Dear Families,

Debutante Ball
On Saturday night I attended the Benalla P-12 College Debutante Ball. What a fantastic experience it was for all our debutantes. They danced and laughed and entertained their family and friends throughout the evening with great confidence and flair. Congratulations to the following debutantes and their partners:

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I would like to congratulate and sincerely thank Melinda Pentreath for her outstanding organisation and planning. This group of young people have been through some very difficult times this year and Mel was able to very capably support them while at the same time skilfully training them to dance at their best on the night. It was very apparent that she had their total respect and gratitude and this no doubt allowed them to enjoy the whole experience. Thank you to Richard Hubbard, the Master of Ceremony for the evening, he added that personal touch to each student as they were presented and also to Bec Pell for her support for them. The evening was a great success.
Year 3/4 Camp
Last week the Year 3/4 students attended Billabong Ranch Camp near Echuca. The students were provided with a range of experiences including horse feeding and grooming, low rope course, lassoing, archery and paddle boat riding to name a few. This was a fantastic experience for our students who enjoy every minute of it. A special thankyou to the staff who gave their own personal time to attend the camp and ensure the students were able to enjoy this wonderful experience.

Mental Health Forum
This Wednesday 1 st June the Benalla Rural City Council will be conducting a Mental Health Forum titled ‘Your Say: Benalla Talks Mental Health’. The forum is to discuss current mental health services in Benalla Rural City, your ability to access local services and a long term plan to seek additional programs and initiatives. The Forum will be held:

Wednesday 1 June 2016
6.30pm arrival for a 6.45pm start
Benalla Performing Arts and Convention Centre (BPACC)
57 Samaria Road, Benalla

Your stories, feedback and input is greatly needed. Together we can implement a strategic plan to seek future support from all levels of government. Everyone is welcome. Please find the flyer advertising this attached to this newsletter.

Reporting Writing Day
A report writing day will be held on Wednesday 8 th June. Students are not required at school on this day.

Best wishes for the week ahead

Barbara O’Brien
Recycling!

Foundation students at Avon Street Campus enjoyed the hands-on activity of creating three dimensional constructions out of boxes, plastic containers, cardboard tubes and plastic bottle tops. Students used their problem solving skills to successfully form their creations. Some students found glue would not hold the boxes in place and they needed to use sticky tape instead. They discovered for themselves that balance was an important element in their design. Big heavy boxes would not balance when placed on a smaller, lighter one. They then had to make decisions on how to decorate their constructions using paint, crayons or felt pens. A great recycling activity!

Bu Hartridge

Happy campers update!!

So far the kids have learned to deal with exploding bags packed with precision by their parents and have wrestled with the dangers of making their own beds!!
A hale and hearty and well fed crew have headed off on a night walk, wrapped to the gills in multiple layers against the fresh night air - with Milo the goat leading the way!
So far they have learned to use a compass for orienteering, some basics of camping first aid, and juggled and petted some fluffy critters in the animal nursery.
Soon they'll be rocked to sleep after they've popped on their jimjams and giggled their way through the start of the movie 'inside out'. May there be peace and serenity for the wee small hours!

Happy camper update day 2!
Whip crack away!! The kids are now rolling on the ground feasting on toasted marshmallows around our campfire and having been 'whipped' into submission by Rocky and his whip cracking extravaganza!
What an awesome day has been had by all - horse grooming, low ropes course, paddle boats, beach volleyball, archery, initiative challenges... And the fun rolls on tomorrow.
There are some very tired souls, but if we could bottle the energy they have expended today we could light up a small city!!

Day 3 rounded out with the excitement of packing bags (for some who have never packed a bag before!!), FINDING LOST PROPERTY, finishing off some of our excellent adventure activities, before climbing back aboard the bus for a quietly subdued rumble home!

Students of the Week!

This week students of the week were:
Sophie, Harry, Zach, Jack & Corey
Our Students of the Week for Week 6 & Golden Shovel winners were:

Back - Alia, Chelsea, Montell, Chloe and Natalia
Front - Torah, Sharni, Riley, Thomas, Kobie and Liam

At assembly we congratulated the Year 3/4 students who achieved top 10 placements in their age groups. They are pictured with Bailey and Warren who are holding the winning House Cup for Stirling (Red).

