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DIARY DATES

CHANGE OF DETAILS
 Please inform the office of any changes to addresses, phone numbers etc., so your contact details are kept up to date.

TERM 4 DATES

Monday 17th December
 Choir and Percussion performance
 2019 Student Leaders Presentation
 Assembly

Tuesday 18th December
 Junior school concert (Founders - Year 2)
 9:30am—11am
 Year 6 - Day on the Green
 Year 3/4 - Reading Cinema excursion
 Founders - Drama Box incursion

Wednesday 19th December
 Founders Aussie Day
 Year 6 - Graduation rehearsal
 Year 6 - Water activities

Thursday 20th December
 Year 6 Graduation 1pm - 3pm
 Year 6 - Disco 6pm - 8pm

Friday 21st December
 Assembly
 Last day term 4 - 1:30pm
 dismissal



TERM 1 2019

Children return
 Wednesday 30th
 January
 to Friday 5th April



Remember your sun smart hat for Term 4

UNIFORM SHOP

Open Fridays from 9:00am to 9:30am

BEFORE SCHOOL CARE

Monday to Friday 7:00 to 8:45am

AFTER SCHOOL CARE

Monday to Friday 3:00 to 6:00pm

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Bimbadeen Blaze

"Reaching for the Heights"

VOLUME 23/18

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Vision: To instil in children a life-long love of learning

Mission: To provide each child with the opportunity to develop their full potential for intellectual, social and personal growth

RESPECT RESILIENCE INTEGRITY COMPASSION

'BHPS is committed to a zero tolerance approach to child abuse'

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

YEAR 6 TEACHING DAY

It is a day most year six students look forward to. It is Year six teaching day. When students in Year six take over the jobs of teachers for a day. The many different jobs are teaching a class of students from Foundation to Year 5, or P.E., L.O.T.E, Music, and Art. A few lucky children can even be Principal or Assistant Principal. It is a great day and lots fun for us students.

Before Year six teaching day students can write down their first and second preferences on what they want to really want to do, including the Principal and Assistant Principal roles. Then the teachers pick the students who put their preference first and then if there is still room they pick who they think will be good for the role. After they get a role they visit their teacher and discuss what they're doing on the day. They then prepare what they're going to do on the day with the children in the class room.

Teachers get a slip of paper to mark the kids on. But the whole day is to let the kids know what being a teacher feels like and how much fun it can be. Being the Principal is probably one of the best because you get to go around and see how the children are doing and get to hand out some certificates to great Year six teachers. It is a great thing to be able to get this experience at a young age and I always think kids will enjoy this day.

By Owen Wahrenberger, Year six Principal.



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<https://www.facebook.com/bimbadeenheights>

Click on our school's page to read the latest updates and information and press the thumbs up 'Like' button to receive the latest posts/updates.



"Reaching for the Heights"

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT CONT..

2019 STUDENT SUPPLIES

If you have not yet received your child's stationery pack for next year it probably means that you have not yet made the payment. Please contact the office next week as payments will be accepted right up until the end of school on Friday December 21st and you will be given your child's stationery pack for next year. These items can then be labelled and covered and brought back to school at the start of school next year.

The next chance to pay for the student supplies will not be until Tuesday January 29th, the day before children return. This is likely to be a very busy day so we encourage you to sort this out next week.



YEAR 6 GRADUATION

With the end of the year racing towards us I want to thank the hard working team of Year 5 parents who have organised the Year 6 graduation that will take place this coming Thursday afternoon in the hall from 1:00PM. This is a very special, yet age appropriate, celebration of the children's past seven years of schooling. It is an opportunity for us to acknowledge the children's achievements with some awards as well as give every one of them their own moment of glory as they walk across the stage to receive their graduation certificate and their teacher reads out what their hopes and dreams for the future are.



I am in the privileged position of having seen these children from the day they first started at Bimbadeen and I am proud of every single one of them and of how they have made the most of every opportunity and have overcome the various challenges that they have encountered throughout their primary school journey. I know that they are ready for secondary school and am confident that they will do well in the future.



GUITAR CONCERT

One of our really successful extra-curricular programs here is John Thomson's 'Guitar Lessons 4 Kids'. John has over fifty Bimbadeen children learning guitar here and on Wednesday night most of these children performed, on stage with lights and a professional sound system, here in the BER building. The middle area was full of proud parents and friends watching these young musicians, many of whom will continue to enjoy playing guitar for the rest of their lives.



