Dear Parents,

Thank you to the many parents and children who supported our ‘Disco for Jacob’ last Thursday evening. Our school raised a total of $3325.46 which has been donated directly to Jacob and his family. Thank you to the P&C and Mrs Goninan for their organisation of this wonderful event.

Congratulations to our Term 1 Green Award winners who had morning tea with Mrs White yesterday to celebrate their respectful, responsible, safe learning in their classrooms.
The class winners were:
- KG: Olivia Jackson and Alissa Scott
- KR: Abel Edwards
- KP: Jessica Stevenson and Bailey Poisel
- K/1M: Eliza Dowton and Will Clements
- 1C: Lachlan Simeonidis
- 1B: Jessie Harrison
- 1M: Isaac Turnell, Oliver Hamer and Logan Johnson
- 1/2S: Grace Zhang and Elias Cutler
- 2M: Steven Li, Evie Goninan and Isabella Morris
- 2RN: Jayanna Sommer-Reynolds and Mia McClements
- 2Z: Yazmin Owens and Minh Dangvu
- 3/4I: Abby Lee Robinson, Jamie Healy
- 3/4T: Domonic Newton
- 3/4F: Oliver Spinks and Oscar Westwood
- 3/4R: Gabriel Langdon
- 5/6D: Cody Ball and Abby Leven
- 5/6C: Les Horne
- 5/6A: Holly Downey
- 5/6H: Oliver Liu
- 3-6C: Riley Muggleton
- 2-6J: Lachlan Gillespie
- K-2H: Tyler Lamers
- 3-6G: Andrew Dunn and Dakota Bonham

Congratulations to all of our K-2 children on their participation in the Easter Hat Parade on Tuesday 31st March. It was a wonderful afternoon of parading and dancing. Thankyou to the many parents, grandparents and friends who came along to support the children. A special thank you to the amazing staff who have spent many hours preparing the children, organising Easter Egg prizes and setting the venue up. Our Easter Hat Parade raised $2433.30, of which $1000 will be donated to Stewart House as part of our annual pledge.
We have had further success on the sporting field this week. Congratulations to Charlie and Nash Hutchings who have both been selected in the Western Region AFL Team. The boys will compete at the NSW PSSA AFL Championships in Blacktown in May. Well done Charlie and Nash.

Congratulations to Izayah Mani McIntyre who has been selected in the Western Region 11 years Rugby League Team. Congratulations also to Alec John Mokaraka who has been selected in the Western Region Open Rugby League Team. Terrific work from Izayah and Johnny.

The 2014 Annual School Report has been uploaded to our School Website today. I urge all parents to read this document which is an accurate reflection on the activities and results achieved at Bathurst Public School in 2014.

**Food Allergies** - We do have several children at our school who have peanut allergies and have severe reactions if exposed to this food. Parents are asked to be mindful of this when packing recess and lunch and are encouraged not to send products which contain nuts in them to school.

A general reminder:-

- All items of clothing and personal belongings should be clearly marked with your child’s name.
- All children require a broad brimmed hat each day as our school has a “No Hat, No Play” policy.
- When parents and friends come to the school during the day, they should present to the front office on arrival. This is a Legal and Workplace Safety requirement and is followed for the safety and security of all children and teachers.
We continue to encourage parents to make appointments to come and talk about your child’s progress, problems that may arise, ideas etc. It is reminded that the education of your child is a team effort with teachers and parents being the main stakeholders. With this in mind, it is an important reminder that the parent/teacher relationship always needs to be cohesive and supportive and one of mutual respect. I am sure we will continue to work with one another in a positive manner.

All money coming to the school should be placed in a sealed envelope with your child’s name, correct amount of money, class and what the money is for clearly written on the front. All money should be sent directly to the front office at the school for processing.

Our School Newsletter will now be uploaded every Thursday so all parents receive information at the same time. Please refer to our website at [www.bathurst-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.bathurst-p.schools.nsw.edu.au) to download the weekly newsletter.

Have a wonderful Easter vacation and we look forward to seeing everyone on Tuesday 21st April, 2015.

