



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

What a wonderful night we all had last Wednesday night. The Wild West show was ably led by our hosts Billie- Jo French and Ethan Miles who performed in character to a new level. They were supported by many other students from the 5/6 and directed by our very own Mrs Newman. Well done to the cast for the evening. The students from each class produced show stopping performances and the announcement by Mr Rick Wilson of our successful application for playground funding culminated what was an incredible evening. The funding will support our new playground, of which, the swing set will be in place by the start of 2020. The swing set we have purchased will be a 5 bay set of swings with a large birds next swing in the centre. I have no doubt it will provide our students with many hours of fun.

Congratulations to all the award recipients for 2019 and also to our 2020 Faction captains and Student Councillors who were announced on the evening.



Mallee:

Kaiden Flugge
Dylan Quartermaine

Acacia:

Nevayeh Tasarip
Kaydance Boyd

Wandoo:

Charlie Kowald
Heh Blut Moo

School Councillors:

Lucinda Kendall, Eva Kowald, Trenton Keast, Luke Radovanovic

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Bank: Bankwest BSB: 306 014 Acct: 4521518

Important Dates

Term 4	December
Christmas Shared Lunch	Wed 18th
Good Standing Day	Wed 18th
Last day of school for year	Thurs 19th
2020 Term 1	February
First Day of school	Mon 3rd
Swimming Year 3-6	Mon 24th Feb to Fri 6th Mar
40th Anniversary	Fri 28th
	March
Labour Day - no students	Mon 2nd
Braeside Swimming Trials	Wed 11th
Faction Swimming Carnival	Fri 20th
Interschool Swimming Carnival	Fri 27th
	April
Last day of school term	Thurs 9th
Good Friday	Fri 10th

School Lunches

Please note that when ordering School Lunches, muffins and cookies will be limited to 2 items per person.

If ordering cookies and muffins for siblings, please list siblings on the lunch order with their order.

Thank you for your assistance.



Planning for 2020

We are excited to announce the appointment of some new staff for 2020. Mrs Jennifer Dixon will be joining us. Jennifer has been working in Yanchep and a range of country schools prior to receiving her appointment. She will be coming to Braeside on Tuesday to visit classes and students. Miss Amy Dorozenko will also be joining the school for 2020, Amy has been at Three Springs and Fairview prior to her appointment at Braeside and has grown up in Collie. We look forward to welcoming these new teachers to our staff for 2020. Mrs Megan Thornborough will be working Term 1 covering Mrs Bielby's Education Assistant role. Miss Deanne Hansen will be joining us for the first 4 weeks until the position is advertised.

Classes for 2020

Classes for 2020 will be posted on Thursday 30th January 2020 at 12pm. If you are unable to come up to the school and look at the class list, please feel free to give us a call. Due to some restrictions in place, we will not be posting class lists on social media. Special Needs students and new students to the school are invited to come along to their new class at 2.30pm on Thursday 30th January to meet their new class teacher and visit their classroom. School commences on Monday 4th February. We will again be posting our welcome letters from classroom teachers, can I ask that if you are on a farm you check the mail prior to the students coming back to school. If your child has not received their letter, please do not hesitate to come into the school and pick up the welcome letters for your children.

Permissions for 2020

Swimming is again very early in 2020, we will be sending home the permission notes with the general permissions and welcome letter from myself in the first week we are back at school, which is when you are still winding up your holidays. The swimming lessons will be for Year 3 and up. There will also be a permission form for Barracudas which will commence in Week 2 of 2020.

Teresa Wigg

Principal

SCHOOL CHAPLAIN



The year is fast drawing to a close, and I want to thank everybody in the school community for your support once again. I wish the students and staff who are graduating or leaving, and your families, all the best for the future.

Thank you to Woolworths Katanning for again donating fresh fruit to us every week during the school terms. We are grateful for your kindness and generosity.

I wish everyone a safe and happy Christmas holiday and look forward to catching up in the New Year.

Kind regards,

Christine Mills

School Chaplain



Graduate Reflections



My name is Daizhon Mohammad and I have been at Braeside Primary School for two and a half years. Whilst I've been here my two favourite teachers have been Miss Suttie and Miss Baxtrem. I have made lots of friends at Braeside during this time. My friends are Harrison, Heh Blut, Lachy, Kasim, Brayden, Dylan, E-Jay, Shane, Asher, Kaiden, Les, Jamie and Ethan. There have been lots of great memories from Braeside Primary School. For example, Year 6 Camp, sports carnivals, swimming and Cross Country. At camp we visited Fremantle Prison and the Round House and we had fun playing Escape from Quarantine. I am really looking forward to Woodwork at high school. When I grow up I would like to work at CBH.

