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"Tree"mendous Awards:

Kalarney, Hayden

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Congratulations!

Jaxon

On coming 1st Place in the 100m final
at the NC Athletics Carnival.

Good luck at the next level - *State!*

PRINCIPAL'S COMMENT

As we come to an end of another busy yet productive term, I would like to say well done and thank you to our wonderful students for their continued best effort, care and respect, and attention to the safety and wellbeing of other people in our school. Also a great big thank you for the hard-work and dedication of our school P&C, our parent helpers and finally to the teaching and administration staff. Our many successes this term would not be possible without your support!

Staffing

We have two exciting pieces of news in regards to staffing and permanent positions: Interviews for our second Assistant Principal's position (commencing in 2019), will take place shortly, and we should know about the successful applicant in Term 4. Secondly, we have been appointed a graduate teacher for 2019. Her name is Eliza Barnett and she will be visiting our school for the first time on Monday 15th October (first day of Term 4). We welcome both new teachers to our staff and look forward to meeting them.

Work, Health, Safety Car Park Audit

As mentioned in the previous bulletin, we will be closing the car park to non-staff members as of Monday 15th October (day 1, Term 4). The car park will be closed from 8:30am and reopened at 3:30pm.

On another note though, we are making plans with council for the organisation of a 'Kiss-and-Drop' zone to start running at the school in the near future. Next term a local Council representative will be presenting information about this strategy to our P&C and at our first Kindergarten Orientation day.

Enrolments

Last week our Kindergarten Orientation invitations and enrolment packages were sent out. We are looking forward to meeting our new students and their families!

De-Cluttering

I have set Mr Tape the massive challenge of de-cluttering our school (storerooms, sheds, cupboards, etc), as it is amazing to see some of the items that have been hidden away and not used for numerous years. As part of his efforts, Mr Tape and Beau Stackman (School Parliament - Minister for Parks and Gardens) have started by washing up some old school chairs and stacking them in the mini COLA. We are hoping to re-home the chairs and ask that anyone in need of chairs, **would make a donation** towards some native plants or seeds for the Gardening Club to use in their gardens.

Throughout next term and early next year, Mr Tape will find other furniture items (cupboards, desks, etc) that will need re-homing, so keep an eye out for these items.

Term 4 Weekly Swimming

Our Weekly Swimming Program for sport commences again in Term 4, Week 3 at the Wauchope Pool. Years 3-6 return on Friday 2 November and then each Friday until Week 8, followed by the Swimming Carnival in Week 9, 14 December for Years 2 to 6.

Infants Swimming commences on Thursday 1st November. It will continue each Thursday until Week 9.

Students will leave school at 11.00am and arrive back at school at 1.00pm. A permission note will be sent home in Week 1 next term. Please complete and return to your child's class teacher. Payments to be made on a weekly basis. (**NO Parent Online Payments (POP) please**). Cost **\$6.00** each week per child. Parent volunteers will be required so please fill out the slip on the permission slip if you can help.

Thank You

This Friday sees the successful completion of Miss Sherlock's internship on our Kindergarten class. On behalf of the staff I would like to congratulate Miss Sherlock for an outstanding job; her passion for education and student wellbeing, her initiative, enthusiasm and commitment have been an asset to our school over the past term. We wish Miss Sherlock all the best for her career as a teacher, and hope to see her at Beechwood in the near future.

Also, thank you to Sandy and Helen from Wauchope Newsagency for donating over 20 Enid Blyton story books to our library and to Emma Davis for bringing them to us.

Parliament Assembly

Friday 28 September, 2018

at 10.00am.

All welcome!

School Social Disco

Years 3-6

Thursday 27 September 2018

6.00pm to 7.30pm *Sharp!*

(Infants K-2 at school from 2-3.00pm)

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Gold, Silver and Bronze Awards

These awards are given to students who have demonstrated exemplary behaviour reflecting Beechwood Public School's Code of Conduct. The following students received awards at the last assembly or at a morning assembly:



BRONZE: Amelia H, Makayla S, Tallulah T, Ethan J, Chayse M, Cooper W, Harry C.

SILVER: Lily T, Eve S, Riley S.

