



Term 4 Week 5 ~ 14th November 2019

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# Balaklava Primary School *newsletter*



Our School Captains representing BPS at the Remembrance Day Ceremony

## Important Dates

### NOVEMBER

- 20th - 2020 Rec visit all day
- 22nd - Rm 6/7 Excursion
- 26th - Finance Mtg 6pm  
- Governing Council Mtg 7pm
- 28th - PRC Pool Day  
- Casual Clothes Day
- 29th - Religious Education

### DECEMBER

- 3rd - Grounds Committee Mtg
- 5th - Yr 7 Transition to HS
- 6th - Yr 7 Transition to HS
- 9th - EOY Celebration
- 11th - Yr 7 Excursion
- 12th - Yr 7 Graduation

13th - Last Day of Term 4  
2.10pm Dismissal

### ASSEMBLIES

*Assemblies will be held at 2:15pm, Weeks 6 and 8*



Government of South Australia  
Department for Education



## From the Principal

This week was off to a busy start. Our leaders, Josh, Rachel, Janna and Alex were part of the Remembrance Day Service held on Monday. Josh, Rachel and Janna read a passage during the service and laid a wreath on behalf of BPS. Alex and Madison were selected to perform at the service in the inter-school band and did a remarkable job.



Some of our students attended the service in the town triangle, while the students at school discussed the significance of the day with their teachers and participated in a minute silence at 11am. Please see page 4 for photos of the students at the service.



### Children's University Graduation

On Tuesday evening, Cherie and I attended the 2019 Graduation of the students who participated in the Children's University challenge. We had 11 students graduate, which for our first year involved, was a great effort. These children were part of the 2000 students in South Australia who are graduating this year, and part of the 200 students who had their ceremony Tuesday.

For those children who didn't achieve their 30 hours, they can continue to engage in learning destinations and activities and record for the 2020 graduation. One student from another school graduated with 500 hours, an effort that has taken 4 years. There will be an opportunity for students to enrol in the program next year. more details in 2020

In the meantime, check out the website <https://www.adelaide.edu.au/childrensuniversity> or speak with Cherie to find out how your child can collect hours throughout the school holidays.

More information about the graduation as well as photos will be included in our Week 7 newsletter.



### School Expectations

On Monday, students attended an assembly where we presented the "When Learning" Expectations poster. You will remember the poster "At School" which was featured in a newsletter last term and had a red banner down the left hand side. The "When Learning" poster can be identified by the blue banner. Staff will spend the next two weeks discussing this expectations poster with their class. We strongly encourage you to stick the posters on your fridge and talk with your children about what is expected of them as a learner at BPS. A copy of the poster can be found on page 5 of the newsletter.

Prior to our new Year 3-7 playground opening, our Year 3-7 children who are continually following BPS expectations and completing their required school work (identified as Level 4 behaviour students) were invited to test out the new play equipment. They had a wonderful time and gave it the thumbs up. As a school, we feel it is vital to acknowledge those children that are always doing the right thing. Stay tuned for the next level 4 behaviour reward. If you would like to know more about our level of behaviour systems (currently in place in the Year 2/3, 3/4, 5/6 and 6/7 classes) please speak with your child or their classroom teacher.

Keep Up  
The  
Good  
Work



- Regards Dianna

### Raffle Item

Please send in your child's raffle item. We have 10 class boxes waiting to be filled. Thanks to everyone who has sent in donations already.



### School Material & Service Charge 2020

The procedures for School Charges for 2020 remain as they have for the past years.

Inserted in last newsletter on Page 16 is a copy of the water-marked 2020 Material and Service Charge notice which has been approved by DfE.

We will be presenting this document to Governing Council on **Tuesday 26th November 2019, 7.00pm** in the staff room for approval. Should parents have any objection to the costs listed or wish to have any discussion about the charges, they are very welcome to attend this meeting.

If you are unable to attend the meeting, please forward in writing to the Principal or the Governing Council Chairperson, any comments pertaining to the charges.

