

# Beverford District Primary School Newsletter

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Term 1, Week 7

## What's On at BDPS?

<u>Calendar Term 1, 2020</u>	
Thursday March 12	OH&S School Audit
Friday March 13	Summer Sports – Ken Harrison P-2 Fun Day – Sun Centre
Wednesday March 18	School Council AGM (7.00pm) School Council Meeting (7.30pm)
Thursday March 19 & Friday March 20	School Sleep Over
Friday March 20	KABOOM Tabloid Sports at SHPS
Tuesday March 24	District Summer Sports in Swan Hill
Friday March 27	<b>Term 1 Ends (1.20pm finish)</b>
Friday April 3	Beverford Tavern Raffle
Monday April 13	<b>Easter Monday Public Holiday</b>
Tuesday April 14	Term 2 Begins



*Spelling Homework and Maths Mate 6 Due Friday*

**NO LUNCH ORDERS THIS FRIDAY**  
**DUE TO SPORTS & FUN DAY**



## Leader's Induction at BDPS

Last week at assembly Councillor Ann Young visited the school and presented our School Captains, Bus Captains and Junior School Councillors with their badges.

Ann spoke of the vital role leaders have in our school community and that they will be relied on to set an example for other students to follow.

The Junior School Council met for the first time last week and will be assisting with the organising of the sleep over. Jackson was elected as the President and Ben will be the Secretary/Treasurer.

The Junior School Council is pictured. Back row: Billy, Phoenix, Ella, Jackson & Violet. Front Row: leesha, Ryan & Ben.

# Principal's Report

It is hard to believe we only have two and a half weeks left in Term 1. We do have a lot of learning and extra curricula activities to squeeze into that time.

The March School Council Meeting and AGM takes place next Wednesday on March 18 at 7.00pm. Please let me know if you are going to be an apology. At the AGM our President and Secretary will be elected.

The feedback from last week's Student Conferences was very positive. Thank you to all the families who attended and those who organised an alternative time. If you have not had a conference, please contact your child's teacher to organise one. It is vital to have regular formal and informal conversations with your child's teacher on their academic and social development. Education is a partnership and we value input from families.

All students have set goals to work on and these are displayed in the school and will be referred to throughout the remainder of Term 1. Some of the students are already making great inroads into achieving their goals, which is very pleasing.

A letter has been sent home to bus travelers informing the change of bus stops in Swan Hill from Thurla Street to the Swan Hill College Bus Exchange at the beginning of Term 2. This change is in response to reports of safety issues at the Thurla Street bus stop and is supported by Swan Hill Bus Lines.

We are looking forward to the P-2 Fun Day at Son Centre and the Gr 3-6 Summer Sports at Ken Harrison this Friday. We will be travelling on the bus with the students from Nyah District PS. Please ensure all students have a cut lunch, drinker and plenty of snacks. Parents are welcome to come and watch. If you are going to take your child home from the events, please inform their teacher.

We congratulate the following students on their awards. A reminder that parents and friends are very welcome to attend our weekly Monday morning assemblies beginning at 9.00am.

## Junior Student of the Week

W6: leesha Chaplin – for working very hard and being kind to others.

W7: Kyarna Johnson – for working very hard at school and at home.

## Middle Student of the Week

W6: Phoenix Moloney – for a great start to the year.

W7: Tai Faasee – for setting a goal and working extremely hard to achieve it at school and at home.

## Senior Student of the Week

W6: Charlotte Wolfe – for completing some excellent writing pieces.

W7: Billy Matthews – for persisting with some challenging Maths tasks and assisting others.

## Principal Award

W6: Ryan Burney – for an outstanding start to the year

W7: Ben Van Liessum – for thinking of other people before himself.

Enjoy your Week,  
Thanks, Phil



Week 6 & 7 Principal Awards: Ryan & Ben





Congratulations to Billy and Lachlan who attended the VSPA tennis trials in Swan Hill last week



Week 6 Student of the Week Award Winners: leesha, Charlotte & Phoenix.

**Camp Kookaburra**

Our 2020 School Camp is scheduled for Monday May 25 to Wednesday May 27 at Camp Kookaburra near Rochester. The students will stay for two nights, departing Beverford at 9am on the Monday and returning for the school bus by 3.20pm on the Wednesday. We will participate in activities such as abseiling, flying fox, archery, low ropes course, canoeing, indoor climbing and orienteering.

It is anticipated the camp will be **approximately \$220 per student**. This is with a significant commitment made by School Council to subsidise the camp. This cost may be reduced depending on the number of students who attend. The camp is optional for Prep & Grade 1 students due to the length of time we are away but it is an expectation that students from all other grades will attend as it is an important part of the curriculum.

For those who have not already, please return the attached return slip with a non-refundable deposit of \$50 per student to the school by Wednesday March 18.

If you have any questions about the camp, please contact me at school.



Week 7 Student of the Week Award Winners: Tai, Kyarna & Billy

**Camp Kookaburra Return Slip**

Student Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

My child(ren) listed above will / will not be attending Camp Kookaburra from 25/5/20 to 27/5/20.

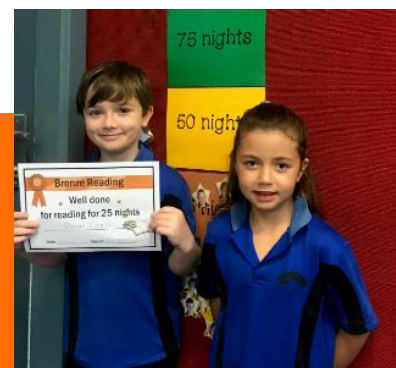
Please find a \$50 deposit per student enclosed or please tick below to use CSEF funds.

CSEF Funds

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Week 6 Home Reading Awards: Kiara, Phoenix, Oscar, Ella, Jackson, Tillie, Ben & Darcy.



Week 7 Home Reading Awards: Oscar & Kyarna

