Coming Events

Monday 2 March

Tuesday 3 March
Vaccinations Year 7
Year 12 Sydney Trip

Wednesday 4 March
Year 12 Sydney Trip

Thursday 5 March
Regional Swimming Carnival
Secondary

Friday 6 March
Regional Swimming Primary

Principal’s News

SUPERB SHOW RESULTS FROM THE CANBERRA SHOW

What an honour to be able to spend time with the students, teachers and parents at the Canberra Show. The team has amazing results:

- superb happenings in cattle, including purebred lead steer,
- sheep, including Supreme Schools exhibit - means best sheep of all breeds exhibited by all schools competing at Royal Canberra Show and

**Cattle Classes**

3rd Open Lightweight – Hoof and Hook
2nd Schools Lightweight – Hoof and Hook
2nd Middleweight – Hoof and Hook

1st Pure bred class (cattle)

**Texel Classes**

1st & 2nd Ram, Lamb
1st & 2nd Ewe, Lamb
1st & 2nd Tooth, Ram
1st & 2nd Tooth, Ewe

Champion Ram, Reserve Champion Ram, Champion Ewe, Reserve Champion Ewe
Most successful texel exhibitor.

**Schools Interbreed Competition**

Champion short wool ram
Supreme Champion schools sheep

**Sheep Paraders**

Logan Hunt 13 years – 2nd
Lucy Baumann-Lionet 13 years – 3rd
Ben Howard 16 years – Highly Commended
Inga Neilson 17 years – Highly Commended

**Junior Judging – Sheep**

Anjali Williams 17 years – 1st in age, 3rd overall at the show
Elizabeth Vella 16 years – 3rd
Hannah Cargill 16 years – 11th
Eli Mann 16 years – 2nd
Jack Brodrick 13 years – 3rd
Jess Burgess 16 years – Highly Commended
Amelia Bigg 13 years – 5th

**Cattle Paraders**

Hannah Cargill 16 years – 1st
Hannah Aberline 16 years – 5th
Forbes Corby 17 years – 4th
Lucy Baumann-Lionet 13 years – 5th
Sophie Cargill 13 years – 2nd
Lucinda Callan 15 years – Encouragement
Jack Murray 14 years – 5th
Junior Judging – Cattle
Josh Story 14 years – 2nd
Inga Neilsen 17 years – 3rd

Thank you to Mr Mick Wall and Ms Letisha Salzke for co-ordinating the show team.

A REMINDER TO JOIN US AT THE BRAIDWOOD SHOW
The Braidwood Show will be held this Saturday 7 March. There will be something there for each parent and caregiver to see and enjoy. See you there.

PROMOTE PERSISTENCE
“Persistence and patience have a magical effect before which difficulties disappear and obstacles vanish.” John Quincy Adams
The ability to persist at a task and see it through to the end is one of the most important success attributes that you can develop in a child. There are numerous times every day when children must persist rather than give in. A young child learning to tie shoelaces must persist. A primary aged student must show determination to finish tasks and a secondary student needs to work through difficulties, particularly those he or she doesn’t understand or complete right away. They need to be able to persist when work gets hard or life gets tough. They need the ‘stickability’ to work through difficulties and hang in there when things don’t go their way. Some children are more naturally predisposed to persist than others. They have a determined, even competitive streak in their temperament that doesn’t allow them to give in. These children and young people can drive themselves very hard to succeed. The results of the Australian Temperament Project show that persistence is the one temperamental factor that can be improved over time. Parents and teachers can develop persistence in children and also impede its development by making life too easy for children so that they don’t have opportunities to persist or hang in there. Parents can promote persistence by encouraging their children to keep going and not give in at the slightest hurdle or difficulty. Parents can be a sounding board for children’s gripes but they should show confidence in their ability to cope and get through their difficulties. “You can do it” is far more powerful in terms of promoting an attitude of persistence than “If it is a little too hard then try something else.” Let children know that there is a correlation between effort and success. In fact, they need to learn that by GIVING EFFORT they will more than likely experience more success. The ability to persist in the face of difficulties maybe an old-fashioned quality but it is one of the best success attributes that children will ever develop.

Here are four practical strategies you can use to promote a sense of persistence in your children:

Develop a vocabulary for persistence
Words like “Work hard” and “Hang in there” can become part of their every day vocabulary.