### Student Representative Council Zooper Dooper Stall

**When:** Every Thursday for the rest of this Term

**Time:** Recess time 10:40 – 11:00

**Where:** Under the large shelter

**Cost: 50c**



## PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

Premier's Reading Challenge and Premier's Be Active Challenge certificates and awards will be presented at the Week 6 assembly. 2:15pm start, all welcome.

All of our students who completed the Premier's Reading Challenge will be visiting the Balaklava version of Wet 'n' Wild on Thursday 28th November.

Classes will visit the Balaklava Swimming Pool for 2 lessons during the day. If your child completed the challenge please pack their bathers on the 28th Nov.



Classes will be staggered with an older class and younger class going at the same time so that we can make full use of the area.

An invitation will be sent home with students participating closer to the event.

### SRC Casual Clothes Day

Week 7 Thursday, November 28th

**Theme:** Lovin' Summer, Sun Smart



Gold Coin Donation

# REMEMBRANCE DAY



# WHEN LEARNING

## Balaklava Primary School

### **BE SAFE**

- We are cyber safe.
- We take responsibility for our actions.
- We move safely inside learning areas.



### **BE KIND**

- We use our manners.
- We work well in a team.
- We value opinions and ideas.
- We respect others differences.
- We treat others fairly.
- We allow others to work and learn.

### **BE YOUR BEST**

- We display a growth mindset.
- We listen to and act on feedback.
- We stay on task.
- We actively listen to instructions.
- We accept challenges.
- We learn from our mistakes.



# NEW PLAYGROUND OPENING



# MUSIC IS FUN BAND



This year Music Is Fun band came to perform at our school again. I liked being able to be part of the performance in the Moment of Truth dance.

*-Jackson*



It was fun watching the performers dance around and make jokes. I was part of Vocal ensemble and sang 'A Million Dreams' from 'The Greatest Showman'. I hope they come back again next year.

*-Rhianna*



## LIVING SAFELY WITH PETS

It was explained to the children how to behave when meeting someone else's pet and how to look after your own pet.

They learnt how to safely approach new or angry animals by roleplaying the actions they learnt.



Don't leave your pets locked in a car. - Jazleen



Beware of a dog who is wearing a yellow and red collar. - Bryce



Look down if they are angry, walk backwards slowly. - Lexie

What a crazy fortnight we have had! So many musical and artistic events that we've participated in, and rehearsals we have to look forward to!

**Remembrance Day**

Well done to Alex and Madison for representing Balaklava Primary School at the Remembrance Day Performance. It was lovely to have a collaborative event that we could all be a part of, acknowledging this historic event.



**Music is Fun Band**

A fantastic effort to all of those who participated in the Music is Fun Band, especially to those who rehearsed in the lead up to the show. You could tell how much the dancers has rehearsed from their choreography and how much time the Vocal Ensemble had put in to their harmonies. Andre, who runs the Music is Fun Band, told me afterwards that out of the eighty-seven shows he had performed this year, that Balaklava Primary School was the only school so far to have put the harmonies in for A Million Dreams - the whole band was thrilled!



**ATTENTION Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 students**

Would you like to learn a Woodwind or Brass instrument?

Would you like to learn to read music?

Could you be the next star we discover??

Please join us for a COME'N'TRY session on

Tuesday Week 7 in the ATCO Building

@ Lunchtime



To participate, you need to have parent permission - please fill in and return the Expression of Interest form to the Front Office ASAP

(see the Front Office or Ms Monck for the form)

Balaklava Primary School

10 Christmas Hampers

# Raffle

**Each class** is being asked to prepare a Christmas Hamper to be raffled and drawn at the

**Week 9 End of Year Concert**

**Dec 9th 2019**

## **Donations of :**

*Christmas decorations, cans and jars of food, sweets, stationery, small gifts etc may be included.*

*NB: no second hand goods please*

**\* We would greatly appreciate each student donating one item towards their class hamper.**



**\$1 / ticket**

**Win a wonderful surprise just in time for Christmas Celebrations!**

Booklets of tickets will be sent home for the students to sell and additional tickets will be available from the front office.

