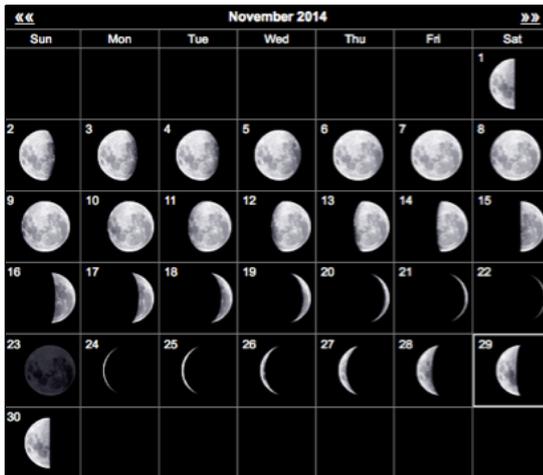




## Illuminati Confirmed Merry Christmas

WEEK 9  
Term 4  
2014



### Moon Calendar December 2014

Full Moon: Saturday 6th

Third quarter: Sunday 14th

New Moon: Monday 22nd

First Quarter: Monday 29th

<http://www.timeanddate.com/>

[calendar/moonphases.html?n=240](http://www.timeanddate.com/calendar/moonphases.html?n=240)

#### Our Charter

We respect free speech, and are proud to be the student voice. This respect also acknowledges we will not offend anyone based on religion, race, colour, belief, sex, bad dress sense and occasionally wrong choice in football club.

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## **Student Voice**

If you want to voice your opinion then email your comments to [editorcaloola@tpg.com.au](mailto:editorcaloola@tpg.com.au) or come to the Newsletter meetings.

### **Get Well Branden**

Branden Woodham is a year 11 Student at Bally Boys, Who was recently put into a chemically induced coma to help cope with his illness.

The recent "Walk for Branden" Fundraiser was a massive success, raising over \$3000.

Several boys also recently went busking at Manly and raised even more money for our friend in need.

We're thinking of you Branden, recover soon, we want you back at Bally.

### **Drama and Street Crew**

Drama club put on a performance in conjunction with the Bally "Street crew" just for parents last week. Everyone worked hard and the results showed the effort.

All years welcome to join by coming to G8A on a tuesday afternoon.

Day: Tuesday.

Time: 3:30-5:00

Location: G8A (drama)

### **Chess Club**

Day: Thursday

Time: lunch

Location: A25

## **Newsletter**

All articles are welcome, email your article to the Editor, or come to a meeting. All Welcome.

Day: Monday

Time: lunch

Location: Library extension room

## **Sport Report**

**Caloola needs a new Sports Rep, could it be you?**

## **Band Report**

The Band is Preparing for Their Summer band tour, visiting many schools, with some new impressive music lined up. We hope to attract the attention of many Yr6 potential Bally Boys

## **Year 12 Schoolies**

We hear it went well guys (well we didn't hear anything bad...). Good luck with your results, we'll be thinking of you!!!



Have a Great Christmas everyone, safe and fun, and get ready for 2015.

I'm off to school in Scotland for 6 months so if anyone wants to take over being the Ed for the first half of next year please Go For IT! .. *The Ed.*

**Hey it's the end of the year and time to be a little nostalgic.**

From the words of Baz Luhrmann, comes this great film clip

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sTJ7AzBIJoI>

Follow the words below:

## **Everybody's Free to Wear Sunscreen**

Ladies and gentlemen of the class of 2014

### **Wear sunscreen**

If I could offer you only one tip for the future, sunscreen would be it  
The long-term benefits of sunscreen have been proved by scientists  
Whereas the rest of my advice has no basis more reliable  
Than my own meandering experience, I will dispense this advice now

Enjoy the power and beauty of your youth, oh, never mind  
You will not understand the power and beauty of your youth  
Until they've faded but trust me, in 20 years, you'll look back  
At photos of yourself and recall in a way you can't grasp now  
How much possibility lay before you and how fabulous you really looked  
You are not as fat as you imagine

Don't worry about the future or worry that know that worrying  
Is as affective as trying to solve an algebra equation  
By chewing bubble gum  
The real troubles in your life are apt to be things  
That never crossed your worried mind  
The kind that blindsides you at 4 p.m. on some idle Tuesday  
Do one thing every day that scares you

### **Sing**

Don't be reckless with other people's hearts  
Don't put up with people who are reckless with yours

### **Floss**

Don't waste your time on jealousy  
Sometimes you're ahead, sometimes you're behind  
The race is long and in the end, it's only with yourself  
Remember compliments you receive  
Forget the insults, if you succeed in doing this, tell me how  
Keep your old love letters, throw away your old bank statements

### **Stretch**

The most interesting people  
I know didn't know at 22 what they wanted to do with their lives  
Some of the most interesting 40-year-olds I know still don't  
Get plenty of calcium, be kind to your knees