Point out to children when they stick at a task
Most parents know it pays off when they catch their children being good but it also pays off to catch them being persistent. The behaviours we focus on as parents expand so let them know when they have been persistent. Also remind them that persistence generally pays off.

Help children to remember
times when they experienced success by HANGING IN when they were younger. Let them know that persistence has paid off before and it will again.

Talk about HARD WORK with your children
They need to understand that to be successful they need to do things that are NOT always fun or easy. While it would be good if all work and learning was easy and fun, in reality, this is not always the case.

Nerida Mosely
Principal

Deputy News

Year 7 Vaccinations tomorrow
Tuesday 3 March
Please return immunisation forms if you have not already done so.
Primary News

**Student of the week**

Our Students of the Week (one from each class) are chosen by the Assistant Principals, Mr Clarke and Mrs Davis. They nominate students who consistently display our PBS values of consideration, achievement, responsibility and enthusiasm. These award cards count towards the students’ Bronze, Silver and Gold awards. Congratulations to these students:

- **Diggers:** Lacey Jonas
- **Poppies:** Mason Dixon
- **Gallipoli:** Caelen Byrnes
- **Lighthorse:** Amellia Malley
- **Squadron 34:** Dylan Peters
- **Coves:** Robbie Watson
- **Troops:** Sarah Rudd

Wendy Davis
Assistant Principal

**Year 5/6 Artist Visit**

Year 5/6 Troops were excited to have an artist spend time with their class. Miss Nolan’s mother, Kerry Suttonberg is a painter and print maker as well as an art teacher. She works from her home studio in Gerringong, NSW. On Tuesday and Wednesday of week 5, under the guidance of Miss Nolan and Kerry, the class worked very hard and produced some outstanding results.

The students learnt how to produce an image doing a grid and how to create tone in both pencil and painted works. Students also explored the use of collage in landscape works based on Braidwood street scapes.

Secondary News

**Homework Centre**

The Homework Centre will be held in the school library on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:30pm to 5pm.

**Appropriate Footwear**

Enclosed leather shoes are a necessity for students to actively participate in every class.

The Safe Working Policy of 2010 states that “Footwear is an essential safety item. Good soles provide a sound grip on the floor and prevent accidents such as slips, trips and falls occurring. Footwear can also protect feet from damage caused by accidents such as falling objects or chemical spillages”.

Please look for enclosed leather uppers, well soled shoes or boots when shopping for school shoes. Canvas slip-on shoes are not appropriate and the law says they are not safe for school. Students will be excluded from class if their footwear does not comply with WHS directives.

Some of the examples of shoes which are appropriate to wear are below.

The Enrolment Information Sessions 2015 that were due to be held this Thursday evening have been postponed until early Term 2.
Braidwood Show Cooking
Food Technology students and all students at Braidwood Central School are being encouraged to enter food into the Braidwood Show.

Class time will also be given to do some cooking for the show. Come on Braidwood Central ‘let’s be in it’.

Classes for exhibitors age 12 years and under 18 years:

3012 Plate of 6 small cakes, 3 iced, 3 plain – not in patty containers
3013 Plate of 6 pieces of slice, un-iced, 1 variety
3014 Plate of 6 pieces of slice, iced or topping, 1 variety
3015 Butter cake, iced on top only
3016 Plate of 6 scones, plain
3017 Plate of 6 scones, date
3018 6 biscuits, 2 varieties
3019 Chocolate cake, iced on top only
3020 Novelty cake, iced and decorated

Prizes: First $6.00, Second $2.00

Donated by a friend of the Braidwood Show Society

3021 Banana cake, iced on top only
Prizes: First $3.00, Second $1.50
3022 Any type of pie
Prizes: First $3.00, Second $1.50
3023 Loaf of bread or 6 buns
Prizes: First $3.00, Second $1.50
3024 Special prize for FIRST time exhibitor. $5.00
Donated by Mrs Shirley Woolner

3025 Champion Youth Cookery exhibit. 12 Years and under 18 prize $5.00
3026 Reserve Champion Youth Cookery exhibit. 12 Years and under 18 Years.

Uniform News
The polar fleece order has arrived.

Uniform shop opening hours
Just a reminder that the Uniform Shop is open on Wednesdays from 9.30am to 3pm. Any variations to these hours are communicated in the school newsletter. Please also remember that the uniform shop is run on a largely voluntary basis and is a separate service to the canteen – the canteen staff are not able to sell uniforms.

