



THIS WEEK

1st August, 2016

Every Day Is A Uniform Day At Bomaderry High

Term 3 Week 3

COMING EVENTS

Monday, 1st August, 2016 - Day 1

- ✓ Chinese student visit.

Tuesday, 2nd August, 2016 - Day 2

- ✓ Chinese students depart.

Wednesday, 3rd August, 2016 - Day 3

- ✓ Lessons as normal.

Thursday, 4th August, 2016 - Day 4

- ✓ Aurora HSC Physics Trial in Seminar Room at Library. 9:00am to 12:05pm. Mrs Brett I/C.

Friday, 5th August, 2016 - Day 5

- ✓ Regional Athletics Carnival at Bruce Stadium, A.I.S., Canberra. Mr Morris I/C.
- ✓ iPad Parent Information Evening for 7B. 6:00pm in A3.

Positive Thought for the Week -

"You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem and smarter than you think".

P&C Bits & Pieces

Can't make it to P&C meetings but are still interested in keeping up to date with what is going on? Then the e-Network is for you! P&C sends out regular news updates via the email network on topics such as what we will discuss at our meetings, interesting speakers, what P&C should be spending money on and more. Signing up is easy; just go to the fabulous new BHS website, click on 'Wellbeing/Community', then 'P&C' and finally the [here](#) button. If you sign up and then decide it isn't for you, it is just as easy to get off by simply clicking Unsubscribe.

Please have a look and let us know what you think. We always welcome any comments and suggestions.

Canteen Corner

We are always looking for new volunteers, even if it's only for a couple of hours. Anyone interested can pop into the Canteen and speak to Shelly or call on 4421 2465. All profit raised in the Canteen goes directly back into supporting the school and our kids - it's like a never ending fundraiser, and with so many homemade, fresh and delicious things on the menu, supporting the school has never been easier or tastier! Please have a look and let us know what you think. We always welcome any comments and suggestions.



Library News

In recent months the library has acquired some incredible new resources, both fiction and non fiction. From graphic novels to books shortlisted for awards by The Children's Book Council, fantasy and even history! We challenge you to find something you will not enjoy. To browse the new collection simply go to the portal, then the Library Home page and click on 'New Resources'.



Principal's Report

This has been a very exciting week for our students as we welcomed 12 students from China to our classrooms. I visited classes through the week and noticed that despite a few language barriers, this hasn't deterred students in assisting our visitors to be involved in class activities, including PDHPE, dance lessons, cooking in Home Economics and even conducting Science experiments on forces. Thank you to our students and staff for assisting the Chinese students throughout the week. Our appreciation is also extended to the six families who hosted the Chinese students for the week. You provided a range of typical Australian family experiences for the students and I know they appreciated your friendship. Thank you also to Mrs Brewitt who hosted the team leader.

During the week, five of our talented students attended the Regional Performing Ensemble tour. Congratulations to Jade (Year 11), Natasha (Year 11), Tahlia (Year 10) and Harrison (Year 9) on representing the school on a tour that is only offered to outstanding performers.

I would like to wish the best of luck to all the students attending the Regional Athletics Carnival on Friday, 5th August in Canberra. I know you will represent the school well and look forward to hearing the results.

Reports for Years 7 to 10 were handed out to all students over the last two weeks. Please read the Report and discuss areas for improvement with your child. If you have any questions related to particular subjects, please contact the Class Teacher or the Head Teacher of the faculty.

Year 7 and Year 8 Boys Sport - Monday

Group	Sport
Boys 1	Lacrosse
Boys 2	Indoor Hockey
Boys 3	Volleyball
Boys 4	Fitness

Year 7 and Year 8 Girls Sport - Monday

Group	Sport
Girls 5	AFL
Girls 6	Walking for Pleasure
Girls 7	Touch
Girls 8	Basketball

Year 9, 10 and 11 Boys Sport - Thursday

Group	Sport
Boys 1	Indoor Hockey
Boys 2	T-Ball
Boys 3	B'Ball
Boys 4	Touch Footy
Boys 5	Volleyball
Boys 6	Soccer

Year 9, 10 and 11 Girls Sport - Thursday

Group	Sport
Girls 1	Ultimate Frisbee
Girls 2	Walking
Girls 3	Touch Football
Girls 4	Woodcricket
Girls 5	Netball

Senior Sport Change

Due to an increase in Ten Pin Bowling fees, this sport will now cost \$6 every week.

Careers News

 with Mr Cork

Quote of the Week – “The brain is a wonderful organ; it starts working the moment you get up in the morning and does not stop until you get into the office” – Robert Frost.

Website of the Week –
www.westernsydneyuniversity.edu.au

Year 10 - Well done to the Year 10 students who attended last Friday's Shoalhaven Careers Expo. This proved a most useful resource for our students leading into subject selection week. It gave our students food for thought regarding their subject selections for Year 11 in 2017, plus it also provided opportunities for those in Year 10 contemplating exiting school at the end of the year to pursue Apprenticeships and Traineeships.

Attention Year 10. The 2016 **Rural Fire Service** training course is on again later this year. The RFS has invited 25 BHS students to attend. The course provides a wonderful opportunity to engage with the great work the RFS does in the community. See Mr Cork to register.

Western Sydney University has an **OPEN** Day on Sunday, 28th August. It also has information days regarding communication, media, arts, design and also to register for early entry. I visited their Campbelltown campus last Tuesday. Most of our students naturally gravitate to this University as it is our next closest University after UOW. Check out the Website of the Week for more information or phone 1300 897 669.

Interested in an Apprenticeship or Traineeship? On Monday, 8th August an information evening is being held at the Ex-Serviceman's Club in Nowra for parents and students keen to find out information regarding Apprenticeships and Traineeships in the Shoalhaven. The evening goes from 6:00pm to 7:30pm. To find out more information and to book phone 4422 0988.

HVTC is currently advertising for 5 Water Operations traineeships. Phone 1800 247 864 for information.

Are you interested in working in the disability industry? Garry Fields from **Essential** at Bomaderry is offering our senior students work experience opportunities. If our students then go onto tertiary training this may lead to employment with Essential. See Mr Cork to register your interest.