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TERM 1 WEEK 10. 31 MARCH 2021

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

31/03/2021		District Netball Trials Arkininstall Park Postponed till 23/4/2021
31/03/2021		K/1 Parent Teacher Interviews
01/04/2021	9.15am	EASTER HAT PARADE AND DISCO
01/04/2021		LAST DAY OF TERM ONE
02/04/2021		Good Friday
19/04/2021		TERM TWO STAFF RETURN
20/04/2021		STUDENTS RETURN
21/04/2021		Cross Country at school
21/04/2021		FNC Football Trials (Soccer) Selected Students only
23/04/2021		District Netball Trials Arkininstall Park Selected Students only
29/04/2021		Athletics Coaching - all grades at school
30/04/2021		School Photo Day All Students Full School Uniform
06/05/2021		Athletics Coaching - all grades at school
11/5/2021 to	13/5/2021	NAPLAN YEAR 3 AND 5
13/5/2021		Athletics Coaching - all grades at school
20/5/2021		Athletics Coaching - all grades at school
26/5/2021		Sorry Day
27/5/2021		Athletics Coaching - all grades at school

PAYMENTS

OVERDUE	\$60.00	4/5/6 CAMP DEPOSIT AND NEW PERMISSION NOTE
26/03/2021	\$40.00	4/5/6 Camp First Instalment

ATTENDANCE

If your child is unwell please advise the school via the School Stream App , Email or phone the office.

STAR STUDENT

Tatum is our Star of the Week winner for Term 1 Week 9. is always kind and courteous to students and teachers alike and always does her best work in class. Tatum is a very deserving recipient of our Star of the Week Award.



Tatum
4/5/6

CLASS AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students, we are so proud of you all.

K/1 – Jesse and Lachy





2/3 - Asher, Callum and Ruby



4/5/6 - Year 6 Students



BIRTHDAY AWARDS

Happy Birthday to Zach, Daisy and Ruby



EASTER HAT PARADE

On Thursday 1st April the school will be hosting our annual Easter Hat Parade. It will commence at 9:15am in the under cover area. Students are permitted to wear mufti on the day.

Parents are welcome to attend but must sign in with the QR code at the front gate and obey the 4 meter rule for outdoor activities.

DISCO

To end the term on a happy note we will have an early lunch break at 12:30pm where the students can purchase a sausage on bread, popper and disco for \$7:00.

At 1 pm we will be having a Disco in the hall until the end of the day. Unfortunately Parents will not be able to attend this indoor activity due to the new Covid restrictions put into place today.

PRINCIPAL REPORT

IMPORTANT COVID MESSAGE

Due to recent outbreaks of COVID in Brisbane and Byron Bay we need to apply some temporary restrictions to people coming on to our school site.

There are three key messages:

1. If a person has returned from Greater Brisbane, which includes Brisbane, Logan, Moreton Bay, Ipswich and Redland Local Government Areas since 20 March 2021 must comply with the Stay at Home Order consistent with those living in those areas in QLD until 5pm Thursday, 1 April 2021. This means they cannot come to school for this period.

2. If a person has been to any of the **close contact locations** listed in the table found at <https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/Infectious/covid-19/Pages/case-locations-and-alerts.aspx> on the dates and during the times listed must self-isolate for a period of 14 days from the time they attended the location. This means they will not be able to attend school for the full 14 day period.

If anyone has been to one of the **casual contact locations** at on the dates and during the times listed in the table they must get a COVID test and self-isolate until they received a negative result. That means they cannot attend school until they have received confirmation of their negative result. Then they can return to their normal living arrangements.

Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support and patience.

Driving and parking safely near our school

The beginning and end of the school day are busy times for pedestrians and drivers outside our school.



You can help keep children safe by remembering the following:

- School ends at 2.50pm each day. Try to be here at least 5 - 10 minutes before the home bell.
- Drop your child off and pick them up on the school side of the road
- Never call out to them from across the road - it is very dangerous
- Always take extra care in the 40km school zone
- Park responsibly even if it means you have to walk further to the school gate
- Never double park - it is illegal and puts children at risk
- Never do a U-turn or a three point turn outside the school as it puts children at risk of harm.

