

**STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

<b>PREP B</b>	<b>Aimee</b>	<b>For developing more confidence and always being focused on her learning tasks. Well done!</b>
<b>PREP C</b>	<b>Brady</b>	<b>For sharing his knowledge and assisting others in computer lab this week. Great work Brady!</b>
<b>PREP F</b>	<b>Charlie</b>	<b>For his persistent effort in handwriting to form neat and clear letters. Well done Charlie!</b>
<b>PREP H</b>	<b>Jacob</b>	<b>For being a superstar worker this week. Keep up the great work Jacob!</b>
<b>JUNIOR B</b>	<b>Declan</b>	<b>For his enthusiasm towards all tasks and his eagerness to help others.</b>
<b>JUNIOR H</b>	<b>Jasmine</b>	<b>For her terrific orientation in her Narrative “Spot at the Park”. Fantastic effort Jasmine!</b>
<b>JUNIOR L</b>	<b>Nicholas</b>	<b>For completing tasks on time and putting in lots of effort.</b>
<b>JUNIOR N</b>	<b>Zakiah</b>	<b>For always persisting no matter how challenging the activity is.</b>
<b>JUNIOR R</b>	<b>James</b>	<b>For working towards independence and taking risks.</b>
<b>JUNIOR S</b>	<b>Bridget</b>	<b>For wonderful story writing and excellent questions about our big book!</b>
<b>JUNIOR T</b>	<b>Edwina</b>	<b>For showing great independence during writing sessions.</b>
<b>JUNIOR W</b>	<b>Ethan</b>	<b>For a huge improvement in the neatness of his handwriting. Well done Ethan!</b>
<b>MIDDLE A</b>	<b>Nicholas</b>	<b>For his great effort and persistence at the Athletics on Wednesday.</b>
<b>MIDDLE J</b>	<b>Penelope</b>	<b>For always contributing terrific ideas during learning times.</b>
<b>MIDDLE L</b>	<b>Chloe</b>	<b>For always being so organised and working hard to complete her work. Well done Chloe!</b>
<b>MIDDLE M</b>	<b>Meg</b>	<b>For being an enthusiastic contributor to athletics day!</b>
<b>MIDDLE R</b>	<b>Rajat</b>	<b>For giving his all at athletics. Well Done!</b>
<b>MIDDLE S</b>	<b>Charlotte</b>	<b>For being confident and contributing to class discussions.</b>
<b>MIDDLE W</b>	<b>Kiara</b>	<b>For being an enthusiastic participant in the Bellaire Sports Day.</b>
<b>SENIOR B</b>	<b>Isabella</b>	<b>For her “have a go” attitude and fantastic effort at the Athletics day.</b>
<b>SENIOR C</b>	<b>Holly</b>	<b>For being super organised with her homework tasks this week!</b>
<b>SENIOR H</b>	<b>Gemma</b>	<b>For showing great sportsmanship in all sporting events!</b>
<b>SENIOR J</b>	<b>Cecilia</b>	<b>For working hard to achieve her goals.</b>
<b>SENIOR K</b>	<b>Rowan</b>	<b>For consistently displaying a hard working attitude to all aspects of school life. A great example to all!</b>
<b>SENIOR W</b>	<b>Joel</b>	<b>For consistently setting a high standard in all areas of the curriculum. Excellent work!</b>



## AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL SCHOOLBOYS UNDER 12 FOOTBALL QUEENSLAND

We arrived on Saturday in the hot sunny weather and settled into our hotels, our first game was on Sunday against Northern Territory which turned out to be one of the toughest matches we would play for the week. The score was VIC 10.15.75 to N.T 2.2.14. Our second game was on Monday against New South Wales which was a pretty easy match and ended up being VIC 17.25.127 to N.S.W 0.0.0 and I kicked 2 goals and was the Best player on the ground as well as the best team player. On Tuesday we went on an educational excursion to Australia Zoo which was very exciting and we got to touch and feel some of the amazing animals they have. Our third game was against Queensland which was also pretty hard but we beat them VIC 13.15.91 to Q.L.D 0.0.0, the ladder after round three was VIC, S.A 9 points Q.L.D, N.T, N.S.W 5 points and A.C.T 3 points. Game 4 was against Australian Capital Territory which was the easiest game for the week; we won VIC 22.12.144 to A.C.T 1.0.6. I won the Joel Selwood award for my attack on the ball and willingness to protect my teammates and kicked 1 goal. On Friday we had a rest day which came luckily for me because I was sick all day and had a temperature of 39.2 degrees. On Saturday we played our last game against South Australia who had also not lost a game and due to my sickness I was only able to play for 5 minutes but that aside, we won. We smashed South Australia, VIC 13.6.84 to S.A 3.4.22. All in all it was the greatest experience I've had and to wear the jumper that so many greats have worn was a real privilege.