In the 8/9 Girls and Boys races the following students finished in the top 10:
- Mackenzie Bickerdike (2nd)
- Caitlin Timmers (4th)
- Elizabeth Seefuss (6th)
- Emily Buitenhuis (7th)
- Charlotte Quilliam (9th)
- Cohen Symes (Winner)
- Jye Laxton (2nd)
- Archer Irwin (5th)
- Montell MacFarlane (8th)
- Jaidyn Chee (9th)

The following 10 year old students will now go on to the Ovens & Mitta Division Cross Country:
- Aya Osman (2nd)
- Kaylah Devlin (3rd)
- Lily Walkaday (5th)

- Sam Cox (3rd)
- Max Woods (6th)
- Thomas Binion (7th)
- Cooper Gracie (10th)

For the past 20 days I have had the privilege of completing an internship as part of my Bastow Institute Preparation for Principalship course which is designed to give aspiring principals the confidence, skills and knowledge necessary to provide quality educational opportunities for all students. Every aspect of my internship has been a wonderful learning experience both professionally and personally and I have discovered Benalla P-12 College as a friendly and caring school with wonderful partnerships with families and the wider community. Students and families are respected and valued and committed and passionate staff strive hard to make Benalla P-12 a place where students feel connected and valued. A special thanks to Heather Leary for her wonderful mentoring of me during this time. – Karryn Williams
Benalla P-12 College partners with SMP Kristen Citra Bangsa to bridge intercultural understanding

For the last two weeks, students, teachers and families from Benalla P-12 College have enjoyed getting to know and hosting both Ibu Tince and Ibu Surya from our sister school SMP Kristen Citra Bangsa, Kupang, East Nusa Tenggara. Benalla P-12 College was one of 16 schools around Australia in 2016 embarking on a new sister school relationship.

Ibu Surya and Ibu Tince visited various classes across the College, and enjoyed sharing information about their city, school, family as well as a science lesson on the making of Palm Sugar in Kupang. They also brought letters written by their students in English and students from Years 3-9 have also started replies to these letters in Indonesian. Ibu Surya and Ibu Tince also collaborated on professional teacher practice and developed strategies to make the most of and maintain their international school partnership.

Head of Indonesian, Bu Perry says she is extremely excited about the endless possibilities this sister school partnership presents for both schools and she commented that her students are equally excited about connecting with their pen friends and sister school via skype and in the future meeting them in Indonesia.

Bu Worley, also commented that “having the two Indonesian teachers from our BRIDGE school partnership come and stay with teachers and families from Benalla P-12 College created a wave of excitement around the school. The Indonesian teachers shared stories with our students about their school and home life in Kupang, Indonesia. Our students had many insightful questions and I was proud to see their intercultural understanding expand. This experience has made learning a language a real life experience and given students the opportunity to connect with Indonesian students from our partner school.”

Despite their two week stay, both teachers Ibu Surya and Ibu Tince formed long lasting relationships with their teacher counterparts, school leadership, students and families and as Heidi Perry commented, “ties between the two schools will become closer over the years through the wonderful collaborative projects planned.”

Family and Student Reflections:

“It was great having Bu Surya to stay. We had steak and vegetables for dinner. In the morning we took Bu Surya on a tour of our farm. She liked the sheep because they don’t have many in Indonesia” — Tom Wilkinson

“I enjoyed having Bu Surya at my house because I learnt more Indonesian words. We ate Mexican food for dinner an apple and pear crumble for dessert. Bu Surya met our dog Cocoa. It was very fun” — Aria Winkler

“We hosted Indonesian teacher Surya to stay during her time at Benalla P-12 College earlier this month. The experience was terrific for our school and family. Surya shared details of her life in Kupang, West Timor, including language, geography and culture and we were able to share ours with her. Tom and James were very excited to show Surya our farm and meeting her has given them greater meaning and enthusiasm in learning Indonesian language and culture at school. We look forward to keeping in touch with Surya and perhaps visiting her one day!” — Felicity and Peter Wilkinson
Students of the Week

5/6 Students of the week were: Larissa, Patrick, Ben, Zeinab and Jackson

Cupcake Day to support Salvos Red Shield Appeal

On 20th May, 2016, the Year 9 Advisory students organised the Cupcake Day to support the Salvos Red Shield Appeal.

