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**Opportunities to achieve in a unique, caring school**

### Week 4, Term 2 2015

**Cross Country**  
Thanks to Mr Clifford for his organisation of the cross country held at Koala Park last Friday. Once again this was a great event. We had beautiful weather for the day and everyone who participated deserves praise for their excellent behaviour and their effort in running.  
Students who placed 1st will receive their medal at the end of year presentation assembly.  
Students who placed 1st – 6th will represent Budgewoi at the Zone Cross Country on Friday 29th May.

Congratulations to these students:  
**BOYS RESULTS-** 12/13 Yrs- 1st, Matt D, 2nd Cooper K, 3rd Noah M, 4th Kyle T, 5th Riley P, 6th Lian T,  
10 Yrs- 1st Nate V, 2nd Cooper F, 3rd Jack C, 4th Brodie W, 5th Kieran E, 6th Tyler M  
8/9 Yrs- 1st James T, 2nd Max K, 3rd Zac V, 4th Callum P, 5th Jackson V, 6th Toby D  
**GIRLS RESULTS-** 12/13 Yrs- 1st Indirayane McO, 2nd Marni B, 3rd Bella U, 4th Chelsea N, 5th Libby P, 6th Holly R  
10 Yrs- 1st Emma V, 2nd Keeley P, 3rd Chloe S, 4th Tayla D, 5th Georgia, F, 6th Oce P  
8/9 Yrs- 1st Isabelle N, 2nd Breanna L, 3rd Hayley C, 4th Destiny S, 5th Lilly C, 6th Isabella S  
**HOUSE POINTS EARNED ON THE DAY-**  
**DOYLE-** 263, HARGRAVES- 302, TIMMS- 305, SLADE 347  
**SUPPORTERS POINTS-**  
**DOYLE-** 56, HARGRAVES- 45, SLADE- 50, TIMMS- 54  
Well done to all students for great participation on the day!

**Communication**  
Many updates are able to be communicated to parents via our Facebook page or search Budgewoi Public School and just like us for regular updates.  
The school’s website [www.budgewoi-p.schoo](http://www.budgewoi-p.schools.nsw.edu.au) is also mobile friendly so newsletters etc can be checked on the website.  
Send the office your email address if you would prefer to receive the school newsletter via email.

**School Contribution prizes**  
We have had more generous donations for our school contribution prizes. Thank you to George’s Barber Shop for their donation of 4 vouchers for haircuts. These are added to the dinner and night’s accommodation at the Beachcomber Hotel, $100 voucher for a special occasion cake from Powdered Sugar (Natalie Sutherland) [www.powderedsugar.com.au](http://www.powderedsugar.com.au), 1 large mud cake value $28.50 donated by Budgewoi Bakehouse and Budgewoi Video who have donated a voucher for 2 overnight movies, 2 cans of drink and a bag of popcorn. We have more prizes coming so don’t miss out on the chance to win and pay your school contribution by the end of this term. Thanks to these businesses for their generous donations in supporting our school.

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### School News

**Stage 2 – Colonial Show**  
This term, Stage 2 students are invited to participate in ‘The Colonial Show’, which is coming to our school on Thursday 28th May. The **whole day event** is a live, interactive school incursion which gives students an opportunity to interact with characters and experience life in Sydney Town in the early Colony of New South Wales. It is run by the actors from “Old Sydney Town”. The students are invited to dress up in ‘convict’ or ‘first settler’ clothing for the day. This is to enhance our learning of the Semester 1 HSIE

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Unit - Our Fleeting Past. The cost is $19.50 per student. We are looking forward to a fun and educational day! Stage 2 Teachers

S3SW news
Stage 3 has recently finished studying a unit called ‘Honouring ANZACs’. They showed a high level of interest in this topic and produced some amazing work. Below are some summaries from students who wrote after watching a documentary about an Indigenous Australian boy named ‘Anzac’, and a poem about our soldiers.

Anzac is a boy whose great grandfather fought in WW1 in the 10th Battalion. He survived Gallipoli, went to help the ANZACs fight in Egypt and then went to help in France. He was reported missing but then found dead after being killed in action. ANZAC day is not just about Gallipoli, it’s about world war and those who lost their lives in it. We remember them on ANZAC Day.

