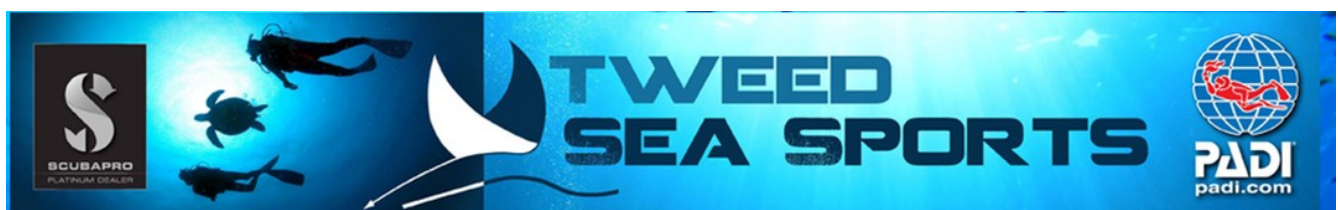


## YEAR 12 MARINE STUDIES SCUBA COURSE

Year 12 Marine Studies students recently completed their Padi Open Water Dive Course and had an awesome time! The course began with theory work and quickly progressed to practise dives in the pool before heading out to Cook Island for their final training dives and free dive. The equipment that seemed complicated to begin with, but was quickly mastered and students were relaxed during their final dives and could really enjoy the amazing underwater experience.

### COOK ISLAND DIVE

The first days diving at Cook Island involved 2 dives at a location called Coral Gardens, where the range of corals, anemones, fish and turtles was incredible. The second days' diving was at the dive location called turtle sanctuary, and the visibility was a spectacular 12 meters! Several turtles were of course sighted. Numerous wobbegongs, nudibranchs coral, fish and starfish were observed. Students reported that this was a life-changing experience. They will have their dive certificate for life and can enjoy diving into their future.









# YEAR 7 EXCURSION

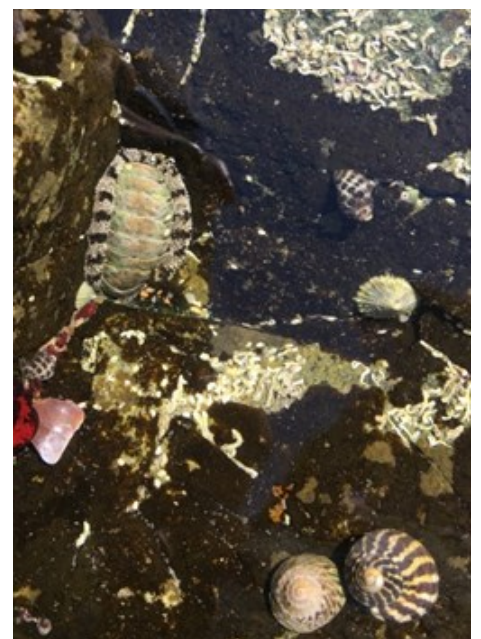
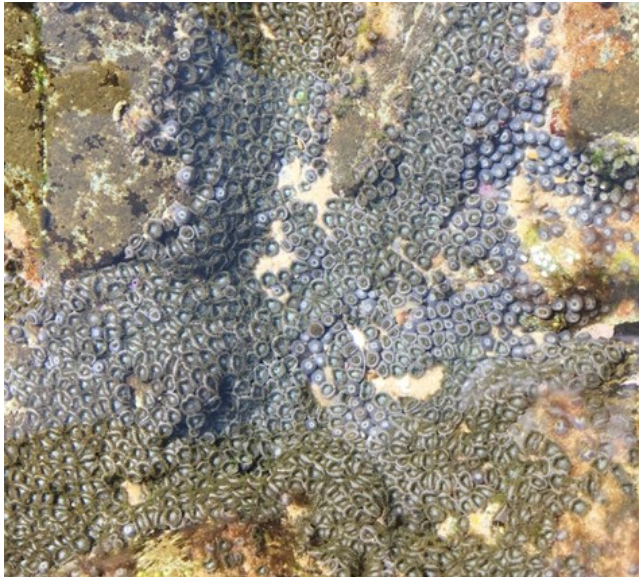
## ROCK POOLS AT HASTINGS POINT

Year 7 students participated in an excursion called The Rock Pools to enrich their studies of ecology and geology in Science. It was a spectacular winter's day, and the rain held off until after we returned to school. The students rotated through 4 activities and looked at rock pools, sand dunes, the headland and the creek. They noted particular aspects of each of these in a booklet.

All students reported having an awesome day out, and agreed that it was an incredible place to go to learn about the coastal environment. Year 7 were amazed at the number of organisms they could see in the rock pools near the creek mouth of Cudgera Creek. The day was completed with a sausage sizzle in the park and mini-cake for Brodie, the birthday boy!









## NAPLAN RESULTS

Schools received NAPLAN results during week 5 this term. Individual student's results in NAPLAN have been posted home to parents. Our NAPLAN Analysis Team are currently reviewing our progress in 2016.

Early analysis identified growth in Year 9 Reading, Spelling and Grammar & Punctuation which is was above the State average and similar to State average in Numeracy. In 2016 the Writing task changed from Narrative to Persuasive, hence no growth was measured.

## TELL THEM FROM ME SURVEY

### Students

Once again our students will participate in a Department of Education initiative: the *Tell Them From Me* student feedback survey. The survey aims to help improve student learning outcomes and measures factors that are known to affect academic achievement and other student outcomes. The focus of the NSW-wide survey is on student wellbeing, engagement and effective teaching practices.

Students completed the TTFM Survey in term 1 this year. Asking students to complete the survey twice in one year allows us to identify trends in student responses as well as track engagement and motivation across the school year.

If you do not want your child to complete the survey, please return a completed form, which was sent home with students during week 6 or contact the school on 07 5513 1960 to request at request not participate form.

### Teachers and Parents

Further, Teachers and Parents will have the opportunity to complete the TTFM Survey as well. Most teachers have logged on and completed the survey already. You can have your say by login onto <https://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/bphsttfm> to access the survey.

