GOOD LUCK

Our Year 12 students will commence their HSC exams on Monday. The exams will continue for the next 3.1/2 weeks.

Staff members spent Tuesday’s staff development day analysing data and determining main focuses for the next 3 years.

The school community was saddened by the recent deaths of people who have had association with our school for many years. We extend our sympathy to the families at this difficult time.

Learner Driving Simulator Bus Coming to BCS
Students from the ACE class, are invited to attend a Learner Driver Program on Tuesday October 21st, 2014. This program fits in well with the COGS unit that the ACE class is currently studying.

The program is open to students who have not yet qualified for their ‘P plates' and includes practical, simulated practical, and theory sessions.

The program will run at school and at the Boorowa showground. Students will be transported from the school to the showground by the school's bus.

Due to a community grant from the Bendigo Bank, this program is free, and is available to the first 21 students who return their permission notes which will be distributed in the next few days.

Students will need to bring their own lunch and wear full school uniform.

WE ARE A
‘SUNSMART’ SCHOOL
‘NO HAT           NO PLAY’
The Life Education Van is visiting the school Monday 20th and Tuesday 21st of October. Healthy Harold is an excellent child-centred activity that provides essential knowledge about making healthy choices in our lives. The focus of each module is to provide accurate information about how drugs (medicines, alcohol, cigarettes and illegal drugs) can affect our body’s development (Primary only), healthy food, bullying and expressing emotions and making good choices. We are thankful to the school who has subsidized the full cost of $9 per child, which indicates that the school has recognized the importance and relevance that this program offers to every child in our school.

Touch/Netball Carnival
Students in Years 2-6 have been practising for this carnival and will no doubt have an enjoyable day next Friday 17th October. The first games begin at 9am so it is essential that students are at the showground by 8.30am. We need to find students amongst the thousands that are arriving, do roll call, organize students into their teams with their manager and coach, find the field/court they are playing on and organize positions all before 9am. Remember there is a great deal of traffic and it may take you 20 minutes to get from the main street to the showground. We understand that students travelling on buses will get there when they can.

Canteens will be operational or you can pack food. Please ensure students have a school bucket hat, 2-3 bottles of water and sunscreen as the weather is generally hot. Students are to meet at the Boorowa Central Red Shade Shelter, which will be located midway between the touch fields and netball courts. Students are reminded to wear full sport uniform including their red and white sport shirt, navy shorts and school bucket hat. HAVE FUN EVERYONE!

School Uniform
Students at Boorowa Central School consistently wear their school uniform with pride and they are congratulated for their effort. At times students are out of uniform due to unforeseen reasons and generally a note is provided to the school outlining the reasons. The school wishes to remind students and parents that we have a number of extra curricula activities occurring this term including a social and end of year pool party. The school policy states that students who have 5 or more unexplained reasons may not be eligible to attend. If you are uncertain about your child’s eligibility you are welcome to contact the school.

Primary Homework
Homework will recommence next week for term 4. Students will receive homework each week in some format for example stencil, spelling words, speeches, posters or research that needs to be submitted to their classroom teacher at regular times. It is encouraged that you ask your child for their homework so they are reminded to attend to it. The Homework Centre with Mrs Harpley will commence next Wednesday afternoon. Students most welcome. Students have the opportunity to complete their homework and have the use of the computers for Mathletics.

We are putting together a cookbook to raise money for the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Program.

We would love it if you could choose your favourite recipe for us to include in the book. When published, each recipe will have your child’s name and class printed at the bottom. Everyone can send in a recipe mums, dads, students, grandmas, grandpas, infants, primary and secondary. We will try to include as many as possible.

Mrs Southwell, our fabulous kitchen specialist, has already contributed some of the children’s favourite recipes from her cooking classes. Can you please send your yummy recipes in with your child or bring them to the school office as soon as you can, we will be aiming to have the cookbook ready to publish early next year?

We are looking forward to getting your delicious recipes!!
The Giver is an award winning novel that is now a movie. The book however goes into much more depth and helps the reader understand the highly ordered life in which the characters live. Jonas, the main character is a member of a group who describe themselves as ‘the community.’ Although Jonas is happy he, along with his friends are moving towards life changes and we the readers move along with him. We come to understand that although the life he leads is one of protection where your path in life, your role in the community is chosen by the community, Jonas comes to realise his world is not only protected, it is ominous. Although life in the community is completely ordered the reader comes to see a dark side. Memories of colour and music for example have been surrendered. Children are created in scientific laboratories and assigned families. Equality exists but at what expense? Jonas learns that memories of feelings and history, creativity and individuality are contained and held by a man called the Giver. Jonas is destined to become the next Giver. In order to communicate with the present Giver Jonas is released from the rules that govern everyone else so the story becomes a story of self realization. For those who have seen the movie and may find some aspects puzzling, a read of the book may or may not add some explanation. For those interested in a thought provoking novel borrow it from your library and come to your own conclusions.

