

RALEIGH PUBLIC SCHOOL



Nurturing Children in an Innovative and Creative Environment

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Term 3 Week 10

15th September,

16 Sep	End of Term Assembly, 2-3pm
18 Sep	School Photos
18 Sep	End of Term 3
5 Oct	Labour Day, Public Holiday
6 Oct	Tuesday, Staff and students return, T4
13 Oct	Kinder Transition, 9.30 -11.20am
13 Oct	Leadership, Year 5
19-23 Oct	Major Excursion
26 Oct	Kinder Transition, 2 - 2.50pm
1 Nov	Masters BBQ Fundraiser
4 Nov	Kinder Transition 12.30 to 1.30pm
9-20 Nov	Swimming Scheme, Approx \$50

Kids in the Kitchen

Last Tuesday, three students accompanied me to Toormina shops to buy ingredients for last week's KiK. The students had to choose quality vegetables, items that would stay within our budget and make decisions about the brands we would buy. This is a great learning opportunity for our students and one which they have been enjoying participating in.

Thursday our Kids in the Kitchen groups cooked Baked Eggs. This was certainly something different and delicious and many of the students reported back that they enjoyed the meal and would eat it again. This would be a great meal to have for brunch during the holidays, see the recipe that follows later in the newsletter.



Dear Parents and Community Members

Major Excursion

A reminder that all permission and medical notes for the Major Excursion need to be back at school ASAP. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to phone Katrina at school.

Mrs Champion

During Term 4, Mrs Champion will be taking leave. We would like to wish her all the best and thank her for all of the things she does in our school.

Milo T20 Cricket

Last Wednesday, fifteen students travelled to Bellingen to play Milo cricket. Some of our students combined with students from Orama and Urunga or played in a Raleigh only team. The aim of the day was fun and participation. Students had the opportunity to bat and bowl each game and it was great to see our students having fun and encouraging each other.



P&C Meeting

Thank you to parents who attended the P&C Meeting yesterday. We have organised who will be purchasing items for the **Masters BBQ** which will be happening on Sunday, 1st November from 8am until 4pm. Please fill out the attached slip if you are able to do a 3 hour shift. The P&C raises funds to support our students and have very generously subsidised the major excursion by \$1000. Next P&C Meeting will be held 12th October.

End of Term Assembly

Our End of Term Assembly will be held tomorrow from 2-3pm. The students have been rehearsing songs for your enjoyment and the recorder group have two items to perform. Hope to see you there.

"Raleigh Public School is a welcoming and friendly school with strong and valued community links."

Are you a Dolphin or a Shark?

"Keep things in perspective – explain to a grumpy child their circumstances are not the worst possible, and that others have been through similar situations. Walk beside them as they handle the situation. This helps them to build hope and the belief they can handle problems when they come up." Source: Andrew Fuller

<http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/how-to-raise-resilient-kids>

Insect Hotel

During Term 3, the students in 3-6M have been learning about Pollination Ecology as part of fortnightly science lessons with Ms Hudson. Last week, our unit of work culminated in students researching local pollinators and designing an 'Insect Hotel' to help counteract habitat loss caused by human development. The design brief required students to provide habitat for at least three different pollinators, to use natural materials and to ensure that the end result was aesthetically pleasing. I think anyone who sees it will agree that they certainly achieved all of this and more! Many thanks to Amanda for the incredible frame that she put together for us, and to both her and Charmaine for helping us cut extra materials on the day. It was wonderful to see students engaged in turning their plans into reality! Be sure to have a look next time you visit the school.



