Dear Parents,

Despite the weather, last week’s P&C meeting was the funniest meeting I have ever been to. I don’t think I have laughed at a P&C so much! Thank you parents, teachers and community members who braved the weather to join us.

The P&C generously voted to fund over $2000 in books for the School Library – no wonder it is such a fabulous collection. It was a joy to witness so many people willing to support the learning and education of all students at Berridale. Please support our P&C any way you can. Whether it be assisting with working bees, donating time, helping another person, sharing the load or providing a cake for the President at the next meeting (ha ha)!!!!

No matter how great or small, YOUR ASSISTANCE WILL NEVER GO UNNOTICED. More importantly it sends a solid message to students that:

- You value education
- You model to our students exactly what “community involvement” truly means, and that in tum leads us Towards a Better World.

Have a good week!
Tracey Southam.
Scripture teacher needed
Please speak to Tracey if you are interested or know of anyone available.

Music
We will be forming a school choir with Mrs Wall’s assistance. Either a whole school or infants and primary choirs.

Library Days
Kinder, Year 1 & Year 2 - Monday
Years 3,4,5 & 6 - Thursday

Road Safety
Please be aware of the safety of pedestrians outside the school. It is particularly important that you observe the NO STOPPING zone either side of the crossing.

“Click” - we captured learning power at Berridale Public School

Stage 1 have been making shadow puppets while learning about Light in Science class.

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Stages 2 & 3 are enjoying dismantling the school’s broken photocopier with visiting Science teacher, Mr Priest.

Congratulations to Lani, the Snowy Mountains District’s new Age 11 District Swimming Champion

Huge Congratulations to the BPS District Swimming Team for their fantastic efforts and Sportsmanship last Thursday.

A massive thank you to all the parents who helped with the work on the playground last weekend.

Everyone loves the new playground

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**Dates to remember**

- **Friday, 27th February** – Schools Clean-up day
- **Wednesday, 1st April** – LAST DAY OF TERM for students

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**Berridale OOSHC**

**General Meeting Tonight, 23rd February at 7.30pm**
We hope to see a few new faces there!

**AGM Monday 30th March at 7.30pm at Baanya Hall**

**Thank you** to the Morrell family for our new storage unit and to the Betros family for putting it together.

Does anyone have any large golf umbrellas lying around that they could donate to us? (Thank you to the Bennett family for letting us have their spares last week.) One umbrella, 11 children, very wet staff!

Linda is away for 3 weeks so Carol Betros is doing her shifts.

From all at OOSHC

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Please do not bring food containing NUTS to school
eg Nutella, peanut butter, etc