MATHLETICS AWARDS
Silver Award
Riley Eccles
Talia Karaitiana-Halls
Ellie McMahon
David Eastham-Ward
Jack Sargent
Matthew Carney
James Farrell
Luke Dean
Grace Barker
Leah Cutting

STUDYLADDER AWARDS
Silver Award
Dijana Shemon
Ellie McMahon

Gold Award
James Farrell
Ronan Eccles

A SPECIAL THANK YOU
To Marg from Carmody’s Newsagency for her kind donation of items for use in our Infants dept. Your kind donation is greatly appreciated.
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#### BOOROWA JUNIOR CRICKET NEWS

**MILO CRICKET. (5-8yrs)**
Milo Cricket introduces the basic skills of cricket in a fun, positive environment.
Run by qualified cricket coaches and Boorowa Senior Cricket players, this year's Milo program promises to be a great experience for all our kids.

**COST:** $60 (which includes backpack, bat, ball, hat, shirt and drink bottle.)

**WHEN:** Tuesdays 4:15 - 5pm. (starting 28/10)

**WHERE:** St Joseph's School Oval
Please register your child's interest by calling Ange Canellis (0417744615) before Friday 17th October.

**REP CRICKET. (U12's)**
Young & District Junior Cricket invite all interested cricketers to try out for the U12's Rep team.
Trials will be held over the next few weeks.

**WHEN:** Tuesday 14 October - 4pm

**WHERE:** Keith Cullen oval (Young)
Please note - if a player turned 12 before 1st September they are ineligible for these trials.

Junior Cricket registration is at the Bendigo Bank:

**Milo, U10’s, U12’s $60**

For more information contact Stuart Gay – on 0429853938

#### BOOROWA JUNIOR LEAGUE AGM 2014

**Thursday 9th October-7.00pm**
Boorowa Ex-Services Club
ALL WELCOME

**For Sale**
All in working order $20 each or $100 for the lot.

- 1x Ladies Mountain Bike approx. 5 yrs old
- 1x Radio Controlled Mini Helicopter (new in box)
- 1x Dell LCD flat screen computer monitor
- 1x Samsung LCD flat screen computer monitor
- 1x Guitar Hero guitar with DVD for use with PC
- 2x White Pedestal Fans ($20 for both)

#### JUNIOR GOLF

**STARTS SUNDAY 19TH OCTOBER, 2014**

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**Bringing Valuables to School**—The Department of Education and Communities’ policy is that valuables of any kind are brought to school at the owner’s own risk.
**Boorowa Central School Canteen Roster**

**Term 4 2014**

*Can’t do a day? Please organize a replacement*

Parents who wish to volunteer for canteen duty please contact either the school office or Marie Martin or Samantha Pye in the school canteen.

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*Bringing Valuables to School—The Department of Education and Communities’ policy is that valuables of any kind are brought to school at the owner’s own risk.*
I loved our excursion to the Blue Mountains. My favourite activity was going down the Steepest Railway at Katoomba. I learnt a lot of things about nature at the Botanical Gardens. I had never been to the Blue Mountains before. It was lots of fun.

_Holly Blom_

My favourite activity on the excursion was Scenic World because I went on the Steepest Railway. I liked the glass floor at the Skyway. I liked the Botanical Gardens because they keep very rare flowers there.

_Luke Dean_

I really enjoyed the excursion. My favourite place was visiting Scenic World going down the Steepest Railway. I enjoyed the Toy Museum because it had lots of old toys and they were cool. The Mt Piper Power Station was fun because it didn’t put smoke into the air and it was environmentally friendly.

_James Farrell_

I loved how we went down the Steepest Railway, The Toy Museum and Scenic World. I liked the Railway Museum and the Drama night. The excursion was awesome.

_Riley Eccles_

I liked the excursion because it was fun. The best thing was the Steepest Railway. It was scary. The cabins where we stayed were fun. The Toy Museum had lots of old toys and it was interesting. I have never been to the Blue Mountains before.

_Anthony Brown_

I liked Scenic World because it had interesting facts about the rainforests around the Blue Mountains. I also liked the Heritage Garden because it was on an old volcano site.

_Fleur Corcoran_

My favourite activity on our excursion was Scenic World when we went on the Steepest Railway in the world. I liked looking around at the Three Sisters. They were shaped like bowling pins. I had never seen them before.

_Byron Campbell_

We went to Scenic World, Mount Piper, Toy Museum and the Jenolan Caves. I loved the Jenolan Caves as the lights were turned off and the stomping noise we heard in the cave got louder. It was pitch black and a little scary at first. As we got deeper into the cave it became harder to breathe.

