

### **Boort District P - 12 School**

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#### VISION STATEMENT

Our vision is to empower our students and staff to work together to become active and valued community members. We provide a safe and supportive learning environment, which fosters independent, resilient lifelong learners.

> 'Achieving Excellence Together' **BDS Motto:**

**BDS Beliefs and Values: Thinking Creatively and Independently** 



#### **DIARY DATES**

#### June

15<sup>th</sup> Correction Day Pupil Free

15th GAT

16<sup>th</sup> VET Taster Day

19th Federation Uni & ACU Ballarat

20th Sarah the Painter Print/Photo class

21st House Athletic Sports

21st School Council & Finance Meeting.

22<sup>nd</sup> Pies Delivered.

22<sup>nd</sup> Year 12 Parent Teacher Conference.

23rd SRC Sports Dress up day.

23rd Whole School Assembly 2.05pm

23<sup>rd</sup> Last Day of Term 2 Dismissal 2.30pm

Term 3 Begins 10<sup>th</sup> July

Principal's Report

Year 11 exams started yesterday. They will run throughout the rest of this week. The General Achievement Test (GAT) for all students doing a Unit 3 and 4 sequence, will be held tomorrow - Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June, at school.

#### Beechworth Camp

Yesterday morning we saw the Year 4 to 6 students off on a Positive Start to camp at Beechworth. As they are all studying Bushrangers and Gold within their Integrated Studies lessons. they will be doing many activities that fit in with this theme. Thanks to Alysha Wilson and Carol White for their organisation and to Bradley Haw, Mark Perryman and Steve Lanyon for going along as parent helpers.

### Student/Teacher Conferences

This year, we will run student and teacher conferences for all students doing a Unit 3 (Year 12) subject. These conferences will be held at school on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June from 2.00pm until 4.40pm. Times for interviews will be sent home tomorrow via XUNO email to all parents and students in Year 11 and Year 12.

Any parent who wishes to attend the conference is welcome to do so.

#### Correction/Report Writing Day Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June

Remember that Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June will be a pupil-free day to allow for report writing and correction of work and for comments to be placed on Xuno.

Please remember that students who usually attend VET at NCTTC in Charlton may still do so. The buses will run as normal.

#### **Athletics Sports**

Our House Athletics will run next week on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June. Dress in house colours. Parents and carers are welcome to come along.

#### End of Term

School will conclude for students on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June at 2.30pm. We will hold a final assembly in the Stadium starting at 2.05pm. Parents and carers are welcome to attend.

Lee-Anne Sherwell

Principal

Principal's Availability over the Next Week

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Thursday	Friday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Report and Correction	At School	At School	At School	House Athletics
Day – no students at				Sports
school – unless doing				
GAT				
VET Students attend				
Charlton				

## Year 6 Fundraising Quilt

Year 6 are selling tickets for a magnificent queen bed quilt made and kindly donated by Carol Ritchie.

Tickets are \$2 each and are available at the School, Chemist, Post Office and Newsagency.

Don't miss your chance to own this wonderful quilt by purchasing a ticket before June 23<sup>rd</sup>.





Our next SRC event will be on the last day of term. We want to celebrate the end of what has been a busy, exciting and positive semester for our School. We are therefore having a Sports Team dress up day, with activities at lunch time. Students are asked to come dressed in their favourite sporting team's colours, any sport! Hot dogs will be available as a hot lunch special from the canteen for \$5. Order forms have gone out, please return these to the office by Friday 16<sup>th</sup>. There is no donation required, this is purely a day for fun and celebration, hosted by the SRC.

#### **HOUSE ATHLETICS SPORTS**

The combined F-12 House Athletic Sports will be held on Wednesday 21st June.

The day will begin at 9am on the school oval and will run for the entire day with students participating in both track and field events. Students are encouraged to dress in their house colours for the day, along with bringing their drink bottle, lunch and snacks. Lunch orders will be available as per normal.

