



BELLEVUE HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

Learning & Growing Together to Enrich the World

**Newsletter Week 5 Term 2
Wednesday 30 May 2018**

COMING EVENTS FOR THE CALENDAR

Wednesday ..May 30.....	Canberra Trip - planning meeting 7pm in school hall TONIGHT
ThursdayMay 31.....	Music is Fun Performance
FridayJune 1.....	4 Year Old Friday 9 - 11am - Bookings via office essential
MondayJune 6.....	OSHC Management Committee
FridayJune 8.....	Whole school assembly run by Ms Cole's & Ms Ford's classes followed by morning tea 4 Year Old Friday 9 - 11am - Bookings via office essential
MondayJune 11.....	Queen's Birthday Holiday. School closed.
TuesdayJune 12.....	Pupil Free Day - no students at school. OSHC will be available - bookings essential
ThursdayJune 14.....	Ramadan finishes
MondayJune 18.....	Water Safety Program week for Rec to Year 4 students Governing Council at 7.30pm. Finance Committee 7pm.
ThursdayJune 28.....	Junior Field Naturalists' Club 7pm in school hall
FridayJune 29.....	Whole school assembly run by Mrs Grigg's class followed by morning tea
Wednesday ..July 4	Grandparent / Special Person Day for JP students
Friday July 6	Last day for term 2. Students finish at 2.30pm Pizza lunch & casual day
MondayJuly 23	First day for term 3.

Dear Parents & Community

My goodness I cannot quite believe that not only will it be the first day of winter by the end of the week but we will have also worked through half of this term. Unfortunately the past two weeks has seen much sickness with the school staff also suffering from colds and sore throats. Staying in bed I believe is the best response to this virus! Please keep your children home if they are unwell as their recovery will be so much faster if given the time to rest... I think it is too late to say let's not share this cold as it seems to have been liberally passed on to the majority of us!

Thanks to everyone who was able to attend the 'Greatest Morning Tea' last week and in particular to all those who contributed. As you can see there are many more events to take place before the end of the term. I would remind everyone that we do have a pupil free day on the Tuesday after the long week-end. This is just a very brief note so until next newsletter keep warm and germ free!!

Regards

Marie-Louise, Mary & Birgit



We can be contacted on	Telephone: 8278 7182 Fax: 8370 2671
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Email <u>student absences</u> to:	absences.bhps470@schools.sa.edu.au
Website:	www.bellevueps.sa.edu.au
Out of School Hours Care (OSHC):	Telephone: 8278 9439 or 0401 121 798
CRICOS Provider Number:	00018A

Bell Times	
8:40am	Students can arrive
9:00am	School starts
10:55am	Recess starts
11:25am	Recess ends
1:05pm	Eat lunch in class
1:15pm	Play time starts
1:50pm	Lunch ends
3:30pm	School ends



PRINCIPAL AWARDS

Each fortnight Principal's Awards are earned by students for displaying attributes of the following: achievement, caring, collaboration, showing initiative, citizenship or persistence.

The following students have earned Principal Awards:

Scarlett, Jack, Erin, Lily, Sophie, Spencer, Luci, Ivy, Seth, Kaylee, Fuyan, Brianna, Aden, Jameson, Aqeela, Sarangi, Eva, Pearl, Haurki, Mia, Fraser, John, Sophie, Nell, Michael, Hope, Daisy, Chloe, Asti, Corben, Ainsley, Drithi & Suleiman.



Assembly Monday 28 May

Awards for Excellence Recipients

This fortnight the following students earned a certificate: Drithi, Cooper, Kaylee, Hope, Lily & Daisy.

SCHOOL AWARD SYSTEM

Do you wonder how students earn their certificate and photo in the newsletter?

Good citizenship and achievement awards

We all know and recognise that good students, high achievers, respectable citizens and positive role models are often rewarded for their good work by being self-motivated, wanting to do the right thing and knowing that doing the right thing is a positive choice.

However, we also like to have achievement and hard work "paid" for and recognised. Consequently we have an award system that values and recognises the effort students put into their school work, their behaviour and their citizenship values.

Do you know how our system works??

There are different awards:

 BELLEVUE HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL
SCHOOL AWARD
 Teacher: _____ Date: / / 20
 Presented to: _____
 for
 Achievement Showing Initiative
 Caring Citizenship
 Collaboration Persistence

School Award :

Given to students from criteria set by teachers and support staff. They count as 1 point toward an Award for Excellence.

Principal's Award:

Given out for a significant contribution to the school and based on our Values Statement. These include achievement, caring, collaboration, initiative, citizenship and persistence.

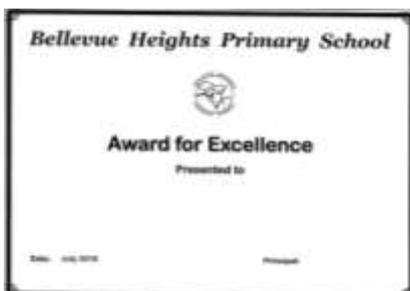
They count as 1½ points toward an Award for Excellence.

These are given out in class and recorded in the newsletter under Principal's Award.

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Award for Excellence – the blue certificate:

Received for every 10 points earned from school or principal awards. These are given out on Monday assemblies and a photo put in the newsletter.



School Medal:

This is a major achievement and is received for every 10 Awards for Excellence (blue certificates) earned. These are generally given out at the End of Year Concert.



All students have an award book where they

keep their award certificates.

Why not ask your child to show you their book next time you are at school?