_Josh Gurney_

I think that the Katoomba excursion was very enjoyable. The teachers did a fantastic job of organising it. There were a lot of fun places we got to visit and see.

_Riley Shao-Gordon_

I liked going to the Mt Piper Power station because I liked going on the bike and seeing how much energy I could generate. I also liked going to the Toy Museum.

_Harvey Gay_

I liked Scenic World and Mt Panorama because we did a lap of a racetrack which I’ve never seen before. At Scenic World I liked the railway and the Sky Way. At camp I enjoyed playing with the soccer ball. At Jenolan Caves I liked seeing the shadows and sounds. At Mount Piper I liked the bike.

_Josh Karchinsky_

I liked the Railway, Sky way, the Toy Museum’s trains that went around the mountain and the race course in Bathurst. I liked the Jenolan Caves because I found out that the caves were found by two teachers. At Mount Tomah we found what plants were native and what ones weren’t.

_Natasha Hagar_

I like the railway because people were screaming and I didn’t. I also liked the Jenolan Caves because of the crystals and bones. I liked the place we stayed at because there were double bunk beds and the staff were nice to us.

_Cassie Franklin_
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Primary Excursion to Katoomba
Dear Parents,

It’s that time of year again when we call upon our community to help with our annual Touch/Netball Carnival. Remember this is our schools’ major fundraiser for the year and we need our community’s support to make this day a great success. So come one come all, Gran-dads, Grandmothers, Aunts and Uncles you are all welcome.

If you are able to assist us in any way at all please fill in the form below with your choice of time and/or donations and return to school office.

We/ I am able to help. Name ________________________________

Urgent Need of Volunteers for the Touch / Netball Carnival

Friday 17th October, 2014

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# Canteen Price List

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A variety of lollies are also available.
REMINDER TO PARENTS
MEDICAL INFORMATION FOR SCHOOL RECORDS
It is imperative that our school records on a child’s medical condition be kept up to date. If your child has been diagnosed with a severe medical condition that could impact on their wellbeing whilst at school then please inform the school admin office immediately so as a suitable response plan can be initiated.

Important Information for the Community
If you are concerned for a child’s well being you may ring the Department of Community Services on 132 111 or the Police on 131 444. Both phone numbers operate 24 hours a day.

Nut Aware
The school would like to remind students and parents that our school is a nut aware school. Please be mindful of foods that contain and may contain nuts and refrain from packing them for recess and lunch. Thank you for your ongoing support and cooperation.

Kite Festival
Saturday 11th October 2014
Harden Picnic Racecourse
11am - 5pm Entry by donation
♥ ALCOHOL FREE EVENT ♥
BYO kite or buy one on the day
Kite flying for all skill levels
Kite Competitions $$$ to be won at the 9th annual
Harden Kite Festival
FREE Climb Wall
FREE helium balloons
FREE face painting
♫ LIVE MUSIC ♫

Please join us again
NEXT YEAR on
Saturday
10th October, 2015
Same time and venue

Harden Murrumburrah Community Bank® Branch ☞ Bendigo Bank

Contact: KEN McKay (02) 6386 3526
hardenbearings@bigpond.com
Markets: SARAH ROWAN (02) 6386 2685
rowans1979@hotmail.com
Web: hardenkitefestival.org
Notes From The P & C Monthly Meeting

The P & C are currently preparing for the Touch/Netball Carnival to be held on Friday 17th October. I urge all parents/grandparents & community members to get involved in this amazing day. The carnival is the highlight of our combined schools fundraising year with all profits going to furthering our students needs in both our schools. Helpers are most welcome on the day. If you can give an hour of your time in the canteens around the ground it would be most appreciated.

We also have our Kindy & Year 7 Orientation Day coming up on Friday 24th October. This will be a great day with the new students enjoying a BBQ lunch!

On 7th November we will be celebrating the Year 12 formal and we ask the Year 11 students and parents to come and help with the serving of food and washing up for this function. If you are able to help could you please contact myself (0408696104 Kim) or contact the office 63853009 and let them know if you are available to help.

We had a great day at Woolfest on Sunday. The gourmet hotdog stand and the show bag stand were very successful. A huge thank you to our wonderful helpers Anna March & Peter Wilson, Ange Summerfield, Heather Shaw, Teresa Campbell, Megan Moorby, Val Coble, Trudy Mahoney, Sharon Hinds, Lynelle Warren, Sarah McMahon, Fiona Nicholson, Gail Grimson, Sam Pye, & Stewart Blomfield.

A special thank you also to our younger helpers who helped with the setting up and packing up of our stands. What wonderful helpers you were; Anthony Brown, Imogen Pye & Mackella Pye!

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 4th November 7pm in the school Admin building and I welcome all parents and look forward to seeing you.

Regards,
Kim Blomfield - President P&C