To assist parents who may find it difficult to attend the shop within these hours, the P&C has introduced both direct deposit and email facilities to enable orders to be placed and paid for without the need to attend the school. These orders are then filled each Wednesday and sent home with your child, with the kind assistance of the front office staff. The office staff also provide an additional service to parents who attend outside the shop hours by filling their orders and accepting payment at the front office.

There is also the option of your child attending the uniform shop during the day on Wednesdays to try uniforms on to ensure correct sizing.

If you have any queries about the current operation of the uniform shop, please email them to me at bcsuniform@gmail.com. As always, the P&C welcomes constructive feedback and additional volunteers, so if you are able to help us improve the services we provide to the school community we would love to hear from you at bcsuniform@gmail.com.

Regards
Linda Lewis
Uniform Shop Manager

P&C News
Only two more weeks to get your P&C Logo design in
The P&C is in need of an eye-catching logo to use for our signs, banners, stationary and aprons. At the moment all we have is the school crest and our name. We need a logo that represents the P&C and all it does in a fun, friendly and striking way. So get your pens and pencils out – entries should be handed into the Front Office or emailed to bcsuniform@gmail.com by Friday 13 March.
Entries are coming in – make sure yours is one of them. The winning entry will receive a $100 prize as well as having their logo used on all our P&C signage and merchandise!

Contact the P&C
The P&C email address is bcsuniform@gmail.com or you can contact the current President, Bidda Jones, directly on 4842 7189 or 0422 542175 or bidda@sharewater.net
Re: School Cleaners
Cleaners required must be able to work a split shift before and after school. Training will be provided. A working with children clearance is required. For further information please contact Mark Green 0418999368.

Junior Redbacks Rugby Club Registration Day/ CHANGE OF DATE
Under 6's, 8's, 10's, 12's and 14's
Now on at the club Friday 6th March (previously 27/2/15)
4pm Registration, followed by BBQ at 6pm
Any queries please contact Rhonda 0427 422 117
Braidwood Central School P&C has a number of fundraising events throughout the year and our first one is coming up soon. Each year at the Braidwood Show, our school provides a BBQ area and a tea and coffee area; these are the main food stalls at the show. To do this we need volunteers! As you can imagine, it is a big undertaking and the more help we have the easier it is for everyone. Enclosed in this newsletter is an information sheet for you to fill out and hand in to the front office if you are able to help. We ask that volunteers roster on for a minimum of two hours as the time flies past and this helps us to have a streamlined process.

Donations of biscuits, muffins, slices, scones and eggs would also be greatly appreciated. Please drop off any donations at the canteen or front office on Friday the 6th of March 2015 or Saturday the 7th of March at the show pavilion kitchen, before 11am.

It is a great way to support our school and community, have some fun and get to know some other parents.

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**BRAIDWOOD SHOW P&C VOLUNTEER ROSTER 7TH MARCH**

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**THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME**

LISA CROXON- 0438324537

MELISSA SHOEMARK- 0434215714

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Yes I would love to help with catering at the BRAIDWOOD SHOW Saturday 7th of March 2015

NAME .................................................. CONTACT NUMBER ..................................................

EMAIL CONTACT ..................................................

We will contact you to confirm your time slots closer to the date.

I am able to help at the time indicated below

6.00am-8.00am  8.00am-10.00am  10.00am-12.00noon  12.00noon-2.00pm  2.00pm-4.00pm

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Thank you for your help and support of our School, P&C and Community
Braidwood Junior Soccer Club 2015

BRAIDWOOD COMPETITION –

Juniors and Sub-juniors Juniors (school-age) and Sub-juniors (pre-schoolers) who wish to play in the Braidwood Competition can register by completing a 2015 BJSC Registration Form. REGISTRATIONS ARE DUE BY 31 MARCH TO ALLOW FOR TEAM SELECTIONS. • Registration fees for 2015 are $60 for Juniors and $40 for Sub-juniors. • Completed forms should be emailed to bidda@sharewater.net (with the subject Soccer Rego) or placed in the drop-off box at Bendigo Bank. Payments should accompany all forms. • A registration and information day will be held on Sat 21 March 2015 from 9am–12pm at the Braidwood Rec Ground (Etpos facilities available).