Well done and thank you John for organising this concert and thank you to the many parents and friends who supported the children by being here.

If you would like your child to learn guitar next year please contact John on 0432 380 766 or via email at guitarlessons4kids@gmail.com

REPORTS AND ASSESSMENT PORTFOLIOS

Today you will receive your child's December written report and their 2018 Assessment Portfolio. Please take the time to read through these documents carefully, celebrating your child's achievements this year. The teachers have put many hours into these reports and portfolios to ensure they accurately reflect each child and their achievements this year. A member of the school leadership team have read every report and have been impressed with the calibre of the children's achievements and the quality of the teachers work this year.

If you have not yet seen your child's report please check their school bag as it may be in there. I hope that the assessment portfolio will become a really special keepsake and record of your child's learning this year that will become a treasured document bringing many smiles in the years ahead when it is dusted off and looked at.



2019 CLASSES

Children met their 2019 teacher and new classmates on Tuesday this week and included in the report envelope today will be a letter confirming the name of their teacher. All teachers have spent many, many hours over the past couple of months developing the class lists taking into consideration a multitude of factors to ensure we have balanced classes. Teachers have ensured that every child has at least one of their chosen friends in their class next year. They have also taken into consideration the many parent requests that were sent in early in the term and have done their best to accommodate these requests.

We are really pleased with the classes for next year and are very confident that the children will do well next year. We understand that some children may be disappointed that they don't have their very best friend or the teacher they hoped they would have. However next year, just as this year and in past years, they will learn, they will make new friends, they will have interesting and engaging learning tasks every day, they will laugh and have fun and they will learn despite how they might feel now.



LAST DAY OF TERM – NEXT FRIDAY DECEMBER 21ST – 1:30 DISMISSAL

Please note that children are expected to be in their school uniform on the final day of the school year next Friday. We do have free dress days on the last day of the other three terms each year but not in term 4. (The 'Wear Red - Day for Daniel' is our social service free dress day in Term 4.)



A reminder too that on the last day of the school year children will be dismissed earlier than usual at 1:30PM.

There will be a special final end-year assembly where we farewell the Year 6 students starting at 1:00PM and all children will be dismissed from the hall at 1:30 or as near to that time as we can. Please ensure that you make arrangements for your child to be collected at the earlier time or book them into our excellent OHSClub program.

LAST NEWSLETTER FOR 2018

This will be our final newsletter for this year. We will use our messaging App, Flexibuzz and our school FaceBook page for any important messages between now and the start of school next year.

OFFICE AND UNIFORM SHOP OPENING TIMES - JANUARY

The office will be officially open from 9:00AM Tuesday January 29 next year for parents who wish to pay for and collect the 2019 student essential education items.

The school uniform shop will also be open on Tuesday January 29 from 10:00am – 12:00pm.



STAFF NEWS

As we wrote about in the November 16 newsletter we will be farewelling some of our wonderful staff team at the end of this year. Mr Ray Legione, our Art teacher will be retiring, Miss Becky Liu, our Chinese teacher is moving to an independent school in the South East, and Mrs Judy Todd, one of our Integration Aides will be retiring. These people have been exceptional members of our staff team and have made a big difference in the lives of many. They will be missed however will always be friends of Bimbadeen. I know that the Bimbadeen community will always hold a special place in these teachers hearts as they do in ours. I wish them all the very best for their future and look forward to hearing of their adventures. We will still see Ray around as he will be taking on the responsibility of part-time maintenance and repairman at our school, a job that he has managed to squeeze in around his teaching role.

With departures come some new faces and some changes. Mrs Melissa Simpson will be taking on the role of Art teacher, Mrs Sarah Cherry will be returning to the position of Chinese teacher, and Miss Alannah Aiken will be commencing her teaching career in our Year 1/2 team next year. We are still in the process of working out our team of Integration Aides for next year.

We will also be saying farewell to our replacement School Chaplain for this term, Mrs Ali Hardacher, who has stepped in to replace Mr Van who has been recuperating from surgery. He is very pleased to report that he is well on the road to recovery and will be back with us from the start of next year. I want to give a very large and heartfelt thank you to Ali who has fitted in to our school so well and has made many special connections with children here. We wish her all the very best and hope that our paths will cross again one day. I'm sure that Ali will also always be a friend of Bimbadeen.

