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Roll-over

We are now two weeks away from roll-over which means all of our students will move into the next year of their studies. Students will require new books for each subject as well as subject specific equipment. Students will be informed as to the requirements of each subject by their teachers. Please contact the school if you have any questions regarding roll-over. Senior students that are commencing their Year 12 studies will be expected to return to school on Monday 13 November.

Year 7 2018

It is with great pleasure that I announce that Mr Preston will be the Year Advisor for our incoming Year 7 students. I am sure Mr Preston

will bring a wealth of expertise to the role and the Year 7 students will benefit enormously from his support and guidance during their six years at Billabong High School.

Ms J Bowen
Deputy Principal
Billabong High School

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

"Look for a positive in each day, even if somedays we have to look a little harder"

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Year 8 at Aurora Residential Camp

Premier's Debating Challenge Regional Semi-final

On Tuesday, 17 October the Year 7 & 8 Debating Team took on Hay War Memorial High School in the Regional semi-final of the Premier's Debating Challenge. The topic, 'that all secondary school students should have to learn the local Aboriginal language', presented a difficultly for the team who were assigned the negative. With some insightful arguments about the practicality of this policy they were successful and will go on to debate Kooringal High School this week.

SRC NEWS - Melbourne Cup

On Tuesday 7th November the SRC will be celebrating the Melbourne Cup with a fashion parade and BBQ. We encourage all students to come dressed up in their finest attire and enter the fashion parade during lunch. Please bring a gold coin donation for dressing up and \$2.00 for the BBQ lunch. The SRC are looking forward to seeing a great range of stylish fashions on the day

CHS 15's Netball

The CHS 15's Netball knockout was held in Wagga on 25th of October. Our team proved very dominate in their pool winning all games by an average of 20 goals. We came up against a formidable opponent in Finley High School in the final. Our girls equipped themselves well in what was a very defensive and physical game. Congratulations to Finley who won the final 8-7. I'm sure they will represent the Riverina well at the next level. Thanks to the parents for transporting the girls and their support in managing the team. The girls should be extremely proud of their achievements on the day and of their excellent display of sportsmanship.

Milliken Cup Cricket

The Milliken Cup Cricket Team will leave Billabong High at 9am Friday 3rd November on the School Bus and travel to Ernest Grant Oval Thurgoona. A 10.00 am start will see our team take on Murray High School.

Our estimated time of arrival back to school is 4pm, so players will need to make arrangements for a late pick up.

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Year 7 Food Technology - pasta making

Aurora College News

Six of our Aurora College students attended the residential school at Bathurst during Week 3. It allowed them to once again meet up with their virtual classmates and teachers and continue their classes in English Mathematics and Science at Kelso High School. They also experienced other exta-curricular activities such as visiting a power station, touring Abercrombie Caves and enjoying a theatre performance at Orange. Students are now back at BHS preparing for their Aurora College yearly exams in week 5.

Teacher Appreciation Day

Last Friday the 27th October was Teacher Appreciation Day. We would like to take this opportunity to recognise the great work and dedication our teachers at Billabong High School demonstrate on a day to day basis. We are very lucky to have a strong and professional team here at Billabong High school.

Canteen

Year 8 Book Packs available to order at the school canteen for \$40.00.



Calendar

16th Oct - 3rd Nov

HSC Exams

1st Nov - 3rd Nov

Peer Support Camp

9th November

Year 12 Formal

13th November

Seniors return to school

20th November

Year 10 Social Evening

29th Nov - 1st Dec

Year 9 Melbourne Excursion

Canteen Roster

Tuesday 31st October

Amanda McGrath

Wednesday 1st November

Sonia Murphy

Thursday 2nd November

Rita Bowler

Friday 3rd November

Debbie Clancy

Monday 6th November

Allison Baldock

Community Notices- These are not school events



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NDIS & School Leaver Employment Supports Information Session

Job Centre Australia Choice & Control (Albury) is holding an information session on Thursday 2nd November and we would like to invite you to join us.

We know the NDIS can be confusing, so we'll provide all the information about our NDIS & School Leaver Employment Supports (SLES), as well as how we can help your school leaver to achieve their goals.

Come along and ask questions, hear from others around what they're doing, and see what Job Centre Australia Choice & Control has to offer

Date: Thursday 2nd November, 2017

Time: 5pm - 6pm

Address: 317c Urana Rd, Lavington NSW 2641 Light refreshments will be provided.

RSVP: Please call the NDIS Coordinator on 02 6025 1249 by 31st October, 2017. We look forward to seeing you there!

It's your choice, you're in control.





6025 1249 www.jobcentreaustralia.com.au



HENTY SWIM CLUB Rego/Assessments

- Mon 20th November
- Wed 22nd November

4.30 - 7.00pm

(Only need to attend one session) Contact Julie White 0487 484 420 if you would like any further information.