Boolaroo Bulletin 21 May 2015

### You Can Do It!

**Focus for Week 6 - Persistence**

The ability to remain focused on a task until it is completed even if it may be difficult. To work hard to achieve results.

“We are not what we know but what we are willing to learn.”

– Mary Catherine Bateson

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### 2016 Kindergarten Enrolments

Enrolments are now open for Kindergarten in 2016. Do you have or know of a child ready to start Kindergarten next year? All students who are 4 1/2 to 6 years of age are entitled to start school in 2016 in our Kindergarten class. Please see the office to register your child’s details and pick up an enrolment form. Enrolment forms will need to be returned with a copy of your child’s birth certificate, a copy of their immunisation record (or blue book) and proof of address. We look forward to welcoming our new Kinder students.

Dates and information regarding orientation will be advised early next term.

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### P & C News

The next meeting of the P&C will be held in the Art Room on Tuesday 26th May at 3:15 pm. Please come and join us and add support the school. Please remember all Pie Drive orders must be paid in full when you hand your form in.

### Premiers Sporting and Reading Challenge

Just a reminder that both the Premiers Sporting and Reading Challenges are underway. Students in years 3-6 are already filling out their own cards to track their progress. Kindergarten–Year 2 student forms are being filled out at school by Miss Jones.

### Zone Cross Country

Well Done to all our students who represented our school at the Zone Cross Country Carnival at Rathmines. Miss Jones was very happy with the participation and behaviour of all our wonderful students.

### Smoke Free Zone

Just a timely reminder that all areas around our school are classified as “SMOKE FREE ZONES”. This is to ensure the health and safety of all students, staff, parents and visitors to our school. Thank you for choosing not to smoke in the near vicinity of our school.

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MYUNA BAY SPORT & RECREATION CENTRE
April Holiday Programs 2015

PHONE enquiries / bookings : 131302

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The program includes: all meals, accommodation and activities.
Activities could include any or all of the following: low & high ropes challenge course, rock climbing, abseiling, archery, giant swing, canoeing, kayaking, flying fox and much more.

Photos
To make it easier, payments for photos can be made online.
Information for this was on the top of the photo forms.

NSW Premier’s Reading Challenge is now open!
The Premier’s Reading Challenge takes place every year and is for all students from Kindergarten to Year 9.
Books must be read from the specified booklist and can be borrowed at any library.
All students have been given a recording sheet for PRC books to be logged, which will be kept with their classroom teacher.
This is a great way to encourage and build your child’s love of reading for lifelong learning.

SCHOOL HOLIDAY INTENSIVE SWIMMING BOOSTER BLOCKS
Tues 7th to Fri 10th April
Mon 13th to Fri 17th April

LEARN TO SWIM & STROKE CORRECTION FOR ALL AGES & LEVELS
‘Repetition guarantees improvement’
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First Class FREE!
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