



# Bellevue Heights Primary School

*Learning & Growing Together to Enrich the World*

Newsletter Week 7 Term 2  
Wednesday 10 June 2020

## COMING EVENTS FOR THE CALENDAR

Wednesday ..... June 24 ..... Last Day for Kyttons Bakery Orders  
Monday ..... June 29 ..... Last Day for Pizza and Bakery orders  
Wednesday ..... July 1 ..... Kyttons Bakery Delivery Day

**Friday ..... July 3 ..... Last day for term 2- Students finish at 2:30pm**  
**Students can wear casual dress / P&F Pizza Lunch**

### TERM 3

**Monday ... July 20 ..... Pupil Free Day**

**..... OSHC will be available. Bookings essential.**

Tuesday ..... July 21 ..... First day of term 3 for students. School starts at 9am.

## Dear Parents & Community

Greetings on this the coldest day of the year. Beanies, gloves and goose down jackets seems to be the attire of our staff this week. Perhaps not so surprisingly, our students are far more resilient and as I walked into the main office today I was greeted by a mountain of jumpers and jackets in our lost property. I am not sure how they manage to misplace their jumpers so readily but they do. Please remind your child/children to come and have a look!

## COVID-19

We are extremely grateful to the parents who have at all times followed SA Health, State and our school guidelines around keeping all students safe. There has been some welcomed positives from the restrictions that have been in place:

- We are noticing that the students are not as tired and more attentive as they are not involved in as many after hours activities
- Our younger students are much more independent in the mornings and as a result they are in control of their belongings at all times during the day. Many parents have also commented on the change they have seen from their child and how they are doing things they would never expected a few months ago

## Non-contact infrared thermometers

Our school has been issued with a non-contact infrared thermometer. **Please note: As advised in the SA Health guidelines we will NOT be doing universal testing of our students.** The thermometer will however, be used when a student presents unwell to the sick bay with fever like symptoms e.g. flushed skin, aching muscles, chills or shivering. Their temperature will be taken without any contact to the body surface. Taking only a few seconds to give an accurate reading, the thermometer will enable us to give parents more accurate information about the symptoms their child is presenting.

It is also pertinent at this time to remind parents not to send their child to school if they are unwell.

### We can be contacted on

Email:

Email student absences to:

Website:

Out of School Hours Care (OSHC):

CRICOS Provider Number:

Telephone: 8278 7182 Fax: 8370 2671

[bellevue.ps891@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:bellevue.ps891@schools.sa.edu.au)

[absences.bhps470@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:absences.bhps470@schools.sa.edu.au)

[www.bellevueps.sa.edu.au](http://www.bellevueps.sa.edu.au)

Telephone: 8278 9439 or 0401 121 798  
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### Bell Times

8:40am	Students can arrive
9:00am	School starts
10:55am	Recess starts
11:25am	Recess ends
1:05pm	Eat lunch in class
1:15pm	Play time starts
1:50pm	Lunch ends
3:30pm	School ends



## Nationally Consistent Collection of Data (NCCD)

The NCCD is an annual collection of information about Australian school students with disability. The NCCD enables schools, education authorities and governments to better understand the needs of students with a disability and how they can best be supported at school. Please see the letter attached to this newsletter for more details about the NCCD.

### Reports:

Currently our teachers are busily working on student reports. As we missed a number of weeks of schooling during the initial phase of the Covid Crisis we have not been able to collect quality assessment for all curriculum areas. Where this has been the case a modified grade will be given. We are hoping that early term three our face to face restrictions between parents and staff will be lifted. Once this takes place, we will invite parents who did not manage to meet with their child's classroom teacher in term one to arrange a time to discuss their child's progress.

Regards, **Marie-Louise**

### YEAR 7 TO HIGH SCHOOL UPDATE:

As you may know, year 7 is moving to high school in 2022. This means that if your child is in year 5 or 6 this year, they will graduate from primary school next year. Having two year levels graduate at the same time is a unique situation and we want to assure you that our students will experience a positive and successful transition from primary to high school.

