

Newsletter No. 11

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School Calendar	
Monday 7 th May	No Little Learners or Little Babies
Monday 7 th – Friday 11 th May	Fire Fighter Barry Sessions Prep – Grade 2
Thursday 10 th May	2.10 Buddy B Assembly 5-6 Coote
Tuesday 15 th – Thursday 17 th May	NAPLAN
Tuesday 15 th & Thursday 17 th May	SCHOOL PHOTOS

2012 School Photos Tuesday 15th & Thursday 17th May

On 1st May prepaid envelopes for school photos were sent home. **Every student received an envelope which was individually named with an ID number printed on the front.** Please ensure your child received an envelope with his/her name on the front. If an incorrect envelope was taken home, please return the envelope to your child's class teacher. You must order and pay for photos prior to photos being taken on photo day.

- **All children must have their envelope on photo day whether they are ordering photos or not. If you have lost your envelope please telephone the photographers on 6231 5880.**
- **Every child must return their own individual envelope even if payment is in a sibling's envelope. All envelopes must be returned to the school office by Friday 11th May.**
- **Do not place envelopes inside other envelopes – every child must return their own envelopes to the school office if you wish to receive photos.**
- On photo day class teachers will hand students their envelope ready to give to the photographer when they have their photo taken.
- Family photo envelopes are available from the school office.
- All orders received after photo day are subject to a \$10 search fee.
- 'Claiming the Family discount' form – one free photo package for the 3rd and any subsequent children (of the same family) photographed by MSP at any school. This form can be collected from the school office.

MSP Photography ☎ 03 6231 5880

Persistence Awards

Leana Guy
Thomas Smith
Alex Rees
Sophie Jackson
Sam Fletcher
Mikayla Ireland
Talia Cannan
Noah Wisniewski

Resilience

Jo Albans
Gio Torta
Ben Moore
Gabriella Lohrey

Confidence

Bailey Newell
Georgia McGrath
Sammy George
Ruby Eddleston
Mia Sweet
Dylan Richards

Getting Along

Will Hughes
Jamie Morgan
Brooke Shadwick
Tileah Hickey
Ella May
Connor Hughes
Oliver Dalco

Organisation

Oliver Lohrey
Grace Furness
Jesse Love
Maddie Abbot

Appreciation

Anthony Watt
Rohini Sharma
Michaela Quilliam
Sam Scarborough
Ashlee Smith
Hannah Eddleston
Campbell Woolley
Ally Jardine
Claire Clements
Emma Quillam
Zoe Belstead
Noah Shum
Ella May

Aussie of the Month Respect

Theo Wisniewski
William Somers
Nina Page
Alex Lewis
Amber Richards
Hayley Triffett
Rachel Bottom
Blair Thomasson
Max McKay
Jessica Wilson
Josh Macrae
Rohini Sharma
Angus Jacobs
Ella Aschenbrenner
Sarah Blackburn
Lawson Furness

Entertainment Books.... are coming

home today! Please return any unsold books in original envelopes to class teachers by 10th May. Books may be purchased by cash, credit card or online.

Many thanks, P&F Fundraising



Blackmans Bay has two teams in the Grade 5-6 team roster and two Grade 3-4 teams playing in the Kingborough Inter-School Netball competition, held each Monday after school. All girls are putting in a great effort, representing their school and having fun working as a team.

On the 1st May, the grade 3-4 Black Netball Team went really well, the score was 5 to 4 and we lost by one point but we played well! Photos of our team will be in the newsletter soon! By Mimosa and Abi

On Monday 30th April, the grade 3-4 Netball team played netball at KSC. Our team versed Kingston. Everyone was very excited. First Kingston was winning but in the second quarter it was a turn over. Blackmans Bay was leading by one point. By the end it was 3 to 5 Blackmans Bay We won. Everyone was hypo (pleased) that we won! By Ella and Lara

On Monday 30th April, the Blackmans Bay 3-4 Green Netball team had a close game against Southern Christian College, losing only by one point. This was the fourth game we'd played in the roster. The girls have improved each week as we have been working on our passing and catching. Thanks to Kellie May and Jo Boutchard for their coaching and umpiring. Thanks also to the other parents who help out each week. By Sarah

