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Newsletter 7

Term 4 Week 7

Monday 21 November 2011

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



Congratulations to Year 12 for a wonderful formal at Oatlands house last week. They were beautifully dressed and behaved with maturity. The teachers who attended were most proud of them. Thank you to Mrs Pigram who has spent the last six years mentoring her year group. They have set a high standard for the next cohort.

Year 10 students are off to a Leadership Camp this week at Collaroy. They will participate in a range of activities but will concentrate on developing leadership skills which they will be able to use with our incoming Year 7 students as Peer Support leaders. Thank you to Miss Chiem and Mrs Parnell who have organised this camp. As always, overnight camps take teachers away from their families and they do these extra activities on a voluntary basis. I'm sure all the students appreciate the extra commitment that teachers make to provide an all-round education.

Congratulations to:

- **Benjamin Lowe** who achieved a High Distinction in the Australian Informatics Competition
- The 23 students who won prizes in the Australian Mathematics Competition conducted by the Australian Mathematics Trust.

Jeanne Bathgate, Principal

For our Year 12, Tuesday's formal was a time to relax and party together. It was all smiles, laughter and dancing at Oatlands House. I was very happy to see the stress lifted after the HSC exams. We look forward to seeing Year 12 at "Back to Baulko Day" on December 15 to celebrate their success.

Helen Pigram, Year 12 Adviser

Recognition Assemblies for Term 4

Friday	25 November	Year 11
Thursday	8 December	Year 9
Friday	9 December	Year 10 Graduation Ceremony
Monday	12 December	Year 8
Tuesday	13 December	Year 7

The names of students receiving awards will be posted on the noticeboards for individual year groups. Please ask your child to check if they are receiving an award. Parents are welcome to attend. Recognition Assemblies commence at 9.00 am.

P & C SOCIAL EVENING



The P&C are hosting an informal gathering for Years 7 & 8 on Wed 30th Nov from 6.30-8.30pm

This function will be a good opportunity for all Year 7 and 8 parents and students to meet fellow parents and students in a relaxed and casual setting. Drinks, coffee and BBQ will be served by P&C.

Parents are requested to bring a plate of their favourite food to share so that everyone may sample different types of food from our diverse, multicultural school community.

The evening will commence at 6:30 pm in the covered area outside the school canteen. In order to assist with catering, please register your attendance by sending relevant details to bhhsPandC@hotmail.com. We look forward to seeing you.

P&C Committee



CALENDAR

This calendar is subject to change so please check carefully each week for any alterations. A full calendar for the whole year is available on the school website at

www.baulkhamhillshighschool.com.au

Term 4

Week 7
Monday 21 November - Y7 Sports Expo (G. Smith)
Tuesday 22 November - Y11 English Study Day (Sarlej) - Y8 ESSA, P1-8 (Chin) - P & C Meeting, 7.30pm, Library. All welcome
Wednesday 23 November - Sport Semi Finals, P5-8
Thursday 24 November - Y9 High Resolves – School Action, P1-3 (Hill/Kite) - Y10 Leadership Camp, 24-25 November inclusive (Chiem)
Friday 25 November - Y11 Recognition Assembly
Week 8
Monday 28 November - Blood Bank, over 2 days, 28-29 November inclusive - Y8 Excursion to Dubbo Zoo, 28-29 Nov inclusive (Benic)
Tuesday 29 November - Cadet Dinner Evening, Fox Hills Golf Club, 7.30 pm
Wednesday 30 November - Peer Support Training Day, P1-5 (Chiem) - Sport Grand Finals, P5-8) - Y10 Food Tech Cooking afternoon, 2.30-6.00 pm (Downer) - Social Evening/Informal Dinner for Y7 & 8 Parents
Thursday 1 December - Y7 Ancient Show (Treanor) - Y9 PASS Surf Awareness, all day (Melrose/Chapman)
Friday 2 December - Y7 Geography Excursion, all day (Ford)
Week 9
Monday 5 December - Orientation Day for Year 7's 2012 - Y11 Assessment Week - National Volleyball Finals, Melbourne, all week (Kennedy)
Tuesday 6 December - Y9 Excursion to Jamberoo (Hill)
Wednesday 7 December
Thursday 8 December - Y9 Recognition Assembly - Wheelchair Basketball Arrive Alive Presentation (G. Smith)
Friday 9 December - Y10 Graduation Ceremony - Year 9 Reports issued - Year 10 Reports issued
Week 10
Monday 12 December - Y7 Reports issued - Y8 Reports issued - Y8 Recognition Assembly - Y10 Formal at Castle Hill RSL
Tuesday 13 December - Y7 Recognition Assembly - Y11 Chemistry Excursion to ANSTO (Vasram)

Wednesday 14 December
Thursday 15 December
Friday 16 December Last Day of school for all students
Week 11
Monday 19 December Staff Development Day – NO STUDENTS
Tuesday 20 December Staff Development Day – NO STUDENTS
Wednesday 21 December
Thursday 22 December
Friday 23 December

Term 1, 2012 will commence:
Monday 30 January (for Yrs 7, 11 & 12)
Tuesday 31 January (for Yrs 8, 9 & 10)

LOST: Beautiful 20 month old female chocolate Labrador with dirty nose and slight pigmentation on left side of bottom lip. Missing from Seymour Way, Kellyville since 4.30pm on Thursday 10 November - last seen heading towards Sherwood Ridge Public School. Much loved and dearly missed by all the family. If found, please call Andrea on 0406 533 881. **REWARD**

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