BERINBA WELCOMES SEVEN NEW STUDENTS

This week we welcomed seven new students across the school. We welcome our new families to our school community. Please get involved in upcoming activities which include our weekly playgroup on Tuesday mornings, helping in the canteen, assisting with the home reading program in K-2 and our monthly P&C meeting which will be held on Tuesday 12th August at 7.30pm.

UNSW Global COMPUTER SKILLS TEST RESULTS

Seven students sat the computer studies exam. Their achievements include: Noah Groom – Participation; Callum Ironside – Participation; Tori Wilson – Participation; Harry Gomersall – Participation; Southerly Jones – Credit; Megan Kemp – Credit and Mitchell McNamara – Merit.

Congratulations students on your achievements. Certificates will be presented at this week’s assembly.

NEW SCHOOL TIMES

Our new school times commenced this week. Staff will still be supervising buses until the last bus leaves. There will be no changes to how the Pettit Street exit is supervised as well. Staff will remain on duty until 3.30pm. If students are still left for collection they will be escorted to the office area where they will be supervised and parents contacted if necessary.

PD HEALTH

During this term classes will be involved in syllabus units which cover Growth and Development and Child protection. If you have any questions regarding these units please contact the school.

ROSTRUM/CWA PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION 2013

The Rostrum/CWA Talkfest will be held at Berinba on Thursday and Friday the 7th and 8th of August. Students in grades 2 to 6 are invited to participate. Students have the opportunity to speak for 2 to 3 minutes depending on their age. A range of interesting topics are provided. An entry form is attached to this bulletin.
DATES TO REMEMBER

- **28th July**: “My dog is a piece of work” art due to Caffeine Coffee Shop
- **23rd July**: Pie orders due
- **24th July**: K-2 excursion to Wombat Stew
- **29th July**: English Competition
- **30th July**: Years 5 & 6 to Mt Carmel Musical
- **12th August**: Maths Competition
- **27th August**: Scripture
- **12th September**: School Photos

COMMUNITY NOTICES

**BETTA MAID PIE FUNDRAISER**

Berinba Public School’s **School Spectacular Choir** is holding a pie drive as part of our fundraising efforts. The pies are delivered fresh (not frozen), labelled, boxed or wrapped.

To order pies or cakes please return the completed order form with your money (cheques to be made payable to Berinba PS) by Wednesday 23\textsuperscript{rd} July 2014. If you haven’t received an order form they can be collected from the school office.

The pies will be delivered to the school on Wednesday 30\textsuperscript{th} July. They can be collected from the School Hall from 2.50pm.

**MOUNT CARMEL MUSICAL**

On Wednesday the 30\textsuperscript{th} of July children in years 5 and 6 will be attending a dress rehearsal of Mt Carmel’s upcoming ‘Great Australian Rock Musical’. The rehearsal starts at 10.00am and finishes at 12.30pm.

**WOMBAT STEW**

On Thursday the 24\textsuperscript{th} of July children in K-2 will be attending a performance of ‘Wombat Stew’ at the Canberra Theatre. Permission notes are going home today if you have not received one please see the office. The cost of the excursion is $28.00 which covers the bus and the theatre ticket. Please return the notes and payment as soon as possible.

**AFTER SCHOOL AUSKICK**

Is being run at Joe O’Connor Park for boys and girls aged 5-10 years. The cost is $70.00. For more information contact Steve Camp on 0423 074 609.

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