

Inspiring 21st Century Learners

2017 Student Reports

Students' reports are going home with students tomorrow Thursday, 14 December 2017 after our class parties...

If you need access to your child's report prior to this or need additional copies distributed, please contact our school office to make alternative arrangements.

A reminder that our school system reports differently to what we grew up with or commonly see on American movies or TV shows. If your child has met the expectations of the learning outcomes related to their age, they will get a "Sound" mark, which is where they are expected to be at. If they are working ahead of or are yet to reach the expectations, their mark will vary accordingly. Please contact your child's teacher if you would like any clarification on any comments or ratings that your child receives.

Gold Excursion

85 students headed off to Tweed Ten Pin Bowling centre for a fun event as recognition of their achievements in getting their Gold Awards in 2017. All other students enjoyed a movie and treat back at school as there are literally millions of moments where Bilambil students made great decision with their behaviour this year!

School Plans for 2018!

Our projected enrolment numbers are rising slightly next year (approximately 320) and if this remains the case we will be growing another class and teacher. Students will return for the first day in 2018 in their 2017 class whilst we check and contact all students who will be a part of our school in 2018 before we move into our new classes as soon as is possible. Classes will be formed with the aim of matching students to peers that staff believe will work most effectively together, and with the teacher whose teaching style best matches the learning style of the children in it.

The composition of staff for next year will be changing slightly as we formally farewell Mrs Alison Lloyd who after 28 spectacular years at Bilambil PS is retiring from teaching. May she finally take a break and relax!!! She has been a long mainstay of the Bilambil staff team and has added enormous value to the lives of the young people in our school over many years. We wish her the best for her other passions in life.

School Holiday Dates

Bilambil Public School students will officially finish this Friday, 15 December 2017. School staff will be present on Monday, 18 December 2017 before embarking on a well-deserved break. Staff will officially return on Monday, 29 January 2018 before students in Years 1-6 return on Tuesday, 30 January 2018 with our brand new Kindergarten commencing their school journey on Monday, 5 February 2018.



Music Mates Rock Concert

The Semester 2 Rock Orchestra concert was held last Wednesday afternoon. It was another fantastic afternoon with participating students playing 5 songs each on a different instrument for each song (Keyboard, Drums, Vocals, Lead and Bass Guitar).

The Rock Orchestra program will continue in 2018.

End of Year Show

Our 2017 Annual Show, "Welcome to the Jungle", was on today. If you want a permanent keepsake of the show, please contact the office to secure your copy of the official show movie!

Canteen

Our canteen will remain open right up to the last day of term for those who wish to use it. Thank you to Danelle and all the different people who have supported the P&C to run a canteen in our school, and have it be so successful it is now feeding students in our school 5 days a week. I wonder what surprises the menu brings in 2018.

Leadership Program

Congratulations to our new 2018 Student Leaders. Our 2018 Student Leadership group is:

Captains	Siyah B	Max A	
Vice-Captains	Ella C	Lokaiya R	
Student Leaders	Asha B	Bridie B	Tahlia C
	Kyne D	Lauren F	Zane H
	Stephanie H	Katie H	Chaya M
	Adam M	Oliver O	Ruby O
	Ethan S	Reuben T	

UP AND COMING EVENTS TERM 4 2017

● School items

● P&C Items

TERM 4 WEEK 10

Wednesday 13 December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Concert Newsletter Year 6 Informal Evening 5.30pm
Thursday 14 December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Class Parties - Kindy to Year 4 Year 6 Big Day Out Reports home
Friday 15 December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 5/6 Class Party Year 6 Farewell Arch/Shirt signing Students last day for 2018

TERM 4 WEEK 11

Mon 18 & Tues 19 December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Development Days
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IMPORTANT DATES TO START TERM 1 2018

● School items

● P&C Items

TERM 1 WEEK 1

Monday 29 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Development Day
Tuesday 30 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students Yr 1 - Yr 6 resume school Kindergarten Best Start appointments
Wednesday 31 January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kindergarten Best Start appointments
Thursday 1 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kindergarten Best Start appointments

TERM 1 WEEK 2

Monday 5 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kindergarten commence school Canteen Sushi Day
Tuesday 6 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> School Banking
Wednesday 7 February	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Newsletter

School Student Transport Scheme (SSTS)

The SSTS has made some improvements to their system which now means that students who are progressing to year 3 and year **do not need** to reapply if they meet the following three conditions:

- They are continuing at the same school
- Are residing at the same address
- Have not been sent an expiry notification from Transport of NSW.

