



Blyth Primary School

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A message from the Principal

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to term 3. As was the case for term 2, this newsletter is only 2 pages as its purpose is to provide you with some general information for the term. Please note, that we have provided a whole term calendar with events recorded on the back of this page. As the term unfolds there will be changes, so each newsletter we will provide an updated calendar for your information.

We trust that families had an enjoyable break with their children and have returned refreshed to take on term 3. This term is already shaping up to be incredibly busy with Parent/Student interview, SAPSASA events, Youth Environment Leaders Day, the Festival of Choir Performance, Book Week, Splash Theatre, Sports Day, a Pupil Free Day and a School Closure Day. I am currently negotiating a Hockey Clinic as well....Along with all these activities the main focus however for the term is your child's learning in all the curriculum areas.

Now onto another matter.....,

It is with a heavy heart that I announce my decision to leave the Clare Valley at the end of the year. Due to family reasons, I cannot continue my role here as Principal and have decided to return to Adelaide in 2018. As such, I have accepted a position as a Principal in Adelaide commencing term one next year.

It is never an easy time to inform a School Community of such a significant change but the positive is that my early appointment gives Blyth Community an opportunity to choose a Principal, as opposed to me finding out late this term or in term four and then having to notify the school community that a temporary replacement will be appointed.

Joann Weckert, the Educational Director, will be attending our first Governing Council meeting this term to discuss the process of advertising, short listing etc. for a new Principal.

I want to assure you that I will continue to lead our site over the next two terms with the view to working towards achieving our Site Improvement Goals and whilst I am experiencing some anxiety with regards to how the news of my departure will be received, I am looking forward to working with the staff and our students for the remainder of this School Year. Blyth Primary is truly a tremendous site to work in.

Until next newsletter, Kind Regards, Marie-Louise.

Term 3, Week 1 2017

Diary Dates:

- 28/07/17 Assembly 3pm Hosts: Sorayah and Coby
- 31/07/17 Parent Club 2.30pm
- 02/08/17 Football
- 07/08/17 Governing Council 7pm
- 08/08/17 YEL
- 09/08/17 Interviews
SAPSASA Basketball
- 10/08/17 SPLASH
@Brinkworth
- 11/08/17 Assembly 3pm Hosts: Will B & Jayde

In term three we will publish newsletters in Wk 1, 3, 5, and 9.

We will hold an assembly in the stone building on the Friday afternoon of Wk 1,3, 5, and 9.



Collaboration, Respect and Resilience are our core values

Term Three Diary Events

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week One	24	25	26	27	28
		Football			Assembly 3pm Hosts: Sorayah and Coby Newsletter
Week Two	31	1 Aug	2	3	4
	Parent Club 2:30pm		Football		
Week Three	7	8	9	10	11
	Gov. Council 7pm	YEL	Interviews SAPSASA Basket- ball	SPLASH Theatre at Brinkworth	Assembly 3pm Hosts: Will B & Jayde Newsletter
Week Four	14	15	16	17	18
	Interviews		Tuck Day		
Week Five	21	22	23	24	25
	Bookweek	Bookweek	Bookweek Cake Comp starts Yr 5/6 Choir Rehearsal -Adelaide	Bookweek	Bookweek Cake Comp judged Assembly 3pm Hosts: Riley & Cody Newsletter
Week 6	28	29	30	31	1 Sept
Week Seven	4	5	6	7	8
				SRC Casual Day	SCHOOL CLOSURE
Week 8	11	12	13	14	15
	PUPIL FREE DAY Gov. Council 7pm		Choir Performance- Entertainment Centre		
Week 9	18	19	20	21	22
			SPORTS DAY		Assembly 3pm Hosts: Sam & Charlotte Newsletter
Week 10	25	26	27	28	29
			Back up Sports Day	Community Assembly 2.30pm SAPSASA Athletics	