From the Principal

What a great way to start autumn! With such great weather you would have thought it was summer yesterday at our House swimming carnival.

I would like to commend all the children who participated. Some of them surprised themselves when they discovered what they are capable of.

Thank you also to the staff who jumped in to swim with the children.

Also a huge thank you to all the parents who helped.

Tracey Leggett (Relieving Principal)

Student Profile

Hi, my name is Bridget. I love sport and playing with my friends. My best friends are Taylor, Dru and Darcy. I am in Year 5. I am friends with a lot of people at school. I like to make sure that people are not hurt and that they are safe.

I have a brother named Caleb and he is 14 and a dad named Richard. When I grow up I want to be a model and a hairdresser just like my mum.

Bowning P&C Association

Membership to the P&C is open to all with an interest in the school community and involves payment of $2.00. This fee is for voting rights at ordinary meetings and may be paid to the Treasurer, or at the office. Our next meeting will be held on Monday 9th May, 2016

Voluntary contributions have remained at $30 per year and may be paid at the school office. These funds help with the purchases of resources such as pens, pencils, textbooks etc.

If you have any ideas for fundraising activities please speak with one of the executive or join us at our meetings. All parents and community members are warmly invited to attend.

Wanted

Mrs Wilson requires small (approx. 375ml, with rounded tops) tins for Lower Division. Please leave at the office if you can supply some.

Yr. 7, 2017 Students

Students in Year 6 have been handed a “Moving into Year 7 in a NSW Government School in 2017” form. Could these please be completed and returned to school by no later than Friday 18 March.

PBL Awards

 Winners of the PBL awards this week are Zane & Lily

Congratulations

Well done Darcy winning ‘Grand Champion—Fruit & Vegetable Sculpture’ (11 to 16yrs) at the Canberra Show last weekend.

Bowning P&C/ Wanted/Nut Aware School

Bowning P&C is a nut aware school and students and families are asked to not bring foods containing nuts to school. Products labelled “May Contain Nuts” are suitable for school lunches.
"To the world you may be just one person, but to one person you may be the world".

Textbooks/WWC Check/Swimming Photos

Textbooks
Payment for textbooks would be appreciated by the end of term. Thankyou to those parents who have already paid.

Costs are as follows:
- Go Maths: Kinder $18.00 each
- Go Maths Mentals: Yrs. 1,2,3,4,5,6 $11.00 each
- Go Maths Journals: Yrs. 1,2,3,4,5,6 $18.00 each
- Spelling Mastery Yr. 2 only, $21.00 each

Volunteers/WWC
Parents/community workers who will be volunteering to help in the classroom or at school are now required to have a Working With Children (WWC) clearance which is available online from the Working With Children site. This check enables people to be engaged in child related roles.

Assembly
There will be an assembly this Friday 4th March commencing at 2.30pm. All parents & community members are welcome to attend.

House Swimming Carnival/Core Rules for Public Schools

House Swimming Carnival
All students and families who attended our school swimming carnival at Binalong Pool yesterday are thanked for making the event such a wonderful experience for our swimmers and non-swimmers. We all enjoyed the high level of participation and enthusiasm demonstrated by the students and witnessed some great performances in the pool.

Also a special thank you to the Cairns family for organising supplies of yummy fruit and icy cold water kindly donated by Woolworths.

Core Rules for Discipline in NSW Public Schools
Are you and your children aware that all students in NSW public schools are expected to:

- Attend every school day, unless they are legally excused, and be in class on time and prepared to learn.
- Maintain a neat appearance, including adhering to the requirements of the school’s uniform or dress code policy.
- Behave safely, considerately and responsibly, including when travelling to and from school.
- Show respect at all times for all teachers, other school staff and helpers including following class rules, speaking courteously and cooperating with instructions and Activities.
- Treat one another with dignity and respect.
- Care for property belonging to themselves, the school and others.

We will be fostering adherence to these Core Rules through our PBL lessons. Parents are encouraged to share these 6 statements with their children and discuss how your family can help us uphold the values of our school and the expectations of the public education system.
Swimming Photos

Community Events/

Menzies Property Cleaning Service
Menzies Property Service require the services of a relief cleaner in the Yass/Bowning area. For more information please contact Renaye Lacey, Manager on 0417364632.

Attachments
- Rotary flyers x 2
- Sydney Institute Film Academy flyer
- ‘Moving into Year 7 in a NSW Government School booklet’ - Year 6 students only
Swimming Photos