



Braeside Primary School

Honour, Pride and Achievement

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Vision:

Braeside Primary School is a dynamic learning community that values diversity and fosters a sense of belonging.

We meet the needs of each individual through collaborative, reflective, and evolving school-wide practices that provide explicit, engaging experiences. Our students achieve their academic, emotional and social potential and are contributing members of the community.


Principal's News

Last week, Braeside Primary School held their Inaugural School Board meeting. At the meeting, it was agreed to roll the current School Council members into the School Board. The Board also increased the size of the Board by 4, 2 new Parent Representatives and 2 new Community Representatives. In the next few weeks, we will be calling for nominations to our School Board from interested Parent Representatives. The School Board also endorsed a new Publication Logo. The Publication Logo is a current graphic image which allows for production at a higher resolution. The Logo also contains the Independent Public School words, acknowledging the change.



As a part of becoming an Independent Public School, staff and the School Board have been involved in developing a new Business Plan. The Business Plan sets targets and determines the School's strategic direction for the next 4 years. As a key part of our direction, we are investing in developing our students as Visible Learners across the school. This process begins with collection of data from staff and students, this is followed up with yearly data collection which gives the school the ability to track progress and to make improvements in teaching and learning programs. The graphic below represents the qualities of a Visible Learner and what the staff and students will be working towards developing. As a school we have contracted to work with Corwin (an educational consultancy firm) through this three year process. Staff will

Important Dates

2020	Term 3	August
School Development Day		Fri 21st
No Students at school today		
P & C Busy Bee		Sunday 23rd
Assembly Room 7	1.40pm	Mon 24th
School Photos		Wed 26th
Science Morning Activities 9-11am		Fri 28th
		September
Assembly Room 4	1.40pm	Mon 7th
Faction Athletics Jumps at BPS		Tues 8th
Faction Athletics Running at Rec Centre		Wed 9th
Year 6 Camp		Mon 14th to Fri 18th
Early Lunch 12.00-12.30		Mon 21st
Assembly Room 10	12.30pm	Mon 21st
Good Standing		Thurs 24th
School Board Meeting @ 6pm		Thurs 24th
Last Day of Term 3		Fri 25th
Term 4		October
School Development Day		Mon 12th
No students at school today		
First day of Term 4		Tues 13th
Interschool Athletics Jumps		Wed 14th
Interschool Athletics Running		Thurs 15th
Assembly STEM/ART	1.40pm	Mon 19th
		November
Assembly Pre-Primary	1.40pm	Mon 2nd
Assembly Year 6	1.40pm	Mon 16th
KSHS Year 6 Transition		Wed 25th Thurs 26th

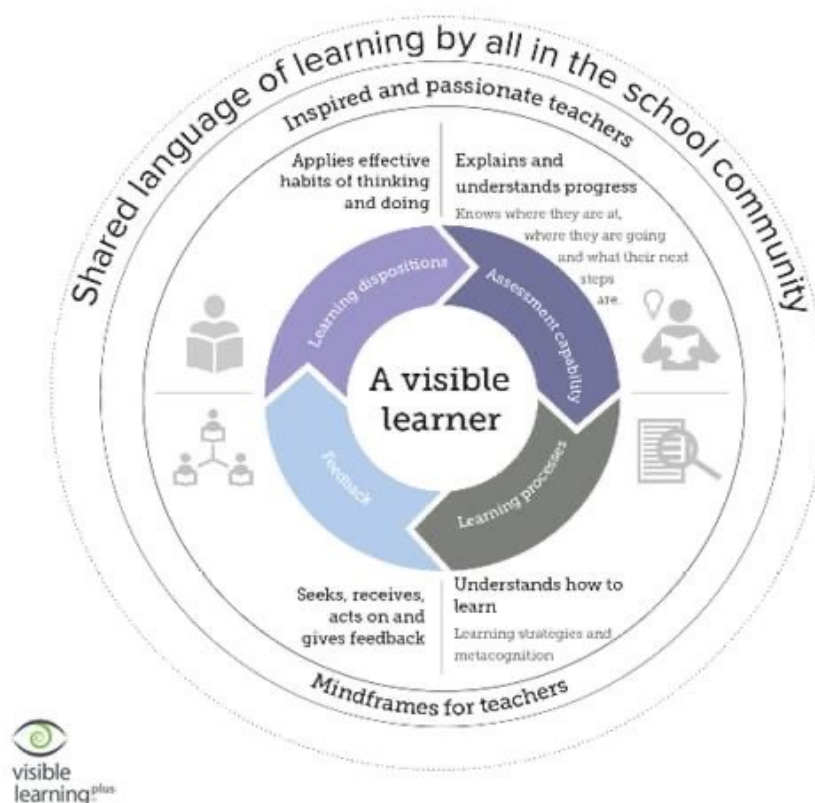
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be involved in their first full day of professional learning in the area this Friday.



