TERM 1

April
8th Tues Red Canteen Day
GOT GAMES Dance Performance

11th Fri Last day of Term 1
Hat Parade
ANZAC Day Ceremony

TERM 2

29th Tues Students Return

Calendar

Value of the Week

Assertiveness

Fruit Salad... Yummy Yummy!
Fruit salad is a great idea for Crunch&Spit*, full of colour, favour and nutrients.
Why not chop up your child’s favourite fruit and pop it into a sealable container. Don’t forget a fork!

Congratulations!

WEEK 10 Bourkey’s Best!

KC Inez
KK Kevin
K/1D Alan
1G Hamish
1O Violet
2C Will M
2S Ava
2/3N Auryn
3/4M Hakan
4/5/6G Edward

Bourkey’s Best!

In addition to Student of the Week (Bourkey’s Best Award), a class is selected by the staff and awarded “Class of the Week” for outstanding behaviour. The lucky class receives a class treat for their efforts.

Congratulations

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From the Principal’s Desk...

Parent/interviews occurred last week. A big thank you to staff for going above and beyond the “call of duty” in making themselves available to parents at all different times of the week. I have had nothing but positive feedback from both parents and teachers about how important the experience has been and the exchanging of information to assist children with learning.

On Tuesday at 2pm students who did Dance with Got Games this term will be putting on a performance. All Welcome!

“Reggie the Rabbit” will be attending the Hat Parade on this Friday 11th April at 12:30pm. This is another fun day to dress up and celebrate the end of term and the Easter holiday period.

Students participated in our first Cross Country Carnival last Friday. Thanks to Mr Goode for organizing this event in a limited timeframe. Congratulations to all competitors, especially those who have qualified to attend the District Cross Country Carnival next term. Notes will be sent home early next term with the date, time and location for the district carnival. Keep training!

Don’t forget the canteen’s Special Food Day is this Tuesday 8th April.

Daylight saving ends in NSW on Sunday 6th April 2014, when the clocks GO BACK one hour at 3am

Permission notes for the Healthy Harold- Life Education visit early Term 2 have been sent home. The visit will take place from Tuesday 29th April till Monday 5th May 2014. This is a worthwhile incursion as part of the school’s PD/H/PE program. Please return permission notes ASAP.

The 2013 Annual School Report is now available to be downloaded from the school website. This document highlights some of our program and achievements from last year.

The school has been inundated with community users willing to hire the school for a variety of activities. The Bourke Street Extras will be appearing on the school app later this week with the confirmed activities for term 2. Other activities will be distributing “Expression of Interest” flyers. Once these organisations have confirmed dates and time a revised Bourke Street Extras will be placed on the school app. early Term 2.

During the Easter break the school will be a hive of activity in preparation for term 2.

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Monday 28th April is a Staff Development Day. On this day all staff will be participating in a 7 hour professional training course in Non-Violent Crisis Intervention.

Students return to school on Tuesday 29th April.

Thanks to everyone for all their efforts and support throughout term 1. Enjoy the Easter break and get ready for another exciting, action-packed term of fun and learning.

Peter Johnston
Principal
AGM and P&C Meeting

Wednesday 7th May
at 6pm

The election of the P&C Executive for 2014/2015 will occur at this meeting with new positions effective immediately.

Executive positions up for election – President, Vice President (x 2), Treasurer, Secretary

Descriptions of positions are below. Please do not hesitate to speak to any of the existing executive members if you have any queries about these positions.

We are definitely looking for 2-3 new people to join the executive.

If you are interested in taking on an executive position, please send an email to:

bourkestreet.pandc@gmail.com

or speak to one of the existing executive

Second Hand Uniforms

There are a few pieces to buy for $2, $5, and $10. These can be purchased through the canteen. We encourage families to bring surplus, laundered pieces to the canteen where there is a collection box.

P&C Committees

The P&C’s have a number of committees focused on different aspects of school life. Being part of a committee is a great way to get involved. If you wish to join or find out more about a committee please contact the relevant person below.

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Save the Date

The Bourke Street School fete will be held on:

Sunday 12 October 2014

Get involved and help make this year’s fete another memorable community event. Come along to our first fete meeting on Monday 7 April, after school at 3:15pm. Meet at the back playground (the turfed area). We are looking for lots of helpers!

If you can’t come to the meeting, but you’d still like to be involved, please email Hetty McKinnon at hetty.mckinnon@bigpond.com
Traditional GoJu-Ryu

KARATE FOR KIDS

Taught by: Japanese karate master, Hanshi K. H. Watanabe, 9th Dan

for free

GOJU-RYU KARATE DO MISSION INTERNATIONAL
THE MARTIAL ART TRADITION CONTINUES

Chief Instructor: HENSHU H. WATANABE, 9th Dan Shotokan

TRAINING TIMES AND LOCATIONS

Free karate & Japanese culture classes for boys & girls from the age of 7, teachers & parents at Bourke St., Public School hall from 5pm to 5:50pm on Mondays, 13th, 20th & 27th May, 2014

To register: email to watanabehanshi@gmail.com
Website: www.karate.com.au