PRINCIPAL’S COMMENTS

Greetings all and welcome to Week 9.

SASS Week
Last week we celebrated our brilliant SASS staff. It was wonderful to recognise all the hard work and dedication shown by our office staff, School Learning Support Officers and grounds staff. Thank you for the contributions you have made to make this school a great place to work and learn.

Father’s Day Breakfast
From all reports our Father’s Day Breakfast was another great success. It was excellent to see so many dads, uncles, grandfathers and more sharing a hot breakfast, a handball game or a joke on this special day. Thank You to Mrs Sutter, Mrs Wilson & Ms Etherington for coordinating the morning and to the entire BBPS staff for making this a special morning for all. Thanks also to our wonderful P&C parents for organising the Father’s Day stall.

Billy Cart Parts
Mr Mac, our wonderful Scripture teacher, has informed me that he has spare timber that he is willing to donate to families looking to get involved in the Billy Cart Derby. If you need some timber please come and see me so I can forward your information on to Mr Mac.

Bus Behaviour
I am pleased to announce that the behaviour of our students on the bus is improving. Please continue to talk to your children about the importance of safe, respectful behaviour on the bus including staying in their seat and not eating on the bus.

Praise Reward
Today, our 100% students from Term 2’s Praise have been treated to a session on a Mobile Video Games truck. These rewards are a great way for the teachers at Bonnells Bay to say thank you to the students that try their best all the time. Keep up the good work!

Science Show
Unfortunately we have had a disappointing response to the Forensic Science Workshop which will be held at our school tomorrow, Thursday 11th. If you would like your child to participate in this unique experience please bring the permission note and $8 to the office first thing in the morning. From all reports, this is one they won’t want to miss.

Car Park
Please ensure that your children don’t walk through the staff car park of an afternoon. It is hard to see little people in between cars and we would hate for an accident to occur. All children leaving from the top end of the school need to do so from the steps near the school office.

Enjoy the rest of the week!

Michael Pratt
Relieving Principal
DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

September

10th Kindergarten Parent information session
11th Forensic Science $8 Yrs 3-6
Newcastle Museum notes and $15 due Yrs 1-2
18th Blackbutt Reserve – notes and $15 due Kindy

NOTES SENT HOME DURING THE WEEK
Community Partnership
Oz Tag Gala Day
A Night at the Movies DVD Order Form

CANTEEN ROSTER

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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the following students who received a Merit Certificate at the Assembly….

Kindy to Year 2

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UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

We have just received stock of our new school hats. This is a new design. Hats are available for $12 each. Don’t forget to ask the uniform shop volunteers to let you borrow their permanent marker to label your child’s newly purchased uniforms straight away.

We still have lots of discontinued uniforms at discount prices! Call in on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday or Friday mornings from 9:00am to 10:00am to check out these discounted uniforms.

FATHER’S DAY RAFFLE

 Fathers’ Day raffle tickets raised $1187.00, this will help to purchase resources for students classrooms, thank you to all who returned their tickets.

The winner of the raffle was E Lette, second, B Reid and third, N Waters. Congratulations!

KINDERTEIN INFORMATION SESSION

The Kindergarten Information Session is on this afternoon, Wednesday 10th September at 3:45pm.

PAYMENTS DUE NOW OR SOON

A Case of Discovery

A case of discovery, a Forensic Science Workshop is to be held on Thursday 11th September. The cost is only $8 and it is for students in Years 3-6. If you hand your permission note and money in first thing in the morning you can still attend.

Newcastle Museum

Stage 1 will be going to the Newcastle Museum on Wednesday 17th September, permission notes and the payment of $15 is due this week.

Blackbutt Reserve Excursion

Kindergarten will be going to Blackbutt Reserve on Thursday 9th October, just after the school holidays, but to organise the bus travel we need all Kindergarten students to pay before the end of term. The cost of this excursion is only $15.

A Night at the Movies DVD

Orders are currently being taken for our professionally produced DVD on the school performance, A Night at the Movies, and it only costs $15. Money is to be sent with the order form.