We look forward to receiving your feedback as it provides the school with a more complete picture of our progress and assists us to identify how we can improve outcomes for our students.

## INDIGENOUS PARENT YARN

Parents of our indigenous students, please be aware our next YARN meeting will occur at Centaur Public School, 8.30am Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September.

## BEYOND THE BRONCOS

We welcome the return of the Girls Academy provided by the Beyond The Broncos. This program was formerly provided by the Titans For Tomorrow. The Beyond The Broncos will provide access to after school tutoring for our indigenous students on a Monday and Thursday. If you require further information regarding the program, please discuss with Ms. Johnson, Ms. Dreyer or Ms. Spenser.

## SCHOOLS RECOMMENDATION SCHEMES (SRS)

Year 12 students need to be aware that Schools Recommendation Schemes (SRS) applications are now open at [www.uac.edu.au/srs](http://www.uac.edu.au/srs) SRS are used by institutions to make early offers of undergraduate admission using criteria other than (or in addition to) ATARs.

Students should apply for SRS as soon as they have applied for undergraduate admission through UAC. All they need to apply is their UAC application number and UAC PIN. The final closing date for SRS applications is 23rd September 2016!

Students need to apply by the end of September - applications cannot be submitted after this date. Please contact Ms Dreyer or Mr Edwards if you have any further enquiries.

Chris Randle  
Relieving Principal



# VALID SCIENCE TEST FOR YEAR 10

The *Validation of Assessment for Learning & Individual Development* (VALID) Science test for Year 10 students will be held during week 7 at BPHS. The test takes approximately 70 minutes. The **VALID Science 10** test is an interactive, multimedia test completed entirely on a computer.

*VALID Science 10* contains multiple choice, short response and extended response tasks that are grouped around real-world issues, including scientific investigations.

## WHAT IS TESTED?

This is a diagnostic test, with tasks framed on Stage 5 outcomes and essential content in the *NSW Science Years K–10 Syllabus*. Students will be tested on their:

- knowledge and understanding of science
- understanding and skills in the process of scientific investigation
- ability to evaluate evidence, make judgements and think critically
- ability to access information and communicate scientific ideas.

Students will also complete a survey about their opinions, attitudes and values about science.

## STUDENTS MUST BRING...

Since students complete *VALID Science 10* on a computer, each student will need to bring **headphones or earbuds** that plug into a school computer. Earbuds for an iPod or portable player are suitable.

## RESULTS

Results of the test will be available during Term 4 2016. A personal report for each student will be sent to parents/carers to describe the science knowledge and skills demonstrated by the student in the test. There will also be information about how your child's results compare with overall performance of all students in the test.

*Lachlan Klose*  
Head Teacher Science

# THE CO2 CHALLENGE

The CO2 Challenge was held at Tweed Valley College last Friday. The BPHS team of Alissa Borg, Codie Ives, Holly Erskine and Kayla Olguin -Smith came second in the overall competition but were also the winning T5 school.

Congratulations team for all your hard work after school in preparation for the competition. A big thankyou to Mr Williams for assisting the team in their preparations and transporting the team to Murwillumbah.

*Jennifer Clancy*  
Head Teacher TAS







Term 3 is shaping up to be a very busy time of year for both students and parents/carers alike, as such it is a good time to recap the importance of students attending school regularly and being on time. Over the last couple of weeks there has been a noticeable increase in the number of students arriving late or absent from school without a verbal or written explanation from their parents or carers.

Absences from school or lateness are sometimes unavoidable; when they do occur we ask that you provide your child with either a note or ring the school explaining this absence within 7 days. Information from the Department of Education regarding attendance is attached.

If there are circumstances that may affect your child's attendance please do not hesitate to contact your child's Year Advisor or the relevant Deputy Principal.

#### ABSENT

Parent/carer to provide verbal/written notification within 7 days

#### LATE TO SCHOOL

Students to 'Sign In' at the Student Administration Office

Parent/carer is to provide verbal/ signed written notification explaining the child's lateness. Parent/carer's are encouraged to 'Sign In' their child personally.

#### EARLY LEAVERS

To ensure students are waiting at the office for collection; students are to provide a signed note explaining the reason for leaving early from their parent/carer to the Student Administration Office prior to Roll Call.

On collection, parent/carer is required to 'Sign Out' their child at the Student Administration Office.

Notes should include the following: date, reason for absence, parent/carer's signature and contact number.

#### SENIOR LATE

**10 minutes before the end of 1<sup>st</sup> period**

Students to 'Sign In' at the Student Administration Office

Note: after this time the student will be marked as 'late unexplained- unjustified)

#### SENIOR EARLY LEAVERS

**After 4<sup>th</sup> period**

Students to 'Sign Out' at the Student Administration Office

#### TAFE EARLY LEAVERS

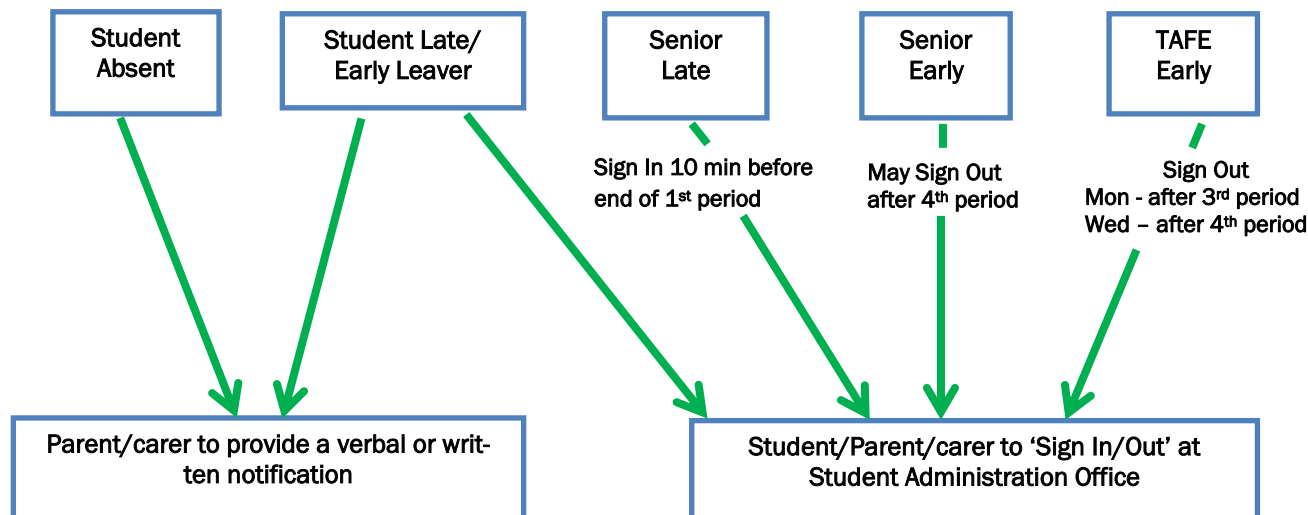
**Monday – after 3<sup>rd</sup> period**