REFUGEE WEEK POSTER EXHIBITION - SUCCESSFUL ENTRANTS FROM BELLEVUE HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

Every year on June 20 – *United Nations World Refugee Day* - the world celebrates the courage, resilience, strength and contributions of people with refugee backgrounds.

The Australian Migrant Resource Centre (AMRC) hosts an annual **Youth Poster Awards Exhibition** as part of SA Refugee week, which is celebrated June 17 to June 23.

Primary, secondary and tertiary students are invited to produce posters that celebrate multiculturalism, human rights, cultural diversity, anti-racism, welcoming refugees to Australia and how they become part of our Australian 'family'.

Our Intensive English Language Centre (IELC) upper primary class entered their A2 size posters, hoping to win a spot in the exhibition. Three of our students were successful and selected from 330 entries – Congratulations **Rimas Al Edilan, Rafael Lumbantobing** and **Hajar Al Edilan**. They could still win a cash award, so stay tuned!

The exhibition will be open to the public from June 18 – July 10, in the Kerry Packer Civic Gallery at the Hawke Centre, North Terrace.



WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY

This year for Walk Safely to School Day we (10 students) got to school at about 8am to help the teachers cut up some fruit. We got different fruits to cut up ourselves and some of us just helped put the fruit on the plates.



We put the food scraps in the compost or gave to the chickens. When we were finished cutting up the fruits we helped wash the dishes. After we had finished prepping, we went to the COLA to put the fruit there.



At around 8:40 the students started arriving at school so we all split up to different areas where children were coming in. We asked all the students who came into the school if they had walked to school and if they had, we gave them a sticker. Even the people who didn't walk to school got some fruit.

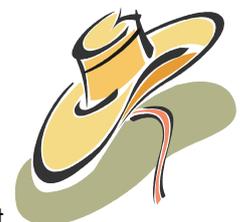
All the fruit that didn't get eaten went to the different classes just before recess to get eaten.

by Eva and Brianna



SCHOOL HATS

Not compulsory for winter months



Our Sunsmart Policy states that from 1 June until 31 August (winter months), except when the UV level is below 3, it is not compulsory for students to wear sunsmart hats.

The Cancer Council of SA recommends that children don't wear them during winter because they need to be exposed to the sun to get vitamin D.

PUPIL FREE DAY
12 June 2018
BOOK NOW FOR
OSHC

School Council has ratified Tuesday 12 June as a Pupil Free Day
OSHC will be operating for the day but bookings are essential.



Parents & Friends Information

Can you do 'Just one thing'?

Thank you to everyone who came along and supported our Biggest Morning Tea last week. Along with the school staff we raised \$380 for the Cancer Council.



P&F ONGOING EVENTS

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

The 2018/19 Entertainment Book is available **NOW** from the school office or online at www.entbook.com.au/16096s8.



This is our own dedicated school webpage for orders. You can either order a hard copy or digital book. The cost is \$70 and full of savings for dining, shopping, arts, sports and attractions as well as travel and accommodation. The school receives 20% from every book sold.

DRAKE / FOODLAND COMMUNITY DOLLARS

Do you or a member of your family shop at Foodland Blackwood?

The school is part of the Drake Foodland's 'Community Dollars Scheme'.

Just collect a 'tag' from the school office for yourself or other family members, friends or neighbours.

Each time you make a purchase, swipe your tag and for every two dollars spent, one cent will be credited to our school account.



There are Drake Foodland stores located at Blackwood, Aberfoyle Park, Castle Plaza.

SENIOR CHOIR NEWS

We have a very enthusiastic bunch of singers in our senior choir this year and they have been working really hard practising for the Festival of Music. They gather every Wednesday morning in the school hall.



They had their assessment for the festival last week and the visiting conductor congratulated them for their hard work. We look forward to seeing them on stage! Well done everyone.

Katrina Vogt - Choir trainer



P&F RESOURCES

Did you know P&F have the following resources available for parents to borrow?

ROBI COMB for head lice.

FAMILY LIFE BOOKS including:

Puberty Boy, Puberty Girl, Body Talk, The Period Book, Boys' Stuff, The Secret of Happy Children, Raising Boys, Raising Girls and others.

Please see the library staff if you would like to borrow any of them.

SCHOOL SHOE REWARD

Need a new pair of school shoes?



Athletes Foot at Marion will donate \$5 to the school for every pair of school shoes purchased. Just mention you come

Community News & Special Events

FOR ALL EVENTS LISTED, FURTHER INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE SCHOOL OFFICE

Groups advertising in community news are not necessarily endorsed by the school.

Families need to use their own discretion whether to seek more information about them.

BELLEVUE HEIGHTS JUNIOR FIELD NATURALISTS' CLUB

This club is only one of two in Adelaide and is a nature club for children 5 yrs upwards and is affiliated with the Field Naturalists' Society of SA. The meetings are usually held on the last Thursday of each month (except December & January). Check newsletter calendar for next date. Venue: Bellevue Heights Primary School Activity Room. Time: 7:00—8:15 p.m. Fee: \$35.00 per family per year. A guest speaker attends each meeting and a wide variety of topics are covered. Occasional field trips are held during the year. Parents are more than welcome to attend with their children if they wish. Contact is Rona Sakko 0419827723 ronadel@dodo.com.au

DO YOU LOVE TO SING? WANT TO SING WITH A FRIENDLY GROUP OF LIKE-MINDED ADULTS?

Come and join the St Johns Grammar, Parents and Friends Choir – rehearsals Tuesdays 6.45 – 7.45pm in the John Bray Centre for Performing Arts, Gloucester Ave. Belair. Cost \$10 to sing casually, \$65 for the term. Contact pandf@stjohns.sa.edu.au for more information.