

BOORAGOON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Proudly an Independent Public School

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12 March 2020

NEWSLETTER

Term 1
Week 6

Number 3

Principal's News

Coronavirus

Updates are being provided to schools regularly, and parents and caregivers will be advised immediately if anything changes. The virus is being continuously monitored, and the current advice to schools is 'business as usual'.

Italy has been added to the "Higher Risk" countries (Mainland China, Iran, Republic of Korea), and students must isolate for 14 days prior to attending school if they have travelled in or transited through those countries in the last 14 days. Returned travellers should self-monitor for symptoms and immediately isolate themselves if they become unwell.

School Development Days 2020

Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Tuesday, 28 th April (Monday, 27 th April is ANZAC day)	Wednesday, 5 th August (Parent interviews day)	Monday, 12 th October

Junior and Senior Choir

Mrs Mulvey has the choirs up and running (singing) and is doing a wonderful job with them. Our school will participate in the Massed Choir Festival later in the year, and Mrs Mulvey is looking into the possibility of involvement in a local Choral Festival in Term Two. We will showcase our Junior Choir at our Week 8 assembly, which will be a treat for everyone.

House Swimming Carnival

Our House Swimming Carnival yesterday was a resounding success. We are noticing that an ever-increasing number of students are putting themselves forward to swim in the event. This year approximately two thirds of our Year 4-6 participated, which is absolutely fabulous. We also had an amazing number of parent helpers, which certainly made management of the carnival much easier. Huge thanks to those helpers, our wonderful teaching and EA team, and also to Mr Godwin, event organiser.

Dads and Kids Camp Out

This fun event, which is eagerly looked forward to by our kids, is only a week away. It's the talk of the school right now, and the sight of 100+ tents on the school oval speaks volumes about our school community, and those who are willing year in and year out to take a leadership role in making it happen. Bouquets to the organising committee, and the support team behind the scenes. (ie, no support team, no breakfast!)



School Banking

Every Thursday 8.15am
in Room 6

School Canteen

The School Canteen is open for morning recess and lunch every Wed, Thu and Fri.

Online ordering ONLY available Mon and Tue

<https://quickcliq.com.au/>

UNIFORM SUPPLIES

Uniform Concepts

30 Kembla Way

WILLETTON 6155

(Next door to Campion Book Supplies)

Phone: 9270 4669

<https://nellgray.com.au>

SCHOOL SECURITY:

We would appreciate if you could use either of the following numbers to report any security issues at our school:
9264 4771 or 1800 177 777



MERIT CERTIFICATES

Congratulations to the following students who received Merit Certificates at recent assemblies:

BANKSIA

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Christine C

Willow D

Charlotte Y

Rebecca C

Tom M

Chloe C

Noah T

Fredrik M

Olivia B

Lily T

Tyson C

Luca S

Max C

George B

Paige N

Laura M

Albi D

Austin K

LOTE Room 7

UPCOMING EVENTS

Week 6

Fri 13 Mar

*8.45am Assembly - Room 9

Week 7

Wed 18 Mar

*PP Cicerello's excursion

Fri 20 Mar

*Harmony Day-Dress up

*5pm BODs - Dads&Kids Campout

Week 8

Wed 25 Mar

*Scholastic Book Fair

*2.30-3.30pm Second Hand Uniform

Thu 26 Mar

*Scholastic Book Fair

Fri 27 Mar

*Scholastic Book Fair

*8.45am Assembly - Room 1

Week 9

Tue 31 Mar

*Year 6 Camp

Wed 1 Apr

*Year 6 Camp

Thu 2 Apr

*Year 6 Camp

Fri 3 Apr

*Year 6 Camp

Week 10

Mon 6 Apr

*Garden Pop-up Shop

Wed 8 Apr

*Interschool Swimming Carnival

Thu 9 Apr

*Anzac Assembly

Thu 9 Apr

*2.30pm Easter Hat Parade

National Young Leaders Day



National Young Leaders Day was held on Monday 9th of April week six. This year, our year six leaders experienced some great speeches from some very inspirational people such as... John Coutis, who taught us to except our differences and told us a great quote, ' **don't climb mountains so the world can see you, Climb mountains so you can see the world!** ' Next we met Eaman Sullivan who is an Olympic swimmer and entrepreneur, who taught us that ' **sacrifices are need to accomplish your goal.** ' We also met Dana Hooker who is the captain for the AFLW West Coast Eagles. She told many stories about how she failed in life but managed to fight back and accomplish her dreams. Her quote was to always fight back and never give up on your dreams. Lastly, we met Lachie Smart who was the youngest person to fly around the world solo at the age of 18. He told us about how setbacks are the foundation to success, because along he's journey, he experienced setbacks like electrical storms and difficulties flying the plane. As a souvenir we got the Halogen's pin which shows us to shed our light and use our leadership to effluence our peers.

