

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

Principal's News

Dear Parent, Guardians and Carers,

Thank you so much for your warm welcome to Braeside PS. It has been a busy week and I'm not sure my head is fully around stuff yet but I am slowly getting there. I have really appreciated all the friendly greetings from staff, students, parents and the wider community. I have felt so welcomed into the Braeside fold.

Covid:

A new term is usually the beginning of a fresh start, but with all the Covid and flu going around at the moment I think we might be facing some of the similar challenges as last term. Please keep an eye on your children, monitor for symptoms and if in doubt keep them home. The safety of students is always our number one priority, so we will continue to act in ways which align with government guidelines and put the health and wellbeing of students first. I will keep you updated of any changes in this area.

Staffing:

Apart from myself starting as Principal this term, we are pleased to have no other staff changes. This continuity is so important for our students and all our staff do so much for our students every day.

Activities:

We have an action packed term planned for students, with lots of quality learning and some wonderful opportunities for personal growth and leadership. The Year 6 students are looking forward to camp in Week 6, I can't wait for Science Week in Week 5 and Book Week in Week 7. Our Faction Athletics Jumps is Tuesday 13th September and the Faction Athletics Carnival is Wednesday 14th September.

Staff PD:

Last week some Education Assistants and Teachers attended training for Team Teach, which will help them in their education and care of students with special needs.

During our staff meetings we have be learning about Visible

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Important Dates

2022 Term 3	July				
3 Yr old Kindy 9.00 am –10.30 am	Tues 19th				
P & C Meeting 4.30pm	Mon 25th				
School Board meet 6pm	Thurs 28th				
National Tree Day	Fri 29th				
August					
Assembly Year 5	Mon 1st				
Uniform Shop 3.30-4.00pm	Mon 1st				
3 Yr old Kindy 9.00 am –10.30 am	Tues 2nd				
Assembly Year 4	Mon 15th				
Science Week Rotation activities, parents welcome 11.15 -12.55pm Parents can stay for lunch	Mon 15th				
P & C Meeting 4.30pm	Mon 15th				
School Development Day NO STUDENTS AT SCHOOL	Fri 19th				
Year 6 Camp	np Mon 22nd to Fri 26th				
Book Week Parade & Assembly Year 1	Monday 29th				
September					
Musica Viva	Tues 6th				
Great Vegie Crunch	Thurs 8th				
Assembly Year 2	Mon 12th				
Athletics Jumps	Tues 13th				
Athletics Carnival	Wed 14th				



Learning, and have focused on Feedback this week. We hope that by increasing staff knowledge and skill in this area we can deliver the quality feedback that leads to increased student learning.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. I can be reached via email at <u>emma.grant@education.wa.edu.au</u> or by calling 9821 3500.

Kind regards,

Emma Grant Principal

MEET MISS EMMA GRANT– PRINCIPAL



Before joining the team at Braeside PS, I was Principal at Koorda Primary School for the last two and half years. I have been leading and teaching in the Wheatbelt for the last six years and have previously taught from pre-kindy to senior secondary in regional, remote and international schools. My passion is rural education, and I am committed to ensuring that all rural school students receive the very best education possible. I'm excited to lead Braeside this term and to see what wonderful learning our students can do. In my spare time I enjoys craft, gardening and getting out and about in our beautiful region of the world.

NATIONAL TREE DAY



Friday 29th July is School National Tree day.

Braeside PS will be running a "Guess the Jelly Bean" Jar for \$1 a guess, funds will go toward the Year 6 Graduation Present.

Year 6's will also be selling small plants for \$1 or \$2.

Seedlings will be sold on Friday at recess and lunch.

Come to the office for a guess or students will be in the undercover area to take a guess during recess and lunch on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Winner will be notified at the end of lunch over the PA.

Some classes will be planting seedlings around the school, others will participate in classroom activities.

We will also run a class colouring-in competition with prizes for Junior and Senior categories.

NOTES HOME

All students have received notes home from the office.

These notes have been for update of students information, reminder of unpaid billing items and notice of absences.



Can you please complete the forms and return to the office. Payment of Voluntary Contributions is always appreciated as it assists in purchasing items for each class.

