Great News Stories

Thank You

There are people in our school who are irreplaceable and make the school a better place for everyone. One of these people is our School Administrative Manager Debbie McGann whose smiling face and welcome is seen every time someone enters the front office. Debbie has been a very important part of the school and office for a long time now and it is with deep sadness that we now have to farewell her. Debbie is moving north and taking up new exciting challenges and making another school a wonderful place to be, just like Bodalla. We wish her all the best in her new endeavours.

Gulaga Public Speaking

Last Friday we were represented by Jordan Gmur, Abigail Norris, Jacob Lurie and Aiden Miles at the Gulaga Public Speaking competition. All our speakers performed marvellously and we are very proud of their efforts. The theme for the prepared speeches was “Heroes” and this was followed by an impromptu speech.

Berry Sport and Recreation Camp, Eden Camp

Year 5 and 6 will be attending Berry Sport and Recreation Camp next week while on Thursday and Friday year 3 and 4 will be travelling south and enjoying the many sights around Eden and Merimbula. School will be as normal for all other students not attending camp. All the teachers and students are excited about their trips away and we are sure they will have an awesome time. Final notes were sent home yesterday with packing information as well as departure and arrival times. Please contact the school if you have any concerns and talk to the organising teacher.

Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who purchased something from our Book fair last week. There were some awesome books and bargains at the fair and I saw many students reading during their breaks last week, it was wonderful! Thank you to our Librarian Susan Knight for her organisation and Janice for assisting in the library to make sure everything ran smoothly. Book fairs allow us to purchase new books for the library and it is for this that we are appreciative of all our families who buy something from the fair. Also congratulations to Shayla and Kwananna on winning the $30 voucher by returning their parent surveys.
Thank you to all the parents who returned surveys. Your opinions and thoughts matter to us.

Minister Speeches

On Friday our Year 5 students who have nominated to be ministers next year will prepare and present their election speeches. Students will be given 30 minutes after lunch to prepare their speeches. Please, if your child has nominated talk to them about what they should include in their speech. Students should not bring a prepared speech to school. At **12:45pm** we will all meet in the hall to listen to the speeches. We wish them all good luck. Voting by the other school students will take place after the speeches.

Year 9 Narooma High Music Visit

Last Wednesday a group of Year 9 students from Narooma High School visited our school with their music teachers. They performed many songs for Year 5/6 Yabbies and Year 3/4/5 Cheetahs. It was a great performance that was really enjoyed by the students and showed the students what they can do when attending Narooma High School. We would like to thank Narooma High School for this visit and hope to see many more visits from them.

**Quote of the Day:** The measure of who we are is what we do with what we have.

*Vince Lombardi*

Lynne Takacs

Relieving Principal

P & C News

End of Year Raffle

Raffle tickets for the ‘End of Year’ raffle are being sent home with the newsletter today. Tickets are $2.00 per ticket or $3.00 for 5 tickets. The raffle will be drawn on Presentation Day. Please return all sold tickets to the school office. Extra tickets are available from the office.

We ask all families to donate items for the raffle to go into the hampers. Students should take all items to their classrooms. Thank you for your donations.
Community News

BUDDING BRUMBIES
RUGBY INTRODUCTION PROGRAM

Our school is an integral part of the community. We value every child in our care and your child’s success is important to us. Our school is a happy and safe environment promoting quality learning.