Principal’s Awards

Tyler K is a valued member of 5/60. She is an enthusiastic sportsperson who enjoys the challenge of competing fairly against others. Tyler involves herself in school life, which was clearly evident during the Book Week Parade when she was a ‘bear’ in the Library Monitors Readers’ Theatre. She is a prolific writer who entertains her readers with exciting plots and wonderful word choices. Tyler is a worthy recipient of this Principal’s Award.

White Awards

Paul C 5S
Tara T 6B
Naveen T 5D
Rohini K 5H

Sport Update

On Thursday 31 July Barnier Public School held our first ever K-6 carnival at Blacktown Sports Park. It was a fantastic day and all the students who participated had a great time joining in on all the activities and watching all the fast students compete in the 100m finals.

We have 45 students attending the Zone Athletics Carnival on the 2nd of September. We wish you luck and look forward to hearing your results.

PSSA

PSSA has officially finished the normal competition rounds. All the winter teams have done extremely well and should be proud of their effort. They showed great sportsmanship and dedication to their sport.

Semi Finals were played on the 15th August - see the Blacktown PSSA website for results.

Grand Finals are on 22nd August - Look on our website and Facebook page for more details or the Blacktown website www.blacktownpssa.com
Be ‘Connected’ by downloading “Aurasma”

We continue to encourage parents to download Aurasma—a free app available from the App Store or Google Play. When you visit to Barnier, you will have opportunities to see stories come alive on your mobile device.

All you will have to do is: Get connected with Aurasma and Follow our Barnier Channel—“Barnier Public School”. Open Aurasma; Hold your device over the trigger image; Wait for the purple swirls; and then Enjoy the extra content—Check out the Aura ‘Welcome to the Library’ (double click the image to enlarge and stabilise the content).

Premier’s Reading Challenge – Closing this week!!!

- Congratulations to those students from Years 3-6 who have already completed the Premier’s Reading Challenge.
- Please hand your completed and signed student reading log to Mrs Hopkins or Mrs Wolff in the Library.
- Remember, you have until Friday August 22nd to complete the challenge!

Book Week 2014

Thank you to all of our wonderful Barnier families who attended our Book Character Parade and organised to dress-up! The support for the event was over-whelming! If you have any photos that you would like to share with the school please email tamara.hopkins@det.nsw.edu.au.

If you have ordered a book from the book fair, the books will be delivered to your child’s class. We expect orders to take 1-2 weeks to arrive.

Thank you to all of our wonderful families who have donated books to the Library during the Book Fair! These donations are greatly appreciated!
This week 12 Year 6 students presented independent projects that reflected their skills in an area of special interest to them. These projects were displayed at Open Day during Week 3 and each student should be extremely proud of their achievement. In the newsletter this week we showcase these projects along with their high school mentors.
Fathers’ day Stall & Fathers’ Day Breakfast BBQ!

On Thursday **September 4th**, we will have our annual much-loved **FREE Fathers’ Day Breakfast BBQ**!

Dads and Grandfathers are invited to join their children for breakfast **from 7am in the COLA**. Come along, meet their friends and teacher, and enjoy one of the famous P&C sausage sandwiches with a nice hot beverage!

Later in the day, after the dads have gone to work, we will be holding our first ever **Fathers’ Day Stall**—just like our Mothers’ Day stall! There will be a range of items available for our children to purchase a special gift for $5 to show their dads how much they love them!

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**NSW P&C Delegates nominations**

Nominations for NSW P&C delegates are now open! If anyone is interested or would like further information please contact the P&C on the email address above.

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**Donations for upcoming events**

The P&C are always looking for small business owners or companies that would love to promote their business by providing sponsorship or donations to help make our events a success. **If you are interested, or know someone who is, please contact the P&C on the email address above.**

The P&C have various ways to promote our sponsor’s businesses, by way of school based promotions reaching over 600 families, social media and other web forms.

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**Upcoming events in Term 4**

- 20th October P&C Meeting
- 22nd October School Disco!
- 17th November P&C Annual General Meeting
- TBA Kindergarten Orientation Morning Teas
- TBA Crazy Camel Calendar orders
- TBA Bingo Night!