SCHOOL TIMES TERM 3 2014

School starting and finishing times will change by 10 minutes from term 3.

Starting Time: 9.00 am   Finishing Time: 3.00 pm

PARENT INTERVIEWS

All reports were sent home on Monday. If you have not booked an interview please send a note into your child’s teacher.

STAFFING

Ms Hannan will be leaving us in term 3. She has accepted a transfer to another school in the region. Ms Hannan was involved in establishing our Enrichment Classes and has been at our school for three and a half years.

I thank Ms Hannan for her commitment and care for our special education students while at Berinba. Ms Catrine Doyle will be returning from leave and will be teaching 3T.

SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DAY – 14 June 2014

On the first day of term 3, staff will be involved in training as a result the 14th of June will be pupil free. Staff will be trained in aspects of our National Partnerships Program. Years 3-6 staff will be looking at the “Focus On Reading Program”, and Kinder –Year 2 staff will be having following up to the intensive reading and language program – L3.

BERRY CAMP 10th - 13th of June

Years 5 and 6 attended Berry Camp from the 10th to the 13th of June. The kids had a wonderful time and got the opportunity to try out many new activities. Some of the activities included abseiling, orienteering, a cook out, a dark maze, hiking, cable gliding, archery, canoeing and hiking. Photographs from camp have been included throughout the newsletter.

K-2 SPORTS MORNING

On Thursday the 19th of June the children in K-2 had a fun sports morning on our oval. Despite the fog, the children had a wonderful morning enjoying the many activities that were on offer. The morning was an important opportunity for the children to practice their fundamental movement skills that they have been learning over the term. Some photographs have been included in Bulletin.

Wishing everyone a safe and happy school holidays. Children will return on Tuesday the 15th of July. Remember that school will start ten minutes earlier at 9.00am
**CANTENE NEWS**

A big thank you goes out to Danny McMillan and Ron Sargent who donated sausages and bread for our special days this term.

We now have 2 new flavours of milk shakes this term—Blue Heaven and Banana. We still have all our old favourites chocolate, caramel, strawberry and vanilla.

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**P & C News**

**Music Club**

On the 17th of May we catered for the Music Club concert. We raised $400 which has already been returned to the school for the new Globes Mr Claydon requested.

Thank you to those who donated, Tammy Comersall, Leah Lloyd, Fiona Petty, Michelle Waters and Lilian Dickson.

And a huge thank you to Tracey Oostermeyer, Jo Buckmaster and Cheryl, David and Sarah Makin for helping me serve on the night! Was a huge success!

**Athletics Carnival canteen**

A huge thank you to the volunteers who ran the canteen at Victoria Park for the athletics Carnival. Ron & Kirsty Sargent donated our bread. Tracey Oostermeyer and Leah Aplin donated some beautiful soup. And our helpers Fiona Petty, Marcia Osborne, Kelly Clark, Jo Chatterton, Kylie Packham, Megan Ironside, Cheryl Makin and Mel, Tracey and Leah. Thank you all for such a faboulous day!

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**COMMUNITY NOTICES**

**GOLF CLUB NEWS**

Yass Junior Open is being held on Wednesday the 9th of July 2014. For more information ring the pro-shop on 6226 1977.

**LIBRARY NEWS**

The Yass Library has some fun activities planned for the school holidays. Activities are free but places are limited. Activities include a Doctor Who Treasure Hunt, Make your own kaleidoscope, design your own fan, dress up children’s Story time and craft and Friendly Doctor Who Trivia. For more information contact the Library.

**MUSIC STARS**

Music Stars are offering professional guitar and keyboard tuition to students. The program will be running in Term 3 and continuing throughout the year. A letter went out to parents last week and expressions of interest are due back by Friday the 27th of June. For more information contact Music Stars Direct on Phone: 1300 889 179 Email: info@musicstars.com.au Web: www.musicstars.com.au

**KIDS WINTER CAMPS**

Sport and Recreation Centres are government-run facilities that run overnight and day adventures for children aged 5 to 16. A number of camps are being run this winter. For more information go to the website www.dsr.nsw.gov.au/kidscamps or phone 1313 02.