My name is Ethan Miles and I have been at Braeside Primary School for 7 years. I feel excited about graduating because it will be our last assembly type of event at the school. I feel happy about leaving primary school and going to high school because they sell delicious sushi there. My favourite memory from Year 6 is camp because we were given fun activities to do. We all learnt something new and we were given the chance to work with people we don't normally work with. In high school I am looking forward to trying Woodwork and Metalwork because we get to use the equipment to make things. When I grow up I would like to be a Palaeontologist because I like dinosaurs, I want to dig up dinosaur fossils and maybe discover something new.

Hi my name is Lachy Jack Haeusler Kerin and I am a Year 6 student who has been at Braeside Primary School for 7 great years. I have made many friends during the years. Some of them are Daniel, Asher, Shane, Daizhon, Nikki, Howie, Austin, RJ, Piper, Brayden, Les, Jamie, Savannah, Kasim and Harrison. I have had many fantastic memories, but my favourite memory is from Year 6 Camp. We were playing Escape from Quarantine and had to work in teams to find items such as pliers, a bomb, money and a medical certificate and bring these back to a base. But there was a twist... four teachers use spotlights to catch students moving. If you got caught by the spotlight you have to go back to the base and stay, there for five minutes. The first team to collect all the items won the challenge. I feel really happy to be graduating from primary school and I am really excited about high school and trying Woodwork and Metalwork. I am also sad about starting high school because I will have to do homework and harder school work. When I grow up I would like to be a farmer because I want to work with my family. I also love farming and I help out on our farm all the time. I have been on our family farm my whole life so this will help me to learn everything about agriculture. Thank you Miss Suttie and Mrs King for teaching me this year.

Hi my name is Leslie Woods and I have been at Braeside Primary School for 5 years. My friends are Nathan, Jamie, Eric, Daizhon, Shane, Shayden, Dylan and E-Jay. I am looking forward to graduating from primary school and going to high school. I am looking forward to playing play football and basketball, learning fun things and CLONTAF at high school. My favourite memory from Year 6 is when we were on camp and we went to Bounce. It was so fun playing and jumping around and doing flips. When I grow up I would like to be a professional football and basketball player.

Hi my name is Mia Gulberti and I came to Braeside Primary School in Term 4, 2019. I really love this school because everyone is nice and friendly. I have made some great friends here and I really enjoy coming to school every day. I am looking forward to high school because you can learn new things and try new subjects. When I grow up I would like to be a Teacher because I have always wanted to be one since I was little.

My name RJ Reeves and I will be graduating from Braeside Primary School this year. I am 11 years old I've been at Braeside for 7 years. My favourite teachers were Miss Suttie and Miss Julius. My friends are Brayden, Asher, Shane, Kasim, Jamie, Ethan, Daizhon and Lachy. My favourite part of this year was at camp on the vertical climb. I'm looking forward to Bushrangers in high school. I think it will be lots of fun! When I grow up I want to be a Rock Climber, Minecraft YouTuber and builder J.

Hi. My name is Sophie Kate Harris and I've been at Braeside Primary School for seven years now, ever since I was in Pre-Primary. I'm currently a Student Councillor along with Billie-Jo and Kasim. I've made lots of friends here and I've had lots of fun. I'm both excited and nervous to go to high school. I'm excited because I get to hang out with my friends that I only see once a week and I'm also excited to make new friends from other schools. When I grow up I want to be either a Photographer, a Marine Biologist or a Zookeeper. I'd love to be a Photographer because it's always been my dream to travel the world and see new things and if I was a Photographer, I'd actually get paid to do that and take photos of it. I've always wanted to be a Marine Biologist because I absolutely love the ocean. It's like my favourite place in the world and being a Marine Biologist, I'd be able to study and discover things about the place I really love and see the world from an entirely new perspective. Finally, I'd love to be a Zoo Keeper, because I love animals and I've always wanted to help animals in extinction programs and if they're sick or injured. I'm really looking forward to going to High School and I'm glad my friends are coming with me.

End of Year Concert



Year 6 Graduation



COMMUNITY NEWS

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AT THE VAC

ALL AGES ENTRY BY DONATION

OPEN MON-FRI
9:30AM - 3:30PM
SAT 10:30AM - 2:30PM

JANUARY 13TH - 24TH

MAKE OUR GARDEN BLOOM

JOIN US FOR SOME SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN AS THE VANCOUVER ARTS CENTRE IS TRANSFORMED INTO AN INTERACTIVE ARTS SPACE AND HELP US CREATE A BEAUTIFUL GARDEN THROUGH A VARIETY OF ART ACTIVITIES

