

Baringa News

Baringa acknowledges the traditional custodians of country throughout Australia and their connections to sky, land, sea and community. We pay our respects to their elders past and present and extend that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples today.

Our school is located on Gunaikurnai land.



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Wow, what a big first term we have had at Baringa to start 2023! The school has been a hive of activity with students busily learning, new teaching initiatives being implemented, and our first new building taking shape ready for us to move into next term.

School Wide Positive Behaviour Support

Last week we were notified that our school has achieved a Bronze Award for implementing the essential features of tier 1 School-Wide Positive Behaviour Support (SWPBS) with fidelity in 2022. Our SWPBS team, led by Learning Specialist Katie Grima, has put in a huge amount of work over the past couple of years to achieve this award, ensuring Baringa is using best practice in positive behaviour support. Well done to the SWPBS team, as well as all staff for their contribution to this achievement.

Athletics

After not being able to take place for several years, our 2023 Athletics Day was a huge success! The sun was shining, students were bursting with energy and excitement, and lots of parents and special people were in attendance to support the students in their efforts. A big thank you to Jarratt for his coordination efforts, as well as all staff for getting in the spirit of dressing up, participating in the activities, and supporting students to have a wonderful day.

Build Project

Our first new building continues to have the finishing touches put on it and we are crossing our fingers for good weather so the footpaths and landscaping can be completed in the next few weeks. During the school holidays, the current secondary building will start to be demolished, ready for the second building to be started during next term. There will be a few weeks cross over where our secondary section will need to utilise other spaces within the school to conduct lessons, before they are able to move into the new secondary building. This is going to take extreme flexibility by all staff and students as it will have an impact on the whole school for this period. Staff are working hard to ensure there is minimal disruption to the learning for students.

I hope everyone has a wonderful Easter and safe and happy school holidays. It has been a big term for everyone and I thank our Baringa community for their continued support of our school.

Kelly Mether

Principal

Up Coming Events

Thursday 6th April Last Day of Term 1 1.45pm finish.

Monday 24TH April Start of Term 2

Tuesday 25th Anzac Day NO School



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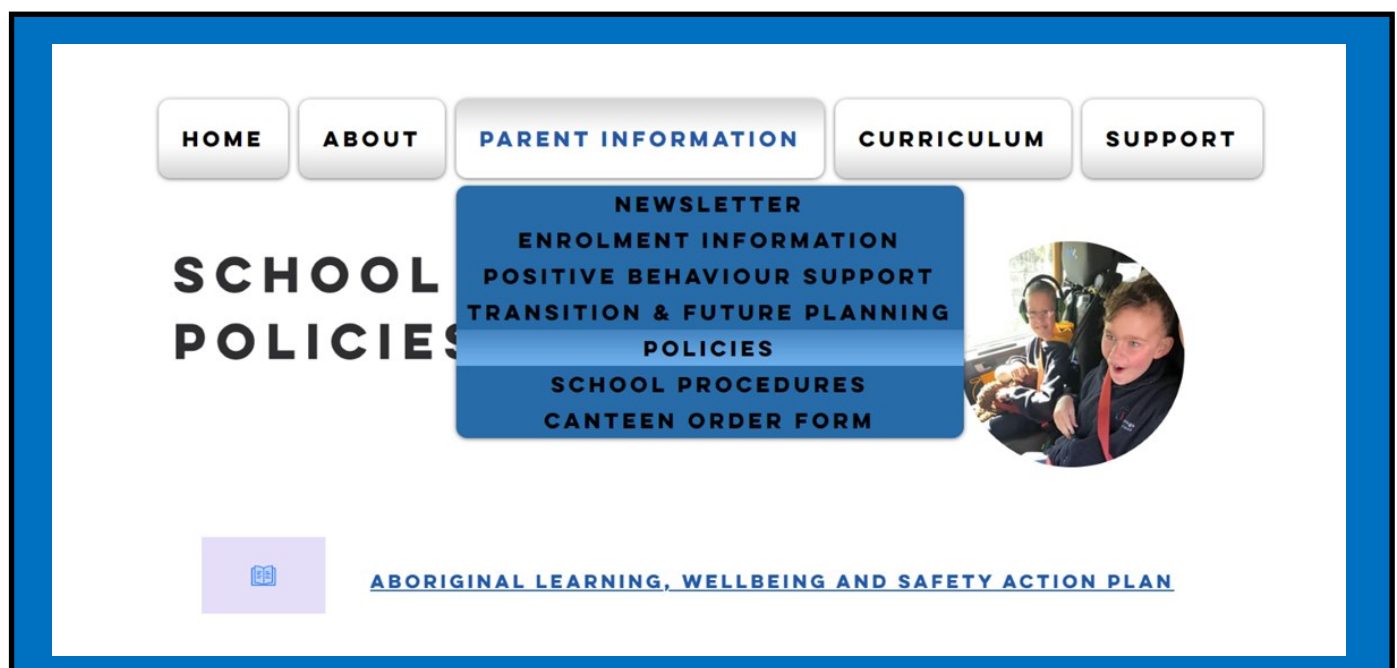
Parent Communication

In each edition of the newsletter, we will share different policies with our school community. This week our focus is our Enrolment Policy and Parent Payment Policy.