MR DAVIS'S PARENT TIPS OF THE WEEK

Travelling safely to and from school by bus

Bus travel is a great way to safely get to and from school.

Parents and carers are responsible for their child's safety on the way to and from school.

Getting to the bus stop in the morning

- Always supervise your child until they are at least 10 and hold their hand when walking to and from the bus stop or interchange, and when crossing the road.
- When waiting for the bus, hold hands and stand a few steps back from the edge of the road.

Getting off the bus in the afternoon

- Meet your child at the stop or interchange after school.
- Never wait on the opposite side of the road and call them across.
- Wait until the bus has gone, then choose a safe place to cross the road.
- If you cannot meet your child, organise for a trusted adult to take your place.

What if you're not there?

Your child is most at risk in the first few minutes after getting off the bus. Talk to them about what to do if:

- you are delayed and cannot meet them as usual (for example, find a safe place to wait)
- they catch the wrong bus
- they get off the bus at the wrong stop.

MR DAVIS'S FUNNIES

Q. Everyone has it and no one can lose it, what is it?

A. *A shadow.*

Q. It's been around for millions of years, but it's no more than a month old. What is it?

A. *The moon.*

OFFICE MESSAGES

CHANGE OF DETAILS

Please keep the office updated with any family changes like phone numbers, addresses, medical plans, separations or court orders.

It must be in writing for us to change it in the system, it helps us keep our records up to date to ensure the best care for your child.

4/5/6 - CYC BURLEIGH CAMP

Please return the **new** signed permission note for the 4/5/6 CYC Burleigh Camp and the deposit of \$60.00 to the office as soon as possible to ensure your child's place on camp, if you have not already done so.

Please be aware that the first instalment of \$40.00 was due on Friday 26/3/2021.

STUDENT BANKING

Student banking days are Tuesday. Please send in your bank books to the office each week. Thank you





The 2021
Poetry & Short Story Schools Writing Competition is
NOW OPEN!!

write4fun.net

POETRY & SHORT STORY WRITING COMPETITION
Win \$1000 and....
A PlayStation 4 or Apple iPad 32GB or \$500 Rebel Sport Gift Card or a Nintendo Switch

ENTER NOW!

Students from ALL AROUND Australia are invited to enter their original poems or short stories. One entry per student.

All grades from Prep/Kindergarten through to Grade 12 can participate.

Competition Information

Entry is NOW OPEN in the 2021 Schools Poetry & Short Story Writing Competition! Students all over Australia are invited to enter their poems OR short stories, and battle it out for the great cash & prizes on offer.

There is no theme!! Entrants are encouraged to let their imaginations run wild and write on ANY TOPIC and in ANY STYLE. Students from ALL GRADES are welcome to enter - Kindergarten to Grade 12.

Entry is FREE and all entries must be in **by the extended closing date of 9th April 2021.**

THE BOOK

Poems and short stories entered into the competition will be considered for inclusion into our 2021 Write4fun anthology! Those selected will have the opportunity to purchase the edition at a discounted rate. 1st, 2nd and 3rd prize winners will receive a complimentary copy of the book

"We are very excited to be sponsoring this competition," stated Julia Woods, Managing Editor for Write4Fun. "Reading and writing seem to be taking a back seat these days to computer games and evolving technology! Our hope is that competitions such as these inspire the students to be creative with words once more and have fun doing it!"

Competition Prizes Poetry Prizes

1st \$1,000 CASH, to be divided AUD\$500.00 to the school and AUD\$500.00 to the winning student, a copy of the competition keepsake anthology featuring their writing and YOUR CHOICE of a:

- * \$500 Rebel Sport Gift Card
- * Nintendo Switch
- * Apple iPad 32GB
- * PlayStation 4

2nd \$250 CASH + Write4fun Stationery Gift Pack & Book

3rd \$150 CASH + Write4fun Stationery Gift Pack & Book

13 x Finalists Write4fun Stationery Gift Pack & Book

We will also be awarding one Second Prize in each division of \$250 and one Third Prize of \$150 and 13 Finalists will receive a Write4fun Gift Pack.

