Dear Parents,

The Quiz Night on Saturday night was extremely successful in terms of fun, terrific organisation and co-ordination, an excellent format and the taking of healthy funds. Well done to everyone involved in this annual school event.

Today, Mr Lee was farewelled at a lovely assembly to acknowledge his terrific service and contributions for Bellerive Primary over the past 11 years. We wish Mr Lee all the best in his well-earned retirement.

Next term will be another busy and productive term at Bellerive Primary involving the following:

- External School Review from October 15th to 17th
- Basketball tournament for Bellerive Primary Grade 3-6 students
- Interhouse Swimming Carnival on Tuesday 23rd October
- Bike Education program for Grade 4 students in Week 2
- Whole school photograph on Tuesday 30th October at 10.45 a.m.
- Grade 6 camp in Week 3
- Marimba Mania in Week 3
- Interschool Swimming Carnival on November 5th
- School History Book Launch on Monday November 5th
- Old Scholars Day on Tuesday November 6th
- Time capsule openings on Wednesday November 7th
- School history class presentations in Week 4
- Podiatry screenings for Grade 1 and 6 students in Week 6
- ECE Fun Athletic Carnival on Tuesday 20th November
• Primary Triathlon on Friday 23rd November
• Clarence High School transition program for our Grade 6 students in Weeks 5, 6 & 7
• End of Year assemblies and celebrations
• Planning for 2019 with class groups and the 2018 School Improvement Plan
• Completing reviews of 2018 including the 2018 Annual Report

On Tuesday 6th November the school will be conducting a history bus tour for parents at 10.00am. The tour will be conducted by local historian John Sargent and highlight famous historical Bellerive landmarks and buildings including old schools in the area. This tour is planned as part of our school history celebrations this year and is free for all interested parents. If you would like to book a seat for this tour please contact the school office by this Friday 28th September.

I would like to wish all students and staff all the best for the upcoming holiday period and acknowledge the efforts of all stakeholders for their focus on driving student outcomes and school improvement. Please enjoy a safe, relaxing and enjoyable two week period ready to tackle the new school term to complete another successful year at Bellerive Primary.

Steven Hay — Principal

UTAS Science and Engineering Investigation Awards 2018

Recently Bellerive Primary sent a group of 11 Grade 5-6 students to UTAS to compete in the Science and Engineering Investigation Awards. This year over 50 schools state wide registered more than 600 student investigation projects.

A team of 45 judges from research, industry, education and the community assessed the projects and talked to students about what they had discovered.

Each student was required to present their work as a formal report, a poster display and as a spoken presentation to teams of judges.

Two of our students received awards for their research, Ambilly for her work on clean water and Mila for her investigations into the effectiveness of hand sanitisers compared to soap.

Wendy Fletcher—Science Co-ordinator
Mrs Natalie Wickham is seeking parent volunteers to assist with the running of the School Dance which is being held on Thursday 27th September. Our school SRC will be on hand to assist with the running of the two sessions. ECE from 5.00 – 6.00pm and Primary from 6.30 – 7.30pm.

The SRC will be pre-selling tickets which includes fruit juice, fruit kebab, entertainment and prizes on the night. Tickets will be on sale in the school hall before school on Wednesday 26th.

If you are able to volunteer for any of the following: Decorations (Thur between 3pm-5pm); Audio/sound; Compiling Music Mix; DJ; Lighting; Making fruit kebabs (Thursday any time during the day), please email natalie.wickham@education.tas.gov.au if you are able to assist.

**Reminder:**
Science Club will not be on Wednesday 26th September. Grade 4 Science Club has finished for the year.

**Reminder:** All students who wish to participate in the Triathlon need to return their forms and money before the end of term.

Thank you - Erin Hoult PE Teacher

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**175th School Anniversary Reminders**

Please forward school calendar orders (page 4) to the school office. Calendars are $10.

175th anniversary mugs available - $5 each or 6 for $25.

Only RSVP’s through the school office will be accepted as we need to know definite numbers for events. RSVP’s through Facebook will not be accepted.

A school history book which will be an A4 and over 200 pages will be launched on Monday 5th November. Books will be $20 and available on the night of the launch or from the school office.