Their system has automatically validate a student's ongoing eligibility if they are attending the same school and progressing to year 3 and year 7. Where a student met the eligibility the system has updated their entitlement and card. If the student didn't meet the new eligibility, they would have sent an expiry notification.

If you need to update any information or reapply for your child, you should go online to: <https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails>.

Applications need to be submitted before 31 December 2017 to ensure students' entitlement are updated and their current card is not cancelled. If their application is submitted after 31 December 2017, the system will automatically cancel their card a new one will need to be issued.

NSW Police Colouring Competition

Bilambil recently participated in the NSW Police Colouring competition for the Tweed.

Congratulations to all students who participated in this competition, there were certainly some awesome entries.

Prize winners were:

1st place: Anika (5/6B)

Nearly 1st place with a great effort:

Reuben - 5/6M, Junior - KL, Jace - 5/6M, Kyne - 5/6B, Jaylen - 5/6M and Asher - KN



BRONZE AWARD

Term 4 - Weeks 9 & 10

1/2R	Chloe
3/4B	Ethan
5/6M	Zane



SILVER AWARD

Term 4 - Weeks 9 & 10

KN	Sean, Caleb
K/1B	Riley, Zahlee, Mia, Hudson, Sienna
1/2H	Abraham, Natasha, PJ, Sabrielle, Ivy
1/2M	Isabella, Jean
1/2P	Tiona
1/2R	Tully, Ethan, Arjay, Harry, Zaili, Marlin, Preston, Vedder, Summer, Connor, Ella, Banjo
3/4B	Kirrah-Lily, Daisy, Jake
3/4T	Jack



GOLD AWARD

Term 4 - Weeks 9 & 10

KL	Georgia
KN	Maddison
K/1B	Taylor, Jack, Lara
1/2H	Amy, Lylah, Ronan
1/2M	Isabella, Elyana, Lara
1/2P	Sophia, Kahu, Sooke, Marley
1/2R	Sommer, Sunny, Mia, Izaiah, Tyler, Joel
3/4B	Brody, Samara, Amelia, Jarah, Mylie, Lily, Mia-Elise
3/4C	Zoe, Chelsea, Zac, Kobi
3/4T	Heaven, Nate
5/6B	Asha, Kegan, Tahlia, Darren, Jack, Jascha, Ethan, Taji
5/6M	Tiani, Ruby
5/6R	Bridie, Thomas

STUDENT OF THE WEEK - Term 4 Week 9

KL - Chloe, KN - Ava, K/1B - Lara, 1/2H - Natasha, Quantan, 1/2M - Lara, 1/2R - Banjo, 3/4B - Amelia, Juan, 3/4C - Serenity, 3/4T - Roslin, 5/6B - Ella, 5/6M - Tiani, Library - Amelia

Stage 1 students enjoy a day at Rainbow Bay Beach

On Thursday 7th December Year 1 and Year 2 students travelled by bus to Rainbow Bay. All Stage 1 classes have been studying the beach generally, sea creatures and reading quality literature associated with the Sea - and our excursion was a fun way to conclude this unit of work!

Ms Forsyth (trainee teacher who had worked with 1/2P this year) and Britt, who are both volunteer life savers, met us at Rainbow Bay. They taught the students about what the different flags on the beach mean, how to signal for help if you're in the water, basic first aid for marine stingers and Cylus and Eve got to dress up as life savers! Ms Forsyth and Britt also talked about sun safety on the beach and answered lots of interesting questions from the students. All students were lucky enough to receive an information and activity book about surf safety and a temporary tattoo.