LOST PROPERTY

We have a range of items in the office that have been handed in, please do come to check if your child has any items missing, even if you think it may be lost at home as it could be the item we have here.

If your child is unwell, looking pale, has tummy aches or is coughing, please keep them home to assist in their recovery. There are some colds and flu's going around at the moment which are making children feel really unwell. Students who have these symptoms will be sent home to recover until they are well.

Thank you for your understanding.

ROOM 5- YEAR 3

In Room 5 this term, we have started doing Grej of the Day. Grej of the Day is a Swedish created program to help students with their General Knowledge. So far we have learnt interesting facts about Humpback Whales and Frilled Neck Lizards. Some of these interesting facts include:

Humpback Whales:

- Songs can last between 5-35 minutes
- They live along coast lines, occasionally going into harbours and rivers
- Range from 12 to 16 metres in length and weigh approximately 36 metric tons

Frilled Neck Lizards:

- Are reptiles
- Live in Australia
- They stand on their hind legs with their forelegs and tail in the air when they run
- Their neck frill id often as wide as their body is long

In week one we were lucky enough to have Miss Campbell in our classroom. She was doing work experience. Miss Campbell was amazing and helped Room 5 students with their spelling activities and problem solving and she even took her own guided reading group and taught a Health lesson with Miss Connelly's supervision.

This Term, Room 5 are trialling a new reading program that aims at tackling comprehension skills. We have only just started and are keen to see the positive outcomes it has on the students in Room 5.



ROOM 6 - YEAR 4



This term in Writing we have started working on information report writing and structuring our paragraphs. So far, we have looked at different examples of information reports and paragraphs and what makes them good. We have also researched and written a paragraph about Animals in Antarctica.

The Year 4s would love it if you could pop into the undercover area to read their work.

In Maths this term, we have been delving further into telling the time

and working with time. We have been continuing to practise reading time to the minute on an analogue clock. We have also been learning about 24-hour time and using AM and PM notation. Check out some photos from our maths rotations and fluency practise.







SCHOOL NURSE

Dental health - Keep your child's teeth healthy

Teeth are important possessions. Here are some tips for keeping them healthy.

• Clean teeth, gums and tongue at least twice a day with a soft toothbrush. Parents should supervise tooth brushing until children are 8 or 9 years old as children do not have the dexterity to brush the molars properly until then.

- Adults and children should use a pea-sized amount of fluoride toothpaste. Toothpaste should be spat out after brushing and never eaten or swallowed. Do not rinse your mouth out with water after brushing your teeth.
- Rinse your toothbrush thoroughly after brushing and store it hygienically. Replace your toothbrush regularly.
- Older children and adults should floss their teeth daily.

CHAPLAIN'S CHAT

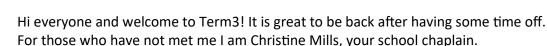
Eating and drinking healthily is important for keeping your teeth healthy – try to keep away from too much sugar, especially between meals.

For more dental health information, go to http://raisingchildren.net.au or http://www.dental.wa.gov.au/ .

The School Dental Service provides free general dental care to school children throughout Western Australia, from pre-primary through to Year 11 (or 17th birthday).

Contact your closest School Dental Therapy Centre or Dental Health Services on 9313 0555 for further information.

If you require Interpreter Services, please refer to the Dental Health Services Interpreter Service information.



My role as a YouthCARE Chaplain includes providing pastoral care and offering a non-judgemental, independent service which respects all people, no matter who they are, where they are from or what their personal belief system is. A chaplain cares for the social, emotional, mental, physical and spiritual wellbeing of students, staff and families.

My work involves building relationships, being a mentor/role model, running activities, joining in with school events, providing a link between the school and the community, and being there for people to talk to. I am also passionate about gardening, and enjoy working with students and staff to care for the garden beds, compost systems, and worm farms.

I will be working Wednesdays and Fridays this semester; please feel free to contact me through the front office or my email. I am looking forward to supporting and serving the Braeside school community.

Kind regards,

Christine Mills Christine.Mills@youthcare.org.au







Youth



Bring Athletics back to Katanning!

Ciara McKay- the new Sports Engagement and Inclusion Program Officer at Katanning Leisure Centre, is working with Athletics West and local community coaches to bring athletics back to Katanning.