BUNGENDORE COMPETITION - Juniors Palerang United also has a Bungendore-based club. If your child is 5-9 years old and wants to play in Bungendore, please contact Craig Kiliar on 0407 010167 or email palerangunited@gmail.com PALERANG UNITED FC - JUNIOR LEAGUE - U10s-U16s Registrations are open for PUFC Teams to play in the Capital Football Junior League: U16 Girls, U13/U14 Girls, U10 Open. There may also be an U14 Boys team if enough players are interested and we have volunteers for coach and manager. The Registration fee is $85 per player. Matches start on 2 May. Games are played on Saturdays in Braidwood or Canberra. Kick-off is 10.30am for U10s, 1.45pm for U14s and 3.30pm for U16s. If you would like to participate in a Junior League team you should first contact:- Chris Grant (poppiesonwallace@gmail.com or 0428 422179) for U13/14 Girls - Brad Carey (bradleycarey@yahoo.com.au or 0432 098019) for all other Junior league teams.

ALL CONFIRMED PUFC PLAYERS ARE REQUIRED TO REGISTER ONLINE before 21 March. Follow the instructions provided in the Palerang United FC Self Registration Guide. You do not need to fill out a separate club registration form. Players registered online are also eligible to play in the local competition – no further fees are required. PALERANG UNITED FC - STATE LEAGUE - All Age Teams Registrations are open for the PUFC All Age Women and All Age Men teams to play in the Capital Football State League. The Registration fee is $210 per player or $150 for fulltime students. Matches start on 11 April. Men’s games are played on Saturday in Braidwood and Canberra, Women’s games are in Canberra on Sundays. If you would like to participate in a State League team you should first contact Mark Roberts (kramstrebor1@bigpond.com or 0428 475074)

ALL CONFIRMED PUFC PLAYERS ARE REQUIRED TO REGISTER ONLINE before 21 March. Follow the instructions provided in the Palerang United FC Self Registration Guide. You do not need to fill out a separate club registration form. Payments can be made directly into the BJSC account, Braidwood Bendigo Bank, BSB 633 000 Account No. 122 322 035 (player name as reference), or via cheque made out to Braidwood Junior Soccer Club. Any outstanding payments to the club must be honoured before registration for 2015 can be accepted. For more information or arrangements for a pre-season payment plan, please contact the Treasurer Clem Colman on clem@colmancomm.com or Mobile 0417 744511.
BRAIDWOOD JUNIOR SOCCER CLUB REGISTRATION FORM 2015

This form is for Braidwood Competition players only. If you are registering to play in a PUFC Representative Team, YOU MUST REGISTER ONLINE at myfootballclub.com.au. Contact the Registrar at bdda@sharewater.net for more information.

1. REGISTRATION TYPE

☐ Sub-junior (preschool) $40
☐ Junior (school-age) $60

2. PLAYER DETAILS

Title
First name
Last name
Date of birth
Gender M ☐ F ☐

Did you play with this club in 2014?
Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, and your contact details have NOT changed, please go straight to section 5. FEES

Street/Mailing address
Suburb
State
Email
Home phone
Mobile

3. SCHOOL AGE PLAYERS

Name of school:
Year:

4. EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

Name
Relationship
Email
Home phone
Mobile

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Relationship
Email
Home phone
Mobile

5. FEES

ALL FEES MUST BE PAID IN FULL BEFORE PLAYERS CAN PARTICIPATE. Discounts are available for large families and those who regularly volunteer.

Total fee payable $
Amount paid $

Method of payment
☐ Cash
☐ Cheque
☐ Credit card/Eftpos
☐ Money order

6. SIGNATURE

(Signature of Player or Parent/Legal Guardian)

(Plead)

VOLUNTEER DETAILS

All families/adult players are expected to undertake at least one volunteer activity to keep the club running and registration costs affordable.

Name(s):

Please specify your preferred activities:
☐ Serving at the Canteen
☐ Ordering/shopping/picking up supplies
☐ BBQ
☐ Setup/packup fields
☐ Coaching
☐ Refereeing

PAYMENTS: Braidwood Junior Soccer Club (BJS), Bendigo Bank, BSB 633 000 Acc No. 122 322 035 (Player name as reference)
FORMS SHOULD BE EMAILED TO bdda@sharewater.net OR DROPPED OFF AT THE BENDIGO BANK IN BRAIDWOOD