Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Last week Bonville Public School received news that a submission for funding for the NSW Environmental Trust was successful. As a result Bonville Public School will receive a $3500 grant as part of the Food Gardens in Schools Program. These funds will be used to extend and rejuvenate our existing vegetable and herb gardens as part of the 2015 Enrichment Fun Friday activities. The school sincerely thanks the efforts of both Kerry and Derek for working on the submission ensuring its success.

The Year 5/6 Mini Fair was a massive success! Mr Hepi was well relaxed by the café reading a very expensive newspaper whilst enjoying a refreshing banana smoothie and mini donuts. This year’s Mini Fair was bigger and better than previous years due to the incredible support received from families with items for the plant, cake and white elephant stalls. Another great sign is the increasing number of families coming along to enjoy the afternoon. Year 5 and 6 raised $1500. This money will go towards the Year 6 Farewell, Lee Winkler Surf School and The Ocean Awareness Program.

Class auditions for Bonville’s Got Talent commenced today. Each class will select 3 finalists to compete in the talent show on Monday 15th December in the Memorial Hall from 11:30am. Families welcome!

Extra music and band tuition will occur on TOMORROW in preparation for Wednesday’s Presentation Assembly. All students involved in Bonville’s music programs will be required to bring their instrument to school for practise.

The school’s Presentation Assembly will be held this Wednesday in the Memorial Hall from 9:30am. All families are welcome to attend. A special invitation was sent home last week for parents whose children will be receiving a special award. Special awards include: Premier’s Reading Challenge, Class Awards, Special School Awards, Gold Medallions and ICAS Awards. We have not specified on invitations what award will be presented because it would spoil the surprise. Please ensure all children are dressed in their full school uniform.

Bouquet of flowers
Our wonderful families assisting to make the Year 5/6 Mini Fair a huge success, thankyou!

SRC fundraising $1 a scoop ice-creams this Thursday at recess.

Christmas Raffle will be DRAWN THIS WEEK
Please support the Christmas Raffle. ALL TICKETS MUST BE RETURNED TOMORROW!

Christmas Carols
This year’s Bonville PS’s Christmas Carols will be held on Monday 15th December. There will be a sausage sizzle and drinks available from 5:00pm. The Carols will take place in the large COLA (covered outdoor learning area) on the top playground. Santa will arrive around 6:00pm followed by Carols. PLEASE BRING A CHAIR.

5Ps Planning for School Improvement
A reminder that parents are encouraged and welcome to attend the next planning day being held on Monday 15th December from 1-3pm.

Photos from the Year 5/6 Mini Fair
Student Banking
The last day for student banking will be THIS FRIDAY.

Head lice
There has been a reported case of head lice. Please check your child’s hair. If your child has head lice please treat their hair prior to them returning to school.

PICNIC Day
End of year Picnic Day notes were sent home today. Each year we ask for donations of cup-cakes/fruit for the children’s morning tea. If you are able to assist please deliver them to school next Wednesday 17th December.

Next week’s newsletter will go home on Wednesday 17th December.

Small school, big family, great results!

Enjoy a great week!

Michael Hepi
Principal

Advertise with us! Please contact the office on 66534250 for further details.

What’s On this week and next!

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