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BROOME NORTH POST





From the Principal's Desk

Ngaji gurrjin! Since the easing of restrictions and mask mandates, we have seen a spike in student and staff absences. Please continue supporting the school by keeping symptomatic children at home and reporting to the school if your child becomes positive or someone in your house is positive. I want to acknowledge our parents, staff, and students for showing remarkable resilience over the last couple of months and commend everyone for their continued support in ensuring we provide your children with a safe learning environment. As we enter the dry season, with no rain but cool nights, we have to think about the flu season. To date, we have been lucky with students not getting too sick with COVID, but to minimise the chance of this happening, we need to work together to ensure they don't get both the flu and COVID at the same time.

As part of our ongoing mitigation strategies, we will continue to ventilate classrooms with open windows and insist on distance and cohorting of block assemblies and special events. Parents can attend sporting events and assemblies, and our first big whole school assembly will be in Week 10. Masks are recommended when on the property for staff, students and parents. Unfortunately, it is too early to allow full access to classrooms by parents, so your understanding would be greatly appreciated on this matter. I encourage parents to make time with their child's teacher for a face to face meeting to discuss any concerns and their child's progress.

Term 2 is usually a busy term for school, even without the added stress of COVID. We have already managed to have a respectful ANZAC Commemoration, First Aid Incursions, House Cross Country Carnival, Year 6 "Camp" (1 week of fun, daily excursions), Book Fair, and our resilient Year 3 and 5 students have participated in NAPLAN, however, we still have a lot on this term. Check out the term planner.

Finally, it's the middle of Wirralburu season, and even though the nights are pleasant, the days are still hot, therefore, a wide brimmed hat should be worn to complete our school uniform and comply with our SunSmart policy, which also states we must wear our hats when outside, 'No Hat, No Play', drink plenty of water and use sunscreen.

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Reminders

- Remember to pack a wide brimmed hat and drink bottle each day
- Make sure all your personal items are clearly labelled. If you order labels through "That's Mine", our P&C gets a rebate.
- No parking on verge and leave your car in the Kiss and Drop zones during the peak pick / drop off times
- Uniforms: Please remember that dark blue or black shorts, skirts or skorts, and a polo school shirt are our uniform. No coloured socks
- The house coloured shirts only on Wednesdays
- Jewellery is restricted to a necklace and stud earrings, and hair should be neat and tied back if shoulder length.

Ken Molyneux | Principal

Year 5 Broome Regional Bushfire Brigade Incursion

As part of the Year 5 HASS Curriculum for Geography, we were visited by a member of the Broome Regional Bushfire Brigade to teach us about the prevention and impact of bushfires in the Kimberley. He spoke to us about his experiences as a volunteer firefighter and showed us around one of the brigade's trucks, along

with exploring the many tools involved in fire prevention, safety, and suppression. We even got to use a fire hose!

The Year 5 students would like to say a huge thank you to volunteer firefighter Steve for visiting us. We had a great time!

Mrs Marwick and Mr Goddard











Here's what's on during Term 2...

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Composting with Miss Emily Bell





Marndan 2, 3 and 4 have been collecting food scraps and sorting them into compostable food scraps and chook scraps. They learnt not to compost bread, citrus, dairy or meat products. They have really enjoyed learning about composting and have been collecting other compostable materials during recess and lunch, such as grass, weeds, sticks and leaves to put in the compost bin.

In Science and Technology, we have been learning about living things and what they need to survive.

We have been able to combine many curriculum areas including addressing the Sustainability strand in our own school yard and the children have been really involved and interested.









First Aid Incursion

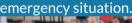








In Week 2, we were fortunate to have Lisa from St John Ambulance work with students in Pre-primary, Year 2, 4 and 6, learning first aid skills and what to do in an













House Cross Country Carnival



We are so proud of our students for participating in the House Cross Country last week! They showed amazing resilience, persistence and sportsmanship. Congratulations to Birndany for winning the trophy.