**Wednesday – after 4<sup>th</sup> period**

Students to 'Sign Out' at the Student Administration Office

Please be aware that you may receive a courtesy call from the relevant Deputy Principal to discuss your child's attendance.

### ATTENDANCE HELPFUL HINTS







**Education &  
Communities**

# Compulsory School Attendance

Information for parents

Education for your child is important and regular attendance at school is essential for your child to achieve their educational best and increase their career and life options. NSW public schools work in partnership with parents to encourage and support regular attendance of children and young people. When your child attends school every day, learning becomes easier and your child will build and maintain friendships with other children.

## What are my legal responsibilities?

Education in New South Wales is compulsory for all children between the ages of six years and below the minimum school leaving age. The *Education Act 1990* requires that parents ensure their children of compulsory school age are enrolled at, and regularly attend school, or, are registered with the Board of Studies, Teaching and Educational Standards for homeschooling.

Once enrolled, children are required to attend school each day it is open for students.

## The importance of arriving on time

Arriving at school and class on time:

- Ensures that students do not miss out on important learning activities scheduled early in the day
- Helps students learn the importance of punctuality and routine
- Give students time to greet their friends before class
- Reduces classroom disruption

Lateness is recorded as a partial absence and must be explained by parents.

## What if my child has to be away from school?

On occasion, your child may need to be absent from school. Justified reasons for student absences may include:

- being sick, or having an infectious disease
- having an unavoidable medical appointment
- being required to attend a recognised religious holiday
- exceptional or urgent family circumstance (e.g. attending a funeral)

Following an absence from school you must ensure that within 7 days you provide your child's school with a verbal or written explanation for the absence. However, if the school has not received an explanation from you within 2 days, the school may contact you to discuss the absence.

Principals may decline to accept an explanation that you have provided if they do not believe the absence is in the best interest of your child. In these circumstances your child's absence would be recorded as unjustified. When this happens the principal will discuss their decision with you and the reasons why.

Principals may request medical certificates or other documentation when frequent or long term absences are explained as being due to illness. Principals may also seek parental permission to speak with medical specialists to obtain information to collaboratively develop a health care plan to support your child. If the request is denied, the principal can record the absences as unjustified.

## Travel

Families are encouraged to travel during school holidays. If travel during school term is necessary, discuss this with your child's school principal. An *Application for Extended Leave* may need to be completed. Absences relating to travel will be marked as leave on the roll and therefore contribute to your child's total absences for the year.

In some circumstances students may be eligible to enrol in distance education for travel periods over 50 school days. This should be discussed with your child's school principal.







### **My child won't go to school. What should I do?**

You should contact the principal as soon as possible to discuss the issue and ask for help. Strategies to help improve attendance may include a referral to the school's learning and support team or linking your child with appropriate support networks. The principal may seek further support from the Home School Liaison Program to develop an Attendance Improvement Plan.

### **What might happen if my child continues to have unacceptable absences?**

It is important to understand that the Department of Education and Communities may be required to take further action where children of compulsory school age have recurring numbers of unexplained or unjustified absences from school.

Some of the following actions may be undertaken:

- Compulsory Schooling Conferences

You may be asked, along with your child, to attend a Compulsory Schooling Conference. The conference will help to identify the supports your child may need to have in place so they attend school regularly. The school, parents and agencies will work together to develop an agreed plan (known as Undertakings) to support your child's attendance at school.

- Application to the Children's Court – Compulsory Schooling Order

If your child's attendance at school remains unsatisfactory the Department

may apply to the Children's Court for a *Compulsory Schooling Order*. The Children's Court magistrate may order a Compulsory Schooling Conference to be convened.

- Prosecution in the Local Court

School and Department staff remain committed to working in partnership with you to address the issues which are preventing your child's full participation at school. In circumstances where a breach of compulsory schooling orders occurs further action may be taken against a parent in the Local Court. The result of court action can be the imposition of a community service order or a fine.

### **What age can my child leave school?**

All New South Wales students must complete Year 10 or its equivalent. After Year 10, and up until they reach 17 years of age, there are a range of flexible options for students to [complete their schooling](#).

### **Working in Partnership**

The Department of Education and Communities recognises that working collaboratively with students and their families is the best way to support the regular attendance of students at school.

We look forward to working in partnership with you to support your child to fulfil their life opportunities.

**If a student misses as little as 8 days in a school term, by the end of primary school they'll have missed over a year of school.**

Further information regarding school attendance can be obtained from the following websites:

#### **Policy, information and brochures:**

<http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/studentsupport/programs/attendance.php>

#### **The school leaving age:**

<http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/leaving-school/index.php>

#### **Do you need an interpreter?**

Interpreting services are available on request, including for the hearing impaired. The Telephone Interpreter Service is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week on 131 450. You will not be charged for this service.