School Board composition

Congratulations to the following members of the School Board for their nomination.

Teresa Wigg	-	Principal
Jo Tester	-	Staff Representative
Tahlia Bielby	-	Staff Representative
Nerida Campbell	-	Staff Representative
Sian Anyon	-	Parent Representative
David Harries	-	Parent Representative
Kirsty Flugge	-	Parent Representative
Lisa Ramm	-	Parent Representative
Claire Flemming	-	Parent Representative
Vacant position	-	Parent Representative
Vacant position	-	Parent Representative
Georgia Kowald	-	Community Representative
Sue Thompson	-	Community Representative
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Illness

We have had a virus going through both the students and staff at the school. This virus is quite unlike a flu. It consists of a very significant headache, with a feeling of dizziness and a sore throat. The length of the duration of this virus seems to be about 5 days. If children come to the front office with a headache, we will be contacting parents as the virus seems to be spreading regardless of the hand sanitising. We will also be doubling both our handwashing and sanitising to try and minimise the impacts across the school.

3 year old Kindergarten

What an amazing group of young three year olds we have ready to start next year. Our Three Year Old program has been very busy, with more than 12 students attending regularly. Last week P & C treated our

new parents to coffee and cakes whilst they joined in the activities with their children. If you know of any three-year-old student who has yet to enrol, can you encourage them to come to the office and collect an enrolment form. A special mention to Mrs Le Roux for all the commitment and effort she puts into preparing our three year old program.



Learning Journey

With the current extension of Stage 4 COVID restrictions, we have had to cancel our Learning Journey. Following the 2m² guidelines for adults onsite in classes in our current format is difficult. We will be meeting on Friday to brainstorm possible alternatives.

Teresa Wigg
Principal

YEAR 6 POEMS

Our Year 6 students have been writing poems as part of their classroom studies on My World. Please have a read of their fantastic work.

My World

I like to look at:

The cars rushing by my house,
The Wanderer's play at Quartermaine oval,
The people riding their bikes, scooter
And skateboards at the Skatepark.

I like to listen to

Loud burnout cars rev their engines,
The beautiful waves crash against the shore,
The loud birds chirp in the morning.

I like the smell of

The scrumptious cake baking in the oven,
The delicious fairy floss on the stick,
The delicious apple pie cooking in the oven.

I like the taste of

The sweet, delicious Ice Cream,
The taste of scrumptious juice,
The taste of the soft cake in your mouth.

I like to touch

The soft cat's fur,
The hard football in your hands,
The softest squishiest squishy in the world.

I like to look at...

The blue sky as I'm laying on the soft grass watching
the flags blow in the wind and looking at the pretty
trees blow in the wind.

I like to listen to...

Rap music while playing basket-
ball in the hot sun as shooting
goals and sweating
like hell and then putting heaps of water on me
because of the hot sun.

I like the smell of...

Fresh air as I'm running laps at the oval and
Then falling over on the soft grass.

I like the taste of...

Kangaroo meat with some Kangaroo soup and damper
with some butter on the side.

I like to touch...

My soft clean blue rug as I'm watching and eating
my Kangaroo soup
and wrapping my self in my soft rug.



Trenton Keast

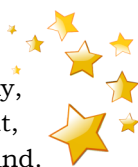
Eric Eades



My World

I like to look at

The soft clouds calmly moving in the blue sky,
The stars shimmering across the empty night,
The soothing waves crashing into the cool sand.



I like to listen to

The small birds singing a sweet song with a lovely tune,
The heartfelt song playing by a shining band,
The wind harmonizing with the swaying green tree.

