Volunteer Literacy Tutors
A small number of community members have volunteered to be part of our literacy team. The staff and students appreciate the time given to our school by these dedicated volunteers. Anyone interested in becoming a volunteer is asked to contact the school.

Above: Literacy Volunteers for 2011 (L-R) Top - Margaret Cuthbertson and Pauline Ball, above Margaret Barling and Kerryn Walker.

UB present tertiary options to our students
On Monday, 20th June, University of Ballarat’s Outreach Program presented a session for the Year 10 & 11 students at the school. This presentation covered a number of issues related to tertiary courses and university life. Below are comments from some of our students about the presentation:

- Lee, the presenter, along with Hannah and Trianna, who are current students at UB, presented sessions where we discussed the different options for students seeking tertiary education, the various means of getting into university, the main problems facing university students and the university lifestyle. This session taught me a lot, particularly about the application process, even if you don’t get the course you want. Daniel.
- Discussion on aspects of attending university, such as fees, accommodation options, lectures and classes were very informative and helpful. I strongly recommend that the school has this session again next year. Josh.
- This session taught us about the cost of university, how often you have classes, what you are required to do outside of your classes, where you can live, the cost of living, family pressure etc. It was a great presentation and we all learnt a lot. It definitely got us thinking about our futures. Andrew & Laura

Presentation Ball
Urgent Notice
The Parents and Friends Association are in urgent need of either donations of food or cash to purchase food for the Presentation Ball on Friday, 1st July. This is the PFA’s major fund raising event for the year and the assistance of every school family would be appreciated. If you can help, please fill in the form on Page 5 and return it to the school by Friday, 24th June.

PFA Meeting - Thursday
23rd June - 4.00pm
All welcome

Above: Students participate in the University of Ballarat Outreach Program presentation at the school.

Please phone or send a note if your child is absent from school - It’s not OK to be Away.
Coles Sport for Schools Program
During 2010, our families and friends supported the School by collecting “Coles Vouchers” as part of the Coles Sport for Schools program. As a result of the fantastic support we were able to redeem the vouchers and get a new high jump bar, 2 stop watches and a set of walkie talkies. Thank you to those who supported this program as this equipment is a boost to the Sport and PE departments.

Semester 1 Reports and Parent Teacher Interviews
Reports will be distributed to students this Friday and parents are asked to return the Parent-Teacher Interview Request Form on Monday, 27th June. Parent-Teacher Interviews will be held on Thursday, 30th June. Please take advantage of this opportunity to catch up with your child’s teachers. Term 2 will finish on Friday, 1st July at 2.30pm. Can parents please be aware of this and make appropriate arrangements. If you have any concerns, please contact Mrs. Higgins.

**Congratulations Jemmelle**
Congratulations to Year 7 student, Jemmelle Venes (pictured right) who took out 3rd place in her age group at the Grampians Cross Country event held in Stawell yesterday. Jemmelle has now qualified for the State Cross Country event to be held later this year.

Beaufort Community House & Learning Centre
School Holiday Program
Ice-skating at the Ice House in Melbourne
Date: Wednesday 13th July 2011
Time: 7.30am to meet at Beaufort Train Station to catch the Train to Melbourne.
Return at 7.00pm to the Beaufort Train Station
Cost: $45.00
BYO Lunch and Drinks, or money for food.
Please pay and Book at the Beaufort Community House & Learning Centre 5349 1184 before 13th July

Beaufort Secondary College
PRESENTATION BALL
Shire Hall, Beaufort
Friday
1st July, 2011
(Doors open at 7.00pm)

**TICKETS** for the Presentation Ball will be on sale at the school.
**PRICE:** $15.00 adults. $10.00 for students. Family tickets are $40.00 (which includes 2 adults and 2 children)

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**BEAUFORT BASKETBALL**
GRAND FINAL - MONDAY 27TH JUNE
5.00pm - Juniors - BLUE vs RED
6.30pm - Seniors - YELLOW vs RED
All teams are invited to attend the Presentations
Junior Presentation
will be held after the Junior game.
Senior Presentation
will be held after Senior game.
Please return your singlets - as new teams will be announced on Grand Final Night.

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It’s hard to learn anything if you are absent from school - *It’s not OK to be Away.*
PFA PRESENTATION BALL  
Friday, 1st July, 2011

Donations Urgently Required

The PFA and Ball Committee are now calling on all parents to assist with the preparations and conduct of the Ball. Please tick where you can help.

