Our students always seem to be busy growing and learning... no ‘down time’ at Binya!

Our primary students are currently **independently reading a Roald Dahl novel**, with the intended purpose to note the literary techniques he uses to position us as readers and develop characters. They will collate a diary of chapter summary, vocab bank, sketch and label the character and make comment on the literary strategies used and their effect. It would be beneficial for them to **make extra reading opportunity at home**.

K-6 are working on **information report writing in PowerPoint presentation**. Students are researching native or introduced/feral animals and the effect on our environment. We hope to look at problems in our local area. Yesterday we had Michelle from National Parks talk to us about the Black Glossy Cockatoo.

We wish **Leah Boyd** all the best as she heads to Nationals next Friday!!! Leah is **representing NSW**, competing in long jump at Canberra. Our students will present Leah with a cheque for $130, an amazing result of their fundraising to help in her journey!

Have a great weekend ☺ Karen
Kid’s Corner - When I grow up

When I grow up I’m not sure what I would like to be. It’s very hard to choose because there are lots of choices. I might like to be a fisherman. I would need lots of money to buy a boat. I like fishing. Ah... when I grow up. **By Bailey**

Squirt, squirt, squirt! Milk coming out through the milking machine- that’s what I love!

When I grow up I want to be a dairy farmer because I love cattle and drinking pure cow’s milk.
What I will need to do is get up every morning, check their health, keep them fat, and make sure that their udder is good.
One day, you too may be drinking my magnificent, marvellous, spectacular cows’ milk! **By Leah**

Bang! That didn’t work, oh well.
When I grow up I want to be a scientist... or perhaps a cartoonist. I would like to have these jobs because I am very interested in science, especially genetics. I would also like to be a cartoonist because I just love drawing.
To be a scientist I think need to develop lots of new skills. To be a cartoonist I will need a steadier hand and a better concentration.
Will I ever figure out a cure for cancer? Ah... when I grow up. **By Sam**

“Our topic today is...”
I would like to be a teacher when I’m older. I love to educate people and teach then something new.
I would need to go to university to get a degree. I would need to be able to care for kids and challenge them in their learning.
Our latest PRAC student-Miss Condon was amazing and calm!! She was a great inspiration. I think it would be hard to meet new kids and organise work for every day I teach!!! I would like to teach at a rural school and see if it is anything like Binya!!!
“O.K. students, let’s write about what you want to be when you grow up!” **By Milly B**

Quietly we aim for the target. Whoosh goes the arrow!
When I grow up I want to be an archer. I thought that if I start early, when I’m 10, I can be a lot better when I’m 20.
I want to be an archer because you get to travel and meet new people along the journey, plus it improves my concentration skills.
An archer can teach others and go to the Olympics. It is a great sport to be a part of.
The arrow hits the bullseye! 10 points! Hooray! **By Luke**

I want to be a farmer because my dad is a farmer. I want to be a farmer in Binya and grow fish, chickens, wheat and barley. I will drive the header and chew on straw. **By Max**
Chomp! I am eating some of my corn. Crack! I am cooking with my tasty golden chicken eggs. Eggs and corn are delicious. When I grow up I want to be a chicken and corn farmer because I want to sell my eggs and some of my corn. Corn grows in the ground from seeds the plants can grow very tall. You can cook corn lots of ways fresh on the cob with butter is yummy. Greer’s eggs and corn for sale! Buy the best! By Greer

Wooowooo! wooo wooo!! “Stop in the name of the LAW!!” I want to be a cop and I want to have a crew. I want to be a cop because it is cool and you get to take people to gool. Watch out I might take you to the judge!!!! By Charlie

Thump! Wow I have never seen someone do a back hand spring before. When I grow up I want to be a gymnast because I am very good at it. I will have to do back bends, one handed cartwheels, cartwheels, back hand springs, aerials, front flips and back flips. Gymnastics is a fantastic healthy sport. By Emily

Don’t move a muscle, Medusa! Oh Hello. I’m dealing with a yellow anaconda. When I grow up I want to be a wild life park officer….. I will need environmental experience and be able to collaborate with other people about different types of animals. Here we go scaly reptile…. that’s it…. that’s it… back to your enclosure! By Leo

“So what length would you like? Maybe a bob? That would look stylish.” When I grow up I’m interested in being a hair dresser because I like playing with hair. I’ll have to go to TAFE so I can learn how to use hair electronics, cut the hair to a certain length and how to dye it. Ah! That bob looks just stunning! Or… I would also like to be a gymnast because I like doing flips and tricks. I would have to go to Circus Arts School so I could learn how to do more tricks. You never know- I could go to the Olympics and have the most perfect bun! By Claire

When I grow up! When I grow up I want to be lots of different things like a professional AFL player, builder, farmer and a shearer. Because I love playing AFL and I have always wanted to be a builder and I don’t really know why. I have always loved being on the farm with dad and shearing. I will need to learn all about the farm from dad and pop. I will need to be good at maths if I want to become a builder. I need to know all there is to know about AFL playing as well. The future is unknown! By Harry

Cartwheel - flip, roll, turn! When I grow up I want to be a dance teacher- I think it will take a lot of skills. I will have to learn how to do backbends, cartwheel, handstands, the splits and much more. I might have to go to university to learn how to teach gymnastics. By Amelia
This week’s joke is asked by- Milly B

What do you call a bear without teeth?

Last week’s answer – Do you think he saurus

Swim School

Swim School commences next Monday 30th November for all students in Years K - 5.

Students need to make sure they have a rashie, towel, sunscreen and swimmers with them each day, clearly labelled with their name.

P&C - Next meeting: Monday 30th November at 7pm

Sport and Recreation’s Swim and Survive lessons

Sport and Recreation’s Swim and Survive classes for pre-schoolers and school-aged children help youngsters learn important ways to be safe and enjoy our pools, rivers, beaches and lakes. The intensive nine-day programs provide wonderful results, and are great fun as well. Plus, family discounts make our program affordable for all the children in the family. Sport and Recreation runs Swim and Survive classes in pools throughout regional NSW.

Our instructors are nationally qualified and screened for their suitability to work with children.

Prices for nine lessons are $69 for school-aged children and $49 for preschoolers (prices exclude pool entry fee).

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