

Berrigan Public School Newsletter

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Friday 1st April 2022

Paul Kelly Cup at Deni



On Wednesday 30th March, our year 4, 5 & 6 boys travelled to Deniliquin to participate in the Paul Kelly Cup.

The Paul Kelly Cup is the largest AFL school competition in NSW/ACT. Participants participate in local gala days in competitive & non-competitive divisions. This year we sent a very strong Berrigan PS team.

Thank you Mr Thornton for 'coaching' the boys on the day.

After playing Finley, Hay, Deni Sth and Barham, the team won the grand final and are pretty chuffed to be off to the regional finals.

Great effort boys, by all accounts the best team and the fairest team on the day!

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Anzac Day - Berrigan Shire Celebrations

Our students have been invited once again to participate in the Berrigan Shire Anzac celebrations. This will include marching and reading of a poem at the Anzac Service. All students are invited and encouraged to attend and represent our school. Students are to be in full school uniform and meet Mrs Swann and Mrs Phillips at 8.45am on Monday 25th April, at the post office.

FHS Forensic Day

The Year 6 students participated in the Finley High School in the annual Forensic Day last Friday.

All Year 6 students from around the Finley district attended this day and explored the exciting world of forensic science and CSI.

Mr O'Leary and some other Finley High School teachers showed us how to take fingerprints and explained the different types and how rare they are. We looked at different types of hair through a microscope and we had a close up look at bacteria on a video. At the end of the day we went to the hall and we touched a round electric ball that made our hair stand straight up. We got to meet students from Finley PS and other schools.

I enjoyed Forensic Day very much.

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Finley Zone Netball Trials

Congratulations to Tahlia Wood and Sophie Baxter who have been selected from Year 5 & 6 for the Finley Zone Netball team.

The girls will trial for the Western Riverina Netball team at Narrandera on Thursday 28th April 2022. Good luck girls.



Riverina Trials - AFL

Jack Magill and Jordan Swann participated in the Riverina PSSA AFL trials in Albury on Thursday. The boys had a great day and congratulations to Jordan Swann who was selected in the Riverina PSSA AFL team to play in Coffs Harbour in May.



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Easter Activities Day

As Term 1 comes to close I would like to take this opportunity to thank the parents and students and staff for being so flexible and committed during what has been an unsettled term. To celebrate BPS will have a free sausage sizzle for the students, a final term assembly and peer group Easter activities concluding with a BPS Egg Hunt.

COVID-19

We are limping into the eleventh week of term, true to form COVID has caused much disruption, particularly over the past couple of weeks. Attendance levels have plummeted! The impact has been felt right across the school community. We have tried so hard to keep it out but our best efforts, it would seem have let us down.

More RAT tests will be sent home next week. I encourage you to continue to test your child(ren) if they show any symptoms. Please don't send sick children to school! If we send them home, it is for good reason, as the safety of the students and staff at school is paramount.

Berrigan Public School would like to wish all our school families a safe Easter.

Enjoy the school holidays, here's hoping we can break the COVID cycle!

****The first day back for students is Wednesday 27th April****



Berrigan Children's Centre
Autumn Vacation Care program



Monday 11/4/22	Tuesday 12/4/22	Wednesday 13/4/22	Thursday 14/4/22	Friday 15/4/22
 SPORTS DAY	 Cooking Day Choose something to cook, shop for ingredients and cook chosen dish to enjoy for lunch.	 2712 FITNESS	 HAPPY EASTER! Easter hat parade, egg hunt, Easter activities & more.	 GOOD FRIDAY Public holiday
Monday 18/4/22	Tuesday 19/4/22	Wednesday 20/4/22	Thursday 21/4/22	Friday 22/4/22
 Easter Monday Public holiday	 CHILL OUT Chill out in the schoolie's zone, play board games, watch a movie & enjoy a picnic lunch.	 2712 FITNESS	 SKATE PARK Bring your skates, bike, skateboards, or scooters and safety gear!	 ANZAC DAY Make a reef to lay on ANZAC day, make ANZAC biscuits and participate in a small ANZAC day project.

Please call or email now to make your booking/s.
 03 58852 324 or admin@bccca.org.au
 \$88 a day CCS claimable
 Hot meals available for purchase.

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Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday 10th April
11.00am to 11.45 am
Apex Park



Come along to our free
Easter Egg Hunt
in the Park on
Sunday 10th April.

Sponsored
by the BDDA
and the Berrigan News



School Holiday Program

Starts @ 10.30

All children are welcome

Please book in at your favourite local

Berrigan Shire Library

Easter Activities

Wednesday 13th April

Barooga & Finley

Thursday 14th April

Berrigan & Tocumwal

Anzac Day Activities

Wednesday 20th April

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