After a fruit snack, we headed down on to the beach and worked together in small groups to create sand castles! The high tide and the intense sun were against us, unfortunately, so we came back up to the park for a play on the playground and have a rest from the heat.

We got back on the bus and headed to Jack Evans Boatharbour. We had some fantastic parent helpers who had cooked us a barbeque lunch by the time we got there! We got to play some sports games in the park and have a turn on the playground as well.


All students had a wonderful time ... and were exhausted by the time we headed back to school.

Thank you so very much to Ms Forsyth and Britt for their time, as well as the numerous parent helpers who helped make this excursion possible. Your time and efforts are greatly appreciated.

Flo Borra, Simone Henry, Kim McQuhae, Rebecca Harvey and Gail Preston



Fun in the Sun

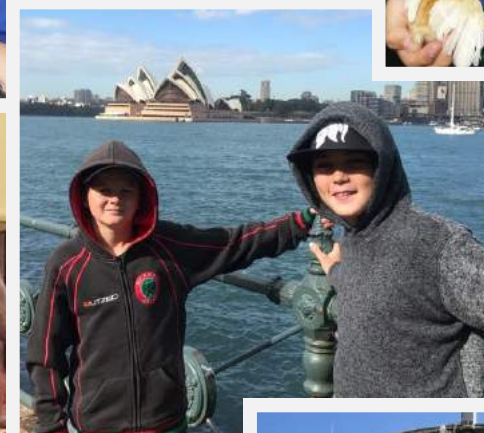


the Class of 2017

All the best Year 6

The whole school community would like to congratulate and wish all the very best for all of our Year 6 students who are moving into the next exciting phase of their schooling into 2018 – high school! This week is special for Year 6 with their inaugural Year 6 informal on Wednesday night, Year 6 Big Day Out on Thursday and Farewell Arch on Friday afternoon. We hope it's a special time for all of them!





Presentation Day & Thank You Morning tea

From all accounts, it was another ripper year at our Annual Presentation Assembly last week. Congratulations to all of our award recipients who have been listed below:



Early Stage 1 (Kindergarten) Presentation Day Awards

KN Mrs Ballarin

Book Award	Aston	Outstanding application and achievement in all areas
	Maddison	Consistent and positive approach to learning
Certificates	Laylah	Consistent effort and application
	Holly	Enthusiastic approach to learning
	Sean	Continued perseverance to succeed in his learning
	Mason H	Enthusiastic approach to learning



KL Mrs Lloyd

Book Award	Georgia	Striving to do her best in all aspects of school life
	Seth	Enthusiastic approach to learning
Certificates	Gypsy	A positive approach to learning and consistent effort
	Koby	Resilience, determination and a positive attitude
	Chloe	Consistent effort and improvement
	Angel	Enthusiastic approach to learning



K/1B Mrs Borra

Book Award	Connor	Excellent effort and application in all subject areas
	Taylor	Excellent effort and application in all subject areas
Certificates	Indie	Enthusiastic attitude to learning
	Lara	Consistent effort and improvement
	Mason B	Positive attitude, behaviour and effort
	Zahlee	Consistent effort, enthusiasm and resilience
Early Stage 1 Effort & Consistency Award	Jack S - K/1B	Donated by Bilambil Jets JRLFC



Stage 1 (Years 1 & 2) Presentation Day Awards

Inspiring 21st Century Learners 1/2H Miss Henry

Book Award	Ronan	Consistent effort and application across all learning areas
	Olivia	Outstanding application and effort across all key learning areas
Certificates	Ivy	Improvement, effort and achievement
	Noah	Positive attitude and application to work
	Aysha	Improvement in literacy
	PJ	Consistent effort and excellent behaviour



