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Ben Lomond Public School Newsletter

Respect, Responsibility, Leadership, Resilience

Rotary Youth of the Year 2024

Congratulations Bridget and Laney



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Principal report

This year we have had a lot of significant achievements that we should be proud of. These range from our fantastic Kindergarten transition program, where we welcomed the boys into the school and started to prepare them for formal schooling to preparing our 3 year 6 years for their next chapter of their lives. Laney, Sherry and Bridget, this school will not be the same without you and we will miss you greatly, but we wish you all the best.

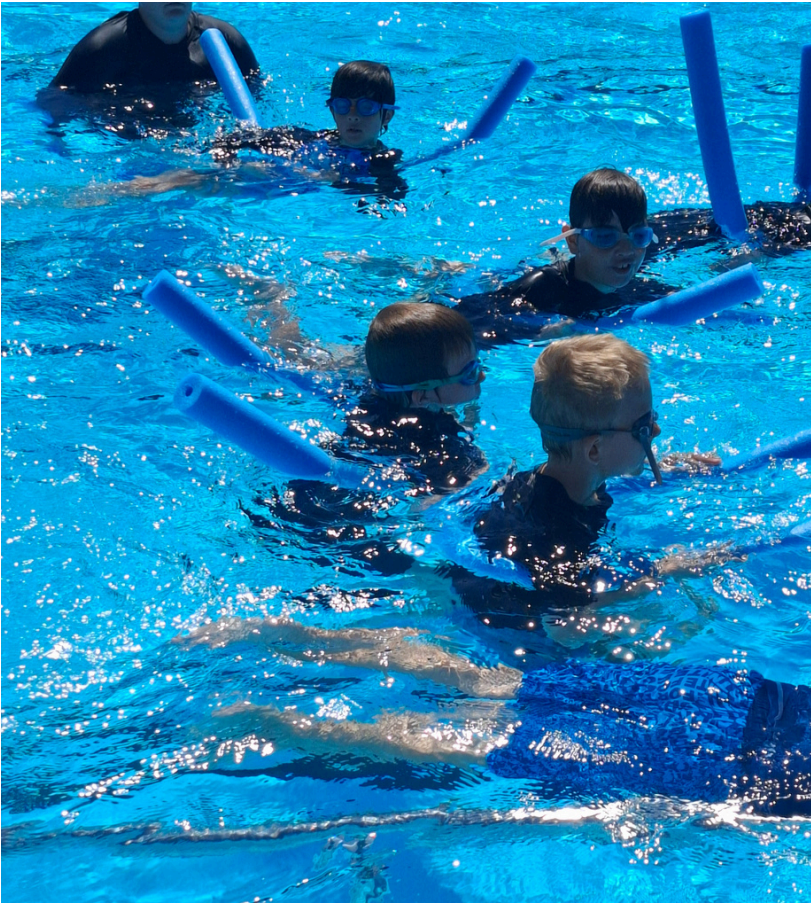
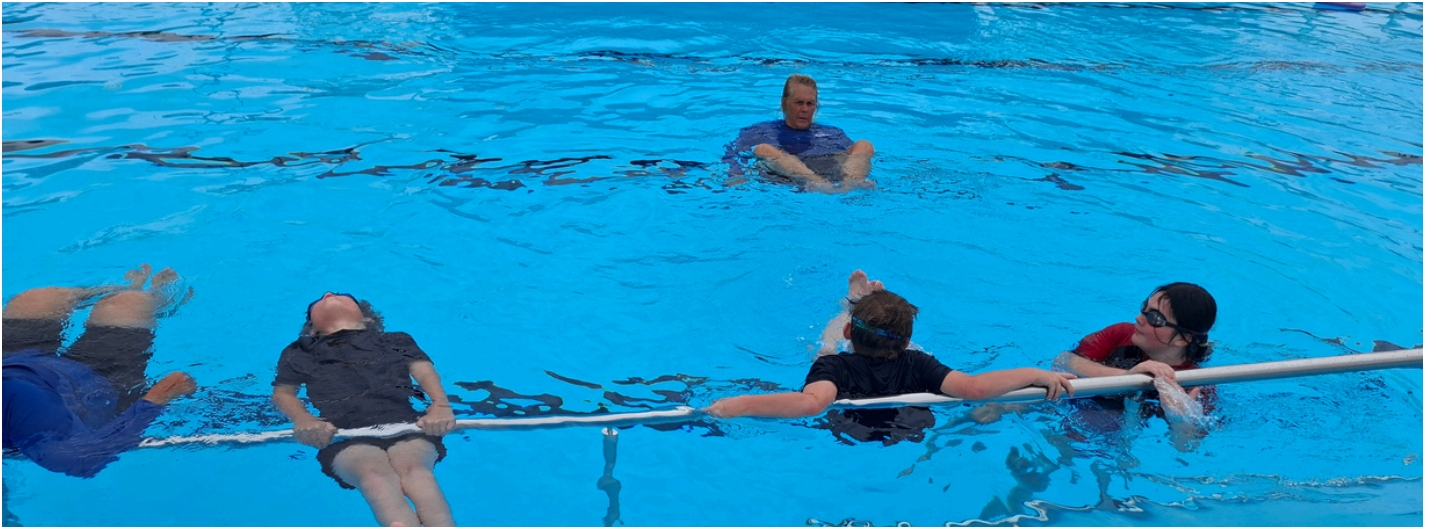
As you came into the school grounds today did you notice our beautiful flowers and fruit trees? Thank you to Ms Barnes, Landcare/Woolworths Ms Looker, Say & Co Glen Innes and Black Mountain Nursery for making our school grounds look great. In addition to these trees and flowers, the green thumbed students have grown a very productive vegetable garden and berry patch. Some of those ingredients you ate today and throughout the year we have made delicious recipes and tried new things, even though we didn't think we would.

We have also made the local news, newspapers, NSW transport Facebook page and demonstrated how the ethos of Ben Lomond Public School at all points throughout the year. Our students have large hearts and thrive on making others smile. They demonstrated this by creating artwork and visiting age care homes, always writing thank you to visitors and representing our school with pride at multiple excursions. I am one lucky Principal.

Finally, I would like to thank the staff here at Ben Lomond Public School. A teaching principal is a complex job, however, the support that this staff get is unwavering and it is more than I could ask for. I would like to take a minute to thank Ms Cassidy in particular. Next year she will not be working with us full-time and she will be missed. Laurie-Anne, thank you for the love and dedication you give to the students and staff. You are an asset that will be greatly missed. To Ms Barnes, Ms Cullen, Mrs Stewart, Ms Lockyer, Ms Looker, and Maria, I look forward to working with you all next year.

Thank you all for making the time to be here today, I will now hand back over to Bridget and Laney to finish the assembly. Merry Christmas and have a safe break. Boys and girls be proud of what you've achieved this year. You are all wonderfully amazing.

Swim School



The Strawberry_patch



Marsha Farr art workshop



Red Cross Christmas tree



At the movies



VRA visit was a hit





Ice Cream in the park



Standing stones



History House



Glen Innes Fire Station



For you Diary

DECEMBER

Wednesday 18 - last day of term 4
2024

January

Friday 31 - Staff return to school

February

Thursday 6 - Students first day back
Thursday 13 - Swimming Carnival