



BALD FACE BULLETIN

WEEK 7 TERM 4, 2019

School Security Ph 1300 363 778

THIS WEEK

Monday 25 November 2019

- * Tennis 8:00am
- * Junior Band 8:30am

Tuesday 26 November 2019

- * Tennis 8:00am
- * Senior band 8:30am

Wednesday 27 November 2019

- * Tennis 8:00am
- * SISA
- * Showcase dress rehearsal – **bring all costumes and items**

Thursday 28 November 2019

- * Showcase Matinee dress rehearsal – **bring all costumes and items**

Friday 29 November 2019

- * Senior band 8:00am
- * PSSA Finals
- * School Banking
- * Scripture assembly @ 12:55pm

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

Monday 2 December 2019

- * Showcase – Matinee – **bring all costumes and items**

Tuesday 3 December 2019

- * Showcase- Evening Concert

Wednesday 4 December 2019

- * Showcase –Evening Concert

Thursday 5 December 2019

- * Showcase- Student only matinee

Library Books

Please ensure all library books are returned by this Wednesday for stocktake.

NOTES GOING HOME THIS WEEK

NOTES/PAYMENT DUE BACK THIS WEEK

- Digi ED Year 6

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2020 Student Enrolments

The office is now accepting local enrolments for Kindergarten in 2020. Please collect an enrolment form from the school office as soon as possible to assist in planning classes for 2020.

School Spectacular

Last Friday and Saturday, a group of students represented our school in the School's Spectacular concerts at Homebush, and they were SPECTACULAR! A large group of staff attended the Saturday night concert and we were very excited to see our girls dance along with 5,500 students from government schools all over NSW. Our dance troupe should feel very proud of their performance. It was lovely to see the girl's excited faces at the end of the finale. Well done girls!

Of course, something like this does not happen without the goodwill of staff. Firstly, a huge thank you and congratulations to Katie Bickerstaff for the personal time and effort she has put into rehearsals and organisation for this performance. Also thank you to Sandra McCarthy, who along with Katie, gave of her family time all day and overnight on Friday and into the late hours of Saturday night to support our dancers. On behalf of the school community, thank you!

Showcase

Showcase rehearsals begin this week. Please ensure that your child has their costume at school this week for dress rehearsal on Wednesday. All costumes and band instruments should be clearly labelled with your child's name and placed in a clearly labelled bag.

A limited number of unsold tickets for the night concerts on Tuesday 3 December and Wednesday 4 December will go on sale tomorrow, Tuesday 26 November at 6:00pm.

Purchases will be limited to one ticket only for each of these performances. Please note that these tickets will be individual seats and they will not be positioned next to your previous purchases.

Tickets for the matinee concerts have also been released. There is no limit to the amount of tickets purchased for the matinee concerts.

Combined Scripture Service

There will be a combined scripture service for students who attend scripture classes this Friday at 12:55PM. Parents are most welcome to attend. Children who attend non-scripture groups will be supervised by teachers.

Have a wonderful week,

Kim Sinclair
Principal (Rel.)

GROWTH MINDSET

16. Never stop learning.

Set a new goal for every one you accomplished. You will never be completely finished learning. Just because you have finished one class or one project does not mean that you should abandon the subject.

Growth-minded people are able to continue to [create new goals](#) so they stay motivated and interested in the subjects that they choose to study. Learning is never finished, as there is always another goal to reach or more research to be done.

<https://www.developgoodhabits.com/fixd-mindset-vs-growth-mindset/>

Congratulations to Trinity 5/6m for receiving the Community Spirit Award.



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McGrath Real Estate

Schools Spectacular – It's a wrap!

Wow! What a wonderful experience Schools Spectacular was for everyone this year. They truly were STARS!

I would like to congratulate Natalia, Ayishah, Lashae, Molly, Eleni, Isabella, Lila, Laura, Elleanna, Elisa, Emmy and Kirijana for their commitment, enthusiasm, wonderful dancing and most of all, the outstanding way that they represented our school throughout the whole process; they were a delight to be around and to watch perform.

A big thank you also to the parents and carers who made sure the girls were where they needed to be for rehearsals and the shows on Friday and Saturday. I'm sure it's a well-worn path from Blakehurst to Qudos Bank Arena.

It was a fabulous weekend of performances, and although a little tired and weary, Mrs McCarthy and I wouldn't have had it any other way.

Thanks again everyone! It's been a blast and I look forward to Bald Face being a part of Schools Spectacular again in the coming years.