GOOD BYE
AND
GOOD LUCK



Past-Student Recognition Gallery

We are very proud of our past-students and like to publicly acknowledge their successes. Unfortunately, in Primary Schools, we do not often hear about the significant achievements of our past-students. We have proudly displayed the photos of students who have played AFL football at the highest level as their achievements are quite well known. Achievements in other fields of endeavour are not often as public. In our new school we would like to extend our display of successful past-students. As an educational institution it is appropriate that we acknowledge past-students who have pursued their studies right through to Phd level. We would love to hear about them, where they studied and what their area of research was. There may also be other past students who have achieved to a very high level and deserve our recognition, for example, represented Australia at their chosen sport or achieved national recognition in the arts. We would like to acknowledge them as well. If you know of anyone who fits these categories please let us know. We may not have been responsible for their success as they have done all of that themselves, however we did teach them to read and that is significant and something we can be proud of.



Final - Leigh

At the end of this year I want to thank everyone who has contributed to making this year another successful year in the school's history. I feel very fortunate and proud to lead this fine school. It is a privilege to work with the children who are such a joy to work with and the parents who trust us with their children. I think I have the best staff to work with! They are dedicated, diligent, always looking for ways to improve what they do and they have lots of fun along the way.

I also have the best assistant principal in Mr Garry Fowler, who works tirelessly for the children of this school. His support and encouragement for every child, every staff member and every parent is only surpassed by his positive and calm approach to dealing with whatever challenges comes his way. I, and our school, are very fortunate to have Garry here and he deserves very special thanks for his leadership again this year.

I thank and wish those families who are ending their association with our school all the very best for the future. Thank you for entrusting your children's education with us and for sharing the journey including the ups and downs, with us. We look forward to hearing of the children's successes in the future and trust that you will always be friends of Bimbadeen. There are some families who have been part of our school community for 14 and even 15 years. We hope that you will keep in touch to share your children's successes. We hope that in the future we can put your child's photo up on display as one of our highly successful past students.

Have a safe and wonderful Christmas and summer holiday period and we look forward to seeing you back on Wednesday January 30th next year for children in Years 1 – 6 or Thursday January 31st for the new Foundation children.



LIBRARY AWARDS

This week's Library Awards 'lucky dip' drawing took place last Monday and was announced at assembly. The winners and their respective book selections, drawn from the Library Awards box were -

- **Ryder H (0ER)** - Ben 10 - Happy Birthday Ken 10
- **Keira S (1/2G)** - Is it Christmas? By John Prater
- **Temprence N (3/4E)** - Best Things Ever to Draw
- **Cooper K (3/4E)** - The Last Thirteen by James Phelan
- **Tayla T (3/4E)** - Twinkle
- **Grace D (3/4W)** - Rainbow Magic - Megan the Monday Fairy



We hope our award recipients enjoy their book selections. Cath Buckland



Week starting December 3rd -

It's been busy the past few weeks at Bimbadeen OSHC! Children have been engaging in Christmas craft. They have been making reindeers with their handprints, as well as decorating their own Christmas trees using buttons, feathers and sequins. Children have also enjoyed making their own split pin Santa's and reindeers, as well as creating



Christmas-themed finger puppets. Cutting out their own creations has assisted children in developing their fine motor coordination, including their hand-eye coordination, and focus and concentration.

Outside, children have been enjoying timed obstacle courses. Children have been learning how to use timers, including how to read minutes and seconds. Of course, they have also enjoyed navigating the playground as they try to complete the course in the quickest time possible! Children have also been playing some old OSHC favourites including Around the World and Bounce (basketball games). In between all of this, they have enjoyed getting messy in the sand pit, using cups, buckets and spades to create elaborate sand castles.



Next week, we will be decorating some Christmas cookies with icing. We hope to see you there!

Kind regards,
Lauren and Sarah

Week starting December 10th -

We are fast approaching summer holidays and bookings are now open for 2019 summer vacation care!



We have planned a host of activities including playdough and slime making, beach in a bottle and tie-dye bookmarks. We also have cake baking, a dance-a-thon, and lots of sports and games such as relays, playground challenges and capture the flag.