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**Fight Cancer Foundation**

Giving hope. Saving lives.

**Footy Colours Day—Friday 28th September!**

Come dressed in your favourite team colours to support the Fight Cancer Foundation.

Gold coin donation to be collected by class SRC representatives.

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**Uniform Shop will be closed Tuesday 25th September**
As part of the 175th Anniversary celebrations, our school will be producing and selling a 24 month calendar which highlights student artwork from Kindergarten to Grade 6. Each class will submit artwork for a month in the calendar. The remainder of the months, will feature a French page and portraits completed by Young Archies finalists. The calendar will sell for $10.00. To enable the school to order an accurate print run, could you please complete the order form and return it to school by Friday 21st September. These calendars will be in A4 size and in landscape orientation. They will be an excellent keepsake or present around Christmas time for friends and family. Please note that all parents who order now will be guaranteed a calendar. No money is required with the order. Payment can be made when calendars are collected from the school office in November.

Please contact me at
steven.hay@education.tas.gov.au
if you require further details.

Examples and format similar to Dodges Ferry Primary School's Calendar. A sample calendar may be viewed at the school office for interested parents.

2019 / 2020 School Calendar Order Form

Parent Name: ________________________________________________________________
Mobile Number: _____________________________________________________________
I would like to order _______ calendar/s.  Grade/Class_______ Parents’ Signature________________________

Please return this order form by Friday 28th September.  No Payment required with this order form.
KEY DATES FOR 2018

WEEKLY
Assembly – Friday 2:10pm
Banking - Tuesdays
Uniform Shop  Tuesday 2:45pm-3:15pm
Friday 8:30am – 9:15am
LIL Thursday  9:00am – 11:00am (LIL)
9:00am-10:30am & 1:00pm-2:30pm (Pre Kinder)
Canteen - Thursday & Friday
Marimba 1.30pm & Honour Choir 2.10pm Fridays

SEPT
Tue 25th
Growing Up Program (25th—28th)
Excursion—All Kinders Sorell School Farm
Fri 28th
Disco ECE from 5.00 – 6.00pm
Primary from 6.30 – 7.30pm
Footy Colours Day Gold Coin donation
Excursion Grade 1-2’s Bellerive Beach Park
Fri 28th
Final Day of Term 3

OCT
1-14
Mon 15th
Freemasons Visit—Grade 5-6WP
Tue 16th
Excursion 5-6VE Woolworths Eastlands 11.10am
Tue 16th
School Association Meeting—5.30pm
Thu 18th
Edu.cat 4-5 HR, 5-6 WP, 1-2 LNK—Cooking Rm
Fri 19th
Edu.cat 3-4SR—Cooking Room
Mon 22nd
Bike Education —Grade 4
Mon 22nd
Band Workshop—Grade 6
Tue 23rd
Interhouse Swimming Carnival
Tue 23rd
Band Workshop— Grade 6
 Tue 23rd
Edu.cat—Prep-1 R, Prep NB, 3-4 M, K Green
Wed 24th
Bike Education
Thu 25th
Show Day
Fri 26th
Student Free Day

NOV
Thu 1st
Grade 6 Camp (returning
Friday 2nd)
Thu 1st
Music Count Us In—Bellerive Boardwalk
Fri 2nd
Grade 5 PCYC 9.00am—11.00am
Fri 2nd
Marimba Mania at Margate Primary
Sat 3rd
Marimba Mania at Parliament Lawns
Mon 5th
Division A Swimming Carnival
Mon 5th
School History Book Launch 7.30pm
Tue 6th
175th Anniversary—Old Scholars Day
Tue 6th
Year 5 Eastern Band 3.30pm CHS
Wed 7th
Time Capsule Opening(s)
Thu 8th
CHS visiting BPS
Fri 9th
Prep-2 Assembly 9.15am
Fri 9th
Grade 3-6 Assembly 1.45pm
Mon 12th
CHS Transition 8.50-10.00am
Mon 13th
Podiatry screening—Grades 1 and 6 only
Mon 13th
School Association Meeting

Happy Holidays
Everyone!

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