To ensure the experience is memorable, we are considering how leadership opportunities, seniors jumpers, graduation ceremonies and participation in activities that were historically 'year 7' events will include year 6 students. We are also working collaboratively with teachers from Blackwood High School to strengthen our transitional relationships by sharing pedagogical practices, curriculum content and student achievement data. We will keep you updated as the year progresses

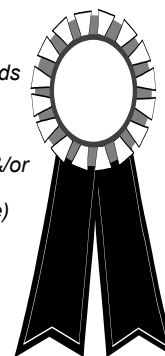
Marie-Louise Adams

## SCHOOL AWARDS

*The school award system recognises and rewards positive social and academic achievement.*

*There are three levels:*

*School Awards & Principal Awards  
Awards for Excellence (10 School &/or  
Principal Awards)  
School Medal (10 Awards for Excellence)*



## Awards for Excellence Recipients

The following students have earned an Award for Excellence certificate : Milo

## STUDENT WELLBEING

### Keeping connected to online support

Children and young people grow up in a highly connected world. Online connections are integral to how they live. As parents and carers, it's important to help your child manage how and when they are online.

While at times it may be necessary to limit their access, it's important to remember that their online connections can be healthy and link them to supportive friends on social media or to mental health information and services.

Children and young people need to know it's ok to reach out to mental health professionals when they need advice and support.

We want all children and young people to feel respected, in touch and mentally healthy. We can guide them through complicated relationships, no matter where they happen. Let's work together to help them stay safe and keep connected.

[esafety resources](#) provide useful information and advice for parents and carers to help children have safe experiences online.

## BELLEVUE HEIGHTS PS OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE

**Harper and Scarlett Kay** have organized with the help of OSHC educator, Vicki, to support –

### "BREAD TAGS FOR WHEELCHAIRS"

by collecting bread tags. If you would like to help – save your bread tags and bring them to OSHC or school front office.

More information is available at OSHC





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Dear parents, guardians and carers

### ***Re: Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD)***

Every year, all schools in Australia participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD). The NCCD process requires schools to identify information already available in the school about supports provided to students with disability. These relate to legislative requirements under the *Disability Discrimination Act 1992* and the Disability Standards for Education 2005, in line with the *NCCD guidelines* (2019).

Information provided about students to the Australian Government for the NCCD includes:

- year of schooling
- category of disability: physical, cognitive, sensory or social/emotional
- level of adjustment provided: support provided within quality differentiated teaching practice, supplementary, substantial or extensive.

This information assists schools to:

- formally recognise the supports and adjustments provided to students with disability in schools
- consider how they can strengthen the support of students with disability in schools
- develop shared practices so that they can review their learning programs in order to improve educational outcomes for students with disability.

The NCCD provides state and federal governments with the information they need to plan more broadly for the support of students with disability.

The NCCD will have no direct impact on your child and your child will not be involved in any testing process. The school will provide data to the Australian Government in such a way that no individual student will be able to be identified – the privacy and confidentiality of all students is ensured. All information is protected by privacy laws that regulate the collection, storage and disclosure of personal information. To find out more about these matters, please refer to the [Australian Government's Privacy Policy](https://www.education.gov.au/privacy-policy) (<https://www.education.gov.au/privacy-policy>).

Further information about the NCCD can be found on the [NCCD Portal](https://www.nccd.edu.au) (<https://www.nccd.edu.au>).

If you have any questions about the NCCD, please contact the school.

Kind regards

**Marie-Louise**

**Principal**



## NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORYTIME 2020

On Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May at 10-30am many of our classes participated in the National Simultaneous Storytime 2020 reading of 'Whitney and Britney Chicken Divas'.

Every year the Australian Library and Information Association selects a picture book, written and illustrated by an Australian author and illustrator, that is read simultaneously in libraries, schools, preschools, family homes, childcare centres and bookshops and many more places around the country.



Teachers either read the book, students performed a play or watched different media share the fun followed by many craft activities!



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## Parents & Friends Information

### P&F UP COMING EVENTS TERM 2 2020

P&F are planning a couple of fundraising events to finish off term 2.

Look out for information and order forms coming home soon.

#### PIZZA DAY

Last Day of Term

Orders close Monday 29 June



#### KYTONS WINTER BAKERY ORDER

Last Day for Bakery Orders  
Wednesday 24 June.

Delivery Wednesday 1 July



Stock up your fridge for the school holidays and get your family, friends and neighbours to order some yummy bakery goods and support the school at the same time.

### ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS 2020

In 2019 Entertainment Books decided to go fully digital and not publish a hardcopy book.

They have built the best things about the iconic Entertainment Book into a new Memberships App. The 2020 Entertainment App is available online NOW!

This membership App allows you to conveniently search, save and redeem thousands of offers near you in an instant. New offers are regularly added for more value all year round.

These books are jam packed full of savings for dining, shopping, arts, sports and attractions as well as travel and accommodation and the school still receives 20% from each copy sold.

To order your membership online go to the schools fundraising page

[www.entbook.com.au/16096s8](http://www.entbook.com.au/16096s8)