Thank you to Mrs Carder for organising such a great event, all the staff who came to school early to help set up, the house captains, and the parent volunteers for their contribution to the day.

Photo credit to Justine Johnston [O]























































Interschool Swimming Carnival

On Friday, 25 April, 20 students from Year 3 to 6 attended the West Kimberley Interschool Swimming Carnival at BRAC.

Broome North PS students competed against six other schools, demonstrating amazing sportsmanship and competitiveness.

Broome North finished the day in second place, with several of our students receiving medallions and all showing superb respect, responsibility and resilience throughout the day.

Thank you to our parent volunteers who assisted with lane timing; your continued support is appreciated. It was an incredible day of swimming from all our students who did themselves and Broome North proud.





















Garnduwa Basketball Carnival

On Friday of Week 9, Term 1, two basketball teams consisting of our Year 5 and 6 students attended the Garnduwa Basketball Competition. There was excitement with our boys

winning their first game against Derby DHS and continued their good form throughout the carnival.

Our girl's team had a superb day, making it all the way to the Grand Final. They played a hard fought game, but went down by 2 points at the end.

It was a fantastic day out, and our students should be proud of their sportsmanship and skills they displayed.









ANZAC Day

Our Year 6 school leaders attended the ANZAC Ceremony, representing Broome North PS. Lest we forget.



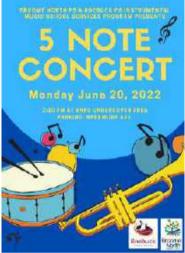
Broome Brass Band

Monday, 2 May 2022 saw the first rehearsal of the Broome North PS and Roebuck PS IMSS program Brass Band. As far as we are aware, this is the first-ever brass band here in Broome and we have 25 very excited students participating. Group lessons began at the start of this year with Hannah Trewartha, BNPS's music teacher, who moved from Melbourne to Broome in 2021 to start our classroom music program. She has now added a day working for IMSS to her load and is loving implementing the program in both schools.

The program consists of brass and percussion instrumentalists and it just made sense to start a Brass Band. Broome Brass Band has a good ring to it. We have our first concert coming soon and will participate in the community's Shinju Festival in August and hope there will be many other opportunities to perform for our schools and community







Supporting Local Business

Broome North Primary School would like to thank all the parents and carers for supporting the local business, Office National Broome, by ordering booklists online. Not only is it convenient for back to school preparation, our school receives a generous donation which goes towards valuable resources for our students. Win, win!



Office

Thank you, Office National Broome!

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Address: 26 Clementson Street BROOME WA 6725 http://www.officenational.com.au/shop/en/broome/home



Book Fair

Book Fair is on in the Library next week from Tuesday - Friday. Please contact Mrs Carol in the Library if you are able to help out before or after school.

Tuesday, 24 - Friday, 27 May Parent Help from 7.15am to 8am Parent Help from 2.10pm to 2.30pm

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P&C DayFriday, 20 May is P&C Day!

Thank you to our Broome North P&C President, Belinda McKenzie and all our P&C Volunteers for tirelessly raising funds to purchase new equipment and resources for our school.

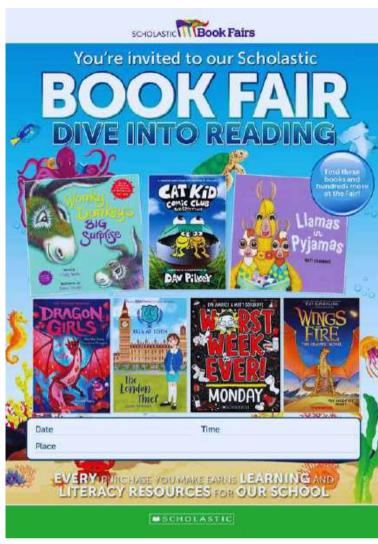
Please consider joining our P&C as many hands make light work. For more information, please contact: broomenorthpc@outlook.com