Merit Awards

The recipients of the "Merit" award at the last assembly were:

- Year KLC - Oska G, Kaitlyn J
- Year KMC - Billie T, Amara S
- Year 1 - Milton O, Milly J, Ethan D, Hayden T
- Year 2 - Anushka T, Miller F, Jeddah B
- Year 3-4 - Charlie H, Beau G, Nathan W, Chayse M
- Year 4-5 - Mikayla H, Kiah P, Josh C
- Year 5-6 - Willem V, Deegan M, Alara R



Quality Work Awards

The recipients of the "Quality Work" award at the last assembly were:

- Year KLC - Ethan J, Spencer T, Riley R, Jaxon W
- Year KMC - Kobie C, Oakey T, Rhys W, Charlie W
- Year 1 - Kaiden O, Benny W, Braithen W, Sofia B
- Year 2 - Jove T, Addison L, Ryan B
- Year 3-4 - Ebony F, Eve S, Andie B, Jacob H
- Year 4-5 - Denny M, Jacob H, Jaccinta G
- Year 5-6 - Ella H, Madalyn S, Keagan M

Congratulations and well done!

Term 4 Swimming

Commences in Week 3 (\$6)

Infants Years K-2: Thursdays

From: 1/11/18

Primary Year 3-6: Fridays

From: 2/11/18

Kindergarten 2019 First

Orientation Day

Relevant families please mark in your
calendar -

**Week 5, Monday 13th November
2018**

Tracey Bromfield
Relieving Principal

FRIDAY FUNDRAISING

Chicken Sausages on bread may be purchased at **\$2.00** each and Bulla Splits **\$2.00** each. **Half a sausage** in slice of bread available for **\$1.00**. **Slushies** are available (**\$2.00** each) and **poppers/flavoured milk** (**\$2.00** each).

TERM 3, 2018 – FRIDAY FUNDRAISER ROSTER

WEEK 10: Friday 28 September 11.30 – 1.30pm Ashleigh WHITTON

TERM 4, 2018 – FRIDAY FUNDRAISER ROSTER

WEEK 1:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Katie MILNER
WEEK 2:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Leanne FARRINGTON
WEEK 3:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Rebecca MONTAGUE-DRAKE
WEEK 4:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Jo PEAD
WEEK 5:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Liz BALL
WEEK 6:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Sharlene MYLES
WEEK 7:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Ashleigh WHITTON
WEEK 8:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Katie MILNER
WEEK 9:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Leanne FARRINGTON
WEEK 10:	Friday	11.30 – 1.30pm	Rebecca MONTAGUE-DRAKE

If your rostered date is not suitable or if you no longer can do the Friday Fundraising Canteen, please indicate on the note below.

PARENT ONLINE PAYMENTS (POP)

Just a reminder to parents/carers to please **wait until the Permission Note comes home** before paying for an activity as **not all activities will be included on the POP** system, particularly if they are only small amounts (e.g. *Weekly Swimming in Term 4, School Discos and Sport levies*).

Online payments are made through the Beechwood Public School Website. Go to: <http://www.beechwood-p.schools.nsw.gov.au> and Select - \$ **Make a Payment** tab.

Also, P&C fundraiser money is not able to be paid on POP or eftpos – only cash or if indicated by the P&C, by direct deposit to the P&C bank account which will be advertised at the time.

CLASS EQUIPMENT

Please note that class equipment will no longer be available for sale at the school office.

Mrs Reid – School Administrative Manager

CANTEEN NEWS

Tuesday Canteen Roster:

Week 10: Tuesday 25 Sept

Rebecca Wall
Sharon Biddle 10-2
Karen Smith
Supervisor Suzie Collins

TERM 4, WEEK 1: NO CANTEEN

P & C NEWS

Billy Cart Derby

The P&C will be operating a stall at this Year's Beechwood Billy Cart Derby. Come and see us outside the Post Office on October 21 where we will be selling Hot donut sundaes.

LEANNE FARRINGTON - P&C President

COMMUNITY NEWS

Beechwood Billy Cart Derby

Beechwood Billy Cart Derby is on the 21st of October. Looking for something to do over the school holidays? How about building a bilycart and entering into either the kids races or the senior race down the mountain.

The day is action packed for the whole family with market stalls from 9.00am; there will be kids rides, face painting, slushies and ice-creams and of course the great spectacle of the mud crab races. Live music by Gary King will start at 1.00pm to entertain you for the afternoon. BBQ will be available all day.

Carts need to be present by 10.30am for scrutineering with the road closure of Pappinbarra Road at 11.00 am.