Our Enrolment Policy outlines the eligibility criteria that must be met to enrol at Baringa School. Our policy can be viewed at: https://www.baringass.vic.edu.au/_files/ugd/342a40_19f3e20b2c1f40c6ba3f63f339173d14.pdf

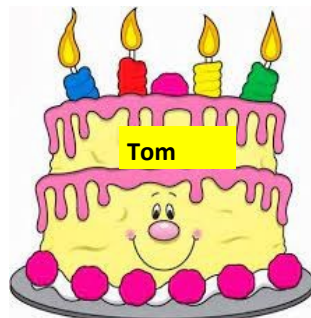
Our Parent Payment Policy outlines how to make contributions to our school, including how to pay curriculum or voluntary contributions electronically. Our Parent Payment Policy can be viewed at: https://www.baringass.vic.edu.au/_files/ugd/342a40_8dc3aa8a163e41d5b40a80e708f28088.pdf.

You can view these and other policies at any time via our school website <https://www.baringass.vic.edu.au/>. Click on 'Parent Information' and then 'Policies' as shown in the image below. If you have any questions regarding these or other policies, please contact our office on 51271744.





★HAPPY★
BIRTHDAY!





Athletics Day 2023 !!!

The weather was perfect and so were all the students and helpers. All the students looked like they were having a lot of fun while completing the events. All students should be very proud of their efforts.

All Baringa staff members are very proud of every single student who came and tried their best in each event. It was awesome to see all students showing great sportsmanship and encouraging everyone. We were even lucky enough to have Batman and Robin make a guest appearance and race against some of the students.

Some of the feedback from the students.

“I loved it, I enjoyed the shot put and discus activities” – Mia.

“It was fun, my favourite activity was the high jump” – Tyrell

“It was good, I loved doing the high jump” – Riley

“I had so much fun” – Ryan

“I liked it and I beat you in running” – Ryan

“It was so cool, I loved all the events” – Taidden

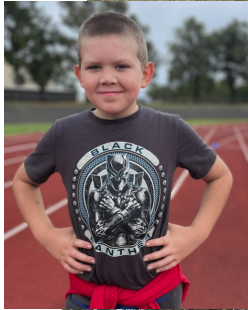


Jarratt

Physical Education & Sport Coordinator

● ● ● **Baringa Athletics Day** ● ● ●

FUN





Bus Safety Matters

"This term students from all sections of the school have been participating in bus safety awareness. Our students have thought about this topic and produced some posters to display around the school".



Bus safety by Alanah

Always wait for the bus to go before you cross the road.

1. Observe same conduct as in the classroom
2. Be courteous use no profane language
3. Do not eat or drink on the bus
4. Keep the bus clean
5. Cooperate with the driver
6. Do not be destructive
7. Stay in your seat
8. Keep head hands and feet inside the bus
9. Bus driver is authorized to assign seats

Leave seatbelts on.

No yelling.

Stand behind the yellow line.

Music and games only.

No social media.

Look both ways before you cross the road.



Bus safety is really serious, you need to think about the others around you and yourself.

Do not stand in front of a bus or behind the bus.

Don't have your phone volume up loud unless you are wearing headphones.

Don't push in front of anyone.

BY LIAM

Always wear your seatbelt. Evie



Speech Pathology

To our families,
























We had a fabulous first term of 2023 working with the students at Baringa and we are really proud of everything they are achieving! 😊

As the April school holidays approach, we understand that change to your child's routine might be tricky for them and cause some anxiety.

Because of this, we have written a social story to help explain the April school holidays. A social story is a short story that is written to help students understand different situations that may be difficult for them. By using a social story, we can help our students understand why the school will be closed during the Easter holidays, what activities they can do at home in the holidays, and when they will come back to school.

We hope everyone has a wonderful Easter holiday and we will see you in term 2!

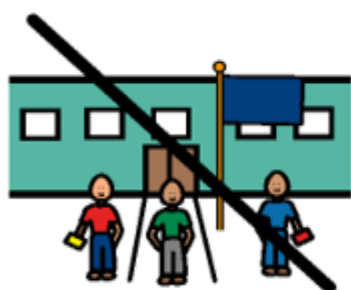
Bronte & Alicia

APRIL						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				6 th April LAST DAY OF SCHOOL 	7 th School holidays 	8 th School holidays 
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16 th School holidays 	17 th School holidays 	18 th School holidays 	19 th School holidays 	20 th School holidays 	21 st School holidays 	22 nd School holidays 
23 rd School holidays 	24 th FIRST DAY BACK AT SCHOOL 	25 th ANZAC DAY 	26 th School 	27 th School 	28 th School 	

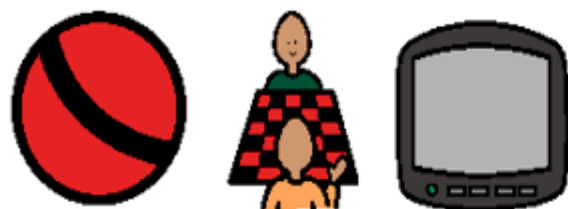
The April Holidays



The last day of term 1 will be on Thursday, the 6th of April. Then the April school holidays will begin.



