarenceriver.com/getting-here/ All will be revealed when you RSVP by 11th June for catering

Celebration - the best way to end a story and build community. Saturday 14th June - 11:00 am - 3.30 pm

FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT - NO ALCOHOL PLEASE!

RSVP: Upper Clarence Combined Landcare Facebook message, or text 0428394511





8 - 10 July 2025

Join the 2025 Northern Rivers Youth Orchestra for three days of stimulating workshops and performance, focusing on music for orchestra, string ensemble and concert band.

Cross Country

































Garden and Sustainability Program

















WHAT'S HAPPENING IN TERM 2 2025

| Week 7 | June 9 King's Birthday | June 10 | June 11 | June 12 | June 13 NC Cross Country - Nana Glen |
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| Week 8 | June 16 | June 17 | June 18 School Athletics Carnival & Parent/Teacher BBQ | June 19 | June 20 |
| Week 9 | June 23 | June 24 | June 25 | June 26 | June 27 Combined Small Sch Athletics Carnival - Urbenville |
| Week 10 | June 30 | July 1 | July 2 | July 3 | July 4 Student Reports sent Home Last Day Term 2 |
| Term 3 Week 1 | July 21 Staff Development Day | July 22 First day back for students | July 23 | July 24 | July 25 |





