1/2M Mrs McQuhae

Book Award	Isla	Excellent effort and application in all subject areas
	Aleigha	Excellent effort and application in all subject areas
Certificates	Hugo	Consistent effort and application in all subject areas
	Phoebe	Positive attitude and excellent efforts with her learning
	Elyana	Consistent effort and positive work ethic across all key learning areas
	Jesse	Displaying consistency and enthusiasm with his learning in all subject areas



1/2P Mrs Preston

Book Award	Ava D	Enthusiastic and positive attitude to learning
	Sienna R	Outstanding application and effort across all key learning areas
Certificates	Kahurangi J	Improved effort and work application
	Alyra	A positive attitude towards her learning in all areas
	James	A hardworking quiet achiever in all subject areas
	Makaira	Focused application to all key learning areas



1/2R Mrs Harvey

Book Award	Vedder	Increased focus, determination and growth mindset
	Destiny	Improved attitude and enthusiastic approach to learning
Certificates	Izaiah M	Enthusiastic approach to learning
	Tully	Enthusiastic attitude to learning
	Ava M	A positive attitude, outstanding behaviour and consistent effort
	Tyler	Consistent and positive approach to learning
Stage 1 Effort & Consistency Award	Sommer C - 1/2R	Donated by Bilambil Jets JRLFC



Stage 2 (Years 3 & 4) Presentation Day Awards

Inspiring 21st Century Learners 3/4B Mrs Butler

Book Award	Mia-Elise	Excellent persistence and commitment towards improvement in literacy
	Jarah	Commendable effort in striving towards excellence in all areas of the curriculum
Certificates	Thomas G	Positive attitude and effort in literacy
	Adriana	Leadership and positive attitude consistently displayed in all curriculum areas
	Juan	Excellent effort and application in all areas of Literacy
	Samara	Excellent application to her learning in all areas of the curriculum



3/4C Mrs Colwell

Book Award	Tanna	Exceptional effort in all areas of learning
	Ben	Excellent effort and application in all subject areas
Certificates	Jago	Excellent effort and application in all areas of learning
	Tayla	Consistent effort and application
	Serenity	Positive attitude and application to work
	Roy	Excellent work ethic



3/4T Mr Thomas

Book Award	Heaven	Consistently high level of effort and excellent behaviour
	Nate S	Seeking new knowledge and being a generous helper
Certificates	Zane	Amazing effort and improvement in reading
	Amelie	Tremendous improvement and growth mindset in Writing
	Cael	Continuous improvement and passion for reading
	Chloe	Consistently high level of effort in all learning areas
Stage 2 Effort & Consistency Award	Caitlin A - 3/4T	Donated by Bilambil Jets JRLFC



Stage 3 (Years 5 & 6) Presentation Day Awards

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5/6B Ms Boland

Book Award	Asha	Consistent effort and improvement in all areas
	Storm	Fantastic improvement in behaviour, attitude and engagement towards learning
Certificates	Grace	Excellent effort and application to all areas of learning
	Kegan	Excellent behaviour and application in all areas
	Will	Consistent effort and striving to do his best
	Ella	Positive attitude towards all aspects of school



5/6M Mr Menin

Book Award	Jace	Excellent effort and achievement
	Grace M	Consistent effort and excellent behaviour
Certificates	Lauren	Consistent effort and excellent behaviour
	Ruby	High achievement and effort
	Thomas H	Positive attitude to learning
	Jai	Positive attitude and application to work



5/6R Mrs Robins

Book Award	Zoe D	Exceptional growth in reading and maths. Always doing her best
	Nate W	Exceptional growth in all areas. Great work Nate!
Certificates	Tristan	Excellent growth in reading, spelling and number
	Jack R	Being a great role model and having a positive attitude towards learning
	Jessica	Being a dedicated student who is always courteous and considerate
	Stephanie	Being a wonderful, positive and supportive member of 5/6R
Stage 3 Effort & Consistency Award	Keeli K - 5/6M	Donated by Bilambil Jets JRLFC