My school will be closed for 2 weeks.



During the holidays, I might do fun activities like play at home or go on adventures outside the house.



My teachers and friends look forward to seeing me back at school in 2 weeks on the Monday 24th of April.



SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN

PROGRAMS 10AM TO 2PM



**TUESDAY 11TH APRIL
EASTER EGG HUNT AND ACTIVITIES AT THE RANCH**

**WEDNESDAY 12TH APRIL
LITTLE FARMERS -
LEARN HOW TO CARE FOR OUR FARM YARD FRIENDS
BUGGY RIDES
VEGETABLE PLANTING**

**MONDAY 18TH APRIL
CANDLE MAKING AND DESIGNER CAPS
CHOOSE YOUR FAVOURITE SCENT TO MAKE YOUR
OWN CANDLE
CREATE YOUR VERY OWN LABEL / PICTURE TO
DESIGN YOUR OWN CAP**

**TUESDAY 19TH APRIL (OVERNIGHT CAMP OUT)
2PM TUESDAY 19TH TO 2PM WEDNESDAY 20TH
BRING YOUR PJ'S AS IT'S A SLUMBER PARTY UNDER
THE STARS
CAMPING, ACTIVITIES, BUSH COOKING, MOVIES
AND POPCORN.**

Bookings Essential

Email - info@gippslandsupportservices.com.au

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Baringa Easter Raffle

CONGRATULATIONS!



Congratulations to the winners of our Easter Raffle !!!

Riley from SLC

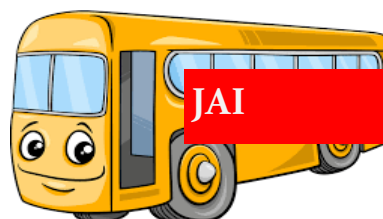
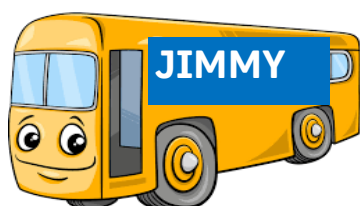
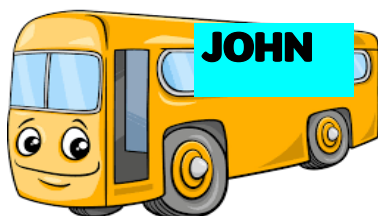
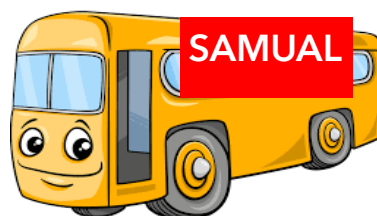
Lachlan from P4

Charlotte from M2





Bus Awards



BARINGA CANTEEN ORDER FORM 2023

NAME: _____

ROOM: _____

ITEM	PRICE	QUANTITY	SUB TOTAL
CHICKEN NUGGETS (3 per serve)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Tomato Sauce <input type="checkbox"/> No Sauce <input type="checkbox"/> BBQ Sauce	\$2.00		\$
PIE (1 per serve)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Tomato Sauce <input type="checkbox"/> No Sauce <input type="checkbox"/> BBQ Sauce	\$3.50		\$
SAUSAGE ROLL (1 per serve)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Tomato Sauce <input type="checkbox"/> No Sauce <input type="checkbox"/> BBQ Sauce	\$3.50		\$
STEAMED DIM SIMS (2 per serve)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Soy Sauce <input type="checkbox"/> Tomato Sauce <input type="checkbox"/> BBQ Sauce <input type="checkbox"/> No Sauce	\$2.50		\$
<input type="checkbox"/> NACHOS (SALSA AND CHEESE) <input type="checkbox"/> Sour Cream <input type="checkbox"/> Cheese <input type="checkbox"/> Salsa	\$4.00		\$
SNACKS			
TWO FRUITS	\$1.50		\$
POPCORN	\$1.00		\$
DRINKS			
BOTTLED WATER	\$2.00		\$
CHOCOLATE MILK	\$2.50		\$
STRAWBERRY MILK	\$2.50		\$
APPLE JUICE PRIMA	\$2.00		\$
ORANGE JUICE PRIMA	\$2.00		\$

Canteen is available on Fridays

TOTAL COST	\$
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$
CHANGE GIVEN	\$