**Will S/W**



## Geelong Food Relief Centre 2009 Toucan Appeal

Every year the Geelong Food Relief Centre (Foodbank) provides more than eight thousand families in the Geelong region with emergency food supplies. This means that more than 24000 adults and children use the service.

The Geelong Food Relief Centre is a not-for-profit charitable co-operative of welfare agencies throughout Geelong, the Bellarine Peninsula, Surf Coast and Winchelsea.

The Toucan Winter Appeal is run each year and Bellaire Primary School is proud to support this worthy cause.

We ask that each family donate a non perishable food item which should be placed in the box in the foyer just inside the front door. The box will be collected after the 31<sup>st</sup> August.

## Prep & Junior Sports Day

The Prep and Junior sports carnival will be held on **Tuesday August 18<sup>th</sup>** on the school oval. The emphasis on the carnival is "fun and participation". We invite all parents and grandparents to attend the Sports day between 9.30am and 1pm and this will be followed by a Prep and Junior celebratory picnic on the oval at 1.15pm. Students are asked to wear their school shorts/tracksuit pants with a t-shirt in their house colour and appropriate footwear. We look forward to seeing all parents at the carnival to support all our Bellaire future "sports stars".

## VICTORIAN PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

Congratulations to the following students who have completed the reading challenge:-.

Madi, Lachlan, Kristen, Brooke, Zalli, Harry, Cameron and Brady.

Final day to complete the Reading Challenge is the 25<sup>th</sup> August, so encourage your children to keep reading and complete the challenge in the next couple of weeks.

## BELLAIRE CONCERT 2009 COSTUMES

*Dear Parent,*

*As you are aware the concert will be held at The Arena in North Geelong at 7pm. on Thursday, 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2009.*

*As in past years, we ask parents to outfit their child in an appropriate costume. Children will receive a suggested list of costume ideas in the next week.*

*If you wish to have a costume made for you to buy, or to hire, we have included a couple of excellent sources for you to contact – (Please give them plenty of notice. It would be best to contact them as soon as possible). Both ladies are aware of the concert items and are keen to help out.*

*HOWARD DANDY*

*Music Teacher.*

*Children's Costumes. Made to order many designs already available.*

*Call Mary on 5243 0163 / 0432346248 or call in at 99 Roslyn Rd. Belmont*

*"The Dress Up Place" – for costumes made to hire*

*Call Julie on 5222 5885 or 0417 152 180 – or 8 Tanner Street, Breakwater.*

## EDUCATION MAINTENANCE ALLOWANCE

**Applications for the 2<sup>nd</sup> instalment of EMA close this Friday - Please obtain an application form from the office.**



The search for the 2009 Geelong Father of the Year is on again! Bethany Community Support, The Geelong Advertiser and Rotary Club of Geelong invite children and teenagers to enter this annual competition which is proudly sponsored by the Bendigo Bank and celebrates fatherhood through children's eyes, acknowledges the important role men play in families and raises awareness of Bethany's Men and Family Relationships program.

Tell us in 120 words or less WHY your father (grandfather, uncle or someone who is like a father to you) should be the 2009 Geelong Father of the Year. How is your father or father figure such a special person for you? How does he help others?

***Entry forms are available at the school office***

All entries need to be submitted by 5pm Friday 14 August and can be submitted either via post (must be postmarked no later than the 14 August) to PO Box 324 North Geelong 3215 or delivered to Bethany Community Support, 1 Gibb St, North Geelong 3215.

If you have any questions or queries please contact either Julie Stefanoff or Sandy Goddard on 5278 8122

***When a student submits an entry his or her school is automatically included in a Lucky Draw Prize to win a digital camera valued at \$300.***