# Everybody's Free to Wear Sunscreen (continued)

Maybe you'll have children, maybe you won't  
Maybe you'll divorce at 40, maybe you'll dance the 'Funky Chicken'  
On your 75th wedding anniversary  
Whatever you do, don't congratulate yourself too much  
Or berate yourself either  
Your choices are half chance, so are everybody else's

Enjoy your body, use it every way you can  
Don't be afraid of it or what other people think of it  
It's the greatest instrument you'll ever own, dance  
Even if you have nowhere to do it but your own living room  
Read the directions even if you don't follow them  
Do not read beauty magazines, they will only make you feel ugly

Get to know your parents, you never know when they'll be gone for good  
Be nice to your siblings, they're your best link to your past  
And the people most likely to stick with you in the future

Understand that friends come and go  
But a precious few, who should hold on

Work hard to bridge the gaps in geography and lifestyle  
For as the older you get, the more you need the people  
You knew when you were young  
Live in New York City once but leave before it makes you hard  
Live in Northern California once but leave before it makes you soft

## Travel

Accept certain inalienable truths  
Prices will rise, politicians will philander, you, too, will get old  
And when you do, you'll fantasise that when you were young  
Prices were reasonable, politicians were noble  
And children respected their elders

## Respect your elders

Don't expect anyone else to support you  
Maybe you have a trust fund, maybe you'll have a wealthy spouse  
But you never know when either one might run out

Don't mess too much with your hair  
Or by the time you're 40 it will look 85

Be careful whose advice you buy but be patient with those who supply it  
Advice is a form of nostalgia, dispensing it is a way of fishing the past  
From the disposal, wiping it off, painting over the ugly parts  
And recycling it for more than it's worth

**But trust me on the sunscreen**



# Harry's movie corner



'What We Do In the Shadows' is a hilarious horror comedy from the guys who brought you Flight of the Conchords. The story follows a group of four vampires who live in a small flat in New Zealand. The main plot of the film is the vampires preparing themselves for a big Halloween masquerade ball in which all the monsters around the world gather and party. Such monsters include zombies, mummies, werewolves, witches, you name it. The film is shot in a documentary type of format, showing the day to day lives of these vampires. But once they transform and lad human, they must teach him the ways on being a Vampire before exposes the monster's existence to the human world. The film is brilliantly cast especially with Jemaine Clement as Vladislav and Johnathon Brugh as Deacon, who are both equally hysterical vampires. One character I don't like is Nick, played by Cori Gonzalez-Macuer. He is a complete arse for the majority of the film and is just a mole. Luckily most of the character don't like him either and prefer his human friend Stu, also Nick gets eaten by Werewolves, so that makes me happy. Although in the werewolf attack its obvious they use a lot of shaky cam and close ups to try and hide their limited budget. But still good effects everywhere else. Overall I give this film 5 out of 5. Its a areat film and a must see!

Release date: June 2014

Movie Budget: NZ \$1.6 million

Genre: Horror Comedy Mockumentary

Available: DVD stores





# Harry's movie corner



"Trick r' Treat" isn't exactly in cinemas but it is a great film to watch around Halloween. So what's it about? Trick r' Treat is an anthology film in which there are a bunch of different stories told non-chronologically but all link together somehow through themes, characters and symbols. There are four different stories. The first follows a boy who bites off more than he can chew when he is poisoned by a candy bar and gets turned into a Jack O' Lantern. The second follows a group of kids who tell a scary story to a girl who is an idiot savant, it doesn't turn out well for them. The third story is about a group of sexy girls who you think are vampires but turn out to be werewolves and they lure men in with sex and all that jazz, perfect film for a high school boy. And the final story shows the battle between a grumpy old man and an impatient little kid who only wants some candy. This movie is brilliant with its story flowing with fun and horror and that good stuff. I don't want to say anymore. Great for Halloween night (next year!), grab a bowl of candy, dim the lights and put this on. You won't be disappointed. 5 out of 5.

Release date: December 2007  
Movie Budget: US \$12 million  
Genre: Anthology Horror Film  
Available: DVD stores



# Eddy's Game Arcade

## OUTLAST

Outlast was created by the Red Barrel Games and was originally inspired by the found footage horror movie 'Grave Encounters' which utilised the night vision camera effect for most of its' scares. Outlast follows the story of Miles Upsher, a reporter who enters the Mount Massive Insane Asylum following a tip from an anonymous Whistleblower. Within the Asylum Miles encounters the terrifying patients such as Chris Walker, a morbidly obese hulking beast who hunts you down the entire game. The Crazy Priest, an insane Madman who does everything in his power to stop you from leaving the asylum unless you've seen his "rebirth". And finally the Walrider, You'll have to play the game to see him. The game perfectly sends chills down your spine, expertly utilising the FPS perspective to let the gamer experience a truly horrifying four hours. The only complaint I have is the amount of time taken to complete it, it's too short, and because of this the developers make the game harder to compensate. However the DLC whistleblower allows for two more hours of gaming horror as you are truly trapped within the hell hole asylum. You can get it on steam for about \$10, totally worth it. 10 out 10, it was OK IGN

Release date: May 2014

Download PC and PlayStation4

Available: \$10 Steam