By Max Creighton and Winston Chandra



SWIMMING CARNIVAL

CHAMPIONS



CANNING - 436

BANKSIA - 378

SWAN - 341

YEAR 4 BOYS

Gold:	Chas D	Banksia
Silver:	Jonathan T-N	Swan
Bronze:	Sonny D	Canning

YEAR 4 Girls

Gold:	Lilly K	Swan
Silver:	Noemie R	Swan
Bronze:	Chandra Z	Banksia

YEAR 5 BOYS

Gold:	Eli B	Canning
Silver:	Harrison S	Canning
Bronze:	Xavier P	Swan

YEAR 5 GIRLS

Gold:	Madison J	Canning
Silver:	Catriona H	Banksia
Bronze:	Sophie R	Canning

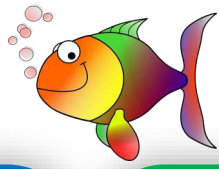
YEAR 6 BOYS

Gold:	Kobe F	Banksia
Silver:	Seth H-S	Canning
Silver:	Lachlan S	Canning

YEAR 6 GIRLS

Gold:	Albion D	Banksia
Silver:	Sophie C	Swan
Bronze:	Cailin B	Banksia

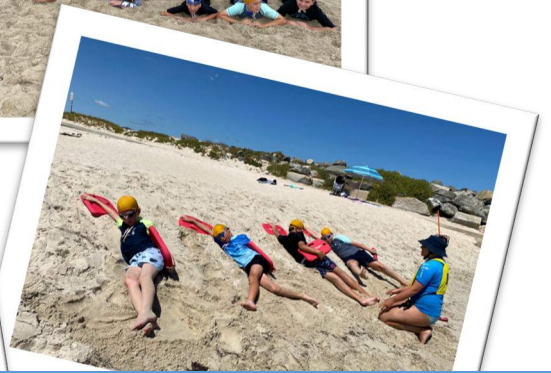




Swimming Carnival



Beach Swimming



Year 6 Beach Swimming 2020

By Albion Dolphin And Alex Mitchell



We first got on the bus to go to Cottesloe beach in week 4 at 10:15 in the morning. The bus ride was slow but fun. We all chatted excitedly about how much fun we were going to have.

We arrived at the beach and put our stuff down. Then we ran over and met the lead instructor, who assigned us our teachers. We stood waiting behind our assigned cones (these cones are where we lined up each day). The scorching sand burned our feet, but it didn't last long. Our teachers soon came over and we all introduced ourselves. Then they lead us down to the dazzling water, we couldn't wait to jump in!

It was a beautiful sunny day that Monday, and Tuesday was nice too. But as the week progressed, the weather got worse and worse. Unfortunately on Wednesday, the beautiful weather had turned against us, and we had to scurry back to the bus just before the storm hit. This was what it was like for the rest of the week, but it didn't stop us from having fun!!

Throughout the week, we had lots of different tasks planned out for us by our instructors. Some tasks were challenging, others were down right fun!! Rescues, relays, running and swimming, learning CPR and how to save people's lives. We went looking for fish on the reef, swam out to the shark net, paddled out on the rescue boards, and made massive sand castles. We also did something called the Run Swim Run and it's exactly as it sounds.

Many of the students said that it was a completely awesome experience and it was very enjoyable.

We would like to thank everyone who made this epic experience happen. We will remember this throughout the rest of our lives!!





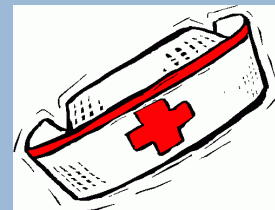
Our P&C along with our Pre Primary parents are holding our Annual Easter Raffle. It is a great fundraiser for our school and there is always lots of great prizes! We are asking for donations of Easter Eggs or Easter Items that could be used as prizes. Please place all donations in the basket at the Canteen. Thank you on behalf of the P&C and Pre Primary. Raffle tickets will be sold outside the Office and Pre Primary from Monday 23rd March. Prizes will be drawn and presented at the Easter Hat Parade. Please keep an eye out on our school facebook page for updates.