LIONS CLUB RAFFLE

Tickets to the Morisset Lions Club raffle are on sale at the school office for the small cost of $1 each. Prizes for the raffle include:

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<td>3rd Four-burner BBQ donated by Bunnings, Value:$250</td>
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<td>4th $125 weekly tuition by renowned water colour artist Belinda Biggs</td>
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The draw will take place at the Lions Club meeting after 31st October 2014.

PRAISE AWARDS

Students who earned their Praise Award for Term 2 were able to attend the Mobile Video Games truck today. The school was also lucky to have the Mobile Video Games truck attend the school free of charge, so if you are having a party you might be able to use their services. Please phone them on 0478 832 122 or check out their website www.mobilervideogames.com.au. We are very grateful for their service today.

AQUILO INTEREST

We have had some real interest in our promotion of the Aquilo land development. As you will be aware Aquilo is one of our Community Partners and if interested, buyers need only present one of our school/Aquilo vouchers to gain a discount of $1,000. The school also receives a contribution of $1,000
Road Safety
Stay safe during the school holidays and always remember to use the road safety rules.

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<td><strong>Pedestrian safety</strong></td>
<td>• Hold a grown up’s hand when you cross the road  • Hold a grown up’s hand when you’re on the footpath  • Hold a grown up’s hand when you’re in a car park</td>
<td>• Use a safe place to cross the road  • Hold an adult’s hand when you cross the road</td>
<td>• Stop! Look! Listen! Think! Every time you cross the road  • Use a safe place to cross the road</td>
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<td><strong>Passenger safety</strong></td>
<td>• Click, clack, front and back  • Always buckle up - in your seatbelt  • Get in and out of the car on the footpath side</td>
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<td><strong>Bus safety</strong></td>
<td>• Wait till the bus has gone and then use a safe place to cross the road</td>
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<td><strong>Safety on wheels</strong></td>
<td>• Always wear a helmet when you ride or skate  • Ride your bike in a safe place away from the road</td>
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How many photos are taken? There are usually 3 poses - the entire family, the children, and the parents. These options are not compulsory and may vary depending on the relatives who come on the day.

ORDER FORMS AND MORE INFORMATION WILL BE SENT HOME WHEN WE RECEIVE IT.

**TENNIS COACHING**
Tennis Coaching is conducted at the Bay Hotel Tennis courts every Tuesday afternoon and Saturday morning by qualified coach, Bill Griffiths. All standards are catered for and beginners are most welcome. For bookings and further information phone Bill on 0402 274 646.

**BILLY CARTS**
If you require wood to build your Billy cart please let Mr Pratt know as Mr Mac has a limited supply available.

**MORISSET HIGH SCHOOL UNIFORMS**
Morisset High School will be giving Year 6 students starting high school in 2015, 20% off the purchase price of school uniforms on Thursday 18th September, during normal opening times only. Stock only, no refunds, no rainchecks or exchanges. Does not apply to woollen jumpers.

**TRIVIA NIGHT**
Supporting the Peninsula Rural Fire Brigade on Saturday 1st November at 7pm. Contact Mitch on 0419 508 138 for more details.

**HEALTHY EATING**
A nice healthy salad, carrot sticks kept cool in lunchboxes.

**Bonnells Bay PS P & C NEWS**
FREE barefoot bowling  
BBPS BBQ  
Jumping Castle

Morisset Hospital bowling club, have asked us to help run a community fun day at their greens. This day will be held Sunday 2nd November 11am-4pm at Morisset Hospital Bowling club.

Bring along the whole family for a free game of barefoot bowls.

Purchase a BBQ lunch from us while you’re there and enjoy a picnic in one of the prime positions around the lake.

**Family Portraits**
It was our intention this year to hold a family portrait fundraiser for Christmas instead of the calendar fundraiser. When the bowling club approached us about the above event, we thought why not hold them together? What a perfect place by the lake and bush to have a family portrait taken!!

Portrait sittings cost $15 per family, with the full $15 going to the school and you receive a 20x30cm framed portrait.

Your framed photo will be available for collection on Thursday 20th November in the afternoon. At this time you may also purchase other portraits taken on the day. Who can be in the photo? Usually mum, dad and the kids, but grandparents, cousins and even the family pets can be included.