

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Our school photos have arrived and were sent home yesterday. Once again, the quality of the photographs is outstanding, and we hope you are very happy with them.

If your child is included in any of our special group photos, such as school leaders, SRC, sport house captains or library monitors, and you would like to purchase one, please contact the school office for details. The full folio of all photographs taken is available for inspection on our office front counter.

NSW TEACHERS' FEDERATION STRIKE ACTION

By now, all community should have received messaging that the NSW Teachers Federation has directed its membership to take industrial action in the form of a **24-hour strike tomorrow on Thursday 30 June, 2022**. As a result of this strike action, Bilambil Public School will experience significant teacher shortages and means we encourage students to remain home and only attend school if absolutely necessary.

Our school will remain open but normal programming will not be possible. This means that while a restricted level of supervision will be available for students who do come to school, normal classes and programming will not be available, with many classes needing to be split or reformed for the day. We appreciate your support and understanding during this disruption.

END AND START OF SCHOOL TERM DATES

Term 2 ends this Friday 1 July 2022. **Students are to return for the commencement of Term 3 on Tuesday 19 July 2022**. Please note that staff will be returning to school for a School Development Day, which is pupil free day, on Monday 18 July so we can engage in professional learning and school planning. Our school office will be open during this time for any enquiries.

I would like to wish all community members a safe and happy holiday period for the next 2 weeks. For those travelling away, please drive carefully and ensure that you take a break if driving long distances. The holidays are always good for families to share time together so enjoy the break. We look forward to seeing all of our smiling, happy little faces when they return to school for what will be a busy term 3.

Some exciting dates for your calendar for next term include:

- 19 July: all students return for first day of Term 3.
- 26 July – 29 July: Year 6 Excursion to Sydney.
- 2 August: Education Week Open Day.
- 4 August: District Athletics Carnival.
- 13/14 September: FNC Dance Festival.
- 20/21/22 September: Year 5 Leadership Camp and Training.
- We will also be staging NAIDOC day, Science Week, and Book Week with our Book Fair during the term, with dates still to be confirmed.

Have a safe and enjoyable holidays. We look forward to seeing all of your happy smiling faces in term 3.

Jeff Robinson
Principal

CURRUMBIN WILDLIFE SANCTUARY



On Friday, 24 June KB and KF went off on an excursion to Currumbin Wildlife Sanctuary. We loved feeding the Kangaroos, and were amazed at how still like statues the crocodiles were.

The highlight of the day was exploring the dinosaurs along the extinction trail.

A big thank you to Mr Josh, Miss Amy and Miss Grace for helping us on the day. It was an experience to remember.

Mrs Baird and Mrs Borra
Kindergarten Teachers



STAGE ONE SHOWCASE



Our students in Stage 1 shone today with their amazing inventions and creations to Save our Seas.

This was our design brief-

Driving Question:

How can we sustain a rich marine culture in our local Bundjalung area for future generations?

Final Product:

What can you design and invent that will improve the conditions of our oceans for the future?

How can you create an educational presentation to inform people about issues impacting our oceans?

We are so proud of their achievements.

They had some awesome ideas to help our marine environment.

Thank you to all of the families who visited us today.

Stage One Teachers





STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Term 2 Week 8 & 9

KF	Jaali	- A positive effort within the classroom.
1H	Noah Kayley	- For his fantastic effort in handwriting. - For showing enthusiasm in all learning tasks.
1T	Aiesha Jasper	- Some great reading during reading groups—well done! - Some great work during guided reading sessions— well done!
1/2H	Noah Lachlan	- Displaying a true passion for learning. - His positive attitude in soundwaves work.
2C	Eve Izac	- A fantastic effort and positive attitude in maths groups. - Increased focus and effort in learning.
2/3S	Georgia Andre Lucas	- Incredible effort in writing. - Outstanding effort in handwriting. - Incredible team work in STEM lessons.
3T	Dexter Lexi	- Exceptional behaviour at Fingal Excursion. - Her confidence during maths this week.
3W	Summer Ruby rose	- For her impressive use of literacy devices in narrative writing. - Always entering the classroom with a smile upon her face.
4/5B	Georgia Chloe	- Writing a fantastic sizzling start. - Always giving 100% in everything she does.
5V	Henry Georgia	- Always displaying determination in maths. - Improved results in division.
5/6E	Ethan	- Showing determination and perseverance during class beep test.
6B	Jake Makaira	- Terrific participation in discussions. - Great effort and attitude to learning.
Music	Gloria	- Wonderful expression in choral speaking!
RFF	Stevie	- Wonderful expression in choral speaking!

BRONZE AWARD

TERM 2, WEEK 8 & 9

KF	Billy, Kai, Aliyah, Louie
2/3S	Brax, Olivia
3T	Jaiden, Charlie, Hugh, Oscar, Isla, Red
4/5B	Asher, Kai, Lily, Health
5/6E	Jonathan, Elyana, Charlotte, Ravi
6B	Vedder, Dante

SILVER AWARD

Term 2 Week 8 & 9

KB	Ivana, Charli
1T	Raffy, Ruby
2/3S	Elise, Harvey, Mason, Brodie



To our Stage One Students who have completed 100 nights of home reading. Keep up the good work!



UP AND COMING EVENTS TERM 2 & 3 2022

School items

P&C Items

Term 2 Week 10

Tuesday 30 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teachers Federation Strike - Bilambil PS Operational Canteen Closed
Friday 1 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Athletics Carnival Last day of Term 2, 2022

Term 3 Week 1

Monday 18 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff Development Day
Tuesday 19 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students return for the start of Term 3