Special Presentation Day Awards

Collaborate/Problem Solving Awards

Senior Years 3 - 6	Kyne D - 5/6B
Junior Kindergarten - Year 2	Jacob R - 1/2M

Information, Communication & Technology Awards

Senior Years 3 - 6	Darren H - 5/6B
Junior Kindergarten - Year 2	Sooke P - 1/2P

Music Awards - (Choir/Drama/Music)

Senior Years 3 - 6	Trixie M - 5/6M
Junior Kindergarten - Year 2	Sabrielle L - 1/2H

Support Teacher Award LaST

Dash M - 3/4C

Reading Recovery Award

Michael W - 1/2M

Annual Athletics Carnival

Minjungbal

Annual Swimming Carnival

Wollumbin

Sport Team Spirit

Cougals

Major Presentation Day Awards

Sportsperson of The Year

Donated by Bilambil Jets JRLFC

Jascha R - 5/6B

NSW Premier's Sporting Challenge Medal

NSW Government

Anika S - 5/6B

Encouragement Award

Donated by Surfside Buslines

Jessica M - 5/6R

Most Improved Award

Donated by Bilambil P&C Association

Jaylen W - 5/6M

Excellence & Achievement Award

Donated by Rotary of Tweed Heads South

Zachary H - 5/6R

Public Speaking Award

Donated by Rainbow Bay Realty

Taji V - 5/6B

Teachers Federation Award for Public Education

Donated by NSW Teachers Federation

Tiani B - 5/6M

Citizenship Award – Kindergarten – Year 2

Donated by Tweed Heads Bowls Club

Jean P - 1/2M

O'Brien Memorial Award for Citizenship

In Memory of Mr O'Brien donated by Mrs Colleen Gresham

Jack R - 5/6R

Creative Arts Award

Donated by Mr John & Mrs Laurel Bell

Flynn M - 5/6R

Truth Honour & Persistent Overall Effort Award

Donated by Mr Peter & Mrs Colleen Duncalfe

Grace B - 5/6B

Seagulls Bursaries

Donated by Seagulls Club

Thomas B - 5/6M

Alyssa H - 5/6R

Dux of the School

Donated by Stacks Law Firm

Livinia J - 5/6M

Community Contributor Award

Donated by Mrs Janet Carruthers & Mrs Julie Smith

Kris Robinson

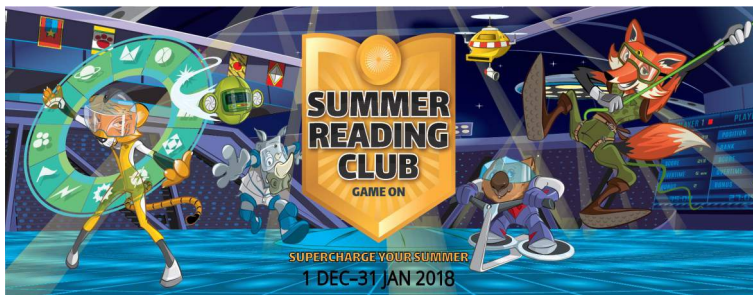


Congratulations



Our Choirs sing for the elderly

On Wednesday 6th December Miss Henry and Mrs McGlenn had the honour of taking the senior and junior choirs to some local nursing homes. After performing our favourite songs we were treated to fruit sticks, lemonade and lollies! The residents thoroughly enjoyed our visit and we really enjoyed seeing the smiles on their faces. Knowing they appreciate our visit we will certainly visit again!



Summer Reading Club - Game On!

The Summer Reading Club is on again! Richmond Tweed Regional Library has been running this successful program for many years, the theme for this year's Summer Reading Club (SRC) is "**Game On: Supercharge your Summer**" and we're encouraging all children to join in the fun.

Every book or audiobook you borrow and read/listen to from the library during December and January will earn you an entry in the competition to win an **Apple iPad mini** thanks to our major sponsor **Bolinda**. The more you read the more chances you have to win!