A group of Advisory students made delicious cupcakes at school and sold them during lunch-time. The money raised through this event will be donated to the Salvation Army to help people in crisis.

Sangeeta Vashishta

Benalla P-12 Uniform Shop Open Day

Faithfull Street Campus Sports Hall

- Wednesday 15th June 2016 3pm-5pm
- Wednesday 13th July 2016 3pm-5pm
- Wednesday 24th August 2016 3pm-5pm
- Wednesday 5th October 2016 3pm-5pm
- Wednesday 23rd November 2016 3pm-5pm

Call Judds Yarrawonga on 5744 1269 for any further details

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YEARS 5-9 FAITHFULL STREET CAMPUS NEWS

YEAR 7 ZOO TRIP

On Thursday the 19th of May the Year 7 group visited Melbourne Zoo. The Zoo conducted a program with the students to get them to think about 10 of the endangered species featured at the zoo. These included the Orangutans, Philippines Crocodile, Lord Howe Stick Insect and the Baw Baw Frog. The students were able to develop their understanding of ecosystems and the impact human activity has on the survival of species. It was a fantastic day out for all involved and the students should be commended on their behaviour and representation of our school.

Below are some quotes from the students:
“I learnt that lots of animals are becoming endangered, especially orangutans because humans are using palm oil from their habitats. I also learnt that Baw Baw frogs are almost extinct.” Sienna Herbert

“More animals have been saved by the work of zoos than I thought” Andre McLean

“The Lord Howe Stick insect was extinct for 80 years until the work of the zoo” Clare Still

“I learnt that the use of palm oil in chocolates, foods and shampoo is killing the orangutans habitat” Blake Batman

Rostrum Victoria Public Speaking Competition

On the 7th of May, Ankur Singh represented Benalla P-12 College at the Rostrum Youth Public Speaking Competition in Shepparton. Ankur worked incredibly hard on his speech which was about abolishing the death penalty globally. He also had to present an impromptu speech which he was only given 15 minutes to prepare. Ankur received runner-up in this competition and is to be commended on the effort and dedication!

The My Choice program is not running on Tuesday 31st May, to allow those students time to catch up on their elective subjects. The next session will be on Tuesday 7th June followed by our Pamper Day in Wangaratta on Wednesday 15th June.

IT’S NOT OKAY TO BE AWAY... OR LATE TO SCHOOL

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Last Thursday all 5/6s travelled down to the Showgrounds oval to participate in the cross country. All students were really well behaved and participated to the best of their ability. Students ran in age groups, boys and girls. Year 5/6 age groups had to run 3kms. Congratulations to all involved and a special mention to our top 10 qualifiers who will be heading to the Ovens and Mitta Division Cross Country next Thursday 2nd June Barr Reserve Wangaratta.

Tyrese Clark
Georgie Burke
April Buka
Isabella Symes
Kayla Gracie
Taree Fletcher
Zach Monohan
Bailey Bickerdike
Georgia Nichols
Zeinab Osman
Tyler McGregor
Evelyn Biddle
Shayne Kaltsis
Liam Thivillier-Lefebvre
Bethany Barrow Glass
Kyle Termorshuizen
Jasmine Weeks

Maths this week in 5/6B
We have been working on a project to cost out a renovation to our school pool. This project was bought about because when we had our swimming sports earlier in the year there wasn't much space to sit and watch.
Firstly we measured the length and width of the pool and the pool yard/fenced area to calculate the area and perimeter of both so we could calculate the cost of a new fence and concrete, tiles or fake grass to recover the grounds. Next we measured the grassed area behind the pool in between the library to extend the pool yard to make it bigger and better. Then calculated the cost of more fencing and turf for this area. Some other groups also figured out the cost to re tile the pool. In total we figured out it will cost a lot of money to renovate our pool area. But we think it is well worth it, so Mrs O'Brien we hope you are reading this!!
Year 9 Mock Job Interviews

Two Year 9 Groups have now completed their mock job interviews. Several staff and a number of community members have been on our interview panels. They have already commented on the high standard of preparation and interview skills of our students. Please note the dates below for the next two groups. Students are encouraged to arrive early to school and go straight to the hairdressing salon. Interviews are conducted in rooms adjacent to the hairdressing salon.

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Sue Oakley
Pathways to Retention Coordinator

Ayden Stopps, Larry Franklin and Evan Dowe ready for their interviews.