**Tickets (sold & unsold) must be returned to the school with any money no later than Friday 6th Dec.**

# Baloklava Primary School End Of Year Celebration

Monday 9th December  
BBQ Starts 5:30PM Concert Starts 6:30PM

BBQ and drinks  
will be available  
to purchase

ALL  
ARE  
WELCOME

Then settle back on the oval to enjoy the  
performance of the classes as they entertain us  
and celebrate the year

## Maths - Friendly Numbers

'Friendly Numbers' refers to a 0 with a number such as  $10 + 6 = 16$ . The 0 is a friendly number because the sum is simply the numbers together after removing the 0.

For example  $20+5= 25$  (remove the 0 and put the 2 and 5 together.)  $50+3= 53$ .  $70+6= 76$ .

$$10 + 7 = 17$$



# FRIENDLY NUMBERS



$$60 + 2 = 62$$



It is easy to add on to a 10, because 10 is a friendly number! So are 20, 30, 40 and so on.

$$20 + 5 = 25$$



$$70 + 3 = 73$$

Adding 10 and 6 is easy,

because 10 is a friendly number.

$$10 + 6 = 16$$



$$30 + 3 = 33$$



$$80 + 4 = 84$$



How do friendly numbers make this addition easy?



$$40 + 6$$

$$90 + 7 = 97$$





## **SAPSASA Cricket Report**

Dylan, Jack and I spent a week in Adelaide playing SAPSASA cricket. The first night we all stayed in Adelaide. The first game we versed Northern. We bowled first, I was the second opening bowler. I got 1 wicket in my first over. You bowled in pairs, you bowled 2 overs each, so pairs bowled 4 overs together and then you sit off for 4 overs. Dylan bowled well, he got 2 wickets. Jack got 2 catches but no wickets. When we batted Dylan went in 3rd he made 33 runs. Codie batted 5th he only made 2 runs, he got caught with a really unlucky catch. Jack batted well he made 11 runs he did a few big hits then he got caught. Our team made over 200 runs, we won by a lot. The second game we versed NYP. We batted first and I went in 4th and made 22 runs and retired after hitting a few fours. Dylan got 2 runs and got bowled. Jack made 7 runs. I opened the bowling and got no wickets. Dylan got 1 wicket and Jack got 1 wicket to. We made about 160 runs and we bowled well. In the third game we versed Onkaparinga and we batted first. We didn't get off to a good start losing a few quick wickets. I made 21 runs, then we started to bat better. Dylan made 1 run, Jack made a duck that means no runs. A few other players made a few runs and we made a total of 167 runs. I got 2 wickets in 1 over and was on a hat trick but didn't get it. Dylan got 1 wicket, Jack got 2 wickets. In the last game we versed Playford and we won. We all received medals because we won now Mid North are in Division 3 next year.

*- By Codie*

Day 1 We played Northern. We lost the toss and Northern chose to bat so we had to bowl first. Northern made 10/106 and we made 6/222.

Day 2 We played Northern Yorke Peninsula. We won the toss and chose to bat first. We made 6/154 and Northern Yorke Peninsula made 10/124.

Day 3 We played Onkaparinga North. We won the toss and chose to bowl first. We made 8/167 and Onkaparinga North made 10/106.

Day 4 We made it to the grand final and played Playford. We won the toss and chose to bowl first. Playford made 10/96 and we made 6/140.

Each day you bat 40 overs and bowl 40 overs. We won our division which was division 4. We all bowled really well each day and all batted well.

*- By Dylan*

# PENCIL FENCE



# TRANSITION DAY

## **Kindy Visit**

On Tuesday our Kindy friends who will be attending BPS in 2020 came for their first transition visit. Some of our golden oldies (current Reception students) helped show the kindy children around the classrooms. A great morning was had by all. The kindy children will attend again this Thursday (Today) and next Wednesday.

We are all looking forward to our new students starting in 2020 and welcome all new families to BPS.





