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**Weekly Schedule**  
**Monday**  
Band 8.30-11.30  
Library 5A, K/1T, 2/3R, 3/4H, KLD  

**Tuesday**  
Japanese  
Student Banking  

**Wednesday**  
Senior Dance - 8.20  
Junior Dance - 8.50  

**Thursday**  
Choir - 8.50  
Scripture/Ethics  

**Friday**  
Sport  
Library 6R, 1/2L  
School Assembly 2.45  

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**Notes Home**  
School Picnic  
Yr 6 T-Shirt 2016  

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**Term 4 - Week 9**  

**Presentation Day Assembly** Please join us to celebrate our students’ love of learning at our Presentation Day Assembly next Friday 11th December at 9.30am. This is a great day to acknowledge our students successes and hard work throughout 2015.  

**Xmas Markets –Tomorrow - Friday 4th December** Come support our school and enjoy some Christmas shopping at our fabulous Xmas Markets at Bonnet Bay school hall. A huge congratulations to Annika, Tia, Brielle and Bridget for spending their free time last weekend to bake lots of sweets to sell at our markets. What leadership initiative these young ladies show in supporting our school. Well done girls! Can’t wait to taste some!  

**P & C – Last Meeting of the Year – Tuesday 8th December, 2015** Next Tuesday is our last P & C meeting for the year. Please come and be a part of the decision making re our schools future and work in partnership for the best resources in our school, our students! The P & C meeting is the place for all ideas or concerns to be raised in a positive forum; we can’t do or change things if we are not informed of people’s perspectives or suggestions. At the meeting we can also inform you of the correct protocols or procedures which are also required by the Department of Education. Come join us!  

**Semester 2 Student Reports** Today your child received their Semester 2 report for your viewing. Please read through this with your child and celebrate their success! It was so inspiring to read the enormous efforts and positive attitude to learning all our students’ have shown over the year. I am proud of the dedication of my staff to ensure your child has been given the opportunities to reach their personal best, and the students’ for their enthusiasm and love of learning. If you have any concerns or comments re reports please do not hesitate to contact your child’s teacher to discuss this further in a formal interview.  

**Payments of Accounts** We are fortunate to give students many opportunities to participate in a variety of programs. These programs often come at a small cost to you as parents as our small school can only subsidise so much. This week we posted Statements to families with outstanding money owing to the school. It is envisaged that if you have committed to pay for your child to participate (which at this stage they have already completed these programs) that you will honour the fee. These fees are now OVERDUE. We, like any business need to pay our providers and would greatly appreciate your payments that are due by the end of term. If you have any difficulty in regard to your statement of accounts please contact me as soon as possible. Thanking you in anticipation.  

**Helpers Morning Tea** A huge thank you to all our wonderful volunteers across all areas of our school! As they say “many hands make lights work” and this is so true when dedicated parents, grandparents and community members all contribute their time to support our students and our school. Please join us for a Thank You Morning Tea next Thursday 10th December at 10.30 in the library. This is a small gesture of appreciation for all you do in supporting our students and school community. Thank you!  

Karen Deacon  
Principal
**Canteen News**

Canteen volunteers for next week are:
**Mon:** Samantha Whiteman, Rachel Watson
**Tue:** Lisa Seaman, Felicity Aitken
**Wed:** Jenny Fernandez, Kelly Bowers
Thank you for your contribution ladies.

**Hazard Reduction Burns**

Fire & Rescue NSW will be undertaking hazard reduction burning within the area. On Friday 4th December a hazard burn will be undertaken behind Jefferson Crescent at Bonnet Bay commencing at 9am. The hazard reduction is 6ha in size and is bounded by Buchanan Avenue, Jefferson Crescent and Harrison Avenue. Winds are forecast from the north to north west, so smoke is anticipated to affect suburbs to the south, such as part of Bonnet Bay, Sutherland, Woronora and Jannali.

Please note the impact of smoke may change due to variations from what is forecast to actual conditions on the day.

An RFS helicopter will be allocated to this burns to assist with observation/water bombing. It is not anticipated it will be utilised for the later.

**Talent Quest – 2015 “Bonnet Bay’s Got Talent”**

For students who wish to participate in the annual BBPS talent quest, here are the details. All auditions will take place in class time.

**When:** Tuesday 15th December
**Where:** School hall
**Why:** To have fun informally showcasing student’s talents

**Auditions:** Weeks 8 & 9, during class times

**Start Rehearsing Now!**

**Guidelines:**
- Maximum of 2 items per student.
- All students must audition their act.
- All lyrics, actions, dance moves and costumes are to be appropriate for all students.

**Bring with you:**
- All music, CDs, instruments, costumes, props & gear you will need for your act.
- Please leave a burned copy of any music you require for your act – with your teacher on the day of your audition.

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**School Assembly Awards Term 4- Week 8**

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**Congratulations to our ‘Respect’ Values Award recipients**
Bag of Hope
Give the gift of generosity this season.
Many families are feeling the pinch as we approach Christmas and we have the opportunity to support local families in need.
To participate, just bring an item of non-perishable food to place in the boxes provided in each classroom.
New Cloth Shopping Bags are also appreciated.
Last year, BBPS families gave generously and your contribution is appreciated.
Donations will be accepted until Friday 4th Dec 2015.

Science Fair
On Wednesday, Stage 3 and some students from 3/4H participated in our very first Science Fair. Everyone was excited and we really enjoyed sharing our experiments with the whole school. We hope we inspired the rest of the school to create their own projects.

Written by Stage 3

Well done to our Xmas Market Bakers. Can’t wait to try your Christmas treats!
Tuesday
8th December

‘World Vision’ Christmas Mufti Day

Wear your favourite Christmas outfit and bring along a gold coin donation. All money raised will go to supporting education for Indigenous Australians.

This will be our official Christmas Card Day for all those who would like to give them to friends.

5th ANNUAL CHRISTMAS NIGHT MARKET
Friday 4th December, 2015 5 ‘till 9pm

BONNET BAY PUBLIC SCHOOL
34R Tudar Road, Bonnet Bay

30+ Market Stalls
Entertainment
Carols
Gourmet BBQ
Kids Craft

Entry by GOLD COIN DONATION
Everyone welcome!

Enquiries:
bonnetbaymarket@gmail.com

OUTDOOR CAROLS
SATURDAY 12TH DECEMBER
@ OUR HUDD YARD, JANALI ANGLICAN CHURCH ASWATTLE ROAD

6.00pm: Sausage Sizzle (Gold Coin), Popcorn and Fairy Floss Machines, Tea and Coffee, Face-Painting, and More! (All Free)

7.00pm: Outdoor Carols, Including Puppet Show

Bring Picnic Rugs or Travel Chairs

For wet weather, chritsmas and reeally cold weather info see www.sanfilippo.com.au