I like the smell of

Fresh strawberries being dipped onto warm chocolate,
A sweet scented soap being put on the dirty hand,
The creamy frosting being made in a giant bowl.

I like the taste

Of a freshly cooked burger,
Hot chocolate being poured into my weird mug,
Sweet blueberries poured onto my hungry mouth.

I like to touch,

Hot water bottle when winter comes,
The soft fur of my relaxed cat,
Warm soft clothes that's been put out from the colourful dryer.

Susanna Yoo Po

I like to look at

The sheep as they cruise in the paddock,
The birds feeding their young in a tree,
The boom spray whilst its spraying.



I like to listen to

The blasting bark of our dog,
The sway of the wind chime as they clang together,
The music that the birds make in the trees.

The smell of

The canola with all the yellow flowers,
The burning fire when we burn the paddock,
The ripe strawberries in the winter.

I like the taste of

The cold Icy lemonade on a hot sunny Summers day.
The ocean breeze in Autumn,
The ice cream with caramel topping on Sundays.

I like to touch

The lupins as they run through my hands,
The cold water in a tub,
The feel of my dogs fluffy fur.

Eva Kowald

I like to look at

My Mum's friends little fluffy puppy Sookie,
My boxer running crazily around the yard,
Sookie running around the dining room like a mad dog.

I like to listen to

Cleo barking at anything and everything near her,
Sookie barking cutely at Cleo,
The wind blowing gently around me.

I like the smell of

The delicious fudge my Mum cooks in her free time,
The gently waves of the river near my Dad's house,
The roses and flowers Granny Nita plants.

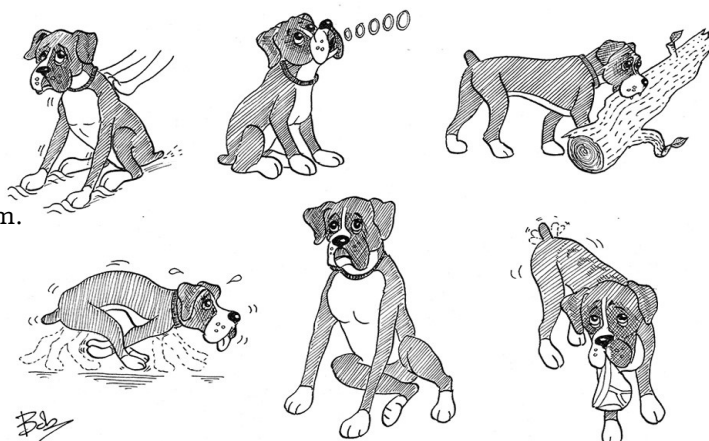
I like the taste of

The sweet apples from the shop,
Frozen Ice Cream that melts in my mouth,
The vanilla sugar candle my Mum has in the dining room.

I like to touch

The fuzzy fur of Sookie,
The soft grass outside,
Sequins on my pencil case.

Izabella Menz



SCHOOL NURSE

Parenting support

As parents, you are the most important person in your child's life.

Many parents find life with a child a joyful but challenging experience. Children's needs change as they grow and each stage brings new challenges. You may find the following resources helpful from time to time as you navigate some of these challenges as a parent:

- Raising Children Network www.raisingchildren.com.au
- Healthy WA <http://healthywa.wa.gov.au/Healthy-living/Parenting>
- Triple P - Positive Parenting Program www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/Triple_P
- Ngala www.ngala.com.au/
- Child and Parent Centre's <http://childandparentcentres.wa.edu.au/>

COMMUNITY NOTICES



Building Resilience in our Children

FREE parenting workshop

Woodanilling Primary School Library

Was on Wednesday 19th August

Due to unforeseen circumstances this workshop has been postponed, a date will be advised at a later date.

**TERM 3
FRIDAY NIGHT
ROLLERBLADING**

Katanning Leisure Centre

6.00pm - 8.00pm

7 August
14 August
4 September
18 September

Prices:
Junior \$4.50
Senior \$5.60
Hire of Skates \$2.50

A row of ten different styles of roller skates, including various colors and brands, arranged horizontally at the bottom of the poster.

Vac Swim registrations have now opened.

October holiday registrations close very shortly, late enrolments are unlikely to be accepted so enrol now.

January holiday registrations are also open for enrolments.

<https://www.education.wa.edu.au/vacswim>