Relieving Principal’s Message

Thank you to all those who have extended a warm welcome on my arrival at Bendemeer PS. It is lovely to be back in a small school for a little while. Small schools are certainly great schools!

Last week we were fortunate enough to have Mrs Matthews come in and speak to the children about her father’s role in WW1. She brought in photos and memorabilia to show the children. We thank Mrs Matthews for giving up her time to share her stories and information about her father’s amazing life with our students.

In the classrooms we have started implementing Learning Goals. These help students to understand precisely what is expected of them and what is valued most in terms of their learning. We have also started our discussions on what makes a good learner and have introduced the 5 Rs of a Good Learner – Resourceful, Responsible, Resilient, Reflective and Reasoning. This is all a part of the Visible Learning Journey that BPS has now begun. I have been on this journey with Nemingha PS for the past two years and look forward to sharing my knowledge and experiences with the staff and students of Bendemeer PS.

I look forward to my term ahead and I am very excited to be working with the students and parents of BPS.

Kind regards,
Mrs Kylie Lacey.

Upcoming Events

TERM 2 Week 4—11 May 2015

Tuesday 12 May to Thursday 14 May
Years 3 and 5—NAPLAN

Thursday 14 May
9am School Assembly all welcome

Tuesday 26 May
Mrs Britten—Tamworth

Thursday 28 May
9am School Assembly all welcome

Thursday 11 June
9am School Assembly all welcome

Thursday 18 June
Small Schools Combined Athletics Carnival—TRAC

Friday 19 June
The Gruffalo’s Child—Tamworth

Tuesday 23 June
Parent/Teacher Interviews 3:15 pm

Awards

P&C AGM

Tuesday 2 June
3:20 pm

Congratulations!

Kayla Fermor, Tye Farrell, Jayden Donnelly and Teanny Bridges
It was all hands on deck in the classroom today as we made a Mother's Day Treat!

Children viewed possible recipes and then were required to write a collaborative, practical recipe for our very special Mums and Nans. Ingredients such as marshmallows, Jubes, Maltesers, and Honeycomb were sweet favourites.

Working in teams was the key as the children followed the recipe instructions to prepare the Jewelled Rocky Road surprise- what fun we had! Here are some snaps shots!

From the students and staff of Bendemeer we wish you a very special Mother’s Day and hope you enjoy our creative chocolate Masterpiece!