150 Minute Reading

Congratulations to **Tyson** who has read or been read to for 150 minutes. *Well Done!*

Baked Eggs – Serves 4

1 kg Desiree potatoes, roughly chopped
1 red onion chopped
2 teaspoons minced garlic
pinch of chilli flakes
½ teaspoon smoked paprika
400g diced tomatoes
2 chorizo (sausage) coarsely chopped
4 eggs
75g spinach
Chopped parsley
¾ cup tasty cheese
¼ cup parmesan

Method

Preheat oven to 200°. Roast potatoes sprayed with oil for 40 mins until golden & crisp.
Spray pan with oil and cook onion and chorizo for 5 mins or until chorizo is golden and crisp. Add garlic, paprika and chilli. Add tomato, salt and pepper. Bring to the boil and simmer until slightly thicker. Add spinach.
Cook toast.
Using a spoon, make 4 hollows in the mixture. Carefully crack an egg into each hollow. Sprinkle combined cheese over the top.
Cook until eggs set.



Have a safe and happy holiday. See you next term on Tuesday 6th October.

School Photos

This Friday, **18th September**, from 9.30am. Orders can be sent in on Friday or beforehand if that is more convenient.



K-2D have completed some amazing work this term. Here is a look at some of the interesting things we have been learning.



Commonwealth Bank School Banking Update – Please Read

Following the decision last month to recall the *Cosmic Light Beam Torch* due to a potential safety issue, a decision has been made to also withdraw the upcoming **Lunar Light Band** reward from the School Banking Rewards Program. To avoid disappointment there is a new reward item available for redemption in Term 4 while stocks last. Students can now test their skills with a game of frisbee with the new **Galaxy Glider**!

Once students have collected 10 tokens, they can simply include a note, along with their 10 tokens in their deposit wallet on banking day to advise that they would like to redeem their tokens for the Galaxy Glider reward item.

Don't forget the Outer Space Savers Money Box is also available in Term 4.

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Rewards Day

Invitations have been sent home today to students who have gained 85% and above for good behaviour this term. We will hold a movie and games afternoon.



SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN

BELLINGEN EEL FISHING COMPETITION

Monday 21st Sept to Sunday 27th September

Daily winners plus Major Prize & Trophy

Weigh in each afternoon at 5pm sharp in the park at the Northern end of Bellingin Bridge

Entry fee - \$2 (under 16) - \$5 seniors

(ENQUIRIES - phone Wal Tyson on 6655 1072)

A vibrant advertisement for PlayCricket.com.au. It features three children in cricket gear: a boy in a yellow shirt and cap, a boy in a white shirt and cap, and a girl in a pink shirt and cap. They are all smiling and holding cricket bats. A red cricket ball is in the air. The text 'KIDS CAN CREATE THEIR OWN CRICKET MOMENT' is at the top, followed by 'PLAYCRICKET.COM.AU'. At the bottom, it says 'CRICKET A SPORT FOR ALL' and 'Cricket is a sport for all and there's more ways than ever for kids to experience the fun of cricket!'. The PlayCricket logo is also visible.

MY GOLF COACHING CLINICS

BELLINGEN GOLF CLUB

TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 29TH

Programs will run from 8.30am to 2.00pm

Activities include Putting, Chipping, Pitching, the Full Swing and Modified Golf.

Tuition will be provided by Ray Robbins from Jack Newton Junior Golf.

The activities have been developed by Golf Australia to be full of fun and entertainment and are simplistic in their nature. This is an ideal opportunity for parents to introduce their sons and daughters to the game of golf.

Costs for the day is only \$8.

Participants will be registered with Golf Australia and receive their own starting Golfink number.

To register for the Clinic and/or further details please contact Ray Robbins

Mobile: 0409388868 Email: ray@jnlg.com.au

Bellingin Cricket Club and Junior Cricket Club

Online registrations are being taken (and encouraged) at www.playcricket.com.au.

Registration and Training days for Juniors are being held at Connell Park, Bellingin on Tuesdays 8th and 15th September @ 4pm. For more information please contact: U/12 – Tanya on 0414 754 964, U/14 – David on 0434 102 936, Seniors – Paul on 0408 653 695.

FAMILY YOGA WORKSHOP

Fun & imaginative yoga for all ages!

Fri 25th September
10-12am @ Literary Institute, Bowra St, Urunga (opp. the school)
\$10pp

Info & bookings call
0422 292 800
yoganauts.com.au

"To be a parent is to laugh, cry, worry, fight, forgive, challenge and most of all to love."