Greetings; from Danielle the Nurse who visits your school. School Health Nurses serve as a health contact point for children and their families, providing assessment, information and referral to promote wellness through early intervention.

All children in WA are offered a health assessment during their first year of Kindy or pre-primary. This is an excellent opportunity to look at the health and development of each child at the beginning of school life. The tests screen for problems which are best addressed, if picked up and treated early.

- Vision and hearing checks
- 'Lift the lip' assessment
- Growth assessment including weight, height and Body Mass Index
- Developmental evaluation according to parent responses on the form
- Teacher and nurse observations
- Other health, development and wellbeing concerns raised by parents.



Your child's results will be sent home after their health check has been completed.

If the test results for your child suggest there may be a concern, the School Health Nurse will contact you to talk about further assessment and possible referral.

School Entry Health Assessment forms are currently being distributed for parents to complete. **Please complete the form, ensuring the consent on the back page is signed and return the form to the class teacher as soon as possible.**

I look forward to working with you and your family. Please talk to your child's teacher or phone if you wish to discuss anything further.

Danielle Walker - 93140100



Garden Gnomes is back for 2020!



CALLING ALL GARDEN GNOMES

Sunday 22 March will see the return of the much-loved Garden Gnomes Club.

The club will run every second Sunday afternoon in our school Kitchen Garden and is open to all students.

Our gnomes will learn about all aspects of growing edible plants; including soil preparation, planting, watering, weeding, harvesting and eating! Contact Hamish (0434 350 203 / hmcclwee@westnet.com.au) for more info.

ALL WELCOME – AGM ON MON 30 MARCH

Mark 7pm Monday 30 March in your calendar as we would love to see you at our AGM. All parents, carers and members of the community are welcome. We will be nominating and voting on the office bearer positions (President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer) as well as hoping to recruit a few new volunteers to assist with different projects. Now's the time to think about donning your 'volunteer' cap for 2020!



Bring ideas and energy



Reserve your space: Dads + Kids camp out



BOOKINGS NOW BEING TAKEN

While we can't promise amazing views (or tranquility), we can promise that the Dad + Kids camp out will be a memorable experience!

The fun will begin from 5pm on Friday 20 March with a cost per family of \$35 if paid in advance via QuickCliq (the same tool you use to order from the canteen) or \$40 if paid in cash to the office or on the night.

Cooked breakfast and real coffee provided!

BOORAGOON FAMILIES ROCK!

We wanted to let you know that thanks to the donations from our school community, along with 21 other schools, Give Write was able to supply 850+ kids across 50 WA schools with the tools they needed to get off to a better start in 2020....and in doing so they recycled a whopping 1,400kg worth of stationery!

We hope to participate in this collection again in 2020 so save your unwanted and near new stationery!



Stationery recycling update



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Can you help us raise \$\$\$?



VOLUNTEER NEEDED – GET YOUR BUNS ON

Are you a hot cross bun lover who's been thinking about volunteering? We have the perfect job for you!

We're looking for someone willing to run the Bakers Delight hot cross bun fundraiser this year. Every half dozen sold generates \$2 for the school.

If you're up to the task please stop by the canteen and have a chat with Kendall.

BOOK FAIR UPDATE

Keep an eye out for brochures and competition entry forms coming home this week (extra entry forms are available in the library). We're encouraging you to design a book cover inspired by this year's theme for the chance to win vouchers to spend at the fair.

If you are able to help out for an hour during the book fair (dates below) please contact Brooke on 0403 991 041.



WHAT'S ON THIS TERM?

This is your guide to Booragoon Primary School's extra-curricular parent-led activities.

WEEK 6

Wed 11 Mar

Thurs 12 Mar

Second-hand uniform shop

School Banking

WEEK 7

Wed 18 Mar

Fri 20 Mar

Sun 22 Mar

Book Club #2 orders due

Dad + Kids Camp Out

Garden Gnomes Club

WEEK 8

Wed 25 Mar

Wed 25 Mar

Thurs 26 Mar

Thurs 26 Mar

Fri 27 Mar

Second-hand uniform shop

Book Fair

School Banking

Book Fair

Book Fair

WEEK 9

Mon 30 Mar

Thurs 2 Apr

Sun 5 Apr

P+C Meeting + AGM

School Banking

Garden Gnomes Club

WEEK 10

Wed 8 Apr

Thurs 9 Apr

Second-hand uniform shop

School Banking

If you have anything that you'd like included in future issues of the newsletter please email booragoonpsnewsletter@gmail.com



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