For further advice and questions contact your educational services team

T 131 536

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Student Engagement & Interagency Partnerships

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# T5 JAPANESE ENRICHMENT EVENING

Last Thursday, after school, students from Banora Point High School joined other students studying Japanese from Tweed River High School, Murwillumbah High School and Kingscliff High School for an excursion to enrich their studies of Japanese. They visited Daiso, a well-known chain of hyaku-en-ya (100 yen shops) in Japan that has a new store in Australia Fair. Students were amazed at the range and variety of items stocked there. Most purchased some sort of wonderful item they wouldn't be able to find elsewhere!

Students enjoyed getting to know some other students studying Japanese. The highlight of the excursion was dinner at Shogun Teppanyaki restaurant. Teppanyaki style eating is not just a dining experience, but also a show. Extremely skilful Teppanyaki chefs put on a show while cooking on giant hotplates in front of the students. From tossing utensils in the air to chopping omelettes up super-fast, everyone was entertained. Logic defying stunts such as stacking 4 eggs on top of each other, to tossing full bowls of fried rice to students to catch was observed. Luckily there were no spills! Best of all, it tasted great!





# YR 11 SPORT COACHING

Year 11 Sport Coaching students are heading over to Centaur Primary School every Tuesday to coach the junior students. They have developed their coaching skills tremendously over the last couple of months. At the moment they are running a basketball unit with Year 5.

In conjunction with coaching primary school students, each of the Yr 11 students are running a different tournament each Thursday. Taroi Peihopa and Brody Wood took out the volleyball; Peter Commins, Mekala Knight and Gus Glen winners of the basketball.





## PDHPE REPORT

### YEAR 10 PASS

The Yr 10 PASS class have just finished a basketball competition; with the host team Brazil taking out first prize. The team of Matt Whitelock, Andre Merota, Kallum Ward, Holly Singh-Guse, Emily Dick and Courtney Townsend easily accounted for all competition, winning with a total of 18 points with Serbia in second on 14 and Mexico third on 12. Individual top point scorers were

Andre Merota	49	Jesse Roberts	28
Jai Watsford	39	Emma Cameron	26
Denva Smallwood	33	Matt Whitelock	23
Jordan Cochrane	28	India Walther	22
Abby Cooper	28	Sarah McDonagh	22

### YR 9 PASS

Both Yr 9 PASS classes are competing in the Rio Olympic Games competition devised by Mr Williams, each person in the class has a set team that they compete for and play a series of sports from touch, soccer, basketball, tennis and futsal to earn gold medals for their country.

### YR 8 PE

During the second half of term three, year 8 have been completing a practical unit in fitness and fitness testing. All of year 8 participated well with Cameron Coble reaching a 49cm best vertical jump for the males and Abbey Walsh 35cm for the females. Fantastic jumps from both students with both being at the top end of the scale for their age group. Josh Gilbert dominated the hand grip strength test with an outstanding 38kg grip and Isabella Redfern show outstanding flexibility moving 23cm past her feet on the sit and reach test.

### YR 11 SLR

During the last three weeks, Year 11 SLR has been participating in a mini Olympic games unit of work. Five countries, Australia Brazil, China, Germany and the USA went head to head in a series of modified Olympic Sports including hockey, futsal, European Handball, Volleyball, Basketball and Tennis. Team Brazil came out on top with a total of 3 gold and 2 silver medals. China came in second with 2 gold medals and the USA third with a respectable single gold. A big congratulations to team Brazil.