1. Finishing touches to hall and supper preparations on Friday, 1st July from 11.00am  
2. Work in kitchen and serve supper at Ball  
3. Assistance (lots of men please) to clean hall after Ball finishes

SUPPER

Could EVERY SCHOOL FAMILY please contribute towards supper.  
Please indicate what you can supply.

- 2 Dozen pieces of slice  
- 2 Half sponges  
- 3 Dozen hot savouries  
- $5.00 donation

Please Note: Food needs to be delivered to the Shire Hall after 1.00pm on Friday, 1st July. Thank you.

NAME: ...........................................................................................................................................................................

As this is the MAJOR FUNDRAISING EFFORT by the PFA this year, the support of every school family would be very much appreciated.

Please return this form to the General Office by Friday, 17th June, 2011

If you have any queries, please contact Sally Crick on 5349 7488

Beaufort Secondary College PFA thanks you for your support.
9/10 Food Technology
Meal Planning

Over the past few weeks, the Year 9 and 10 Food Technology Students have been planning a two course meal to prepare during class time. The students had a list of considerations and constraints they had to keep in mind whilst planning their meals. These included:

- The amount of time to prepare, cook, eat and wash up
- The main meal had to include 4 fresh products
- It must include a carbohydrate food
- The dessert could only use 5 ingredients

Students had to research and find different recipes to suit the criteria. Once they had decided on a recipe they had to write out a list of the ingredients required to prepare the dish.

This week, students prepared their main meals. There were a great range of dishes and all were presented to a very high quality. Some of the dishes prepared included Chicken Stir Fry, Pizza, Chow Mein, Hamburgers, Pasta, Satay Chicken, and Chicken Kebabs.

Next week students will be preparing their desserts. I’m sure that, once again, they will produce a high standard of dishes.

All students are to be commended on their organisation and their ability to plan and prepare food to a high quality.

Miss Thomson

June 2011
Wednesday 22, Thursday 23, Friday 24 ADVANCE Camp
Thursday 23 Parents & Friends Assoc. Meet 4.00pm
Friday 24 Reports Distributed
Monday 27 Fit To Drive Workshop - Year 11s
Tuesday 28 Year 9 - Smart Assk program BSC Council Meeting
Thursday 30 MWC Football/Netball Years 7 - 9 Parent/Teacher Interviews

July 2011
Friday 1 Last Day - Term 2 VCE Tertiary Information Service at UB Presentation Ball 2011
Sunday 17 - August 5 Year 9 India Trip
Monday 18 First Day - Term 3
Thursday 21 PFA Meeting - 4.00pm - Conference Room
Monday 25 - Friday 29 Year 9 Rubicon Camp
Monday 25 - Friday 5 August Year 10 Work Experience
Tuesday 26 BSC Council Meeting
Wednesday 27 Senior Sport
Thursday 28 Year 8 Maths Games Day Essendon

August 2011
Thursday 4 PFA Meeting - 4.00pm - Conference Room
Friday 5 Legacy Public Speaking Years 7 & 8
Wednesday 10 Grampians Region Hockey
Monday 15 Rotary v Year 11 ‘Great Debate’
Tuesday 23 BSC Council Meeting

September 2011
Thursday 1 PFA Meeting - 4.00pm - Conference Room
Monday 5 Rotary - Year 7 Public Speaking Year 7 Maths Games Overnewton College
Friday 23 Last Day - Term 3

October 2011
Monday 10 First Day - Term 4
Thursday 13 PFA Meeting - 4.00pm - Conference Room
Thursday 20 Year 7 Immunisation
Monday 24 - Friday 28 Year 10 Melbourne Camp
Tuesday 25 BSC Council Meeting

November 2011
Thursday 3 VCE External Exams start - English Year 9 Health Day
PFA Meeting - 4.00pm - Conference Room
Monday 7 - Wednesday 9 Advance Graduation Camp
Monday 14 - Wednesday 16 Year 11 Exams
Monday 14 9/10 Drama Students - Malthouse Theatre
Thursday 17 Year 11 Leadership Day
Friday 18 Year 12 2012 - Orientation Day
Tuesday 22 - Friday 25 Year 11 Tasmania Camp
Tuesday 22 BSC Council Meeting

Wednesday 23, Thursday 24 and Friday 25 Year 8 Camp
Monday 28 Years 7 - 10 English Exam
Tuesday 29 Years 7 - 10 Science Exam
Wednesday 30 Years 7 - 10 Humanities Exam

December 2011
Thursday 1 Years 7 - 10 Maths Exam
Friday 2 Year 11 2012 - Orientation Day
Monday 5, Tuesday 6 Year 7 2012 - Orientation Day
Tuesday 20 Presentation Evening
Thursday 22 Last Day - Term 4