Entry forms available at Beechwood Hotel, Wauchope Sports Store or visit bilycartclassic.com.au



TERM 3 - 2018
IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Week 10:	Thursday 27 th September	2pm-3pm 6pm-7.30pm	Years K-2 Disco Years 3-6 Disco
	Friday 28 September	10.00am	Parliament Assembly Last day of Term 3

LAST DAY OF TERM 3 – Friday 28 September 2018

TERM 4 COMMENCES – Monday 15 October (NO Pupil Free Day in Term 4)

TERM 4 – 2018
IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Week 1:	Monday 15 October		Staff and Students return to school
	Tuesday 16 October		Library Van
Week 2:	Friday 26 October	10.00am	Year 2 Assembly
Week 3:	Thurs 1 November	11am-1.00pm	Infant Swimming Commences
	Friday 2 November	11am-1.00pm	Primary Swimming Commences
Week 4:	Tuesday 6 November		Library Van
	Friday 9 November	10.00am	Year 1 Assembly
Week 5:	Tuesday 13 th November		Kindergarten 2019 First Orientation Day
Week 6:	Tuesday 20 th November		Kindergarten 2019 Second Orientation Day
	Friday 23 rd November	10.00am	School Parliament Assembly
Week 7:	Monday 26 to Friday 30 November		Years 5&6 Myuna Bay Excursion
	Wednesday 28 November	6pm-8.00pm	School's Out 2 Way FM Radio Program
	Thursday 29 November		Library Van (All books returned by this date).
Week 8:	Tuesday 4 December		High School Orientation Year 5 Parliament Speeches
Week 9:	Monday 10 December		Year 6 Presentation
	Wednesday 12 December		Thank You Morning Tea
	Thursday 13 December		Reports Home
	Friday 14 December		Years 2-6 Swimming Carnival - Wauchope Pool
Week 10:	Wednesday 19 December		Last day of Term 4 for Students

END OF TERM 4 – Wednesday 19th December 2018

TERM 1, 2019 – STUDENTS IN YEARS 1 to 6 RETURN – Wednesday 30 January, 2019
KINDERGARTEN – Monday 4 February, 2019



GLASSHOUSE SPROUTS

GLASSHOUSE REGIONAL GALLERY

SPROUTS ROAD SHOW!

ONLY \$5 PER CHILD*
*transaction fees may apply

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL,
Call 6581 8888 or
www.glasshouse.org.au



HOLIDAY FUN FOR KIDS!

Get creative in the school holidays with the ever-popular Glasshouse Sprouts – art activities for children!

Glasshouse Sprouts provides art activities in the Regional Gallery helping children grow their creativity and have lots of fun!

The activities are just \$5 per child* places are limited so book early to avoid disappointment.

Suitable for children 4 to 9 years of age
Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Wednesday 3 October, 11am
Saturday 6 October, 11am
Wednesday 10 October, 11am

SPROUTS ROAD SHOW!

THE GLASSHOUSE SPROUTS PROGRAM IS ON THE MOVE!

Bring your kids and come along to one of our Glasshouse Sprouts Road Shows these school holidays.

The activities are just \$5 per child.

Children must be accompanied by an adult. Suitable for children aged 4 to 9 years old.

LAURIETON LIBRARY
Thursday 4 October, 11am

WAUCHOPE LIBRARY
Thursday 11 October, 11am

Bookings available at the Library on the day, if bringing groups, please call the Glasshouse to book in advance.

WELCOME TO GO4FUN



Dear parent,
Go4Fun is a healthy lifestyle program for children aged 7 to 13 years, who are above a healthy weight. Best of all it's **absolutely FREE**.

WHEN DOES GO4FUN RUN?

Go4Fun runs for 10 weeks after school during the school term, and children attend a fun filled 2 hour session each week with their parent or carer.

WHAT DO WE DO AT GO4FUN?

Every week the children will be involved in fun and interactive games and activities to get their heart rates up and enjoying being active.

Each week you and your child will learn about healthy eating, setting goals, portion sizes, label reading and more. The program also includes a supermarket tour where you get to put everything you've learnt into practise.

START UP PACK

Your child will receive a start-up pack including a:

- Go4Fun backpack,
- Go4Fun t-shirt,
- Go4Fun water bottle, ball and wristbands.

Your child will also earn up to **3 bonus attendance rewards** over the ten Go4Fun sessions.

Parents receive a \$15 fresh fruit and vegetable voucher for each session you attend, plus a folder full of weekly session information, activities, recipes and more. Plus you will receive a practical Meal Mate cup to help with portion sizes and a Detective Card to help decipher nutrition information on food packaging. Parents receive a report on their child's progress and health improvements following Go4Fun.

