Term 1  Week 7
Principal: Elissa Routley

**Important Dates**

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Kindergarten to Year 6 students participating in Jellybeans Percussion Program with Mrs Gollasch.

**Our Focus Behaviour this week is:** Doing our school outside-jobs as best we can

**Our Focus Behaviour next week is:** Accepting differences
Principal’s Note

Merhaba Everyone (Turkish for hello!),
Our term is flying by, and we are so excited by the learning that is happening at Boree Creek Public School.
Next Tuesday we will be visited by a University Intern, Belinda Kane. Belinda is from Wollongong and will be frequenting our school quite a lot, culminating in a 3 week block at the end of next term. Please introduce yourself to her if you are in school, and make her welcome at Boree Creek Public School.

Clean up Australia Day (CUAD)
Last week Boree Creek PS students participated in C.U.A.D. The students cleaned up around town this year, and collected a large quantity of rubbish— the most unusual item was a gumboot and the most common item was aluminium cans. Thanks kids for keeping our town clean and beautiful!

Harmony Day
Friday 20th March is GK Harmony Day at Yerong Creek. Students will travel over with Mrs Routley, Miss Donald and Rachel Westblade. Our theme for the day is “Turkey”. The students will be placed in mixed age groups, and rotate between three activities— cooking, dancing and craft. Please fill in and return the lunch order for the day

Bike-A-Thon / Fundraiser
Fundraising sheets were sent home last week, keep squeezing donations out of family and friends for this worthy cause! If children want to bring money raised in to school in instalments that is advisable. Community members are welcome to join us for the ride, as a support vehicle, or just for a BBQ lunch at Galore Hill.

It will be held on Friday 24th April following bike week at school for all of Week 1 Term 2.
Please take the time to get your kids’ bikes road worthy in the next few weeks so they can participate in this fun worthwhile event.

Parent Information Evening
Thankyou to those parents who attended last night’s information evening. I hope you gained a deeper understanding of the Early Action for Success (EAFS) program, home readers and homework. We also discussed the bike-a-thon and the Canberra excursion.

ANZAC Day
This year ANZAC day falls on the first Saturday (25th April) after school returns for Term 2, ALL STUDENTS WILL BE EXPECTED TO MARCH at Boree Creek. This year for the centenary, we will be performing a play and songs at the outdoor ceremony in the community park. More information to follow in the coming weeks.

Cross Country
It’s that time of year again, cross country training!!! Please send your children in sneakers to school as of until the end of term. They can change into their school shoes after running if they wish. The Greater Kengal Crosss Country will be held at the Riverina Environmental Education Centre at Wagga on Wednesday 1st April.

Easter Craft / Assembly
Easter craft day will be on Tuesday 31st March, which will also be crazy hair and plain clothes day. We will be asking for a gold coin donation to donate to a charity yet to be decided.
We will hold our termly assembly on Thursday 2nd April at 2:00pm followed by a fun Easter Egg hunt! Please invite family and friends to celebrate this term’s achievements.

Liss Routley