The Summer Reading Club will begin 1st December 2017 to 31st January 2018.

Visit your local library, become a library member and collect a free activity pack containing summer reading ideas, a reading log and fun activities with the chance of winner an **Apple iPad mini!**



Students go for Gold - A whopping 92 students reached Gold status this year and travelled down to Tweed Heads for Ten Pin Bowling on Monday 11 December as their reward. Not only was it entertaining to watch the different styles used to bowl those ten little pins down, it was wonderful to see the encouragement of each other from all of the students. Hugo from 1/2M was almost recruited to join a professional bowling team beside us, he was so good! After bowling, we stopped in at Ray Pascoe Park for a snack, drink and free play. Some enjoyed the playground while others organised their own games of 44 home in amongst the trees. It was a joy for all of the staff to take this fantastic group of students out for the morning!
Shireen Mostert





Friendly Parenting Tips

Tip #16

Acknowledge and accept your child's feelings.

Why is this good for your child?

It helps them to grow up with the life skill of being able to manage their emotions.

Try this...

Repeat your children's feelings back to them without making them right or wrong.



BILAMBIL TERRANORA FOOTBALL CLUB
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Join our growing family friendly soccer community at the beautiful Bilambil Sports Fields.

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SEASON STARTS 17 FEB

U6 - U11 **MINIROOS**

REGISTRATIONS ONLINE IN JAN
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Email: admin@bilambilterranorafc.com.au
INFO ☎ 0490 200 611

What's for Christmas?



What you buy now for your family will have an impact six months down the track!

Buying activity based presents will give your children motivation and the means to get up, get active or go outside. And this is the best time of year, because the sun is out longer and there's more time to play and have fun outdoors!

Would your child like:

- New footy boots
- A new netball
- Boxing gloves and focus pads
- A groovy running outfit
- Water pistols
- A kite
- New board shorts
- A Body board
- Something for the bike
- A magnifying glass
- A skipping rope
- A hammer and a saw

What got you up and out when you were a child?

Healthy • Active • Happy • Kids

Free healthy lifestyle program for kids 7 to 13 years

- Fun games & activities for kids
- Build self-esteem & motivation
- Improve eating habits
- Make new friends

Call: 1800 780 900

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 Starts: Tuesday 6th Feb
 Term 1, 2018

Bilambil Community Preschool & OOSH
 [next to Bilambil Public School]

Out of School Hours [OOSH] and Vacation Care for your Family
 Monday to Friday 6.30am - 6.30pm
 VACATION CARE also available on pupil free days

Preschool 9am-3pm for 3-5yr olds
 Waiting list for 2017 & 2018 NOW OPEN

Please phone or pop in to discuss enrolling your family

Ph: 5590 7722
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2017 ACHIEVEMENTS

As well as providing our school community with a great service through our healthy canteen, uniform supplies, school banking and book club, athletics day food and drinks and fun community building events such as a trivia night and disco, we also support the school with added resources.

This year, our fundraising has enabled us to provide our kids and staff with a mobile computer lab so they can bring laptops to the classroom, new audiovisual equipment, air conditioning for the library and a new coffee machine affectionately nicknamed 'Big Bertha'.

To everyone who supported us in every way – whether it be by volunteering, coming along to one of our events or by purchasing our uniforms canteen food, sausage sizzles, gifts from our mothers and fathers day stalls, raffle tickets or DVDs – we say thank you!!!

An extra big thank you to our fundraising machine Madonna and our jack of all trades Kris who will be leaving us this year. Best wishes to you and your families as you head off to high school.

SUSHI THIS FRIDAY!

Canteen will be open right up until the last day of term, and to celebrate the end of year we are doing SUSHI FRIDAY (15 December)!

We also need to do a stocktake on Friday so any extra helpers either to serve at the canteen window or to help with stocktake will be very much appreciated!

