COMMUNITY READING DAY BEING HELD BY BENALLA P-12 COLLEGE

Benalla P-12 College is extending an invitation to parents and members of the community to attend the Community Reading Day which will be held next Wednesday, 20 August.

Benalla P-12 College is hosting the event to promote Literacy in our schools and the community. Literacy Leader Trish Brooke said “The Community Reading Day celebration is occurring during Book Week to promote the value of reading and literacy and the value and fun of books, using Australian children’s books, Indigenous Story and Australian publishers. It aims to provide links with our community partners, to promote story-time activities in Benalla’s public places and to include opportunities to involve parents, grandparents, the media and others to participate in, and enjoy the occasion”.

The day will be filled with lots of activities, which are being held at each campus and various events being staged around Benalla. Some of the activities being held are Year Eight Poetry Reading at Cooinda, Prep’s visit to Kids Cottage, a visit to the Benalla Library, Story Time at Waller Campus and “Sharing Stories”. Another major highlight of the day will be the Launch of the Pre-Schooler Reading Club at the Tomorrow, Today in Cecily Court.

Parents and members of the community are invited to attend any of the events on the day, and if you wish, bring a book or poem to share.

For more information on the day and events being held contact Librarian Helen Fraser on 57612888.