On Monday the 23rd of April the Grade 3-4 Black netball team played a good game on a wet court against Kingston Primary. Everyone worked together to get the ball to our goal circle. We can already see that everybody has been practicing and training hard. I would like to thank Jo Boutchard for being our coach. By Alice

NAIDOC WEEK 2012 – July 1-8

NAIDOC Week celebrations are held across Australia each July to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

*Our School is participating by selling NAIDOC Packs (includes Pencil Case, Ruler, Pencil, Sharpener & Eraser) - \$2.50, and Respect Bands - \$2.00. We appreciate your support.

*Orders and payments for these items can be made at the School office if you wish to purchase them. Please see Kellie or Claire.

*Payment must be made no later than Friday 18th May.



Squash Free Sessions

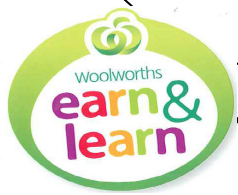
This week in Physical Education students in grades 3-6 did an introductory Squash session. Students also received a voucher for 2 free coaching sessions at the Kingborough Sports Centre. Students can redeem this on any Tuesday, Thursday or Friday afternoon from 4pm - 5.30pm until the end of term 1. All equipment is provided for these sessions along with player insurance. If you would like to find out more details please contact Max Moorhouse on 62 664551



School Banking News – Redemption Day

There will be a token redemption day on 30th May at recess, for all those students that have 10 tokens, bring them along and you can redeem your reward. Also in exchange for your 10 silver tokens you get 1 gold token to keep. It will be held in the court yard outside the library, and a special helper will come along to give out the rewards!! (For students that need the token for the 30th May to make 10, still come and redeem). For any students who have lost your tokens, no worries we have a record of how many you have.

Students who are nearing 10 will get a slip in their next banking day reminding them to let us know what you want to redeem. Any questions contact Leonie on 0400 710 699 or leoniejh@hotmail.com



WOOLWORTHS EARN & LEARN PROMOTION

Our school is once again participating in the Woolworths 2012 promotion. Blackmans Bay Primary has the opportunity to earn valuable resources for our school. It's been made easier this year with the new sticker cards. Shop at Woolworths between 9th May and 1st July, to collect stickers from the checkout operator and place them on your sticker card.

The Earn & Learn Sticker Cards will go home today with the newsletter. Extra Cards can be picked up from the School office.

The Barn Market – 5th May 2012

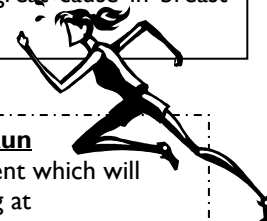
Get set for another jam-packed Barn Market perfectly timed for all of your Mothers' Day shopping. You'll find ceramics, children's clothing and accessories, jewellery, stationery, handbags and purses, homewares and much, much more. We are also presenting a talented bunch of buskers creating a relaxed shopping atmosphere as well as a scrumptious selection of fine food, drinks and preserves and more.

When: Saturday 5th May, 10:00 – 3:00.

Where: The Rosny Barn, Rosny Park (between Eastlands and the Rosny golf course) Details: www.thebarnmarket.blogspot.com

Mothers Day Classic Walk/Run for Breast Cancer

This event will be held at the **Domain Athletics Centre on Sunday May 13th**. Entry can be done online at www.mothersdayclassic.org The following events can be entered: Walk 4km / Run 4km or 8km....events start from 7.15am. This event fundraises for a great-cause in breast cancer research.



City to Casino Fun Run

This year is the 40th running of the event which will be held on **Sunday 20th May**, starting at 9.00 a.m. Organisers are expecting a record field for this year's event. There are 3 distances 2.7km, 7km Walk or Run & 11km run. Students who would like to enter please see the school office to collect an entry form or download one from www.citytocasino.com.au Parents and friends are most welcome to collect entry forms as well. It would be great to see lots of our school community involved in this event.