Short Story Prizes

1st \$1,000 CASH, to be divided AUD\$500.00 to the school and AUD\$500.00 to the winning student, a copy of the competition keepsake anthology featuring their writing and YOUR CHOICE of a:

- * \$500 Rebel Sport Gift Card
- * Nintendo Switch
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- * PlayStation 4

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3rd \$150 CASH + Write4fun Stationery Gift Pack & Book

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One talented writer in each division (poetry & short story) will receive \$1,000 as First Prize



(with \$500 going to the winning school and \$500 to the student), a copy of the competition keepsake anthology featuring their writing PLUS the choice of either a \$500 Rebel Sport Gift Card OR a Nintendo Switch OR an Apple iPad 32GB OR a PlayStation 4.

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For more information go to: write4fun.net



Yaz Nature Me Personalised Children's Nature Tours

Gather your own group together and choose a day? (min 4 children required)

A range of dates available
From \$30/child - pre booking required
Children aged 3-5 or 5-10 years old

Contact me to arrange details

More info or to book:
www.yaznature.me
book@yaznature.me
0432642371



Garden DAYS

Join us for pot decorating and seed planting workshops.

10AM-1PM DAILY

Bookings essential via our website.

Opportunity knocks ...

Join the virtual school for rural and remote students

Aurora College is NSW's virtual school, offering a mix of online and residential school classes for high potential and gifted students in rural and remote government schools.

The school provides innovative, flexible learning in a whole new context, by allowing students to connect locally and to learn globally.

Students learn with their teachers and classmates in timetabled lessons using cutting-edge technologies in a virtual learning environment.

Year 5 applications for Aurora College's 2022 virtual opportunity class open Tuesday 20 April 2021 and close at 5pm on Friday 7 May 2021.

Opportunity class students study mathematics, science and technology, integrating the design thinking process.

For further information, visit our website www.aurora.nsw.edu.au or phone 1300 287 629.



To apply for Aurora's virtual opportunity class, go to:
<http://www.aurora.nsw.edu.au/learn/opportunity-class/how-can-i-enrol/>

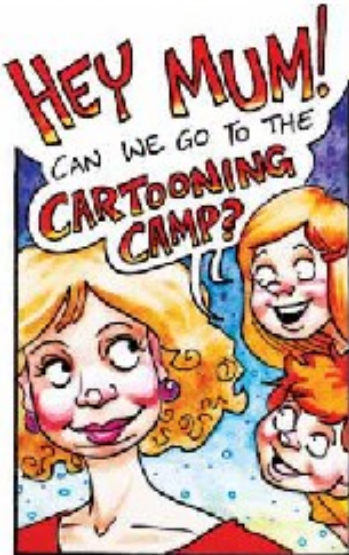




Byron Bay Shire & Northern Rivers
April School Holidays



Contact Service NSW & get the \$100 Creative Kids Vouchers then call our office: 02 9343 0833



Sure sounds like fun, & it's very reasonably priced!

I'll ring Mrs. Field & see if she wants to book in too!

\$45 for Short Day / \$50 for Long Day
www.illustrating-man.com.au

EARLY BIRD

Book all 4 Long Days before 5pm Monday March 15th for the Early Bird Special.



Book all 4 Long Days & we will give your child a set of 6 Cartooning Books

No phone booking enquiries only: 9am - 5pm (EST)
Calls outside of these times will be returned the following day

Enquiries: (02) 9343 0833
bookings@cartoonkingdom.com.au
www.illustrating-man.com.au

Mail: Suite 2, 29 Newland Street, Bondi Junction 2022

Byron Bay & Northern Rivers

Tues April 6th - Frid April 9th

Byron Bay Public School 17 Kingsley Street, Byron Bay

\$100 Creative Kids Voucher

Each child 4 - 17 is allowed \$100 per year

- If you are using **Creative Kids Vouchers** first get the Voucher from Service NSW
- Call our office with the Voucher numbers starting with 9999... / the child's date of birth / their names **02 9343 0833**
- If paying by Card or PayPal - go to our site: www.illustrating-man.com.au
 - Click on the colourful **Cartoon Camp Button** on our home page
 - Select your location & complete the on-line form & payment