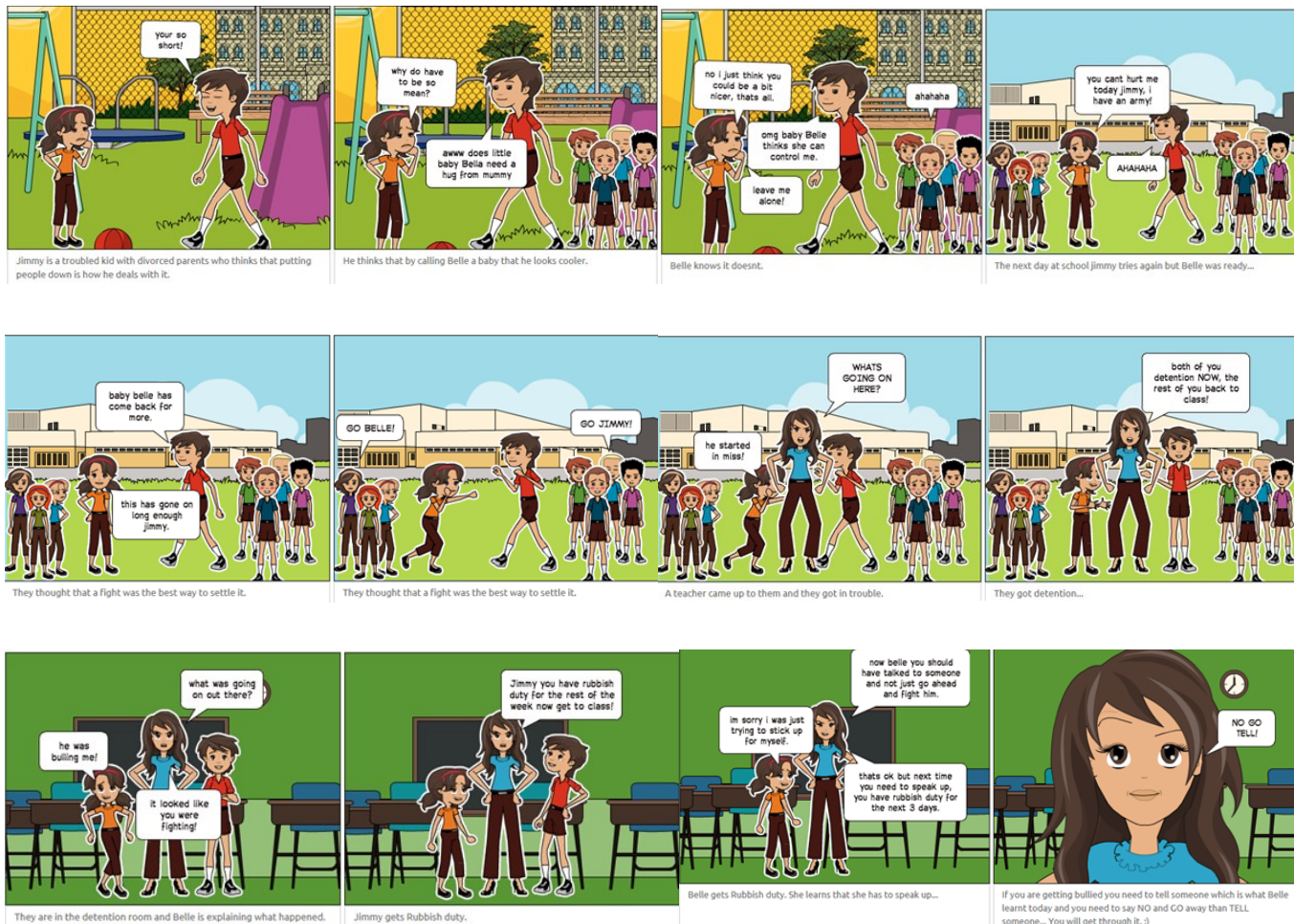




## PDHPE REPORT CONT.

### Yr 7 PE

Yr 7 have their Bullying comics due this week, with a large number already submitting them online. Here is a sample from one of our top students, Kobei Venables.



# Kirra Nippers Sign-On

## Oasis Pool, Banora Point

### 9-11am

# 21 AUG + 11 SEPT 2016

[kirrasurfclub.com.au](http://kirrasurfclub.com.au)





I am pleased to advise that applications for the 2017 NSW Youth Advisory Council (YAC) are now open. I encourage you to consider applying.

#### WHO CAN APPLY

Membership of the YAC is open to children and young people aged 12-24 residing in NSW. Young people with relevant life experience and a keen interest in issues affecting children and young people are encouraged to apply.

#### WHAT IT INVOLVES

The 12 member YAC provides a direct avenue of communication between young people and the NSW Government. The YAC meets regularly throughout the year to provide advice to the Minister responsible for Youth, Mr John Ajaka and to Mr Andrew Johnson the Advocate for Children and Young People on issues, policies and laws that affect children and young people in NSW.

Membership of the YAC provides a great opportunity for children and young people to have a direct impact on the work of NSW Government and your support in encouraging them to apply is greatly appreciated.

#### WHERE TO APPLY

Applications can be submitted through our website [www.acyp.nsw.gov.au](http://www.acyp.nsw.gov.au) and assistance is available by calling (02) 9248 0970.

**Learn more and apply**

Please note that applications will close at 5.00pm on Friday 30 September.





You are invited to the

## SCU Y12 PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

If your child is in Year 12 and considering Southern Cross University, join us at this free event where you can gain helpful insights into the journey from high school to university and beyond. There will be plenty of time to ask questions and seek information to assist you in preparing for this exciting new chapter.

**Thursday 1 September 2016**

**Southern Cross University Gold Coast campus** Southern Cross Drive, Bilinga  
Room A2.20, Level 2 Building A (*yellow building*)

**5pm - 7pm**

5pm – Registration and refreshments

5.30pm – Information session

6.30pm – Information stand and optional campus tour

The following topics will be covered in the presentation and are relevant to study at Southern Cross University Gold Coast, Lismore and Coffs Harbour campuses:

- University entry – QTAC/UAC, STAR Early Entry, OP/ATAR, Bonus points
- Course selection
- Tuition fees and HECS-HELP
- Scholarships
- Support services and careers
- Student perspective – Q&A panel with current SCU students

### Parking:

Free parking is available in the two car parks adjacent to Building A

### Registration:

To assist with catering planning, please register your attendance by Friday 26 August 2016. *Only one parent/ family member needs to register and advise the number of guests attending with you in the registration process.*

Register via [Eventbrite](https://www.eventbrite.com) or through our events list at [www.scu.edu.au/futurestudents/events](http://www.scu.edu.au/futurestudents/events)

We look forward to welcoming you on campus.

Lucinda Crews  
Student Recruitment Officer  
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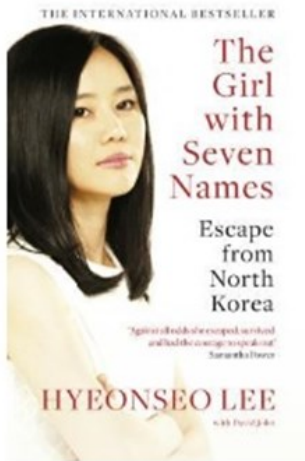
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## FEATURED AUTHORS FROM THE LIBRARY



### **The Girl with Seven Names: A North Korean Defector's Story**

by Hyeonseo Lee (Goodreads Author)

**With this compelling and unforgettable memoir based on her acclaimed TED Talk, which has almost 4 million views, Hyeonseo Lee becomes one of the first female defectors from North Korea to share her story; like I Am Malala and Infidel, this is a narrative of sacrifice, survival, and extraordinary courage.**

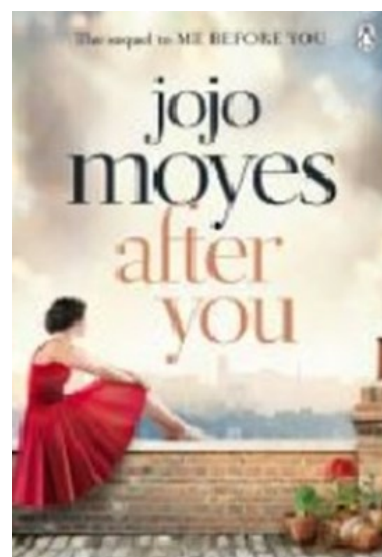


**Jojo Moyes** was born in 1969 and grew up in London. She worked as a journalist for ten years in both Britain and Hong Kong, before becoming a full time novelist in 2002.

Since then, she has written a dozen novels, all of which have been widely recieved to critical acclaim. Jojo has won the Romantic Novelist's Award twice, and *Me Before You* has been nominated for Book of the Year at the UK Galaxy Book Awards. *Me before You* has since gone on to sell over 8 million copies worldwide.