The kids get such delight seeing their mum, dad, grandparent, or other family member at the canteen window. It makes them feel very special and full day volunteers get a light lunch and \$5.00 to put towards their child's canteen purchases for the day. (Don't forget you also earn P&C dollars for every hour you help out!)

If you are interested in joining our friendly team of canteen helpers in 2018 please contact our canteen manager Danelle on 0414 444 268 or email her at bilambilpublicschool-cant@pandcaffiliate.org.au



Welcome to **Bilambil's Wild Jungle**
Wednesday
13th December, 2017

Bilambil PUBLIC SCHOOL
P&C ASSOC. INC.

DON'T FORGET TO PLACE YOUR ORDER FOR THE SCHOOL CONCERT DVD 'THE JUNGLE'!

Bilambil P&C are proud to again produce a DVD for the school concert "The Jungle". This is our final fundraiser. Please complete this order form and return by Friday, 8 December 2017.

Don't miss out on a copy of your Childs performance Pre-Order your DVD - Professionally done this year for \$20.00 Great Christmas gift for the extended family. Orders will be filled prior to Christmas holiday break up.

Return this order form to the school office with payment (cash , cheque, Effpos or POP online available).

Child(s) Name _____ Class _____

Number of DVD's _____ Payment Cash/cheque \$ _____ Enclosed _____

I have made an school online payment. My receipt number is: _____



UNIFORM SHOP

We're looking forward to seeing how gorgeous all our incoming kindy's will look in their new school uniforms!

Our uniform shop will be open for the last time this year on Friday 15 December 2017 from 8.30 - 9.00am.

However, we will have a week of extended hours at the start of next term.

You're welcome to order online and pop in to collect them if you want to save time. You can always exchange them if they're the wrong size, **just remember to keep the tags on.**

Special Uniform Shop hours for the first of 2018

Monday 29 January	9.00am - 1.00pm	School Development Day
Tuesday 30 January	8.30am - 1.00pm	Year 1 to Year 6 start
Wednesday 31 January	8.30am - 1.00pm	
Thursday 1 February	8.30am - 1.00pm	
Friday 2 February	8.30am - 11.00am	

Back to Uniform Shops regular trading hour on Monday 5 February

Monday 5 February	8.30am - 9.00am	Kindergarten start
Wednesday 7 February	8.30am - 9.00am	
Friday 9 February	8.30am - 9.00am	

Please however remember the first week of the school year is always a really busy time for our uniform shop which is solely run by parent volunteers.

Please bring your patience and your manners – we are doing our best to get through everyone as quickly as possible.

The uniform shop is located inside the canteen.

If you have any old uniforms you don't need, please consider donating them to our second-hand supply.

We'll also sell your unwanted dresses for you. These are always in demand so please consider selling them through us. Second hand dresses are sold for \$25.00 (The seller gets \$20.00 and the P&C retains \$5.00).

Uniform Shop Prices

Shirts (Everyday & Sports)	\$ 28.00	
Boys shorts	\$ 18.00	
Girls box pleat shorts	\$ 23.00	
Dresses	\$ 55.00	\$2.00 more for size 12 and up
Boys dress shirts	\$ 32.00	\$2.00 more for size 12 and up
Hats	\$ 16.00	
Polo Fleece Zipper Jackets	\$ 32.00	

Second hand items (except dresses) are \$2.00 each. Not available online.

Order online at Bilambil P&C Uniform Shop <http://www.bilambilpc.org/uniforms>



Congratulations Kris

We were delighted to see Kris Robinson recognised with the Community Contributor Award at the Presentation Day for all the many different ways she has contributed to our school through the nine years she has been here.

She's helped in our canteen, our uniform shop, school banking, book club, on our P&C executive, at fundraising events and is a friendly face in the classroom.

Full of energy and always positive, she has been such an asset to our school it was fantastic to see the school recognise you for all you have given.

Best Wishes Mrs Lloyd

For around 30 years Mrs Lloyd has been teaching our children, most of them during her long tenure at Bilambil Public School.

