

Boronia West Primary School Newsletter—2024



“Growing through learning”

From the Principal

Its hard to believe that next week is the final week of Term 1, this term feels like it has gone by really fast!

Our final assembly for Term 1 will be on Thursday 28th March at 2pm. Students will be dismissed at 2.30pm on this day, the final day of Term 1.

Term 2 commences on Monday 15th April.

FREE DRESS DAY

On the last day of term students are invited to wear free dress, if they choose. Clothing must be appropriate to participate in sports events. Students must wear closed toe shoes and t-shirt tops — no singlet or strappy tops.



WHOLE SCHOOL SPORTS EVENT

On Thursday 28th March from 12.50pm Miss Gange will be running a whole school sports event for our students on the oval. We would love parents to come and be part of this amazing event.

Students will participate in different stations and students will complete each station in small multiage groups.

CLASS REWARDS

Many families would know that students work towards filling the leaves on our tree to gain a whole school reward. But did you know students also receive class based rewards. Each time a class fills a tube of tokens—representing acknowledging 100 positive behaviours—students receive a class reward. In each class students decide what the reward will be. They can select from their 1 tube reward, or they can bank the tube for a 2 tube reward, or again bank them for a 3 tube reward. The more tubes for a reward, usually means a bigger reward.

When classes are having a class reward teachers will communicate with families.

NOTICES SENT HOME VIA COMPASS OR HARD COPY THIS WEEK

- Dietary information form
- Class reward information
- Lockdown drill information

EDITION 8/2024

Principal

Penelope Harris



IMPORTANT DATES

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Wednesday 27th March—
WHOLE SCHOOL REWARD

Thursday—28th March—

- Free Dress Day
- Special Sport Day
- End of Term 1 2.30pm

Monday 15th April—Term 2 commences

Monday 22nd April—School Photos

Wednesday 24th April—3 way conferences

Thursday 25th April—ANZAC DAY public holiday

Monday 29th April –Reading OPEN MORNING for current families

Monday 14th May—Friday 17th May—EDUCATION WEEK (including Open Mornings and STEM night)

HARMONY DAY

Thank you to all families for supporting our Harmony Day celebrations. Harmony Day is a time to celebrate Australia's multiculturalism, inclusiveness, respect and belonging for all Australians.

Our P/1 class created a display in their classroom representing them and how each student is connected.



EDUCATION WEEK

Education Week is an annual celebration of education in Victoria. In 2024, Victoria will celebrate Education Week from **Monday 13 May to Friday 17 May**. The theme will be Spotlight on STEM, a chance for schools to celebrate and share how they bring science, technology, engineering, and maths to life in the classroom.

We will be holding some fun and exciting events during the week. Look out for more information next term.

INDIVIDUAL EDUCATION PLANS (IEPs) and STUDENT SUPPORT MEETINGS (SSGs)

An IEP is a written statement that describes the adjustments, goals and strategies to meet the educational needs of an individual student to enable them to reach their potential. Students with an IEP will have a paper copy sent home next Thursday.

In Term 2 we will be holding SSGs and Parent Teacher Interviews. The purpose of the meeting is to meet the parents or carers and allow them an opportunity to share information about their child. This is to support the student's learning.

COMMUNICATION

If you have any questions or concerns relating to your child please remember that your first point of contact is your child's teacher. Please see teachers after school, before 8.45am or make a time to have a meeting with them.

As always I hope you all have a great weekend, and enjoy the beautiful weather we will have over the weekend.

Penelope Harris



Star Student Award

PREP/1

Ayan—you have concentrated so well this week to get your work done, especially during Maths. Well done!

GRADE

2/3

Madison for trying so hard with her writing.

GRADE

4/5/6

Laura for working hard and listening carefully at all times. Well done!

SPECIALIST

Hunter for being a learner in Auslan and using his Auslan dictionary to help when he is unsure of a sign.



Star Student Award





Values Awards

PREP/1

BE RESPECTFUL:

Hunter, you always show how you can be such a respectful member of BWPS, especially by ensuring you use your manners daily. A simple please and thank you can go a long way!

GRADE

2/3

BE A LEARNER:

Kenzie for working hard in maths and learning all about “Fact Families”.

GRADE

4/5/6

BE SAFE:

Briella for consistently making safe choices in school and always looking out for her classmates.



Values Award





Harmony Day





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School Wide Positive Behaviour



Students earned 5 leaves this week
which is **500** acknowledgements of
positive behaviour.

Amazing work everyone!



School Wide Positive Behaviour



Students filled our tree with coloured leaves. They have earnt their hot dog lunch and ice-cream truck reward. Next Wednesday students will be receiving this reward.

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