Parental assistance is required in all areas of the carnival including with the running of events (F-12), timekeeping (7-12) and walking around with primary age groups (F-6).

If you are able to help on this day, could you please fill out the form below and return it to the Office or make contact via email to the Sports Coordinators by Monday 12th June.

We greatly appreciate parent support to assist with the running of events.

Thank you	ı,					
Brooke Chamberlain, Chris Hatcher, April Hatcher & Hayden Rowley Sports Coordinators						
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	HOUSE ATHLETIC SPORTS – Wednesday 21st June.					
NAME:						
	I am able to help at the F-12 House Athletics on Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> June.					

# I would prefer to help in the following way -

PHONE NO	):
SIGNED: _	
	Wherever needed.
	Timekeeping (all ages)
	Helping conduct a field event (all ages)
	Helping with the following year level (F-6)

#### F-6 Basketball Program

Over the past couple of weeks, students from Foundation to Year 6 have had the opportunity to participate in basketball coaching sessions delivered by Bendigo Braves player Luke Rosendale. It was a fantastic opportunity for students to learn from someone playing at such a level. Through skill development and game it was fantastic to see students' enthusiasm and progression throughout the program and we look forward to using these skills in future as part of our PE programs or community basketball in Term 4.



#### **LMR Cross Country**

On Tuesday the 6<sup>th</sup> of June, Boort District School took a team of 17 students to St Arnaud to compete in the LMR Cross Country. All students braved the beautiful weather, as well as the muddy and wet terrain to put in strong performances. We had some students make it to state level by placing in the top 12, and some other students missing out by the narrowest of margins. Well done to all involved!



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Name	Place	Time
Pearl Muller	13 <sup>th</sup>	10:16
Noah Howe	34 <sup>th</sup>	13:27
Abby Potter	42 <sup>nd</sup>	16:01
Seth Muller	17 <sup>th</sup>	12:28
Finlay Arnold	48 <sup>th</sup>	14:47
Chaise Hird	<i>53<sup>rd</sup></i>	15:14
Jacob Malone	51 <sup>st</sup>	14:58
Cooper Gooding	36 <sup>th</sup>	13:37
Maddy Lanyon	20 <sup>th</sup>	15:06
Phoebe Henderson	35 <sup>th</sup>	16:36
Kathleen Hocking	31 <sup>st</sup>	16:19
Jack Potter	35 <sup>th</sup>	21:41
Lachlan Hall	36 <sup>th</sup>	21:43
Isabelle Hosking	6 <sup>th</sup>	14:15
Ella Maxted	10 <sup>th</sup>	14:44
Sam Barraclough	21 <sup>st</sup>	19:34
Alex Cockerell	23 <sup>rd</sup>	20:09

#### Y7-9 Ultimate Frisbee Program

Two weeks ago, students from Years 7-9 were involved with an Ultimate Frisbee program courtesy of Sporting School funding. This involved coaches from Kelly Sports in Bendigo coming up to teach students the techniques of throwing and catching a Frisbee and incorporating these into a variety of game play situations. Students had a great time and it was a fantastic opportunity for students to learn a different sport but also lots of transferable skills. We hope to see students engaging in Frisbee at lunchtime over the next few weeks and for the sports participation to continue to develop in future PE classes.





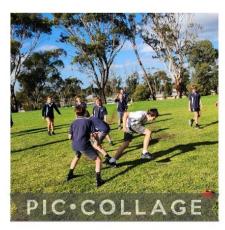












# **Community Announcements**



#### THE LITTLE MERMAID

PG Mild fantasy themes and violence, some scenes may scare young children

135 mins | Family | Fantasy



Sat 24 June 8pm Sun 25 June 2pm Tue 27 June 8pm

The youngest of King Triton's daughters, Ariel is a beautiful and spirited young mermaid with a thirst for adventure. Longing to find out more about the world beyond the sea. Ariel visits the surface and falls for the dashing Prince Eric. Following her heart, she makes a deal with the evil sea witch, Ursula, to experience life on land.