Please remember that children need to bring their own food to vacation care. As always, it should be nut free! We hope to see you there!

Lauren

ICY POLES

On Monday's and Friday's during Term 4, icy poles will be on sale for \$1.00 at lunchtime (1.45pm) in the BER. YUM!



Aussie's of the month



Foundation: Sienna - 0ER
 Sienna is a friendly student who treats everyone with kindness and respect. She enjoys all aspects of school life and gives 100% with everything she does. Sienna will always go out of her way to assist fellow classmates and is a wonderful helper around the room. She has made lots of friends in the classroom and always thinks about others. Well done, Sienna on all your efforts this year – keep up the great work!



Year 2:
 Ava - 1/2D
 Ava is a kind and very considerate student who is well liked and respected by her peers. She is a willing helper and will assist others whenever possible. Ava always tries her best and never gives up. She should be very proud of her efforts this year.
 Congratulations on being our Aussie of the Month Ava!



Year 1: Ruby - 1/2D
 Ruby is a happy and friendly member of 1/2D. She is kind and considerate towards others and enjoys working with her peers. Ruby is a hard worker and shows persistence by never giving up and always trying her best.
 Keep up the fantastic work Ruby. Well done!



Year 3: Kayla - 3/4E
 Kayla is a most valuable member of 3/4E who has enjoyed a very positive year in Grade 3. A friendly and co-operative student, she has approached all aspects of school life with enthusiasm and can be relied on to try her best at all times. It is especially pleasing to see her putting her artistic talents to good effect in all learning activities.
 Well done Kayla on all your efforts this year – keep up the great work!



Year 4: DJ (David) - 3/4E
 DJ is a most welcome member of 3/4E. He treats everyone with kindness and respect and enjoys positive relationships with his friends and peers. DJ participates enthusiastically in all aspects of school life and can be relied on to try his hardest, whatever the task.
 Congratulations DJ on a very successful year in Grade 4.



Specialist –
 PE: Grace - 6MR
 Grace is a compassionate student who is able to work well with anyone in the grade. She demonstrates fantastic sportsmanship qualities and encourages both her teammates and the opposition. Grace consistently displays a positive attitude and tries her best in all sporting endeavours. She is a role model for her peers and is an asset to our school.
 Well done, Grace!.



Year 5: Jett - 5MF
 Jett is a very well-mannered and respectful student with a ready smile and a positive attitude. He is very persistent and works hard to complete set tasks. Jett is always friendly and demonstrates our school values in all his interactions with his fellow students. He is an asset to grade 5MF and a worthy winner of the Aussie of the Month.
 Congratulation Jett!



Year 6: Lachlan - 6MR
 Lachlan is a kind hearted and considerate member of 6MR who demonstrates great compassion. He goes out of his way to assist his peers to make sure they are okay. Lachlan is a valued member in group situations where he demonstrates his leadership skills. He has had a wonderful final year of primary school where he has developed many lifelong skills.
 Congratulations on all that you have achieved Lochie!



NOTICE - ALLERGY - Please ensure all food is nut-free



Monday 07 January

HAPPY NEW YEAR

IN-SERVICE

Its time to celebrate the beginning of a new year, join us for a day filled with new year fun. Welcome to 2019! Today exploring all things past and present!



Monday 14 January

IN + \$14.00

MINDFULNESS MAGIC

INCURSION - MINDFUL ME

Proactivity's "Mindful Me" Mind & Body program has been designed to assist children to be mentally, physically and emotionally healthy, so that they can become contributing members of a healthy community.



Tuesday 08 January

RUNAWAY TO THE CIRCUS

IN-SERVICE

Roll up, roll up to our Circus today! Come and show us your best circus skills as we practise our favourite tricks!



Tuesday 15 January

WINTER WONDERLAND

IN-SERVICE

Each snowflake is like a falling star smiling beauty that's spun afar. Come along as we create our own Indoor Wonderland!

Escape the summer heat as we head off on a Winter Wonderland adventure!



Wednesday 09 January

IN + \$14.00

BUBBLES AND SQUEAK

INCURSION - NATURAL SOAP MAKING WITH LOTS A SCENTS

Let's get messy as we create natural bars of soap. What goodie will you hide in your bar of soap?



