

# Beverford District Primary School Newsletter

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October 19, 2022

Term 4, Week 3

## What's On at BDPS?

### Calendar Term 4, 2022

Wednesday October 19	School Council 7pm
Mon Oct 24 – Mon Nov 7	Book Fair
Friday October 28	World Teacher's Day
Monday October 31	<b>Pupil Free Day</b>
Tuesday November 1	<b>Melbourne Cup Public Holiday</b>
Friday November 4	Grade 5/6 Cricket Blast
Tuesday Nov 8, 15, 22 Thursday Nov 10, 17, 24	Swimming Program - Leisure Centre Swan Hill Depart BDPS at 1.20pm, return 3.10pm
Wednesday November 16	School Council 7pm
Friday Nov 18 & 25, Dec 2 & 9	Prep Transition Program
Friday December 9	Whole School Transition Day (P-6 One Up Day)
Tuesday December 13	School Concert Proposed date
Tuesday December 20	Last Day of School – 1.20pm finish

### WOORINEN RSL POPPY APPEAL

**Poppies - (20c, 50c, \$1, \$2 & \$5)**

**Key Tags - \$4, Wrist Bands - \$3, Pens - \$5**

**Available from Office (cash only)**



## World Teacher's Day

Next Friday, October 28 is World Teacher's Day. It is a special day to acknowledge the wonderful work our teachers do.

Everyone has had a teacher in their life that they have connected with and who has had a positive impact on not just their education but their life.

We have exceptional teachers at BDPS and have worked hard to recruit and retain these wonderful educators.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our teachers Kristy, Chloe, Demi, Danielle, Kaiti, Kylie and Lois in the office for the incredible work they do. It is the work of these staff members that is seeing a massive growth in Prep enrolments at the school.

To work in such a great team makes coming to school a pleasure every day. I know our teachers also appreciate the support given by our families and school community.

# Principal's Report

## ***Wet Start to Term 4!***

It has been a very **wet start** to Term 4. However, the students and staff have taken this in their stride and we are already into the third week of what is a busy final term. Our thoughts are with those people who have been affected by the floods this week.

Students have been working on health in Inquiry and in particular **healthy food**. Students have been classifying foods using the healthy food pyramid.

We continue to **promote the school** in the wider community. We currently have 8 Prep students enrolled for 2023, which is a testament to the positive reputation our school community is building. If you know of any families who may be considering BDPS in any year level, please encourage them to contact us asap. Knowing how many students are in each year level allows us to make informed decisions around staffing and classroom structures.



There will be a **School Council Meeting** this evening, Wednesday October 19. An information package was sent home last week. If you are a late apology, please let me know asap.

We have continued our focus **on improving student attendance** at the school and limiting unapproved absences. If your child is a late arrival or away from school, please inform the school of the reason via seesaw, phone or in person. Thank you to those families who are diligent with this.

A reminder also that the school will have a **Pupil Free Day** on Monday October 31, which is the day before the Melbourne Cup Public Holiday.

We congratulate the following students on their awards:

### **Junior Student of the Week**

W1: Onyx Flood

W2: Byron Rodwell

### **Middle Student of the Week**

W1: Angus Whimpress

W2: Indie Clarke

### **Senior Student of the Week**

W1: Emma Van Liessum

W2:

### **Principal Award**

W1: Knox Smith

W2: Ally Bates

Enjoy your Week,  
Thanks, Phil



*Term 4 Week 1 Principal Award Winner: Knox.*



*Principal's Award Week 2 Winner – Ally.*



*Week 1 Student of the Week Award Winners: Emma, Angus & Onyx (absent)*



*Week 1 Home Reading Award Winners: Harley & Angus.*



*Woorinen RSL – Poppy Appeal (available at office)*



## 'The Pool is opening soon!'

The Nyah and District Community Pool  
will be opening on

**Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> November**

### Membership

Family - \$150.00 (this covers 2 adults and 3 children) each extra child is an additional \$10.00

Single Adult: \$75

Single student: \$60

Payments can be made at the pool or online. Our bank details are:

Bendigo Bank

BSB: 633-000

Act: 108328600

Ref- your surname

**Memberships paid before Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> December will go into to draw to win their membership payment back!**

### Pool Entry

Child entry: \$3

Adult entry: \$4



The Pool mobile  
phone number is  
**0478 116 422**

*The pool will be open from 3-7pm everyday provided the weather is suitable. Stay updated by checking the pools Facebook page. <https://www.facebook.com/NyahSwimmingPool/>*

*Morning lap swimming is  
Monday, Wednesday and  
Friday mornings*

*During the month of February, we will be  
closed in the afternoon on Tuesday,  
Wednesday and Friday.*