VANCOUVER ARTS CENTRE - 85 VANCOUVER STREET
ARTS@ALBANY.WA.GOV.AU - 6820 3740

School Holiday Fun @ the Katanning Library

STORY TIME FOR 0-4 YEAR OLDS

TUESDAYS 10AM

January 7, 14, 21, 28



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ACTIVITIES

SUMMER READING CLUB FOR ALL AGES

THURSDAYS 2PM - 4PM

Summer Reading Club is a great way to keep up those important reading skills over the holidays. Register at the Katanning Library to receive your log sheet. Bring your lists of books you've read to the Summer Reading Club activities and get your books added to our total. Can we beat our 521 books read last year? We will also be encouraging other people to read by making "Look for a Book" packs at each session throughout January. For more information, please contact Tegan at the Katanning Public Library on 98214300.

PLEASE REGISTER YOUR INTEREST

Jan 9: Recycling Creations

Create something amazing from items we would normally put in the recycling bin.

Jan 16: Construction Club

Come along and build! We will have lego, duplo and blocks of all sizes.

Jan 23: Canvas Art

Get your 'art on' with paint, tape and a canvas. Places limited to 20.

Jan 30: PJ PARTY

Our traditional end of the holidays PJ Party. We will play games and eat treats!



Staff at Braeside Primary School wish your family a Very Merry Christmas and an enjoyable Summer Holiday.



TENTERDEN TENNIS CLUB

CELEBRATING 100 YEARS

Presents:

Bendigo Bank Open Junior Tennis Tournament

Sunday 22nd December 2019



We encourage players of all levels to have fun and enjoy a day of tennis. We are a friendly club with a focus on participation. Racquets are available on request.



8.00am Registration for 8.30am prompt Start
Round Robin Doubles

Entry Fee: \$15.00 per player or \$35.00 per family
(Entry Fee includes morning/afternoon tea for players)

Girls 10 & under doubles	Boys 10 & under doubles
Girls 12 & under doubles	Boys 12 & under doubles
Girls 14 & under doubles	Boys 14 & under doubles
Girls 18 & under doubles	Boys 18 & under doubles

Entries by Email to Sonia: staddis1968@gmail.com
(Please leave the following details: names, age group and contact details)

- Ages at 30th June 2019
- Assistance with umpiring is appreciated.
- Players to wear recognised tennis attire
- Lunch orders taken at the beginning of the day

Drinks/Icy-poles/tea/coffee and morning tea available for sale during the day

Entries close Wednesday 18th December

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Young Stars **KATANNING LEISURE CENTRE** Katanning Leisure Centre's School Holiday program is for kids aged 6-13 **JANUARY SCHOOL HOLIDAYS**

Monday 27	 AUSTRALIA DAY	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
TUESDAY 28	ROLLERBLADING Kick start your holidays with a fun filled morning of rollerblading	 9:00am - 11:00am \$7.00
WEDNESDAY 29	AUSSIE COOKING Cook up a storm with us in the kitchen while we make Honey Joys and Scones	 9:00am - 11:00am \$7.00
THURSDAY 30	BASKETBALL Ever wanted to learn how to play basketball or just love the game!?	 9:00am - 10:30am \$5.00
FRIDAY 31	ROLLERBLADING It's the last day of school holidays, so come along and skate the morning away	 9:00am - 11:00am \$7.00
FRIDAY 31	YOUTH EVENT ROLLERBLADING EVENING 13 - 18 years old ONLY	5:00pm - 7:00pm \$2.50 (blade hire) YOUTH FUNDED BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL, 30 PARTICIPANTS MAX.

Bookings are essential! Forms available at the Katanning Leisure Centre, or call 9821 4399



January School Holidays
2020 Head Start Program
Year 6 and 7

ACADEMIC TASK FORCE
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Is your child starting High School?
Enrol in our Year 6 & 7 Head Start Program today

- ✓ BUILD CONFIDENCE
- ✓ IMPROVE STUDY HABITS
- ✓ DEVELOP ACADEMIC SKILLS

- GATE & Scholarship Preparation
- NAPLAN Preparation
- Learning Skills
- Essay Writing
- Foundation Maths
- Foundation English

January 16th 2020
to
January 29th 2020

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3 hours each day over 2 consecutive days

Venues: Churchlands SHS Rossmoyne SHS

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1st Katanning Joey Scouts are collecting non-perishable food and grocery items to support Katanning Community Harvest this Christmas.

We'd love you to help out by dropping donations at the Katanning Library, or giving directly to one of the Scouts here at school.

Thank you!



Harmony Festival
Making Connections **Katanning 2020**

FRIDAY 13 MARCH 2020
TOWN SQUARE, KATANNING
5PM TO 8PM

SATURDAY 14 MARCH 2020
CLIVE ST, KATANNING
1PM TO 7PM