



Beverford District Primary School Newsletter

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Calendar	
Playgroup at school every Monday 10am to midday Please come along. All welcome.	
Lunch warm ups, toasting and noodles. Every Tuesday and Thursday Lunch orders. Every Friday.	
Term 3	
Wednesday, August 19-20	School Council meeting Dinner from 5.30 pm at The Tavern <i>Please note change of date</i>
Thursday, August 20	This has been cancelled as we were given the incorrect length of the show which is now 2.5 hours. 'High School Musical' McKillop College performed by students. Cost \$3 CANCELLED
Thursday, August 27	Proposed 'Student Free Day'
Tuesday, September 1	Athletics' Sports
Friday, September 4	Casual Dress Day....Footy colours
Tuesday, September 8	Family Day at school including BBQ lunch <i>Please note change of date</i>
Wednesday, September 9	Grades 4 5 6 Red Cross talk at Woorinen School
Wednesday, September 16	School Council meeting
Friday, September 18	End of Term
Term 4 (some dates)	
October 5 6 8 9 13 15 16	Swimming at SH Leisure Centre
Thursday, October 15	School Disco

As part of our self evaluation school council has decided to survey all families. Could each family please complete the survey on line by **Tuesday, August 25.**

This time has been extended as we have had very few responses to date.

This survey is for parents/carers to complete.

To complete the survey go to:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/P73VN6N>

##Don't forget to collect your Safeway stickers and send to school.##

**Welcome to Ashden Harrison who is a student teacher in her final year.
Ashden will be here for four weeks.**



I like reading because it can take you to a land of imagination and you can learn things from books.

<u>Mowing Roster</u>			
July 12	Rob McKay	September 27	Rohan Shadbolt
August 9	Kirsty Thompson	October 11	Caffrey Family
September 6	Tim van Liessum	October 25	Cornish Family
Once again thanks to all parents who have been mowing.....don't see you doing it but it is much appreciated.			
We would greatly appreciate more families to join our mowing roster. Please give me a call.			

I am on Long Service Leave from tomorrow...I will be back on Wednesday, August 26.

NAPLAN Testing Results for grade 3 and 5 Students

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy results have been returned to school. Your child's results are enclosed. The assessments were held in term 2 in the areas of English (Reading, Writing, Spelling and Grammar and Punctuation) and Mathematics.

Information gained from the NAPLAN can be a useful part in determining a student's overall progress and achievement. However in viewing the information contained in your child's report the following points should be kept in mind:

1. Children begin school at different levels of readiness and progress through their schooling at different rates so it is difficult to have a 'level playing field' for these external assessments. A number of variables can influence the result.
2. The reports should be read with the understanding that the assessments were completed in May and are a snapshot on a particular day of your child's performance in each area. Teachers use a wide variety of assessment techniques, over a wide time frame when writing reports for your child.

An information sheet is attached.