Thank you,
Miss Bickerstaff



PSSA - Softball

Congratulations to our 4 PSSA softball teams who have performed fantastically this season. Their skills and knowledge of the game have improved out of sight!

We had 3 teams reach the semi-finals last week: Junior Boys, Senior Boys and Senior Girls. It is amazing that all 3 teams won last week and have progressed to the Finals this Friday. Congratulations everyone and a special thanks to Jayla and Amanda who stepped up over the last few weeks to assist the senior girls.

Spectators are welcome to attend the Finals. The boys play at Scarborough Park, off Chuter Ave, and the girls play at Barton Park on Bestic Street, Banksia. Boys: Juniors – 10.10, Seniors – 9.15. Girls: Seniors - 10.00. Junior girls will still go and will play a friendly game.

Please familiarise yourself with the parent's and spectator's code of conduct on the next page if you wish to attend.



Good luck to all teams this week!

Miss Bickerstaff and Miss Rolfe

PSSA CODE OF CONDUCT FOR SPECTATORS AND PARENTS

PARENTS' CODE

- Encourage your child to always play by the rules.
- If children are interested in sport, encourage them to participate. Refrain from forcing an unwilling child to participate.
- Remember that children participate in organised school sports for their enjoyment and fulfilment, not yours.
- Teach your child that honest effort is as important as winning so that the result of each game is accepted without undue disappointment.
- Encourage your child to work towards skill improvement. Never ridicule your child for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- Always encourage the principle of good sportsmanship.
- **Children learn best by example. Applaud good play by all individuals and all teams.**
- **Do not publicly question the officials' judgement and never their honesty.**
- Appreciate the contribution and commitment of teachers in coaching positions. They give their time and resources to provide sporting activities for your child and deserve your support.
- Have realistic expectations for your child and her or his team. Do not expect more than they can give.
- Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities. Condemn the use of violence in any form.

SPECTATORS' CODE

- Students play organised sport for their own enjoyment. They are not playing to specifically entertain you.
- **Always respect the decisions of officials.**
- Never encourage physical or verbal abuse of players, coaches, officials or other spectators.
- **Applaud good play by your own team and that of the opposing team.**
- Show respect for your opponents. Without them there would be no game.
- Never ridicule a player for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- Encourage players to always play according to the rules.



Showcase Monday 2 Dec –Thursday 5 Dec

1. Students arrive at school for Tuesday and Wednesday night performances around 6:40pm and go straight to their designated holding room.
2. Doors open at 6:45pm for hall seating. Please remember that you have allocated seats. The concert begins at 7pm.
3. Wear summer uniform or costume if that is your first item. Or, what your teacher has suggested.
4. Minimal noise only when movement is taking place between performance items.
5. Students are responsible for their own instruments, cases, music, jackets and costumes. LABEL EVERYTHING ESPECIALLY MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND CASES. Put your name on them with masking tape.
6. Shine your black school shoes.
7. Students do not join their parents in the audience.
8. Parents need to pick up their children from the balcony of their holding room at about 8:30pm.
9. Students can bring a drink or snack.
10. **Parents...please do not talk during the performances, leave your seat during a performance or leave your rubbish behind.**

Sandra McCarthy

Concert Organiser

SRC Kids Concert

Our SRC has some exciting news!

We are having a kids concert on the last day of school! Children are invited to present a fun act for a concert to be held on the 18th December. Interested students will audition for Mrs Saintilan and our SRC in week 9 and the SRC will help decide on our program. Sadly we will not have any instruments at this concert as we do not have time for set up and stage changes.

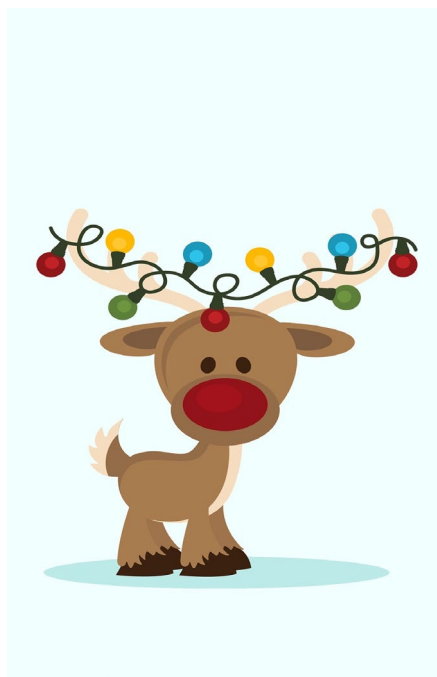
This is a fun concert just for our students, so unfortunately no parents are invited.