The film adaptation of *Me Before You* starring Sam Claflin (The Hunger Games) and Emilia Clarke (Game of Thrones) was released in June 2016 and was a huge box-office success. the screenplay was written by Jojo.

For more information visit Jojo's website at [www.jojomoyes.com](http://www.jojomoyes.com)



## THOUGHT OF THE WEEK



BE A PINEAPPLE:  
STAND TALL,  
WEAR A CROWN,  
AND BE SWEET  
ON THE INSIDE

## UPCOMING EVENTS



The next P&C Meeting  
will be held on

**Monday 5 September**  
at 7.00PM DST

All new parents are most welcome to come along  
to support your child's school  
and meet other parents!

*We would love to see you!*

## SCHOOL &amp; COMMUNITY NEWS

### 2016-17 TOUCH SEASON



Registration for the summer season of touch football is now open. Further information can be found on our Fox Sports page [http://www.foxsportspulse.com/assoc\\_page.cgi?c=0-2730-0-0-0](http://www.foxsportspulse.com/assoc_page.cgi?c=0-2730-0-0-0) or by calling on 0408426700

Team registration closes September 7th, Individual registrations close September 14th.

Email all nominations to:

southtweed\_touch@hotmail.com or post to PO  
BOX 802 Banora Point NSW 2486.

First game of the season is Friday October  
14th.



**Tweed Heads and Coolangatta Surf Club  
Nippers 2016 / 17**

FAMILY CLUB	SAFE SHELTERED BAY	SUPER BANK
WORLD CHAMPION COACHES		LOADS OF PARKING
FREE UNIFORM	RENOVATED CLUB	
LOADS OF TRAINING OPTIONS		FREE CARNIVALS
CAFÉ PRECINCT	PARENT SOCIAL EVENTS	
CHRISTMAS AND BREAKUP PARTIES		WATER SLIDES
NEW BOARDS	SURF SAFETY	
HUGE CLEAN BEACH	SAVE DOLLARS	

**11 SEPTEMBER @ BANORA POOL @ 9AM**

**SIGN ON DAY**



## SCHOOL &amp; COMMUNITY NEWS

## KINGSLIFF HIGH SCHOOL 30<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY GATHERING 1986 - 2016

To all staff, parents & friends particularly of those early years

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2016**  
Terrace St Park, Marine Pde Kingscliff  
**11 am until 5pm**  
the length of time you stay is up to you

**BYO** – food, drinks, seats, memories & sense of humour. Limited BBQ facilities available but bring your own if you want to or just your picnic lunch.

### WET WEATHER ALTERNATIVE

Cudgen Leagues Club 11 am to 5 pm – Length of time is your choice

Purchase your own meal and drinks, enjoy the company of those present and share the memories.

Free workshop for  
parents & carers of  
young people on the  
autism spectrum!

Ocean Shores - 12 October

Register your place:

[positivepartnerships.com.au](http://positivepartnerships.com.au)



## Aboriginal Building Connections

**Kids come first - supporting family and our mob**

We warmly invite all Aboriginal parents and concerned community members, who have an interest in supporting children when families separate, to our Aboriginal Building Connections for our kids workshop.

### Participants will learn:

- the importance of looking after yourself
- the impact of family breakdown and conflict on kids
- useful tips and strategies to help be a more effective parent or grandparent
- ways to communicate with the other parent
- how to get the help you need

You will have the opportunity to meet the Family Relationship Centre staff, learn how family mediation can help you without going to court and watch a DVD on how to keep kids safe.

**Date: Thursday, 8 September 2016**

**Time: 10am - 1pm**

**Venue: Nullum St, Murwillumbah  
NSW 2484**

RSVP: Lara (T: 02 6672 3003 / 0431 951 162 | E: [lara@mccentre.org.au](mailto:lara@mccentre.org.au))  
Childcare available - please book in to secure your place

Interrelate acknowledges the traditional Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander custodians of the Australian land on which it provides its services; celebrates their ongoing culture and contribution to society; and respects their elders, both past and present.

Interrelate would like to thank Tweed Shire Council for their support.



## COOLANGATTA SURF LIFESAVING CLUB

Marine Parade Coolangatta ♦ office@coolangattaslsc.com.au ♦ www.coolangattaslsc.com.au

### SEASON 2016-2017



BRING YOUR  
FRIENDS TO  
JOIN THE FUN

JOIN NOW

**Nipper Open Day & Sign On**  
@ Coolangatta SLSC  
Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> August – 10am-2pm  
Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September – 10am-2pm

**Nipper Sign On & Pool Proficiency**  
@ South Tweed Heads Indoor Pool, Heffron St  
Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August – 10am-2pm  
Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September – 10am-2pm

**Nipper Start Date**  
Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September

New members please bring your Birth Certificate

### Start your beach lifestyle today!

Join the team at Coolangatta Surf Life Saving for a fun friendly atmosphere, surf skills and training. Coaches for all levels – beginners welcome.

- Learn to paddle a board or surf ski
- Improve your water skills
- Fully paid coaches
- Beginners welcome

### BE SURF AWARE

Want to be part of our Patrol Teams or be more aware of surf conditions? Education & training is available for all age groups:

- Free training
- Surf Rescue Certificates
- Bronze Medallions
- First Aid
- Advanced Resuscitation
- Radio Operators
- IRB Drivers/Crew

### MEMBERSHIP FEES SEASON 2016-2017

Family	\$110
Active Junior & Cadet	\$ 40
Active Senior	\$ 50
Associate	\$ 70



## SCHOOL &amp; COMMUNITY NEWS



If you need  
**Printing** done in the library  
 please make sure you  
 have the money  
 to  
**PAY** for it

## YEAR 7



Students need to ensure they have a CASIO FX-82AU Plus II Scientific Calculator during all of their Mathematics lessons, so that they can learn how to use their calculators properly and improve their performance in topic tests and examinations. It is much easier when all students have the same calculator to teach the processes they need to complete – especially when they start learning Statistics in Stage 5.

If you have any concerns or questions about approved calculators for external examinations, please contact the school and talk with the Head Teacher Mathematics.

