



THIS WEEK

21st November, 2016

Every Day Is A Uniform Day At Bomaderry High

Term 4 Week 7

COMING EVENTS

Monday, 21st November 2016 - Day 1

✓ Yr 10 SKYDS Day.

Tuesday, 22nd November 2016 - Day 2

✓ Orientation Day for Year 7 2017.

Wednesday, 23rd November 2016 - Day 3

✓ Orientation Day for Year 7 2017.

Thursday, 24th November 2016 - Day 4

✓ M.A.D.D. Night in Hall. 6pm start.

Friday, 25th November 2016 - Day 5

✓ School Captains to Halogen Conference at Sydney Olympic Park.

Positive Thought for the Week

A positive thinker sees the invisible, feels the intangible, and achieves the impossible.

Canteen Corner

Are you interested in casual work in our canteen? From time to time we have a staff shortage and need to replace staff for a day due to illness or personal commitments. As this is often at short notice, we are wanting to extend our pool of casual paid staff to be on a relief list. No prior experience is necessary, but a willingness to work as part of a busy team and serve students during break times is essential. If you're interested or would like more information, please contact our Canteen Convener, Karen Woods, on 0405 567 880.

P&C Bits and Pieces

Last year the P&C established a Community Service/Environment award, and we are proud to offer it again this year. The award is granted to a student who demonstrates a significant out-of-school contribution to their local community or environment. Students can be nominated by a teacher, parent, carer, another student, or they can nominate themselves. The successful nominee will be awarded a \$100 gift voucher for a local business of the student's choice. The award will be presented at the end of year Presentation Assembly. Nominations can be handed in at the Front Office and must be received by the end of November.

Parents & Students Please Note

The cashier's window for the receipting of monies will be closed all day on **Wednesday, 30th November 2016** and **Thursday, 1st December 2016**. Access for all other enquiries will be available via the front enquiry window of the Administration Office.

Congratulations

Congratulations to the following students for receiving awards for Distance Education courses.



Ivy O	Academic Excellence	German Beginners
Jacob R	Consistent Application	Engineering

M.A.D.D Night 2016

An evening of Music, Art, Dance and Drama.
Thursday, 24th November 2016 from **6pm** in the School Hall.
Tickets \$10 each or Family Ticket \$30 (2 Adults & 2 Children)

Tickets at the door.

Principal's Report

I am pleased to announce to the school community that Ian Morris has been appointed as Principal for Bomaderry High School. Mr Morris is currently a Deputy Principal at Warrarong High School and should take up his appointment in March 2017. I have spoken to Mr Morris last week and he is looking forward to the role. Naturally I passed on to Mr Morris that BHS is a wonderful place to work because of our friendly students and supportive community. Mr Morris will be visiting the school in the near future and we look forward to welcoming him.

Thanks to all those families who have remembered to complete a request for extended leave form when taking students on a holiday during the school terms. This is a requirement of the Department of Education and families travelling need to have a certificate from the school to show authorities if needed. If planning a holiday with your family, please check if any exams and assessments are scheduled. In most cases, students are required to take school work with them to complete assessments, so advanced notice of your trip is essential.

This week we welcome Year 6 students to our school as they prepare for entry to high school next year. I would like to thank Mr Burgin, their Year Adviser for his efforts in assisting parents and students during this transition period. I know he was very excited after meeting the students on his visits to the school. Our community looks forward to welcoming you and we know you will enjoy your time at Bomaderry High School.

I strongly suggest all families attend MADD night on Thursday, 24th November 2016. This is always a wonderful presentation of student work in Music, Art, Dance and Drama. Once again our students will be joined by Cambewarra Public School's Wakakirri performance. Our students excel in performing arts and this is a culmination of all their hard work this year.

Mrs J Parsons
Relieving Principal

Giving Tree

Bomaderry High School has organised a Christmas Giving Tree for the less fortunate people in our community. The idea is to bring in Christmas themed non-perishable food. The school year which brings in the most non-perishable food will get a mystery reward at the start of Week 11. Take items to Mr Abbott in D4. Thank you for your support in making other people's Christmas better this year.

Careers News

with Mr Cork

Quote of the Week:

"If we all did the things we are capable of doing, we would literally astound ourselves." Thomas Edison

Website of the Week:

www.bomaderryhighcareers.com

TAFE "Choices Day" Bomaderry TAFE 9am to 1pm Saturday, 3rd December 2016.

Year 10 First Aid is on Friday, 2nd December 2016 (Friday Day 10). The course is being delivered by Royal Life Saving. We are able to conduct a 1 day course, because the students will be given their booklets prior to the course. Please note booklets must be completed prior to the course date and handed in completed on the 2nd December. The cost is \$75 payable at the front office. Don't forget your USI number. As of the 16th November we have only 10 confirmed students. We need a class of 15 to proceed.

UOW "Discovery Day" 2017 has been booked in for our new Year 12 students. It will be on Thursday, 9th February 2017. This important event is FREE for BHS students keen to find out about options at UOW in 2018. All students going should now have a permission note plus a Discovery Day registration note. See Mr Cork for a passcode.

Registrations open on Tuesday, 1st November and closes on Friday, 25th November. As of the 16th November we have only 21 confirmed participants.

Year 10 to Year 11 Interviews - will be on during Week 9 (5th December to 9th December). All Year 10 will be interviewed by a member of staff. Students are to have on them a resume, plus an interest test, work values and career planner. All students have completed these in their career's lessons. Students and parents are encouraged to use the website of the week. On this website, in the student area all the information can be found for what is required in the interview.

Apprenticeships - There have been a number of apprenticeships advertised locally. If you are considering leaving and would like to consider an apprenticeship, see Mr Cork for further information.

Have you considered being a Paramedic, and do not have ATAR aspirations. Then you might like to consider a Certificate IV in Health. If interested go to <https://smartandddskilled.nsw.gov.au> or contact Gary Henry on 02 96080222.

Burgers and More Takeaway in Berry are looking to employ some young people for work on the weekends and holidays. Drop in and see Nicole if interested.

Defence Recruitment Wollongong is conducting information sessions, at its Wollongong office on : Friday, 16th December from 6pm to 7.30pm.

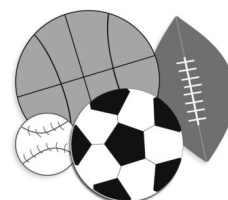
Mr G Cork
Careers Adviser BHS

Library News

Did you know?? Bomaderry High Library subscribes to Australian Standing Orders. Through this service some of Australia's best new releases have become part of our collection this year. Choosing books from thousands can be daunting—let your librarians make it easy. Come on down to the library where your will find lots of amazing books.

Year 7 and Year 8 Girls and Boys Sport - Monday

Group	Sport
Girls 2	T-Ball
Girls 3	Volleyball
Girls 4	Wood Cricket
Girls 1	Lacrosse



Group	Sport
Boys 6	T-Ball
Boys 7	Dodgeball
Boys 8	Cricket
Boys 5	Indoor Soccer