Liam
This documentary is about a boy called Anzac acknowledging his great, great grandfather’s time in WW1. Anzac is the fifth person in his family to have that name. Anzac's great, great grandfather's name was Arthur Thomas Walker. Arthur was in the 10th battalion. He was one of around 60 000 soldiers to die. As an Aboriginal, Arthur had to lie about his race to to enlist but was determined to fight for his country. Anzac got Arthur’s medals from his great aunt who realised that Anzac was a direct descendent of Arthur. Anzac says, "ANZAC Day is not about winning, it's about the people who fought in the wars".

Bailey

ANZACs
Never gave up.
Zzzzz, sleeping did not exist.
An army of men awaits them,
Charging as hard as they can.

Dawn has arrived.
An army we are very proud of.
You may be free.
Jackson

NAPLAN 2015
NAPLAN testing will be held in this week for all students in Year 3 and 5 so it is most important your child is at school unless they are ill. Testing dates are as follows;
Tuesday 12th May – Writing and Language Conventions
Wednesday 13th May – Reading
Thursday 14th May – Numeracy
Friday 15th May will be a catch up day for any student who missed a test due to sickness.

Intention to apply: Year 5 entry to an opportunity class in 2016
Opportunity classes cater for highly achieving academically gifted students. This class at Wyong PS helps gifted and talented students to learn by grouping them with other gifted and talented students, teaching them in specialised ways and providing educational materials at the appropriate level.

Applications for opportunity class placement are considered mainly on the basis of the Opportunity Class Placement Test results and school assessment scores. The Opportunity Class Placement Test will be held on Wednesday 22 July 2015.
If you would like to have your child considered for Year 5 opportunity class entry in 2016, you need to do so soon. You will need to apply on the internet using a valid email address (not the student’s email address). Detailed instructions on how to apply online will be available from 27 April 2015 in a printed application information booklet and at www.schools.nsw.edu.au/eocplacement. The application website opens on 27 April 2015 and closes on 15 May 2015. No late applications will be accepted. There are no paper application forms. If you do not have internet access, you could apply at a public library. If you have a disability that prevents you from using a computer, you can contact the Unit for assistance after 27 April 2015. Please see Mrs Rich for more information.

Canteen News
Please ensure your child knows what order they have. We have had many children asking for their lunch orders at recess. This takes a lot of time looking and explaining that they are actually for lunch. Thank you.

Roster for week beginning: Tuesday 12th May.
Tues 12/5/15 - Michelle Burgess, Denise Wilson, Jana Williams, Amanda Ashton
Wed 13/5/15 – Jenny Leatham, Denise Heather, Sue Walker
Thurs 14/5/15 – Vanessa Allan, Georgina Atkinson, Denise Cuff, Gloria Embry
Fri 15/5/15 – Madeline & Dale Clenton, Megan Lewis
Mon 18/5/15 – Alison Sutton, Pauline Iseriel

P & C News
P & C meeting is tomorrow Tuesday 12th May 9.15 am in CEC. Please come along and find out what’s happening at your school.

A big thank you to all the helpers at the Mother’s Day Stall. We had a very busy but productive day.

Community News
Disaster Recovery Centre
A disaster recovery centre has been set up at the old Wyong Grove Public School 1 North Rd Wyong as a one stop shop for storm affected residents to access support from a range of government and non government agencies. Residents will be able to get financial assistance and advice and insurance and legal advice. Open weekdays from 9 until 9 and weekends from 10 until 4pm until 15th May. Contact 43522251 for information.

Tennis
For-Fun, Fitness, Friendship. McDonalds Tennis Academy, Ray St, Toukley, 43 33380 or 43 965033. Free Junior Racquet For New Enrolments - $39.95 Value Tini – Tots Program – 5 -9 Years, Tennis Australia Hot Shots’ Program, Junior Squads: Junior Comps, Private + Semi Private Lessons, School Holiday Camps: Social Play.

Family Fun Day
Children and families are invited to a free family fun day at YMCA Lake Haven Rec Centre on Saturday May 16th.

To: School Office Kindergarten 2016
If your child or a friend or neighbour is eligible for enrolment please complete the following details or pass it on to them and return it to the office so that we can forward enrolment details. If you have any concerns regarding your child’s readiness for school please contact Mrs Moore or Mrs Keats.

Child’s name……………………………………………………………………………………………………..

Date of Birth……………………………………

Parent Name ………………………………………

Address ……………………………………………

Phone Number …………………………………

Name of child at school to deliver information …………………………………………………………………