

BULLETIN



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Thank you for taking the time to read our school bulletin. It is an important way to keep in touch with what is happening at our school and to know what your child will be doing. Please keep this bulletin somewhere where you will be able to refer to it so you will know about special coming events.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Swimming trials for the Bankstown District were held on Monday with eleven children attending. Congratulations to Dylan Donnelly, Olivia Slade, Stephanie McGuinness and Zac Hamid who were successful in reaching the District Carnival which is being held on Monday 3rd March. Good Luck to our swimmers and we know you are great representatives of Villawood East.

Welcome back to Ms Francis who has returned from leave and is teaching 5/6F. Thank you to Miss Harrison for all her hard work last year and this term.

Starting Monday 3rd March our main assembly will be held on Monday afternoon in the school hall from 2.45 pm to 3.15 pm. At this assembly awards for behaviour and learning will be presented to encourage all students to be Safe Respectful Learners. The students will be dismissed from the hall so parents please come to the hall to collect your child. We have moved the assembly to the afternoon so we have increased quality learning time on a Monday morning.

IMPORTANT DATES:

CHANGE of DATE –P&C AGM is now on **Monday 10th March** commencing at 9.30am in the community room.

A Meet the Teacher BBQ and a welcome to new families has been organised for Wednesday 19th March from 5pm-7pm. We would love to see as many parents and families coming to the school to start a great year of learning as a school community.

Canteen - The canteen has opened. Our canteen is open every Tuesday and Friday. If you can assist in the canteen please write your name down at the front office.

Parent Workshops

Parent Workshops commence next week. On Wednesday 5th March at 9.15am. We are holding a welcome back morning tea in the community room. English classes are starting on Tuesday 4th March from 9.15am to 10am in the community room.

Come and try Playgroup on Monday 10th March 10am –12 in the school hall. Come and see how Playgroup can get your children ready for school.

School Times

Students should not be at school before 8.45am. There are no teachers on duty until 8.45am. School finishes at 3.15pm. Students are required to be collected promptly by parents and carers at 3.15pm. It is important that your child attends school every day and arrives to school on time to maximise learning opportunities. If for any reason your child is unable to attend school, could you please ring the office or send a note with your child when they return.

SCHOOL TIMES

School begins each day with a bell at 9:15a.m and the students move to class at 9:15a.m.

Students should not be at school before 8:45a.m.

THERE ARE NO TEACHERS ON DUTY UNTIL 8:45 a.m.

PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL BEFORE THIS TIME.

Sports Uniforms - Another order of Sports Uniforms will be placed shortly. Cost is \$40.00 per set. Should you wish to order, please order at the office. Final date to order for Term 1 is Friday 7th March 2014.

Parking in Lowana Street Before and After School - Parents and carers are reminded to park legally on Lowana St before and after school. Please follow the directions of the parking signs. It is important for parents and carers to park the car in the appropriate place and then pick up children. Police and Council Parking Officers often patrol the area. There are heavy fines for illegal parking, speeding, for children not wearing seat belts or for children not being in the correct child restraint. All parents and carers and children should use the pedestrian crossing to cross Lowana Street. It is important that we work together as a community to ensure all children are safe.

Ms K Marshall
Relieving Principal

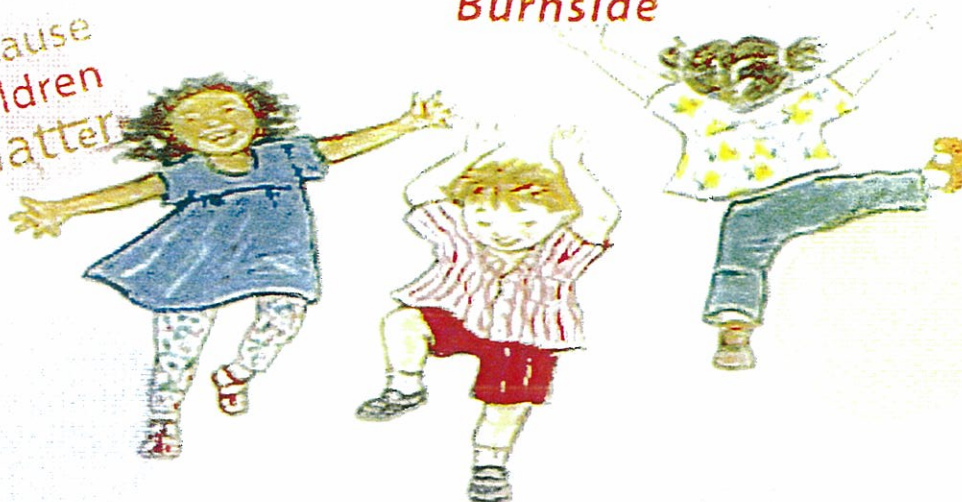
Important Dates:-

Monday 3rd March	District Swimming Carnival
Tuesday 4th March	Parent English Classes start 9.15-10am Community Room
Wednesday 5th March	Parent Workshop 9.15-10am Community Room
Monday 10th March	P&C AGM Monday 9.30 am Community Room
Monday 10th March	Come and Try Playgroup 10am –12 in the Hall
Monday 17th March	School Values Re-launch
Wednesday 19th March	Meet the Teacher BBQ 5pm-7pm
Monday 31st March	Preschool Kangaroo Group Photos
Thursday 3rd April	School Photos - Summer Uniform



Burnside

because
children
matter



***Come & visit us at
Playgroup, at
Villawood East Public
school on Mondays.***

Where Villawood East Public School Hall. Lowana St, Villawood.

When Mondays during school terms

Time 10am to 12:00pm

Contact Christina 0448938179

UnitingCare Burnside Multicultural Family Centre.

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A supported Playgroup environment for children and their
parents to come learn, play and enjoy their time together.