**BILAMBIL JUNIOR TOUCH FOOTBALL INVITES YOU TO OUR  
 2016/2017 SEASON**

Register as part of a team  
 or as an individual at:

[www.foxsportspulse.com/bilambiljunortouch](http://www.foxsportspulse.com/bilambiljunortouch)

Children from Age 5 welcome

Teams:  
 U8 Mixed / U10 – U16 Boys & Girls

*Get your  
 game on!*



**We offer fantastic representative and refereeing opportunities!!**

**ROUND 1 – FRIDAY, 14 OCTOBER 2016**

IN THE HEART OF THE BEAUTIFUL BILAMBIL VALLEY  
 BILAMBIL SPORTS COMPLEX  
 BILAMBIL ROAD, BILAMBIL, NSW 2486

Contact Jodie  
 for more information  
 0468 747 753



**FOR TENDER  
 TORO RIDE ON MOWER**

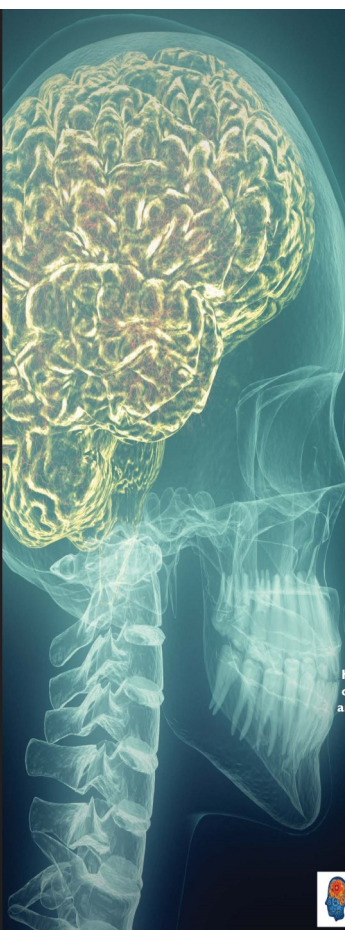


Toro 2 Master  
 Model # 74416  
 Serial # 27000000120  
 Needs a new battery.

**All applications must be to the Principal, Chris Randle, by Friday 16 September**



## SCHOOL &amp; COMMUNITY NEWS



**SPORTS MEDICINE AUSTRALIA**

### Mid North Coast Concussion in Sport Education Workshop Series

Sports Medicine Australia in conjunction with Office of Sport NSW and Headsafe, are providing those on the Mid North Coast with a fantastic opportunity to gain a greater understanding of concussion in sport and the principles of management following injury.

These are free of charge and open to all in the community, with programs being held throughout September at the following locations:

<b>Port Macquarie</b> 13th	<b>Grafton</b> 19th
<b>Kempsey</b> 14th	<b>Ballina</b> 20th
<b>Coffs Harbour</b> 15th	<b>Tweed Heads</b> 21st

To register for the community workshops please visit [http://north\\_coast\\_headsafe\\_sma\\_nswsport.eventbrite.com.au/](http://north_coast_headsafe_sma_nswsport.eventbrite.com.au/)

Headsafe will also be conducting Level 1 Headsafe courses at Coffs Harbour on Friday September 16 and in Tweed Heads on Thursday September 22nd.

To register for these events please visit [headsafe.com.au/events/](http://headsafe.com.au/events/)

For any queries regarding either of these programs please contact the SMA Education team in NSW on (02) 8736 1200 or [nsw.admin@sma.org.au](mailto:nsw.admin@sma.org.au)

**HEADSAFE** **NSW Office of Sport**



**FREE**

## HOME EXPO

### LIVING FOR THE FUTURE

**Saturday 3 September**  
9am - 2pm  
Seagulls Club,  
Gollan Drive,  
Tweed Heads West

- Ideas and solutions for more sustainable living in the Tweed
- One-stop shop of local suppliers and inspiring workshops
- BMW electric vehicle display
- Local food, delicious coffee
- Fun, free activities for the kids
- 'Tiny Homes' Design Competition entries on show

**Free cooking demonstrations**  
Learn to save \$1000s while making delicious and healthy meals.

**Prizes drawn throughout the day**

For more information or to register for cooking displays visit  
**[www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/HomeExpo](http://www.tweed.nsw.gov.au/HomeExpo)**

**SAE** **ENJO** **UnitingCare** **Gold Coast BMW** **Kildonan** **ColoLabs**  
**Tweed CAN** **NATURA** **EAOVO** **COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE** **The Solar Man**  
**Proudly supported by** **Solo** **Resource Recovery** **Seagulls** **TWEED SHIRE COUNCIL**



THE NEW CRICKET SEASON IS FAST APPROACHING AND POTTSVILLE CRICKET CLUB ARE LOOKING FOR:

- JUNIOR PLAYERS
- SENIOR PLAYERS
- VOLUNTEERS

**POTTSVILLE CRICKET CLUB 2016/17 SEASON**

**SIGN-ON SEABREEZE OVAL 11AM-1PM**

**4TH, 11TH & 18TH OF SEPTEMBER**

- Milo In2cricket for ages 5-8 run at Seabreeze Oval.
- U10's Milo T20 Blast competition held in Tweed Shire.
- U12's, U14's & U16's teams to play in the Ballina District Cricket competition. Junior training begins 21st of Sep.
- Each junior team already has a 2 qualified Coaches appointed.
- Senior 1st grade, 2nd grade & 3rd grade with T20, one day and two day games.
- Senior training Sunday 10am, starting 21st of August at Seabreeze oval nets.

Affordable registration fees that include full uniform and hat.