Ms Ann Forster (Careers Manager) and Ms Barbara Alexander (Benalla Rural City) after interview with Teresa Symons

Chloe Cook, Chelsea Howe, Teresa Symons, Allie McDonald, Melanie Stretton, Khesanh Saunders, Willow Pex and Brie Coppolino, together with assisting staff, Ms Dionne McKenzie and Ms Helen Roscoe

Above: Declan Meloury shares his portfolio with Ms Sangeeta Vashishta and Ms Molly Craig

Ms Helen Roscoe (VET Hairdressing Trainer) with Teresa Symons having a busy morning in the salon
Do you need to submit a portfolio to get into your course for 2017?  
Consider these courses to assist you. 

DESIGN EVENTS COMING AT SWINBURNE – Swinburne is offering a Discover Design student holiday program. It is a creative program for Year 10-12 students who would like to learn more about design careers, courses and pathways. Participants will develop a design portfolio, broaden their problem-solving and design-thinking skills and work in teams – just like in a real design studio. When: 5-8 July (registration 9am for a 9.30am start); Where: Level 3, Advanced Manufacturing design Centre, Hawthorn campus; Cost: $160; Register: Register now.

RMIT FOLIO PREPARATION COURSES – RMIT’S folio preparation and career discovery courses are designed to help you create a winning portfolio to apply for university. These types of courses also provide an overview of the industry, study options, and the selection process. Upcoming courses include: illustration, fashion, 3D product design, graphic design, interior decoration and visual merchandising. For more Information: Call 9925 8111

EXPLORE THE MELBOURNE SCHOOL OF DESIGN – The University of Melbourne’s School of Design (MSD), located at the heart of the Parkville campus, is designed as a learning building. Students learn not only in classrooms but also by using the building and observing ways others use it. The new building provides opportunities for ‘living learning’ through studio classes, exhibitions, tours, photo documentation and teaching on and around the site. An app has been designed to enhance your experience of the building. Take a self-guided tour, see why some key design decisions were made, and why the building is unique - www.explore.msd.unimelb.edu.au/explore.

Have you ‘liked’ the Benalla Council Youth Services Facebook page yet?

Stay in touch with what’s happening in the community for young people in and around Benalla

Information about Skate park events, Street Art activities, job & training opportunities, youth grants, FReeZA events, L2P program workshops, volunteering opportunities, mental health and wellbeing and heaps more

https://www.facebook.com/wots4mebrcc
LOOKING AFTER OUR MATES

Year 12 students participated in the 'Looking After Our Mates' program last week. Developed by VicRoads in consultation with Victoria Police, the Transport Accident Commission (TAC), Australian Drug Foundation and RoadSafe Gippsland, the program focuses on responsible consumption of alcohol and strategies to avoid drink driving. Students learnt about standard drinks and how many standard drinks are in different types of alcohol. They also discussed ways to look after each other when they are consuming alcohol.

Turning 18 years old is a wonderfully exiting time for our students but they will be faced with many of the situations discussed in this program and will need to make good decisions. One of the key messages of the presentation was to plan ahead before drinking to ensure a safe way of getting home, rather than driving or getting into a car with a driver who has been drinking. Unfortunately the statistics show that young drivers in Victoria are almost four times more likely to be involved in a fatal or serious injury crash than more experienced drivers and the use of alcohol and drugs is one of the reasons for this greater risk.

Senior Sub School Leader, Rebecca Pell

All Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE) or Victorian Certificate of Applied Learning (VCAL) students in one or more VCE or scored VCE VET Units 3 & 4 study this year are required to sit the GAT, unless they are exempted by VCAA. The GAT will be conducted on Tuesday 7th June at the Barkly Campus in the ACER building (“T” Block). We are providing breakfast for the students before the GAT in the year 12 study centre to assist with the preparation and their readiness for the GAT. It is vital that all students treat the GAT seriously and do their very best to answer all questions to the best of their ability. We wish all our students the very best with this test.

School Uniform

Student are not to wear hoodies at school for any reason. If students are cold, there are sufficient items on the uniform list that they can wear to school to stay warm. Can all parents and carers please support us with this issue. Thank you for your ongoing support with implementing our uniform policy.