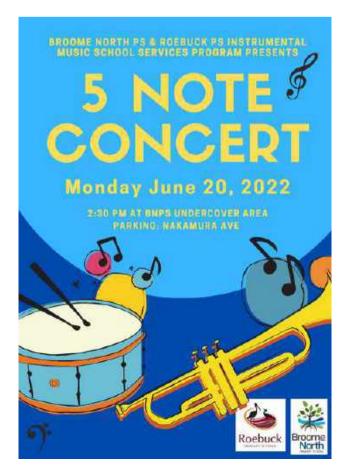




School Notices







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Community Notices

ACTIVE KIDS ARE SMARTER KIDS



FRIDAY 20 MAY 2022

Until they're ten, children must always hold an adult's hand when crossing the road

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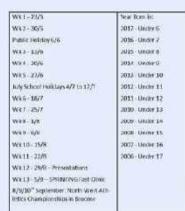








Broome Little Athletics Registrations are now open for our 2022 Season Season starts Monday 23rd May @ 4:15pm - Nipper Roe Oval BRAC





Link for rego's: Registration - Family Details (resultshq.com.au)

Or follow us on Facebook: Broome Little Athletics Centre

Or reach out for more information: broomelittleathletics@email.com





DID YOU KNOW... YOU CAN SMS STUDENT **ABSENCES TO:**

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Text only - no pictures or emojis please





Vote at Broome North Primary School this Saturday and support the P&C by buying a

DEMOCRACY SAUSAGE

OR A BREAKY WRAP

DRINK OR ICYPOLE 8am - 12 pm

sausages & drinks \$2, wraps \$8 - cash only please







Around the School











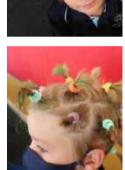






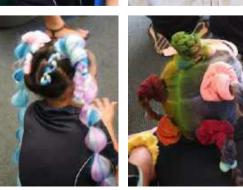






























Term 3 Planner 2022

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
17-Jul-22	18-ful-22	19-Jul-22	20-Jul-22	21-Jul-22	22-Jul-22
Week 1	Staff Development Day	Students return	Kindy Bandily		
24 jul-22 Week 2	25-(u)-22	School Photos	Kindy Walag	28-Jul-22	School Photos
31-Jul-22 Week 3	01-Aug-22	02-Aug-22	03-Aug-22 Kindy Bandily	04-Aug-22 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day	05-Aug-22 Assembly Linygurra 1, Yr 1
07-Aug-22 Week 4	08-Aug-22 RFDS Fundraiser - PJ's Day Gold coin donation	оэ-лив-22 International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples	10-Aug-22 Kindy Walag	21-Aug-22 House Jumps Carnival	International Youth Day House Athletics Carnival
14-Aug-22 Week 5	Science Week	16-Aug-27	17-Aug-22 Kindy Bandily	18-Aug-22	19-Aug-22 Assembly Linygurra 4, Yr2/3
21-Aug-22 Weak 6 Shimju Starts	Book Week	25-Aug-22	24-Aug-22 Kindy Walag	25-Aug-22	^{25-Aug-22} Book Week Assembly & Parade
28-Aug-22 Week 7 Shiniu Float	25-Aug-22	30-Aug-22	31-Aug-22 Kindy Bandily	01.5ep-22 Indigenous Literacy Day	02-Sep-22 Assembly J1, Yr5
04-Sep-27 Week 8	05-Sep-22	06-Sep-22	07-5ep-22 Kindy Walag	08-5ep-22 International Literacy Day Interschool Jumps Carnival	09-Sep-22 Interschool Athletics Carnival
11-5ep-22 Week 9	12-5ap-22	13-5ep-22 Anniversary of the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous People	14-Sep-22 Kindy Bandily	15-5ep-22	16-Sep-22 Assembly N1, Yr3
18-Sep-22 Week 10	19-Sap-22 Talk Like a Pirate Day	20-509-22	21-50p-22 International Day of Peace Kindy Walag	22-Sep-22 P&C Fluoro Colours Day Gold coin donation	79-Sep-22 Assembly N4, Yr4