Enrolment in 2015
Thank you to those parents who have advised us that their child will not be attending our school in 2015. If your child will not be attending Budgewoi PS in 2015 and you have not yet contacted us please let us know as soon as possible.

New School Administrative Assistant Appointed
Mrs Joanne Regan has been appointed as a new School Administration Officer to commence in 2015 replacing Mrs Jeanette Small who is retiring at the end of the year. Joanne is currently working 4 days a week at Wamberal PS this term after having transferred from a high school full time position in Campbelltown. She is very excited to be living closer to her home which is a 12 minute drive away.

Uniform Items needed
We are desperately short of shorts and shirts for our change clothes in the print room. If your child has been given one when they have required changing we would appreciate you returning these items so we can loan them to students who need them. If any parents have items their child has outgrown and they no longer require we would be extremely pleased with any donations.

Kindergarten Orientation - 2nd Session Wednesday
12th November - 9.15 - 11am
Thank you to the parents and preschoolers who attended our first orientation session, we had a very enjoyable and productive session. This Wednesday we will be having our second session. We will be meeting in the hall at 9.05 for a 9.15 start. Parents will remain in the hall and listen to another essential information session. Preschoolers will again have the opportunity to visit the Kindergarten classrooms and interact with the Kindergarten teachers. At 10.40 preschoolers will be joined in the Kinder classrooms by their Year 5 buddy and will participate in a shared story. The session will finish at 11am, with the Kinder teachers bringing the preschoolers back to the hall to meet their parents. We look forward to seeing you there!

Healthy Canteen Award
Congratulations to Cheryl, Sophie, Janelle and all our wonderful canteen volunteers for helping us to achieve the Central Coast Canteen Award again in 2014. To win this award schools need to comply with the NSW Fresh Tastes @ school strategy and are recognised as being leaders in providing fresh and healthy food options to their school community. There will be a Canteen network meeting of all the Canteen Supervisors next Tuesday in our CEC at 10pm. They will also be visiting our canteen.

Smoking outside corner shop
Unfortunately I have had more complaints from parents having to walk through smoke with their preschoolers on their way to collect their child due to parents smoking on both sides of the pathway outside the corner shop. I have rung the council but they have no jurisdiction in this area. Please be considerate to others and consider an alternate place which is not a major thoroughfare to the school.

Photos at school
We have finished updating the permission to publish forms sent home last term. There is no class in the school with 100% permission to publish – either forms have not been returned or parents have not given permission. I regret to inform parents that we are therefore unable to take photos of any school event, excursion, Presentation Day, Year 6 Farewell DVD etc (either staff or parents). Whilst you may have given permission for your child the chance of also having another child in the shot is extremely high. This is a NSW DEC requirement not a school decision. If you have not returned the form and need a new one please contact the office.

Remembrance Day
The school will be conducting Remembrance Day ceremonies at 11am on Tuesday. K-2 will meet in Top Quad, stage 2 under the pergola and Stage 3 in Bottom Quad. Students will be conducting a very brief Remembrance Day ceremony and we will all stop for a minutes silence in memory of those who have lost their lives protecting us. As it is the 100 year anniversary of the commencement of World War 1 it is of particular significance this year. Lest we forget.

Coming events for Term 4
**Tues 11**th Final P & C meeting 7pm library
**Wed 12**th Kinder orientation Session 2
**Fri 14**th KC and KL sense of environment excursion
**Wed 19**th Kinder orientation Session 3
**Tues 2**nd Scripture assembly
**Thurs 11**th Year 6 Big Day Out & Year 5 class parties
**Mon 15**th Presentation Day
Reports Home
**Tues 16**th Year 6 Farewell
Class parties Kinder – Year 4
**Wed 17**th Last day of term for students
18th & 19th School Development days – pupil free

Privilege Badge winners
KC Lacey, KD Haylee, KL Arthur, KJ Brock, 1E Sarah, 1K Monique, K/1M Marshall, 1/2R Brooke, 2C Danielle, 2J Jayden, 2M Natasha, S2A Isabelle, S2B Kaidence, S2C Max, S2J Archie, S2S Mathias, S2/3SE Jake, S3GR Shane, S3J Mathew D, S3K Kasey K, S3L Chelsea, Unit 1 Mikayla, Unit 2 Connor, Unit 3 Tiarna & Unit 4 Tom.

Best Attendance
Congratulations to 1K who had 3 absence last week. Well done!
Mrs Kerry Moore Principal

School News
Message to K/1M parents
I will be taking some Long Service Leave for 2 weeks for family reasons from Monday 10th November to Tuesday 25th November. Mrs Sarah King will be on K/1M for this time. Mrs Terri Mastello
2M News
Celebrations
We have been investigating New Year celebrations from around the world. We looked at Chinese New Year, Hogmanay (Scottish New Year), Rosh Hashanah (Jewish New Year), Diwali (Hindu New Year) and how we celebrate New Year. We discovered they all mean a new start and have special things like fireworks, food and being with friends and family.
Marlee, Jasmine, Breanna and Kiara

School Banking
Don’t forget to cash your tokens in for a prize once you reach your 10 tokens. The penguin key ring and whale pencil case are now out of stock. All other 2014 rewards are still available. If you need a prize reward sheet just ask at the office for a copy. Also make sure you keep your tokens safe at home so you do not lose them.

Canteen News
The Uniform Shop is open from 9am till 10am Tuesday mornings. Kindergarten parents for next year are also encouraged to buy or layby now for next year. Between 8.30 and 9.05am is a very busy time for the canteen so it would be appreciated if you could have your orders written out at home and just delivered to the canteen.
Please come along to the canteen if you have any spare time to help. We are always looking for new helpers. It’s a great and fun environment. The children also enjoy seeing you there. So please consider helping - even one day a month can really help. If you would like to help out please see Cheryl or Sophie in the canteen.
Paddle Pop fruit stacks are now a discontinued line
Now Available: Paddle pop funny fingers $1.00

Roster for week beginning 10th November 2014:
Tues 11/11/14 - Denise Wilson, Jana Williams.
Thurs 13/11/14 – Annie Vandertouw, Rowena Brodnahan, Denise Cuff, Vanessa Allen.
Fri 14/11/14 - Madeline & Dale Clenton, Chantral Tierney, Megan Lewis.
Mon 17/11/14 – Alana Paku.

Helpers, if for some reason you cannot attend, please contact your supervisor early on 43992238. New volunteers are always welcome.

P & C News
The final meeting of the P & C will be held in the school library tomorrow night at 7pm. All welcome.

Community News
Natural Treatment for Nits that I have found effective (sent in by a parent)
500mls Oil (coconut, olive, sunflower etc)
10mls tea tree oil
10 mls Eucalyptus oil
Mix oils together then coat hair and leave for 20mins. Comb through hair with nit comb, then wash as normal. You can repeat this treatment every couple of days. The oil coats the nits so they can’t breathe and also makes it easier to extract both the nits and the eggs.

Bright House Preschool
ENROLLING NOW FOR 2015!
Ages 2-5, 7:30am – 5:30pm
Bright minds, Bright smiles.

Bunnings Warehouse
LAKEHAVEN Christmas Family Night
Thursday 4th December 6pm to 8pm
Kid’s Zoo, Balloon Animals, Visit from Santa, Xmas Face painting
Kids DIY (Bookings Essential), Light Refreshments, Jumping Castle (Bookings Essential)