Paul Challis
SEXTING

What is sexting?
The word is a mix of ‘sex and ‘texting’. ‘Sexting’ is sending ‘sexy’ texts. The texts may be words or images. Sexting with pictures has probably been around as long as mobile phones have had the ability to take photos and send and receive images. Sexting occurs not only on mobile phones, but on Skype and social media sites, such as Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Flickr, Tumblr and Snapchat etc.

What are the consequences of sexting?
Taking, sending or receiving sexual images of a minor is illegal. If you’re found to have a naked or semi-naked photo of someone under 18 on your phone or your computer, you can be charged with a criminal offence. If you forward the photo to someone else you can be charged with a criminal offence even if you delete it from your own phone. You can be charged even if it is a photo of yourself and you agree to the photo being sent. Remember that everything you send might become public. Think how easy it is to forward a photo or a message. Social media sites make it even easier to post stuff quickly, as well as more difficult for you to have control over who gets the images and where they go, and it can be incredibly difficult to have the images removed.

Once you’ve sent something you can’t get it back. Think about your future and how you might like people to see you. Maybe you will try to get a job, or join a sports team, or fall in love with someone else. You probably won’t want these future relationships jeopardised because you once, sent a sexualised image to someone to try and hook up with them. Think about how the person receiving the text will feel. Maybe they do not want you sending them these types of messages or images. This sort of communication is not always welcome and can be highly embarrassing for the person sending the message as well as the recipient. You might think what you have sent is ‘sexy’, however the person receiving it may feel it is abusive and/or pornographic.

What can I do if I have sent a sext?
If you have sent an image or text and you are worried about what might happen now, there are some things that you can do to try and make sure that your texts don’t get passed on and/or you don’t get accused of sending inappropriate things:

· You may have sent it to your boyfriend or girlfriend; if so, consider asking them to delete the message from their phone or inbox
· If you have sent an image or text that you feel is now out of your control, talk to a trusted adult or contact a Kids Helpline counsellor to work out what you can do.

You could feel you are being pressured to send them. Remember, like any form of sexual behaviour you have the right to say ‘No’ and to let them know that you are serious.

What do I do if someone sends me a sexy image?

· Do not forward the image to anyone - consider what this could mean to the person involved
· If the text is from a friend, tell them you do not want any more texts like that from them
· If the texts keep coming, then block that sender. Unfriend them from your social networking account. Block their number on your phone
· You might need to change your mobile number. If you do, make sure that only friends you trust get your new number.

Remember, don’t be pressured into doing something you don’t want to do.

We’re not just talking about sexting now. If it makes you feel uncomfortable, and you’re really not OK with something, then don’t do it.

Talk to your parents, another adult that you trust or Kids Helpline. If you’ve got yourself in a mess, they might be able to help you out of it.

We’re here for you.
Anytime. Any Reason.
Kids Helpline 1800 551 800
## Dates to Remember

**Term 2 Monday 11th April-Friday 24th June 2016**

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             |   * Year 9B & 9C Male Mock Interviews                               |
| June 2      | * Yrs 3-6 Ovens & Mitta Division Cross Country – Barr Reserve Wangaratta |
| June 3      | * Yr 7 Immunisation Round 2                                         |
| June 6      | * Year 10 & 11 Exams  
             |   * Yr 9 Polish Program – Benalla Bowls Club                        |
| June 7      | * GAT  
             |   * Yr 9 Polish Program – Benalla Bowls Club                        |
| June 8      | * Report Writing Day - Students are not required at school on this day. |
| June 10     | * Kokoda Trivia Night - 7.00pm                                      |
| June 13     | * Queens Birthday Public Holiday                                    |
| June 15     | * Hume Cross Country – Broadford  
             |   * Uniform Shop Open - Faithfull St Hall 3.00pm-5.00pm             |
| June 17     | * Avon & Waller Foundation Grandparents/Special Friend Afternoon Tea 2.00pm-3.00pm |

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### YOUR SAY: BENALLA TALKS MENTAL HEALTH

I have great pleasure extending this invitation to you to join the Council’s initiative in Your Say: Benalla Talks Mental Health.

In line with the Council’s decision at its March 2016 meeting, we are hosting a community forum to discuss current mental health services in Benalla Rural City, our ability to access local services and a long term plan to seek additional programs and initiatives.

