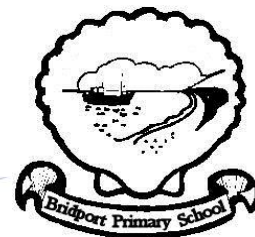


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## From the Principal

Dear Community,

### East North East (ENE) Cross Country

Our students competed with great enthusiasm at the recent ENE cross country carnival at Mathinna last Wednesday. Congratulations in particular to Jemma Blair and Bradley Milne who achieved an amazing first in their respective races. Congratulations also to Kieran Towns who came 3<sup>rd</sup> and Ellie Moore 10<sup>th</sup>. These students have now been selected to participate in the state carnival which will be held on Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> June.

### Reports

This week I would like to pay tribute to our teachers who have worked long and hard to write reports, while still providing a quality teaching program within the classroom. Although teachers have been assessing work throughout the year, the actual writing of the report takes many long hours. I encourage all of you to ensure that you take the opportunity to make an appointment with your child's teacher to discuss the progress that your child has made so far as well as the future focus for the remainder of the year.

Please note that there are no parent-teacher interviews scheduled for Kindergarten children. Reports will be sent home next week.

Regards,  
Carol Stingel

## DATES TO REMEMBER

June	
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	ICAS Writing
Tues 17 <sup>th</sup>	ICAS Spelling
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup>	Reports sent home
Thurs 19 <sup>th</sup>	Gala Day I
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Pre-Kinder Session
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup>	Movie Night
Mon 23 <sup>rd</sup> -26 <sup>th</sup>	Parent-Teacher Interviews
Wed 25 <sup>th</sup>	State Cross Country
Thurs 26 <sup>th</sup> –Fri 27 <sup>th</sup>	Family Life Education
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	4/5 Excursion
	Last day of Term 2



## Wuzzle of the Week

Thankyou to all of the children who entered the Wuzzle over the last week. The winning entries are: Isla Richards with 'behaviour', Isabelle Watt with 'international' and Connor Burns with 'education'. Students will need to collect their prize from the school office.

**This week's Wuzzle is to find the word with the most letter 'b's. For example: the word 'baby' this has two 'b's.**

**Can you find a word with more than two bs? Write your word down with your name and place your entry in the Wuzzle box located near the office.**

**Note: Proper nouns will no longer be accepted.**

### **Merit Awards**

**Prep Grace:** Alexis Oliver for always getting her work done within the given time. Sadie Richards for having a go at writing by herself. Great work Sadie!

**1/2 Hailey:** Harrison Beard for using his imagination and being an enthusiastic story writer. Bridie Bishop for making an effort to contribute her ideas more in class discussions.

**2/3 Gerke:** Waylon Wadley for trying to be better organised and getting his jobs done independently. Zali Dolley for always working hard to get jobs done on time.

**5/6 Reid:** Jenna Towns for excellent thinking in fraction work. Great effort. Blake Borg for excellent thinking in all numeracy work. Focused solid thinking.

### **Reading Awards**

**50 Nights Home Reading** – Angus Creese, Isaac Watts and Oscar Creese.

**75 Nights Home Reading** – Asha Milne and Samuel Borg.

**100 Nights Home Reading** – Jackson Beard, Connor Burns, Fergus Stewart, Caitlyn Burns, Harrison Beard and Rowan Johnson.

### **Pre-Kinder and Kinder Gym**

**Pre-Kinder:** Sessions are being held fortnightly on Fridays from 2:00-3:00 p.m. in Mrs Landles' Kindergarten room until the end of the term. These sessions are open to children who will be turning 4 this year and will be attending Kindergarten in 2015. Next session is, Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June.

**Kinder-Gym:** There will be no more Kinder-Gym sessions due to lack of attendance but as of Term 3, Pre-Kinder will be held every Friday at 2:00 p.m.

### **Sharing Assembly**

#### **Dates to Remember**

**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July - 4/5 S-Hall/Lewis**

**Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> July - 5/6 Reid**

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> August - 2/3 Gerke**

**Facebook Page:** To like us on Facebook simply send a request through. This is set up as a closed group. Upcoming events, etc will be posted for your information.

### **Walking School Bus**

**When:** Every Tuesday

**Time:** 8:30 a.m.

**Where:** Meet at Community Hall

### **Term Dates**

**Term 2: 5<sup>th</sup> May – 4<sup>th</sup> July**

**Student Free Day: 21<sup>st</sup> July**

**Term 3: 22<sup>nd</sup> July - 26<sup>th</sup> September**

**Term 4: 13<sup>th</sup> October – 18<sup>th</sup> December**

**Student Free Day: 24<sup>th</sup> October**

### **Breakfast Program**

**When:** Every Thursday

**Time:** 8:30-8:50 a.m.

**Where:** Science Discovery Centre

### **Mathletics**

[www.mathletics.com.au](http://www.mathletics.com.au)

### **Newsletter**

<https://education.tas.edu.au/bridportprimary>

### **Reading Eggs**

[www.readingeggs.com.au](http://www.readingeggs.com.au)

### **WOMEN'S WINTER RETREAT**

Please join Vicki, Gaynor, Candice and Gretchen at the picturesque Mara Ponds Gardens for lunch and a walk along the river (walk optional).

**When:** Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June

**Time:** 11:00 a.m.

**Where:** 1366 Warrentinna Road,  
Warrentinna

Wear sturdy shoes and warm clothes. In the event of wet weather we will be inside.

#### **Gold coin donation**

**\*No dogs or other animals\***

RSVP for catering purposes by Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June to Gaynor, 63525504; Vicki, 63522765 or Gretchen 63525549.

For enquires regarding travel on the Dorset Rover please contact Vicki.

### **School Attendance**

Parent/Guardians are reminded that it is a departmental requirement that the school is notified if your child is absent from school. This can be done simply by phoning the school on **63561226** or SMS to **0429601766** or via email to [bridport.primary@education.tas.gov.au](mailto:bridport.primary@education.tas.gov.au).

### **Bridport Lions Club**

BLC are in the process of updating the local telephone directory. Any changes, additions or deletions including mobile numbers please contact 6356 1339 or 63561937 by July 31<sup>st</sup>.

### **Bridport Football Club**

There is no U12s football game this weekend. Our next game is on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> June. The U12s will be playing at Bridport against Branxholm. Please arrive at 10:00 a.m. for a 10:30 a.m. start. The game is finished by 11:45 a.m. The rules are the same as school football (no tackling) and girls are most welcome to play. The U12s training is on Thursdays as part of the AASC Football 3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. Contact Lynden Russell for more information on 0418178729.

**Please note: Active After School Football will run as per normal this week.**