On behalf of all the parents and students, past and present, we'd like to wish her a wonderful retirement and thank you her all time she has dedicated, the dreams she has nurtured and the tears and noses wiped. She will be very much missed by us all.

Thank you and Safe Holidays

The P&C would like to wish all our wonderful staff, students and families a wonderful break.

Best wishes to all our families moving on to high school or not returning to us next year.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY FOR 2018

TERM 1

Bunnings BBQ - Saturday, 17 February 2018

P&C AGM - Wednesday, 7 March 2018 at 3.15pm

TERM 2

Mother's Day Stall - Tuesday, 8 May 2018
(TBC)

Athletics Carnival - June, date to be announced

TERM 3

Trivia Night & Major Raffle - Date to be announced

Father's Day Stall - Tuesday, 28 August 2018
(TBC)

TERM 4

P&C school disco - Date to be announced



P&C AGM

The P&C AGM is coming up Wednesday, 7 March 2018 at 3.15pm and all the positions will be declared vacant.

We'd love to see some new faces on our executive so please consider coming on board. It's always nice to have different people at the helm as it brings in new ideas and enthusiasm. We have a great supportive committee who will ensure the executive's load isn't too much to bear.

The P&C meets about twice a term. Meetings last for about two hours.

More information can be found at <https://www.pandc.org.au/faqs/> but here is an overview...

President

This person is the face of the P&C. They chair the meetings and oversee the projects, ensuring decisions made are followed through.

Vice President x 2

Our two vice presidents are there to support the president and to step in as chair if the president is unavailable. They also take responsibility for driving our main fundraiser and in 2018 this is the Trivia Night and raffle.

Secretary

Together with the president, the secretary draws up the agenda for our meetings, takes the minutes and monitors the correspondence coming in and out. Occasionally they are asked to send out a letter on the P&C's behalf.

Treasurer

We have three accounts the treasurer looks after – canteen, uniform shop and one for all our other income and expenses. This person pays the bills (co-signed with one other executive member) and keeps us updated on how much money we can spend on school improvements.

Fundraising Co-ordinator

This role is perfect for someone who is good at organising and rallying people together. They lead a team of volunteers getting things ready for our mothers and father's day stalls, barbecues, school disco, raffle and other initiatives. They are only there as the point of contact to bring it all together – other P&C members will be there to help you in the lead up, and on the day.

Uniform Shop Co-ordinator

Ordering in stock as needed, passing on bills to the treasurer, training new volunteers and keeping the website up to date are the main responsibilities for the uniform shop co-ordinator.

General Member

Of course, a leadership position is not for everyone and many of our members are happy just to come along to stay informed and have a say in the decisions we make. They nominate what activities they would like to be involved in, if any, and are truly valued for their opinions and ideas. We welcome everyone. It's a great way to hear what the school has planned and how the P&C would like to support it. Whilst we encourage everyone to attend the meetings it is not essential, you can keep up to date via e-mail.

Thank you for your support of our Presentation Day celebrations.



★ John & Laurel Bell

★ Peter & Colleen
Duncliffe

★ Colleen Gresham
In Memory of Mr
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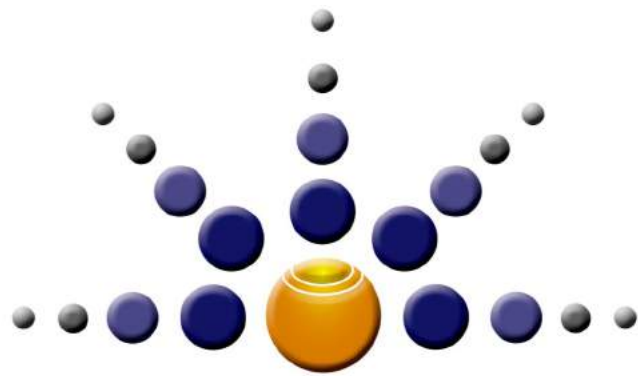
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