**Wednesday 1 June 2016**

6.30pm arrival for a 6.45pm start

Benalla Performing Arts and Convention Centre (BPACC)

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Your stories, feedback and input is greatly needed. Together we can implement a strategic plan to seek future support from all levels of government.

I am pleased to welcome:

- The Hon Martin Foley MP  
  - Minister for Mental Health
- Jason Ball  
  - Ambassador for BeyondLivede
- Ms Lelia Clark  
  - Project Consultant Workbetter

**Forum discussion items:**

- A message from the Minister for Mental Health The Hon. Martin Foley MP
- Jason Ball – ambassador for BeyondLivede
- Specialist Q&A panel to discuss current service delivery and the need for additional long-term support services in Benalla.
- Understanding what services are available in Benalla and ensuring you can connect.

This is the opportunity for you, your friends and family to be part of this important discussion.

Please join us and have your say on mental health.

Mayor Cr Justin King

This event is free. Please reserved your seat by collecting your ticket from the BPACC Box Office
or the Customer Service Centre, 1 Bridge Street East, Benalla.

Tickets can be reserved by phoning the BPACC Box Office on telephone 5762 5019
Out of School Hours Care

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BEFORE SCHOOL CARE - Starting Term Three

6.45am to 8.45am  Bookings essential
Breakfast and activities provided for children
Care will only run if children are booked in prior to the day of care.
Cost is $9 per morning per child  Child Care Benefit applies
Please book with the carers or the school office
Families who have not used after school care, required to complete enrolment forms
The Benalla P-12 College OSHCS Fees Policy applies to all families requesting bookings

Accounts – will be sent out next week. As the vacation Care is drawing near, please ensure that you are up to date with your account, as families with overdue accounts, will not be able to make bookings in Vacation Care. Please speak to the Anne or the Campus Assistant Principal (Mrs Leary or Mrs Treacy), if you are experiencing concerns with paying your account.

Enquiries
Any enquiries regarding your accounts or Child Care Benefit can be directed to Anne Hanrahan each Friday, at Waller in the morning 5762 2600. Please leave a message at the school office and Anne will return your call. The carers can be contacted during After School Care hours on the following numbers Avon 0428 014 133 or Waller 0407 715 660

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Dear Parents,

As a way of supporting parents in preparation for upcoming school costs, we would like to inform you of the Saver Plus program, delivered locally by Berry Street in North East Victoria. Eligible families will receive up to $500.

The program supports families to save up to $500 over a 10 month period, and then matches (doubles) their savings dollar for dollar. Participants also attend ten hours of free workshops, over several sessions, to further develop their financial skills and knowledge. These are offered during the day, and after hours.

The maximum savings required is $12.50 each week. After ten months and successful completion of Saver Plus, each participant will have $1,000 to spend.

You may be eligible for this program if you:

- Have a Centrelink Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card
- Are at least 18 years old
- Have some regular income from work (you or your partner), including casual, part-time, full-time, seasonal employment or recreational income (such as market stalls)
- Have a child at school, or attend vocational training yourself

It’s easy to find out more and it will be kept private. Call or Text your local Saver Plus Worker, Karyn on 0457 849 112 or email: khoward@berrystreet.org.au.

Much Thanks

Karyn Howard
Relationship Manager Saver Plus
Berry Street
11 Chisholm Street, Wangaratta VIC 3677
0457 849 112

Would $500 assist you with education costs?

You could receive up to $500 to help pay for educational costs including:

- school uniforms
- text books
- excursions
- laptops
- sports equipment, uniforms and lessons
- music tuition and instrument hire
- TAFE, traineeship and apprenticeship costs!

Berry Street delivers Saver Plus in your local area and is looking for new participants.

You may be eligible if you or your partner:

- have a Centrelink Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card
- are at least 18 years old
- have some regular income from work
- have a child at school, or attend accredited vocational training yourself.

To find out more contact Karyn Howard, Saver Plus Worker at Berry Street
0457 849 112 or khoward@berrystreet.org.au

Benalla HEALTH

Food cents®
Free Cooking for parents and kids

Discover new ways to make your $ to go further with your food

Where: Waminda Neighborhood House
19 Ballintine St Benalla
11:30am to 1:30pm
When:
Mon 9th May
Wed 25th May
Mon 6th June
Wed 22nd June
Cost: FREE
Bring the kids along
To book your place please call 5761 4500 or Waminda 57624528

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