**Carols by Candlelight**

**Sunday 15th December**

**Balaklava Triangle**     **6:30pm** Picnic Tea  
                                 **8:00pm** Carols

Food Stalls   BBQ   Drinks   Children's Activities   Face Painting

BALAKALAVA SWIMMING POOL PRESENTS

# POOL Party

**NOV 30**

MUSIC PERFORMED BY DJ HOLLY

SS ENTRY \$20 FAMILY / GATES OPEN 5:30PM — 9:30PM

GAMES - SLUSHIES - SLIP-N-SLIDE - BBQ AVAILABLE

**Balaklava Carols by Candlelight**

## Kids Christmas Choir

All kids for reception to year 7 are invited join the children's choir for the Balaklava Community Carols on the 15<sup>th</sup> of December.

Rehearsals will be Tuesday's after school, 3:30pm to 4:30pm starting on the 26<sup>th</sup> of November.

Please contact Casey Lawrie on 0402901885 or [casey.lawrie@gmail.com](mailto:casey.lawrie@gmail.com) with the names and ages of your children and a contact number to register.



## WANT TO KNOW WHY EVERYONE LOVES FEMALE FOOTY? COME & TRAIN WITH US

**Come and Train with the Woodville West Torrens SANFLW Team**

Join in with training with the Senior Women's players of the Woodville West Torrens SANFLW side. Learn new skills and see what the next step is in your football pathway!

**Who:** Girls 11 years and above  
**Age Groups:** All Welcome  
**When:** Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November | 10:00am – 12pm  
**Where:** Port Wakefield Oval

**Bring:** Water bottle, closed in shoes and a hat

**REGISTER FOR FREE NOW**  
<https://sanfl.com.au/inside-sanfl/events>

A parent information session will be run along-side the Come and Train, staff will be there to answer any questions and link families to their local playing opportunities.

For more information contact the Female Engagement Team  
[female\\_engagement@sanfl.com.au](mailto:female_engagement@sanfl.com.au)

**#GirlsKickingGoals**

### Balaklava Tennis Club Inc.

Tennis Players Wanted for the upcoming  
2019/2020 Season.

All Junior, Senior & Social Players Welcome!  
For All Interested Players Wanting to Learn,  
Play Junior, Senior or Social Tennis

Please Contact

Kirsty 04282853220 - Junior Coordinator  
or Carol 0474310831 - Secretary.

### Interested in helping your local community during emergencies?

Australian Red Cross is offering free  
emergency services training sessions  
for new and existing volunteers. We are  
looking for people with good interpersonal  
skills, who can work well in teams and  
enjoy helping others. Previously, trained  
volunteers have been activated in recovery  
centers following the Pinery fire and also for  
outreach work in the Blyth area during the  
2016 statewide storm and power blackout.

Training will be held at the **Balaklava  
CWA rooms**, at the corner of **George** and  
**Scotland streets, Balaklava** on  
**Saturday, November 16 from 9.30am to  
3.30pm.**

For more information, or to register, contact  
Lower Mid North Emergency Services Zone  
Coordinator Lauren March on 0407 972 709.  
Attendees will be required to bring their own  
lunch.



## 2020 COACHES

Balaklava Netball Club invites applications for  
coaches for all senior & junior grades for the  
2020 season.

Applications to be submitted in writing to  
balaknetball@gmail.com by Friday November 29.

Netball trial dates: Feb 10, Feb 17, Feb 24, Mar 2.  
6:30pm at the courts.

**Enquiries to Cherie 0438 621 214**

# FAMILY FUN DAY

SUNDAY 24th NOVEMBER | 10am to 4pm

**MUMS & DADS - RELAX & ENJOY!**

Picnic grounds

Award-winning wines by the glass

Delicious wood-fired pizzas

Scrumptious cheese platters

**KIDS - FUN & GAMES!**

Giant-sized games

Cricket sets

Solar balloon fun

Plenty of room to run, jump & kick a ball

For more details, contact Cellar Door on FREECALL 1800 804 295



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