

Beverford District Primary School Newsletter

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Term 2, Week 5



What's On at BDPS?

Calendar: Term 2, 2019	
Thursday May 23	Swan Hill College Transition Day (Gr 6)
Friday May 24	DRESS UP DAY - OCCUPATIONS
Mon May 27, Tues May 28 & Wed May 29	BOOK FAIR Purchasing 8.30-9.30am & 3.20-4.20pm
Tuesday May 27	Girls Footy District Competition
Thursday May 30	Woolworths Fresh Fruit Excursion
Sunday June 2	School Soup Stall – Farmer's Market
Monday June 3	Bike Education Container Arrives
Thurs June 6 – Fri June 7	State Principal Conference in Melbourne
Thursday June 6	District Winter Sports (Gr 3-6) Cluster Fun Day (P-2)
Friday June 7	Beverford Tavern Raffle
Monday June 10	Queen's Birthday Public Holiday
Tuesday June 11	School OHS Audit Day
Wednesday June 12	School Council Meeting
Friday June 14	Pupil Free Day
Tuesday June 18	Responsible Pet Ownership Workshops
Friday June 21	Zone Winter Sports
Monday June 24	Semester 1 Reports sent home
Friday June 28	Term 2 Ends

Lunch orders available this Friday!

Maths Mate No. 4 & Homework due Friday

Education Week

This week we celebrate Education Week with a Dress Up Day on Friday. Education Week has a focus on aspirations this year.

We invite all students to Dress Up as, "What I want to be when I grow up". We have been looking at different occupations this week and researching what people do in those jobs. We look forward to seeing everyone dressed up!

On Wednesday the school was involved in the National Simultaneous Storyline along with over 1 million students around Australia in 9890 locations. The picture story "Alpacas with Maracas" was read at exactly 11am.

Principal's Report

ALMOST HALF WAY!

It is ridiculous to think we are virtually halfway through the term already! Last week students in Grade 3 & 5 completed the NAPLAN testing. Although we had absences due to students being unwell, all students did their best and everyone should be congratulated with their positive attitudes towards the compulsory testing.

We had a School Council Meeting last week, where many new policies were ratified. Our Fundraising Sub-Committee have been very busy. The school will be holding a stall at the Farmer's Market on Sunday June 2 at Riverside Park. The school will be selling soup and dim sims. If you are able to help by making soup and/or working on the stall during the market please contact Loretta Van Liessum or myself. We will need volunteers between 8.00am and 12.30pm to run the stall and also volunteers to make soup.

A huge congratulations to Liam Shadbolt who finished second in the Under 12 boys High Jump at the Victorian Track & Field Trials in Melbourne on the weekend. Liam received confirmation yesterday that he has made the Victorian team and is off to the Nationals in Darwin during September. Liam cleared the bar at 1.54m.

We have Eden and Kiara participating in Girls Footy next Monday for a combined district team. This is a new concept for the small schools and a great opportunity for the girls. Well done to Billy Matthews who represented the school at the Zone Cross Country yesterday in the Under 11 Boys event.

Best wishes to our Grade 6 students as they attend their first day of Year 7 transition at Swan Hill College tomorrow. It is a very exciting time for the students as they get a taste of what secondary school is all about.

The Earn & Learn program at Woolworths continues till June 25. Please fill out your sticker pages or place them into the box at Woolworths or at school. More sticker pages are available at school.

This week we congratulate the following students on their awards.

Junior Student of the Week

Tai Faasee – for concentrating very hard in class and completing his work.

Senior Student of the Week

Eden Moloney – for always giving 100% in all areas of her schooling.

Principal Award

Violet Jones – for being very organised and always helping others.

Enjoy your Week,
Thanks, Phil



Principal Award Winner – Violet Jones.

BOOK FAIR

A note went home yesterday about the annual School Book Fair. The books and other goodies are on display in the Library and can be viewed by parents, grandparents and community members at any time. Students have filled out 'wish lists' with the books that interested them.

It is preferred if purchasing is limited to Monday May 27, Tuesday May 28 and Wednesday May 29 between 8.30-9.30am and 3.20-4.20pm. If these times do not suit please organise an alternative with Lois or myself.

The school receives a commission on the sales and this goes directly into the purchasing of new books for our library and home reading program.



Students of the Week: Eden & Tai.

HEALTH INQUIRY EXCURSION

We are excited about our excursion into Swan Hill next Thursday May 30. A great range of activities and learning experiences have been planned and organised for the students. This excursion will greatly support the learning that has taken place in Inquiry and STEM this term. A permission note will be sent home with an itinerary and further information.



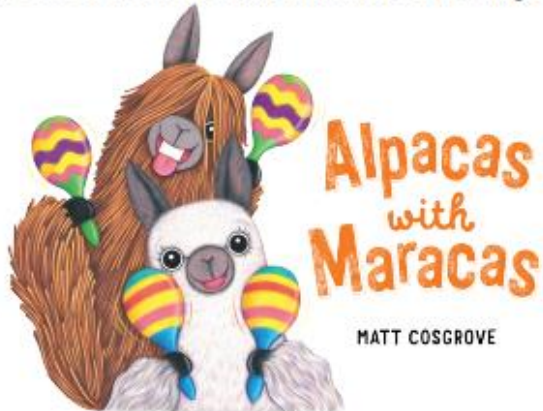
Home Reading Award Winners – Jackson, Kiara, Ella, Tai, Ryan, Liam & Billy.



Congratulations to Billy who participated in the Under 11 Boys Zone Cross Country.

Beverford District Primary School

was one of 9,890 locations who shared a reading of



as part of
NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORYTIME
Wednesday 22 May 2019



National Simultaneous Story time



Students watching author/illustrator Matt Cosgrove read his Picture Story Book – Alpacas with Maracas



Charlotte and Char creating a 1 metre square in Mathematics.



Violet and Eden problem solve to create 1 metre square in Mathematics.