Wednesday 16 January

PASSPORT TO FUN

IN-SERVICE

Enjoy a day of fun times and adventures! Where in the world have you been?



Thursday 10 January

EX + \$28.00

JUMP FOR JANUARY

EXCURSION - ZONE BOWLING BORONIA

Challenge your friends and strike it lucky with some tenguin bowling action. Socks and enclosed shoes required.



Arrive by 8:30am, don't forget your socks.

Thursday 17 January

EX + \$28.00

HOORAY FOR HOLLYWOOD

EXCURSION - HOVTS - EASTLAND MOVIE AND POPCORN

Today we're off to the movies to see Ralph Breaks The Internet, popcorn and drink included. (Movie time to be confirmed, please see coordinator)



Arrive by 8:30am

Friday 11 January

HAWAIIAN LUAAU

IN-SERVICE

Get set to get tropical in an island paradise of fun, beach-inspired games, music and activities!

Put on your Luau as we explore all things Hawaii



Friday 18 January

WHERE'S WENDY

IN-SERVICE

Dress in stripes for a hide and seek day! Wendy is hiding, will you be the one to find her?

Can you find Wendy?



Mon - Fri 7:00am - 6:00pm
Bimbadeen Heights Primary School - 0417 522 578
118 Hayrick Ln Mooroolbark VIC 3138



Daily price: \$58.00 | Excursions and In-cursions are an additional cost to the daily fee and are charged for each child that attends whether they choose to participate or not.

Book now at oshclub.com.au | be quick as places are limited

Customer Service 1300 395 735

Junior Adventures Group continues to pioneer the OSHC sector, building stronger communities and brighter futures for more than 70,000 children, 40,000 families and more than 400 schools across Australia.

Vacation Care

Our Values

- Considerate - Be there for others
- Passionate - Bring energy and determination
- Courageous - Challenge ourselves

The values we share guide our behaviour as we work towards our vision to build brighter futures together.

Monday 21 January

DISCO FEVER

IN-SERVICE

Come dressed in your shiniest disco gear and get set for a day filled with foot-stomping music and crazy dance moves!

Bring your best dance moves for the OSHClub disco!



What we offer

- A healthy, safe, respectful and engaging environment
- Caring, enthusiastic, fun and friendly team
- New and popular excursions, incursions and theme days
- Stimulating experiences tailored to children's interests, abilities and current trends
- OSHClub endeavour to link each fun experience to key learning outcomes

Tuesday 22 January

IN + \$8.00

THE CRAFTY FOX

INCURSION - SELF GUIDED DIY PLUSH DOG

Are you ready to meet the sweetest dog? He might not be much to look at when you take him out of the box, but with a bit of love and effort, he'll be your best friend for life! Watch your dog come to life.



What Does My Child Bring?

Please bring Breakfast, Morning Tea, Lunch, Afternoon Tea and a refillable drink bottle. If bringing food please make sure it's nutritious and doesn't require to be heated or cooked

Wednesday 23 January

PET PARTY

IN-SERVICE

Do you love pets? Then you'll love today's Pet Party, where we'll be celebrating all our hairy, furry, scaly and fluffy friends!

Dogs? Cats? Fish? Bring a photo to show us!



Please be mindful of the planned incursion/excursion and ensure your children are dressed appropriately. Don't forget your sun smart hat, comfortable clothes and closed shoes.

To avoid loss or disappointment, please leave your valuables, money and electronic toys (including tablets and smart phones) at home.

We are a child safe organisation

Child care subsidy

Healthy Eating

OSHClub follows the Australian dietary guidelines which can be found at <https://www.eatforhealth.gov.au>

Our services are registered with Centrelink, so you will be able to claim Child Care Subsidy on your fees. For further information please visit <https://www.education.gov.au/new-child-care-package-frequently-asked-questions>.

Activity Changes

If an excursion or incursion (due to unforeseen circumstances) is cancelled, the activity will either be postponed or an alternative activity of equal value will be provided where possible.

Before making your booking & cancellations

All children must be enrolled with OSHClub prior to booking via oshclub.com.au. Bookings made within 5 days for a Vacation Care session will incur an extra charge of \$4.00 per day per child. 7 days notice is required for cancellation of a Vacation Care booking to ensure you will not incur out of pocket costs. Please note that bookings can not be made online within 5 days of the session commencing. In order to book within this period, you will need to contact the service directly, the Customer Service and Billing Team on 1300 395 735 or by emailing oshaccounts@junioradventuresgro.com.au.