If any parent has any concerns regarding any aspect of school life, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards

Kate White
Principal

**Cross Country**

The Bathurst Public School Cross Country will be held on Thursday 23rd April (Week 1 back). It will be held on the school grounds. This is due to the costs imposed on the school for buses and hire of facilities at the usual venue. The District Cross Country is schedules for Friday 22nd May at Mt Panorama. The Western Cross Country Trials will be held on Thursday 10th June at Geurie.

**School Contributions**

School Contributions for 2015 have been set and are now due. Fees can be paid by sending cash or cheque in a sealed envelope with your child’s name, class and School Fees written on the front to the front office at school. Alternatively, parents can come to the office and pay by cash, cheque or EFTPOS. The fees are:

- $50.00 (1 child)
- $90.00 (2 children)
- $120.00 (3 or more children)

There is also a $15.00 technology levy and $15.00 resource levy payable for each child. This assists the school to purchase new resources for the children to use in the classroom.
Netball fundraiser

Big Jar - Nash Hutchings with a guess of 380 (actual 379)
Medium Jar - Ellie MacDonald with a guess of 210 (actual 210!)
Small Jar - Jessica Breust with a guess of 103 (actual 101)

We raised $85.00.

Thank you to all students for helping the PSSA Netball Team fundraises for their new uniforms. With this money, along with a generous donation from the P&C and some use of school sport funds, the girls will be sporting brand new uniforms in time for their first games in Term 2!

Well done Netball girls for giving your time each recess and lunch to fundraise.

Like Bathurst Public School on Facebook!

Canteen Roster Term 2

**Wednesday 22nd April 2015**
P D’Aquino

**Friday 24th April 2015**
K Denyer

**Monday 26th April 2015**
E Spinks
P&C News

SWEET SUCCESS!
THANKYOU to everyone who baked goodies or helped serve (or did both!) at our Election Day Cake Stall on Saturday. We managed to extract over $600 from the pockets of hungry voters with our enticing array of treats. All money goes towards funding P&C initiatives, such as awarding sports vouchers to state representatives, buying school equipment and even stocking the bathrooms with soap!

FROZEN ASSETS
The P&C’s canteen supplies will stay as frozen as Elsa’s ice castle thanks to a generous donation from Electrolux Orange. One of our freezers was on its last legs but we now have a brand spanking new one that is bigger, better and didn’t cost us a cent (which means more money for the school). Why not come and see it for yourself by volunteering at the canteen next term? More volunteers are needed so call in and see Heather (Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays) if you can help.

P&C Vice President Sueann Brown (left) and Canteen manager Heather Kimbel show off the new freezer.

GET YOUR GALA TICKETS
Don’t forget to book your tickets for our Back to BPS Gala Dinner on Saturday May 23. This is a chance for everyone with ties to the school, past and present, to celebrate being part of Bathurst’s oldest public school. You can purchase single tickets or make group bookings of 8-10 people. Ticket sales close May 8. For more information, email backtobps@outlook.com or pick up a form from the school office.

Where: The Carrington Function Centre & Theatre, Keppel St Bathurst
Cost: $70 a head for a two-course meal plus tea/coffee and celebratory cake!

NEXT P&C MEETING
7pm, Wednesday 22nd April 2015, school staff room.
All welcome!

Clothing Pool

Our secondhand uniform shop is open every Tuesday morning from 8.30am-9.30am, or by appointment.

We have plenty of jumpers (size 4-16) and an assortment of other uniform pieces, all for a gold coin donation per item purchased.

All donations of second hand uniforms will be gratefully accepted and sold back at our school.

