COMING EVENTS

Monday, 29th February, 2016 - Day 1
- Primary Industries Yr 12 Work Placement.
  Mr Manktelow I/C.
- School Photos.
- Open Boys Volleyball 10.30am to 12.00 noon on school courts. Mr Arthur I/C.

Tuesday, 1st March, 2016 - Day 2
- Junior and Senior Support Unit ILP meetings. Unit closed all day.

Wednesday, 2nd March, 2016 - Day 3
- Open Night.
- NSW CHS Triathlon Sydney.
- Primary Industries Work Placement.
- Shoalhaven Professional Business Association Snapshot Day Yr 10, 11 & 12. Mr Cork I/C.

Thursday, 3rd March, 2016 - Day 4
- Primary Industries Work Placement.

Friday, 4th March, 2016 - Day 5
- Primary Industries Work Placement.
- South Coast Boys/Girls 15 Yrs Touch Trials.
- Stitches and Craft Show Rosehill Yrs 10, 11 & 12 Textiles 6.30am to 6pm. Mrs Mackay I/C.

Canteen Corner
Have you tried the delicious new milk drinks? Beat the heat with a Strawberry Funky Monkey or a Real Iced Chocolate. Ask Shelly for a taste sample - you won’t be disappointed!

P&C Bits and Pieces
Did you know that a recent article in the P&C Journal has shown there’s a link between parent engagement in schools and student success? It said that student achievement improves when parents play an active role in their children’s education, and that good schools become even better schools when parents are involved. Joining the P&C is a great way to support your child and Bomaderry High. Our next meeting is Thursday, 10th March at 7pm in the common room upstairs in A Block, and everyone is welcome to come along and be involved in the great things happening this year.

Positive Thought for the Week
Work hard in silence, Let success make the noise!

PARENTS IN CARS ACCESSING SCHOOL GROUNDS
Parents are asked to drop off and pick up their child/children outside the school premises. At the beginning and end of the school day the volume of traffic is heavy. Access to the grounds between 8.15am and 9.15am is only for staff, delivery vans and at present construction crews. This applies also to the period between 3.15pm and 3.45pm. Easy and safe access for those mentioned above is vital and additional cars on site only contributes to the morning and afternoon congestion. Thank you, in anticipation of your understanding and co-operation.

Ms Appleton, Principal

2016 School Photographs Monday, 29th February
All students will have their photograph taken, even if they choose not to purchase them. Envelopes were distributed Thursday, 18th February, 2016. If a student is absent, envelopes may be collected from Mrs Mackay at roll call or the Front Office.

Students are to bring the envelope back to school on photo day with the correct money inside. Change is NOT available.

The envelope with money is to be handed directly to the photographers. Coins in envelopes need to be wrapped to avoid falling out and getting lost.

Students in sporting teams and special groups MUST check with their teacher/coach (prior to the day) about their team’s photo.

All students are to be dressed appropriately in correct school uniform.

Organisation for the day:
Period 1: Year 7 and Year 10
Period 2: Year 9 and Year 11
Period 3: Year 8 and Year 12
Lunch 1 & 2: Group photos and Family group photos
Period 4: 2.10 - Year 12 fun photo. (Students are to change and return to class for the remainder of Period 4 after the photo is taken.)

Easter Show Excursion
This year’s Easter Show Excursion will be on Tuesday, 22nd March, 2016. Year 12, 11, 10 and 9 Agriculture, Food Technology, Hospitality and Textile Technology students have all be invited to attend. Cost is $36 which includes the cost of the ticket and coach. Seats are limited, so students get your money in fast to book your seat.
**Sports Group - Year 7 Sport - Monday**

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**Beach Sports**

On Thursdays students involved in beach sports must meet at the start of lunch at the front of the school. Cost is $5 every week.

**NEW EVENT FOR 2016 - The Ultimate Learner Log Book Run Experience** - an opportunity for learners and their supervisors to experience a series of practical and powerful demonstrations whilst gaining log book hours on a planned route. Learner drivers must have a minimum of 40 log book hours.

**Date:** Sunday, 20th March, 2016  
**Time:** 9am to 1.30pm  
**Location:** Lake Illawarra PCYC  
**Cost:** Free (includes morning tea and lunch)  
**Includes:** Planned route through a variety of driving conditions, RBT/RDT, Driver Reviver, Fire Rescue, Crash Investigation Unit, Safer Vehicles, Road Safety Research and Reverse Parking Tuition. Bookings essential, places are limited call 4227 7111 or visit rso@wollongong.nsw.gov.au.

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**Careers News with Mr Cork**

**Website of the week:** www.careertools.com.au

**Defence Recruitment** is also promoting a “Women’s Leadership Camp” during last week of term at HMAS Creswell. If you are in Years 10, 11 or 12 and have aspirations to become an officer in the defence forces, see Mr Cork to register.

**Interested in Office Admin as a career?** Hotondo Homes is offering a traineeship. See Mr Cork for more information.

**Work Experience** is fast approaching for all our Year 10 students, once you have had your contract signed, hand it in to Mr Cork. If you are having difficulties see Mr Cork ASAP.

**Any boy in Years 10, 11 or 12** who would like to play Open footy for Bomaderry High this year see Mr Cork to register; plus please bring your boots on Monday, 29th February for an Opens Footy photo.

**Year 10 re subject selections.** Sydney Uni has made a major adjustment to its requirements for many of its undergraduate courses. This will affect this years Year 10 when they enter Uni. They must receive at least a Band 4 in HSC Mathematics.

**Like maths?** Visit www.mathscareers.org.au

**On Thursday, 10th March** under 13’s and Open boys + Under 16 girls League Tag are playing at the Rugby Park south Nowra in the Country Cup carnival. All students need to return permission notes and pay $5 at the front office. We still need boys for the Opens footy and Under 16 girls League Tag. All students are expected to provide their own transport. See Mr Cork if you need assistance.

**Women’s Wellness Festival**

Friday, 18th March, 2016 1pm-6pm at Greys Beach, North Nowra. For more information call 4421 7400.

**Waterpolo and Flipperball Try It Out Night**

**When:** Thursday, 3rd March, 2016  
**Where:** Nowra Pool  
**Time:** 7pm  
**Cost:** $5.00 plus pool entry.