Registrations can also be done online at [playcricket.com.au](http://playcricket.com.au)

Seniors - Oscar Van Megchelen - 0405 791 242

Juniors - David McDowell - 0403 149 250

**FREE JUNIOR CRICKET COACHING/ TRIAL DAY AT SEABREEZE SUNDAY 25TH OF SEPTEMBER 10AM-1PM KIDS AGED 5-17 CAN TRY CRICKET**



**SOUTHERN CROSS CREDIT UNION**  
**Coolamon**



**Shane Morris Automotive**  
0410 391 801



**POTTSVILLE CELLARS**  
Your Friendly local



P: 02 6676 1100  
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## BACK TO BASICS

### Schoolwear & Sportswear

**UNIFORM STORE**  
**OPENING HOURS**

**2015-2016**

**TERM 1 & 4**

Tuesday 12.30pm—3.00pm

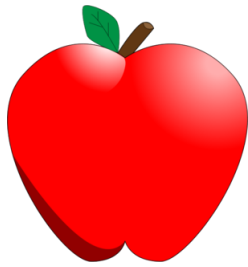
Thursday 8.00am—11.00am

**TERM 2 & 3**

Thursday 8.00am—11.00am

Uniform Store is located upstairs in J Block  
Credit Cards and EFTPOS accepted—sorry no cheques





### Sandwiches

Vegemite	\$2.00
Cheese	\$2.50
Egg plain or curried	\$3.00
Tuna	\$3.00
Lean Ham/Chicken Breast	\$3.00
Salad	\$3.00
Baked Beans/Spaghetti	\$3.00
Salmon	\$4.00

*Salad = lettuce, tomato, beetroot, carrot, cucumber*

### Extras

Salad/Avocado	\$1.00
Cheese/Egg	50c

### Fresh Wraps

Salad with mayo	\$3.00
Chicken & salad w/mayo	\$4.00
Ham & salad w/mayo	\$4.00
Tuna & salad w/mayo	\$4.00

### Special Wraps - lettuce, tomato, cheese

Mexican Wrap	\$4.00
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*Taco style mince with corn, avo & sour cream*

Sweet chilli tender wrap	\$4.00
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*sweet chilli coated chicken tender w/sweet chilli sauce*

### Daily Specials

#### Monday

Check specials board *(specials change weekly)*

#### Tuesday

Check specials board *(specials change weekly)*

#### Wednesday

Check specials board *(specials change weekly)*

#### Thursday

Eagle boys pizza (equal to 2 slices)	\$3.50
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*Hawaiian, meatlovers, vegetarian, cheese*

#### Friday

Nachos	\$3.50
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*With sour cream and sweet chilli sauce*



### Burgers - lettuce, cheese, tomato & beetroot w/ your choice of tomato BBQ, sweet chilli, aioli or mayo

Cheese burger - beef & cheese	\$3.50
Hamburger	\$4.00
Chicken burger	\$4.00
Fish	\$4.00
Veggie	\$4.00

### Pies & Sausage Rolls

Sausage roll	\$3.00
Plain pie small	\$2.50
Plain pie large	\$3.50
Spinach & ricotta roll	\$3.80
Lamb & rosemary triangle	\$3.80
Flavoured pies	\$3.80
Sauce - tomato or BBQ	20c

### Toasted Turkish Bread

Ham & cheese	\$3.50
Chicken, cheese & avo	\$4.00

### Others

Corn on the cob	\$1.20
Potato wedges (cup)	\$3.00
Hot dogs - fat free	\$3.00
Chicken chipees	\$3.50
Macaroni cheese	\$3.80
Lasagne	\$3.80

### Drinks

Bottled water 600ml	\$1.20
Bottled water 750ml sip cap	\$1.80
Milk - plain small	\$1.20
Poppers - apple, orange, tropical	\$1.60
Focus water	\$1.80
Crazy lemon lemonade small	\$1.80
Crazy lemon lemonade large	\$3.00
Glee	\$2.00
Up N Go - choc, straw, banana, vanilla	\$2.00
Flavoured Milk 300ml	\$2.00
Flavoured Milk 500ml	\$3.00
Iced coffee	\$3.50
Hot chocolate	\$2.50
Juice 500ml 35%	\$2.80
Juice 500ml 100%	\$3.00
Iced Tea	\$3.00
Slushie Small	\$1.50
Slushie Large	\$2.50



### Fresh Sushi

Fresh Sushi	\$2.70
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*Chicken & avo, chicken teriyaki, tuna,  
honey soy chicken, tuna & avo, prawn tempura,  
prawn sweet chilli, salmon & avo, vege tempura,  
salmon & cream cheese, salad, avo, inari,  
california roll (crab, avo & egg)*

### Salad Boxes

Fruit salad	\$3.50
Salad	\$3.50

### Extras in Salad Boxes

Egg	50c
Avocado	\$1.00
Chicken, ham, tuna	\$1.50

### Snacks

Sumo biscuits	50c
Eucalyptus drops	60c
Fruit - banana, orange, apple, seasonal	\$1.00
Assorted Chips	\$1.20
Cheese & bacon rolls	\$2.00
Vegemite & cheese scroll	\$2.50
Yoghurt	\$2.50
Finger buns	\$2.00
Muffins	\$2.50

### Ice Treats

Frozen juice cup	70c
Many frozen cups	70c
Calippo	\$1.00
Icy twist	\$1.20
Paddle pops	\$1.50
Paddle pop shaky shakes	\$2.00
Frozen yoghurt	\$2.00
Sorbets	\$2.50
Jelly Cups	50c





## CHANGE OF INFORMATION

The school is installing a new roll marking/sms network system which requires up to date changes in email addresses and mobile telephone numbers of carers/parents. If you have changed your mobile in the past and feel you may not have informed the school would you please complete this form along with the email address.

Student Name ..... Year: .....

Father's Mobile No. .... Mother's Mobile No. ....

Home Telephone No. .... Emergency Contact No. ....

Comments .....  
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## PARENT EMAIL ADDRESS

### SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

We now endeavour to email our School Newsletter to parents directly to their email address. Our goal is to have our Newsletter a paperless one. We would appreciate it if you would update us with changes to your email address in order for us to keep you in the loop. Please fill in the section below and have your child bring it to the front office.

Our fortnight Newsletter is available on our website at [www.banorapnt-h.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.banorapnt-h.schools.nsw.edu.au)

Student Name/s: ..... Year: .....

Email Address School Newsletter to be forwarded to: .....