We are hoping to run some after school training sessions for school kids to come along and have some fun, learning new skills and improving their techniques in athletics in preparation for their school carnivals.

We want to kickstart these sessions with a Have-a-go session beginning of August, but WE NEED YOUR HELP! We are looking for some volunteers to assist us with coaching at these sessions to allow us to focus on all age groups and their needs. That way we will keep as many kids as possible interested in the sport.

Training will be given to all volunteers prior to commencing sessions. If you are keen to see Athletics back in Katanning and happy to help us, please contact Ciara McKay Monday-Friday between 8:30am-12:30pm. Details are below:

Work:08 9821 4399

Email: ciara.mckay@katanning.wa.org.au.





Small changes, big differences.





Triple P, Positive Parenting Seminar Online (for parents of children 0-12 years) – 3-part series:

- 1. The Power of Positive Parenting
- 2. Raising Confident, Competent Children
- **3.Raising Resilient Children**

DATE

TIME VENUE PRESENTER Seminar 1 – 28th July 2022 Seminar 2 – 2nd August 2022 Seminar 3 – 4th August 2022 4:30PM – 6:00PM (with time for Q's at the end) Online (Via Zoom) Emily Hughes

BOOKINGS AND INFORMATION

Please fill out the attached 'Family Details' Form and return to Emily.hughes2@education.wa.edu.au if you are interested in attending any or all the sessions (please indicate which sessions you would like to attend). A link to access the Online Seminar's will be sent to you from there.

www.triplep-parenting.net

KATANNING JUNIOR SQUASH - TERM 3 TUESDAYS 3.30 - 4.30PM

• BEGINS TUESDAY 26TH JULY • KATANNING COUNTRY CLUB, ROUND DRIVE, KATANNING



STUDENTS IN YEARS 4, 5 & 6 CONTACT ASH TO REGISTER -0421 974 350



Free socializing sports program for people of all ages who live with a disability. Morning tea provided.

For more information or to book a spot, please contact Ciara on 9821 4399 or email ciara.mckay@katanning.wa.gov.au

Every second Thursday

Starting 28 July 2022

9:30am - 11:00am, Katanning Leisure Centre

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Family Details Record

Triple P – Positive Parenting Program®

Child's name:	
Age:	Date of birth:
Contact details	
Address:	
Parent details	
Name:	
Telephone:	
Email:	
Name:	
Telephone:	
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W k	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday			
1	18 Jul	19 Jul 3 year old Kindy 9-10.30am	20 Jul	21 Jul	22 Jul			
2	25 Jul P & C Meeting 4.30pm	26 Jul 3 year old Kindy 9-10.30am	27 Jul	28 Jul School Board Meeting 6pm	29 Jul National Tree Day			
3	1 Aug Assembly Year 5	2 Aug 3 year old Kindy 9-10.30am	3 Aug	4 Aug	5 Aug			
4	8 Aug	9 Aug 3 year old Kindy 9-10.30am	10 Aug	11 Aug	12 Aug			
5	15 Aug Assembly Year 4 P & C Meeting 4.30pm Science Week rotation 11.15-12.55 activities with parents Parents welcome to stay for lunch	16 Aug 3 year old Kindy 9-10.30am	17 Aug	18 Aug	19 Aug SDD NO Students at school today			
6	22 Aug CAMP ALL WEEK 22 ^{NU} TO 26 TH	23 Aug 3 year old Kindy 9-10.30am	24 Aug	25 Aug	26 Aug			
7	29 Aug Book Week Parade Assembly Year 1	30 Aug 3 year old Kindy 9-10.30am	31 Aug	1 Sep K/PP Father's Day games afternoon	2 Sep			
8	5 Sep	6 Sep 3 year old Kindy 9-10.30am MUSICA VIVA	7 Sep	8 Sep GREAT VEGIE CRUNCH	9 Sep			
9	12 Sep Assembly Year 2	13 Sep 3 year old Kindy 9-10.30am LAST FOR TERM 3 Faction Athletics Jumps	14 Sep Faction Athletics Carnival	15 Sep School Board Meeting 6pm	16 Sep			
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