



# ◆ THIS WEEK ◆

26th April, 2016

Every Day Is A Uniform Day At Bomaderry High

Term 2 Week 1

## COMING EVENTS

### Monday, 25th April, 2016 - Day 1

- ✓ ANZAC Day Public Holiday

### Tuesday, 26th April, 2016 - Day 2

- ✓ Staff Development Day

### Wednesday, 27th April, 2016 - Day 3

- ✓ Students return.
- ✓ Open boys and girls AFL in Moruya, all day. Years 7 to 12. Mrs Rogers I/C.
- ✓ School ANZAC Ceremony on Morning Assembly. Mr Hinde I/C.

### Thursday, 28th April, 2016 - Day 4

- ✓ Senior boys and girls soccer. Ms Duncan and Mr Burgin I/C.

### Friday, 29th April, 2016 - Day 5

- ✓ HVTC Assessment Session. Period 1 in the library. Mr Cork I/C.

## Positive Thought for the Week -

"Setting goals is the first step in turning the invisible into the visible."

**Excellent Leadership** - On the 1st of April, Bomaderry Primary and Kangaroo Valley Primary students visited Bomaderry High School to work on aspects of their Asian Studies. Our students displayed excellent leadership working together with Year 11 SLR and Maths students for the day on Asian sports and maths activities. Some primary school students even commented that they are really looking forward to the Asian EXPO in June.

Thank you to all students who participated on the day and to Mrs Rogers and Mrs Brewitt for designing engaging activities for our partner primary school students. Mrs Parsons.

**Congratulations** - Davidson Shield Cricket Team resounding 2nd Round win against Mulwaree High School.

*Outstanding performances from:*

Yr8 Alex Parsons - 5/14

Yr8 Rhys Burinaga - Top score 57 not out

**Infants AFL Gala Day** - Congratulations to all the students who helped at Nowra Christian School at the Infants AFL Gala Day on Wednesday the 6th of April. They had a great interaction with the younger children and led the activities really well. They were a credit to the Bomaderry High School!

**Primary School AFL Skills Day Volunteers** - Thank you to all the students who have volunteered to assist at the Primary K-2 skills day and the 3-4 gala days. These events organised by the AFL development officers could not operate in its current format without the assistance of so many wonderful students. Your efforts and attitude on the day were recognised by the organisers and the Primary teachers who sent emails of congratulations to the school. Positive comments were made about your interactions with the students, your leadership abilities on the activities and how you were a credit to the school. Congratulations. Mrs Rogers

**Thank you** - A big thank you to all the Year 7 parents who completed our parent feedback survey. We really do value your thoughts. Here is a summary of the results:

- ◆ 90% of respondents rated their child's transition to high school as good
- ◆ 97% of respondents were happy or very happy with the information provided during transition
- ◆ 91% of respondents were happy or very happy with the orientation process
- ◆ 82% of respondents were happy or very happy with the information provided about Yr7 camp
- ◆ 72% of respondents were happy or very happy with the communication from Bomaderry High School.

Any parent wishing for a more thorough analysis is welcome to contact Sue, our P&C President, at [bomaderryhighschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au](mailto:bomaderryhighschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au)

**Boys Touch Report** - On the 22nd of March, the boys touch team travelled to Kiama to play five games in the Zone Touch round-robin. The team consisted of many younger or new players who gained invaluable experience on the day to ensure we can develop into a stronger team over the next few years. Playing the more experienced teams on the day ensured a very steep learning curve and the Bomaderry High School boys had to work hard to keep up with the speed at which the games were played.

Nowra, Kiama and Ulladulla showed their dominance on the day, running out victors over the Bomaderry High School boys; however, the team never gave up and were able to cross for some very strong tries. Jack and Harry were the try scorers in these games.

The game against Vincentia was much closer resulting in a 2 all draw (Zac and Jack try scorers); however, the game against Shoalhaven allowed the boys to work on their offence and run away with the win 10-2. Try scorers in this game were Che(2), Charlie, Jack, Billy(2), Brodie(2), Harry and Dean off a great ball from Jake. Other members of the team included Chaise, Caleb and Ky.

The day is also used to select a zone team to play at the Regional selections in Nowra in May - congratulations to Brendan- who was a standout on the day, for always making plenty of ground when he touched the ball and Billy and Brodie for their selection into this team. We wish you all the best at the Regional selections.

Mrs Rogers would like to thank all the boys for their positive attitude and excellent behaviour on the day. A special thank you also to Ms Tracey Coe for volunteering to referee on the day - her experience and expertise were greatly appreciated.

**Opportunity 'C' Class for 2017** (for gifted children) - A Year 5 Opportunity 'C' class will be formed in 2017 for gifted and talented students in Year 4 in 2016. Informative Meeting:

**When:** Tuesday, 23 May 2016 at 6:00pm

**Where:** Illaroo Road Public School

Online applications must be made from 26 April - 13 May at [www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement](http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/ocplacement)

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