Children with additional needs

We support all children including children with additional needs. If you would like to provide additional information about your child and his/ her needs or require inclusion support funding, please contact us 6 weeks prior to program commencement on 0417 522 578 for staffing purposes.

Thursday 24 January

EX + \$28.00

DREAM TO FLY

EXCURSION - BOUNCE INDOOR TRAMPOLINE PARK BLACKBURN

Try out the dodgeball, slam dunk and trampoline areas as you fly high and low at Bounce Indoor Trampoline centre today!



Please arrive by 8:30am

Friday 25 January

BACK TO SCHOOL PARTY!

IN-SERVICE

Let's wind up the school holidays with a party! Food, games and a whole lot of fun!

What will the new school year bring?



Book now at oshclub.com.au | be quick as places are limited

Customer Service 1300 395 735

Term 4 Highlights in Mandarin Classes



Grade 6s taught us about Bamboo Stick Dance.



Chinese Calligraphy Painting



Grade 3/4 learned how to bargain at shops and they did a shopping game with some fake Chinese money.



Grade 5/6 made yummy spring rolls.



I was born in the year of 'long' (dragon).



Grade 3/4 had a Chinese Sports Day.

Year 5 Camp

These are my highlights on year 5 camp:

-Surfing

I enjoyed doing surfing because it was hard but fun. I managed to get up at least 3 times. But I fell over quite a lot of times.

-Marine Discovery

I really enjoyed Marine Discovery because I learnt about so many new animals like:

-Sea n' enemies

-Cuttlefish

-Sea snails

-Leafy Sea Dragons/Sea Horses

AND SO MUCH MORE!

-Bush Hut Building

I enjoyed bush hut building because there were some ups and downs, and we had some trouble with collecting enough tree branches.



Camp Phillip Island

On the 24th of October to the 26th of October we had a fun time at camp Phillip Island. My group was bill boing we went to a beach carnival we did 7 things and the food was delicious there. We stay there for 2 nights, the girls had the cabins for the first night and the boys had tents for the first night then the boys had the cabins for the second night and the girls had the tent for second night. The first night we watched a movie

and it was 'Cheaper by the Dozen' then the second night we did Red Faces. Me and Jasmine sang 'Burn' we were nervous. My favourite thing we did was surfing I stood up on the board 3 times.





Phillip Island Camp

ON WEDNESDAY THE 24TH OF OCTOBER ALMOST ALL OF THE YEAR 5s WENT TO PHILLIP ISLAND FOR CAMP. THE CAMP SITE THAT WE WENT TO WAS CALLED PHILLIP ISLAND COASTAL DISCOVERY CAMP. ON THE BUS I SAT NEXT TO NOBODY BUT ACROSS FROM ME WERE MILLIE AND MYAH AND BEHIND ME WAS MY TEACHER MRS BROOKES. WHEN WE GOT TO THE CAMP SITE THE FIRST THING THAT WE DID WAS EAT LUNCH AND AFTER THAT THE BOYS WENT OFF TO THEIR TENTS AND THE GIRLS WENT OFF TO THEIR CABINS. THE PEOPLE IN MY CABIN WERE MILLIE, MYAH, MADDY, LILLY, SEREN, SARAH, JAMIE AND JORDAN. MY FIRST ACTIVITY WAS ARCHERY, THE PEOPLE THAT WERE IN MY GROUP WERE MYSELF JAKE AND MR LEGION. I HIT THE MIDDLE TWO TIMES. AFTER ARCHERY MY GROUP DID SAND SCULPTING WE ONLY DID SAND SCULPTING FOR A LITTLE BIT BECAUSE MR FOWLER TAUGHT US A REALLY FUN GAME THAT HE HAD PLAYED WHEN HE WAS A LITTLE BOY, THE WAY YOU HAVE TO PLAY THE GAME IS YOU LAY OUT ABOUT SIX SHOES ON THE GROUND IN A LINE ABOUT ONE FOOT APART FROM EACH OTHER THEN EVERYONE GETS IN A LINE BEHIND THE SHOES AND THE PERSON AT THE FRONT TRIES TO TAKE ONE STEP BETWEEN EACH SHOE WITHOUT TOUCHING IT AND THE BACK PERSON IS CALLED A FLYER WHEN THE FLYER GETS TO THE LAST SHOE THEY GET TO TAKE A STEP OR JUMP AND WHEREVER THEY LAND IS WHERE THEY MOVE THAT SHOE TO THAT SPOT. AFTER SAND SCULPTING WE HAD FREE TIME UNTIL DINNER. FOR DINNER WE HAD SPAGHETTI THE SPAGHETTI WAS SO GOOD THAT I EVEN WANTED SECONDS.

