What a busy term it has been. I can’t believe how quickly the time has gone. I would like to thank Mal Donald, our retiring Principal, for allowing me the privilege to relieve as Principal of this wonderful school. I am very excited about what we have planned for the school for next year. Our continued work on the school plan will provide some exciting new directions for the school and opportunities to build on our existing strengths.

I would to thank our dedicated staff for their support to me and our students. As our quote for this newsletter suggests, it is so important to love the work you do in order to produce great results. Thankfully, we are very fortunate to have a staff who truly love their jobs and the work they do and this is most definitely reflected in the outcomes that our students achieve. A sincere thank you to all those (staff, parents, carers and friends) who contribute to the education of our students. To Tracey Bradbery and Tanya Wilshire, thank you for your wonderful work in doing such a fantastic job making sure the administration side of the school works so smoothly and for always being the friendly face of our school for visitors.

We look forward to seeing you all again in 2016 for another fantastic year!!

Final Newsletter for 2015

As this is the final newsletter for 2015 we would like to take this opportunity to thank the entire school community for your support, effort, dedication and ongoing commitment to the education of our incredible students. Thank you to everyone who has helped us throughout the year to make this school a highly effective and welcoming place of learning for our students. Your efforts and support all contribute to the team we have at Bullimbal and the outcomes our students achieve.

We wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a safe and enjoyable holiday.

2016 School Year

Staff return to school for 2016 on Wednesday 27th January 2016. Students return to school on Thursday 28th January 2016.

We look forward to seeing everybody back at school, refreshed and ready for a new year! See you then!

2016 Calendar

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Presentation Day

Yesterday we held our annual Presentation Day to recognise the achievements of our students, staff and community members. This year we changed the Presentation to a daytime event, which by all reports, was a wonderful success.

A highlight of the day was, as always, the premiere screening of each class’ Cineliteracy films. Thanks also to Class 5 for their fantastic live performance of ‘I Want Candy’. Our whole school finale performance of a Grease dance medley was also a lot of fun, including a terrific amount of audience participation! Great job everyone! Thank you to all our parents, carers and friends for their attendance yesterday in sharing this great event with us.

Congratulations to all our incredible students for their hard work and dedication to their learning throughout 2015. We look forward to seeing even further progress from all our students next year!

Matt Donates His Pens

A big Bullimbal Thank You to Matt Warden who made a tremendous donation of pens, pencils and paper to our school. Thanks Matt, this should keep us busy for a while.

School Resumes
Wednesday 27th January 2016
What’s happening in Class 3

This week Class 3 are continuing to work hard in class. We have been busy decorating our room for Christmas and singing carols as the excitement builds. We are reading a variety of Christmas themed stories. Our favourites so far are Wombat diving by Mem Fox and Christmas Wombat by Jackie French.

What’s happening in Class 4

Class 4 has been busy making Christmas craft items and only one piece can be revealed at this time as they are also Christmas gifts. Merry Christmas everybody and a safe and happy new Year. Michelle and Kerrie

- Reindeer James
- Reindeer Josh
- Reindeer Lincoln
- Reindeer Michael
- Reindeer Milla
Everybody Dance Now

Haven't we had some fun kicking up our heels at the Cerebral Palsy Disco at school and the Absolutely Everybody dance party at West Leagues Club.

CEREBRAL PALSY DISCO  ABSOLUTELY EVERYBODY DANCE PARTY

PRESENTATION DAY 2015
The Bullimbal Staff would like to wish all our families a safe and wonderful Christmas.

Bullimbal Anniversary Tea Towel
Yours for only $10
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