The last day of school will also be a Christmas mufti day. Children are asked to donate money and wear Christmas clothes. Funds will be collected on the day by the SRC representatives in each class. All money raised is going to a fundraising initiative organised by our local network of schools, where funds are being directed to school communities affected by the recent bushfires in the New England region.

SRC representatives will provide further information to children in class over the next couple of weeks.

Mrs Saintilan (meg.saintilan@det.nsw.edu.au)

SRC coordinator





School Shades™

Bald Face Public School is a Sun-Safe school and committed to the health of our students, including eye-health.

Together with School Shades, our school has sunglasses available to purchase. They will be available in 3 sizes (S,M,L), colour matched to our school uniform and labelled with our school name.

School Shades sunglasses are approved to the highest Australian UV standards and have shatterproof, poly-carbonate lenses.

Each set of tough, built-for-kids pair of sunglasses includes:

- an easy-to-use ID panel to write their name
- a microfibre cloth
- a matching case with bag clip.



Sunglasses are \$15.00 per pair

Please see the **office** if you would like to purchase a pair.

Advertisements



Season 2020
Looking for Players
From beginners to experienced Ages 5 to adults
Come join our family orientated club with experienced nurturing coaches who will develop skills and ensure all children take the court to have fun
Why not take this opportunity to help your child stay active, create special friendships and learn a team sport they will love
The NSW Government is helping kids get active with the new Active Kids program, all players will have the opportunity for a \$100 Voucher to assist with fees
For more information please contact our Club President
Barbara Hay - kyle.baynetball@live.com



FREE TRIAL DAY

Have you considered or your son and daughter considered playing Netball
Here is their opportunity to come and try before you buy. Minimum age 5yrs
Kyle Bay Netball Club is family orientated club where we encourage fun, team work and close bonding
Kyle Bay Netball club will be running a day of fun to introduce your upcoming Netballer
Have your kids ever watched Netball on Television and said, I would like to be her,
well here is their opportunity to start their chance
A day of fun with some of our current Kyle Bay Players and Coaches, Registrations and Uniform Fittings
The NSW Government is helping kids get active with the new Active Kids program, all players will have the opportunity for a
\$100 Voucher to assist with fees

Come Join the Fun
Saturday 8th February 2020
310 W Botany St Rockdale, New South Wales 2216

Feel Free in Registering your interest to our Secretary at kylebaysecretary@gmail.com by Monday 6th January 2020

School Safety

Please support our school by following road rules during School Zones. These rules are put in place to protect your children so your support is much appreciated.

School zone safety

Council is committed to promoting safe parking practices around schools, particularly during school zone times, on school days between 8.00am-9:30am and 2:30pm-4.00pm

Illegal parking at these times contributes to traffic congestion and may create unsafe conditions for children and other road users.

To help deter drivers from choosing to park illegally, Council officers regularly patrol school zones and may issue penalty notices. Officers are also a valuable source of information on how to park safely and avoid receiving a penalty notice.

You can help to promote safety and reduce congestion around schools

- Avoid waiting in 'No Parking' zones. A two minute limit applies for most vehicles and a five minute limit applies for Mobility Parking Scheme permit holders when picking up and dropping off
- Never double park
- Park away from the school and walk to pick up your child
- Stagger arrival times to avoid pick-up/drop-off 'peak time' traffic

Child safety is the responsibility of all road users. Drive safely and park legally.



Penalties and demerit points for offences in school zones

SCHOOL ZONE parking offences	Fine	Demerit Points
Stop on/near pedestrian crossing	\$448	2
Disobey 'No Stopping' sign	\$337	2
Double park	\$337	2
Stop in Bus Zone	\$337	2
Stop on/across driveway	\$337	2
Stopping on footpath/nature strip	\$337	2
Disobey 'No Parking' sign	\$187	2



Parking restrictions apply uniformly state wide to deter illegal parking. For further information, please go to www.georgesriver.nsw.gov.au/Services/Parking-and-Traffic and <http://roadsafety.transport.nsw.gov.au/stayingsafe/schools/index.html>

This list of offences is not exhaustive and only indicates some of the penalties for school zones under Road Rules 2014. The information contained in this leaflet is correct as of 1 July 2018, however is subject to change without notice.

Term 4 Calendar 2019

Please refer to the events calendar on SkoolBag App