For more information or to book times with me to have a look, call Liz on 63342853 or 0438210748.
Term 2 2015 Calendar

- Monday 20th April – School Development Day
- Tuesday 21st April – Term 2 begins for all children
- Thursday 23rd April – Cross Country to be held at on school grounds
- Friday 24th April – Girls Netball
- Thursday 30th April – Primary Assembly – change of date – School Captains to receive Bicentenary Medallions from the Mayor
- Friday 1st May - Infants Assembly
- Friday 1st May – Athletics Carnival
- Tuesday 5th May – Bathurst High School Year6 to Year 7 information night 6.30pm
- Friday 8th May – Proclamation Day Flag Raising
- Tuesday 12th May – NAPLAN
- Wednesday 13th May – NAPLAN
- Wednesday 13th May – Primary Assembly
- Thursday 14th May – NAPLAN
- Friday 15th May – Infants Assembly
- Tuesday 19th May – Computer Skills test UNSW
- Wednesday 20th May – Choral Conservatorium
- Thursday 21th May – Band Conservatorium
- Friday 22nd May – Strings Conservatorium
- Friday 22nd May – District Cross Country at Mt Panorama
- Saturday 23rd May – Bathurst Public School Dinner Dance
- Sunday 24th May - Back to Bathurst Public School Day
- Wednesday 27th May – Primary Assembly
- Wednesday 27th May – Iexplore BHC
- Friday 29th May – Infants Assembly
- Wednesday 3rd June – Science skills test UNSW
- Monday 8th June – Public holiday Queens Birthday
- Wednesday 10th June – Primary Assembly
- Wednesday 10th June – Western Cross Country trials at Geurie
- Friday 12th June – Infants Assembly
- Monday 15th June – Writing skills test UNSW
- Tuesday 16th June – Spelling skills test UNSW
- Thursday 18th June – School Reports home
- Wednesday 24th June – Primary Assembly
- Friday 26th June – Infants Assembly
- Friday 26th June – Last day of Term 2
BATHURST Public School

Back to BPS
Bicentenary Celebrations

Saturday, 23 May
BACK TO BPS GALA DINNER
Carrington Function Centre

Sunday, 24 May
OPEN DAY & VINTAGE FAIR
School tours, rides, music, food,
old fashioned games, market stalls
‘Inkpots to iPads’ photographic
exhibition and much, much more!

School grounds 10am - 2pm
(George Street, Bathurst)

www.facebook.com/BacktoBPS
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Start time 10 am (Fridays 9.30 am)  
Recess 11.10am to 11.30am  
Finish time 2pm  
Lunch 1.10pm to 2pm  
Extra help is always welcome between recess & lunch and will reduce waiting times  
If you are unable to make rostered day please try to swap before the day  
Canteen Phone Number Heather 6331 3275
Bathurst Public School

Term 2 2015

Canteen Menu

Lunch orders & money to be placed in a bag or envelope with your child's name and class, and posted through slot before 9am.

All our foods are Healthy Kids Association or Canteen Approved - we have put the daily maximum recommendation on some items.

**LUNCH**

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**RECESS**

| Hot Chocolate (gluten free) | $0.70 |
| Cheesy Crusts               | $0.50 |
| Chicken nuggets (max 6 per order) | $0.50 |
| Cup of noodles              | $0.70 |
| Baked egg                    | $1.00 |

**SNACKS**

| Fruit filled mini muffin          | $0.30 |
| Fruit filled std muffin           | $0.70 |
| Cheese slice                      | $0.20 |
| Boiled egg                        | $0.50 |
| Seasonal fruit piece              | $0.30 |
| Whole seasonal fruit              | $0.60 |
| Air popped corn                   | $0.40 |
| custard cup with spoon            | $0.60 |
| Finger bun - half                 | $1.00 |
| Red Rock Chips - honey soy chicken| $1.20 |
| Grain Waves - sour cream & chives | $1.20 |

**DRINKS**

| Apple or orange juice 99%        | $1.20 |
| Bottled water - 600ml            | $1.10 |
| Milk-300ml - plain              | $1.90 |
| Milk-300ml chocolate/stawberry   | $1.90 |

**FROZEN - 2nd half lunch**

| Apple/orange juice cup          | $0.80 |
| Milk cup - choco/stawberry      | $0.80 |
| Quesch sticks                   | $0.80 |
| Lemonade icy pole               | $1.20 |
| Fandangles-floss/chocmello      | $2.00 |
| Slush puppy                     | $2.00 |