We will be hosting our first meeting of the new school council of 2016 on Tuesday. At this meeting I will be presenting the Annual Report on the schools performance throughout the 2015 school year. Once presented to school council it will be available on our website. We will have 3 subcommittees that interested families are welcome to join. Education, Community Relations and Grounds!

Our Sports proved to be a successful event and, as a staff, we have had a feedback session on ways we may enhance the day. At the start of term 2 we will seek feedback from families regarding the sports and the swimming program. It was quite overwhelming the responses we received from families on the night expressing their gratitude for hosting a twilight carnival. Many of these parents are unable to attend activities during school hours and this is one event that enables them to participate. We need to congratulate our House Captains for their leadership on the day of the sports, they provided great assistance to Miss Vince and all received certificates for the extra effort.

We are still keen to sell our raffle tickets for the Easter Baskets. If you have some tickets at home please bring them in, we do have more available at the office. Thank you to the families who have donated Easter eggs for the raffle and there is still time for those who have yet to do so.

As we approach the end of the term we have plans in place for our annual walkathon to be held on the Thursday 24th of March. Families are very welcome to come along on the day and enjoy the walk / run with their children. Students will have an early recess, and then assemble at 10.30 on the asphalt to start their walk. Casual clothes can be worn on the day. A whole school assembly will be held at 1:00pm in the carpet area of the hall. Students will be dismissed at 1.30 p.m. for the term.

Term 2 commences on Monday 11th of April and students are not required to wear their hats in Term 2.
Community Service Awards
Charlotte & Beau for outstanding citizenship in caring for peers

Principal’s Award
Riley & Banjo for excellent effort in all classwork
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School Holiday Clinic

**When:** Thursday 7\(^{th}\) April 2016

**Where:** Ballarat Netball Association
Barkly Street, Ballarat

**Who:** Netballers from 11/Under – 13/Under

**Times:** 10.00am – 2.00 pm

**Cost:** $25 per participant

Ballarat Pride, Ballarat Netball Association & CH Netball Region will provide Specialist Coaching followed by Match Play.

*Limited numbers – Entries close Thursday 24\(^{th}\) March

Entries only accepted via email – bnapride@ncable.net.au

*No entries on the day accepted*