Yay it's the day to go to Phillip island camp! I'm so excited. Okay, it all started when we had to go on the boring bus, we were in the bus for hour and a half but luckily we got to watch a movie. When we finally we arrived, we got organized and unpacked. We had our first activity, it was bush hut building all the girls got together and planed out how we were going to build our hut, and at the end it was a tie between us and the boys. Then we headed back for 30 minutes of free time. Then it was our last activity for the day, it was archery. First we and a practise then we had a game. The girls and I were ready to win and we won again, and it shows that girls are better than boys. After that we had another free play we had dinner, for dinner we had spaghetti Bolognese it was so yum then for desert we had chocolate mousse I didn't like it so I gave it to someone else. Then we all got into our PJs and headed off to watch a movie called cheaper by the dozen,

The next day we had breakfast it was so yum, then we had our first activity, it was sand sculpting it was okay but not the best. Then it was my favourite activity surfing, we all learnt how to hold a surf board, when we got down to the beach we put our boards on the sand then we learnt how to stand on the board. We all got in the water and I went to Mister Fowler he turned me around and when he saw a good wave he pushed me and on my first go I stood up and I rid the wave to the end! After a couple of goes Brooke the surfing instructor said that I was a born surfer, when I hopped out it was over I was so sad

Then we all the grad fives got together so we could walk to smiths beach so we could have a beach carnival it was so much fun but wet. Then we it was time for kite making once we made our kite it was time to fly it by some help by jasmine it was so high once again the ball rang for dinner it was so yummy then we all got in to our PJs for Red faces bonnie was second on stage when it was all done we went to bed the next day we had breakfast then our group and had Maren discovery we learnt a lot about cuddle fish. Then we went back to school -nooooooooooooooooooooo.



The Program for Faster Learners



EXCITING CHEMISTRY IN THE REAL WORLD **Bimbadeen Heights**

Coming up
Term 1, 2019. .

In this important new science unit students will learn and use scientific logic and reasoning to explain what is happening when various household products are tested. Using molecular kit models they will have fun with experiments which build characteristic properties of a substance. Students will learn about acidic, alkaline or neutral scale. Persistence with tasks, meeting deadlines, asking questions to gain a better and deeper understanding, and working in a collaborative manner with their fellow classmates will help girls and boys to develop open-mindedness to the world around them and build their scientific skills.

The Program for Faster Learners Application for 1st Term 2019

This program is available for all Grade 1 - Grade 6 children who have qualified.

The Program for Faster Learners Teacher: Noel Blacker: mobile 0409 435 396

The unit for first term commences week beginning Monday, 11th February, 2019.

The unit will run for 8 weeks commencing: **Monday 11th Feb, 18th Feb, 25th Feb, 4th Mar, 11th Mar, 18th Mar, 25th March and 1st April.**

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I wish to enrol my child in the unit "Exciting Chemistry in The Real World" starting week beginning **Monday, 11th February, 2019.**

I give permission for a copy of this slip to be handed to the teacher.

Child's Name _____ School: **Bimbadeen Heights Primary**

Date of Birth _____ Class (2019) _____

Parents' Names _____

Address _____

Phone: BH _____ AH _____ Mobile _____

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I would like a free test for my child YES/NO.

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Please send this slip and payment of \$246.00 by Friday, 8th February, 2019. As we are a non-credit business, children will not be accepted into the program for the term unless the fees and enrolment form are returned by the above date.

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For further information please contact Pat Truscott, Access Re-Ed Services (Mobile: 0407 313 657)

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Mr Johansen, Principal,
Bimbadeen Heights PS

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