



From the Principal's Desk

Ngaji gurrjin! We have had a smooth start to Term 4, and I can't believe we're halfway through the final term for 2022. As we are in the middle of Laja, the hot time and build up to the wet season, I'd encourage everyone to drink lots of water and wear a hat outside, as the humidity and heat can cause dehydration, even when in the shade.

Our Year 6 students have been preparing for high school since the beginning of the term, their teacher & Mrs. Harris-Walker have been working with the high school staff to ensure that they are well-positioned to transition into the next stage of their schooling with ease and confidence.

I want to acknowledge the fantastic efforts of all our students but make special mention of our Year 3 and Year 5 students, who did a fantastic job on the NAPLAN assessment this year, a reflection of the excellent work of all our teachers and parents. Results are available on Schools Online.

At this time of year, the school leadership team are busy planning for 2023. With enrolments predicted to grow from 393 to approximately 405, space at our school is tight, with a waitlist for Kindy. If we have enough on the waitlist, we may be able to run a third Kindy, but as yet, we don't have the numbers. If you know families moving into our local intake area, please encourage them to contact the school as soon as possible. Finally, I encourage you to contact the office if you plan to leave the school at the end of this year.

Thanks to parents for your continued assistance with the school's expectations regarding uniforms, drop-offs and pickups, and our students safety. I want to remind parents that parking on curbs can be a traffic hazard and dangerous. A possible solution is to drive around the roundabout until you find a park or time your pickup to be 5-10 mins later, remembering that the 'Kiss and Dive' is not a parking bay and at no time should you exit your vehicle when waiting in this bay. Your ongoing support and reinforcement will ensure that our school continues to strive for excellence.

We look forward to providing the best for our students as we move quickly to the end of a tricky year. As we do so, I would like to extend my gratitude to all for helping the school stay COVID-safe, and in these uncertain times, I would like to continue with these measures until the end of the year.

Ken Molyneux | Principal

Ryu's Reminders



- Attendance SMS: 0437 908 183
Please include student name, length of absence and reason.
- Please continue to let the school know if your child tests positive for COVID or is a household close contact.
- Please make sure students bring a wide brimmed hat to school every day and that all belongings are clearly labelled.
- A reminder for parents of children born between 1 July 2018 to 30 June 2019 who live within our local intake area, please head to our website or pop in to see our front office staff for an enrolment pack for Kindy 2023.

For your calendar:

- Kindy 2023 Orientation - Wednesday, 9 November
- Troppo - Saturday, 12 November
- Volunteer Morning Tea - Friday, 18 November
- Poetry Slam - Tuesday, 22 November
- End of Year Concert - Thursday, 8 December
- Year 6 Graduation - Tuesday, 13 December
- Last day of Term 4 - Thursday, 15 December

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Colour Fun Run

Staff and Students saw Term 3 out with a big, bright, bang by taking part in our Colour Fun Run. Our big kids and little kids had a fantastic afternoon covering one another in coloured chalk. Some lucky staff members had the added bonus of getting slimed. Students did a fantastic job fund raising for our hard working P & C.



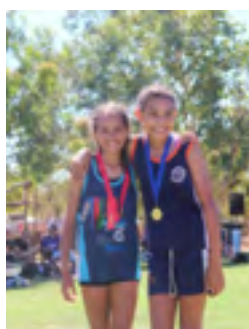
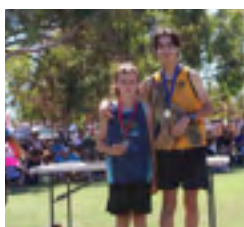
Inter School Athletics Carnival

On Friday, some of our BNPS sports stars competed at the West Kimberley Interschool Athletics Carnival.

Our students should be so proud of their efforts and amazing sportsmanship shown on the day.

We came away second overall, marginally behind St Mary's – a great team effort!

Congratulations to Kayleigh who broke a 200m and 400m record and to Mikayla Runner Up Champion Girl, Chad Equal Champion Boy, Kayleigh Runner Up Champion Girl, Sonny Runner Up Champion Boy, Paddy Champion Boy and Alanah Champion Girl.



Kimberley 9's Footy

On Wednesday 19 October, 12 Year 5 and 6 students were fortunate enough to attend the Kimberley 9's footy carnival on the beautiful Cable Beach. The event is organised and run by the Fremantle Docker's and Purple Hands Foundation in partnership with the Western Australia Police Force, Garnduwa and West Australian Football Commission. Our student's played footy against teams from all of the Kimberley with some travelling from as far as Wyndham and many remote communities. We, were also lucky enough to hang out with Fremantle Docker's forward Bailey Banfield for the day, which left our kids a bit speechless to start with (not like our Year 6s to be lost for words!). We played Yiyili Aboriginal Community School in the first round and went down by a couple of goals. From here, we were undefeated as we played Muludja, Derby, Kururrungku, Cable Beach and Roebuck Primary School. It was during our second last game, that a few of our students had to run for their shoes as the sand got a bit hot with the temperature reaching 37C. The last round was cancelled due to the heat, so we made our way back to the grassed area for a sausage sizzle lunch, a relax in the shade and of course, kick the footy around some more. It was an incredible day with our students displaying amazing talent, sportsmanship and respect. Thank you to our parents who came down to support our students and even supplied them with the half-time oranges, which went down a treat.



IMSS Brass Band Concert – Term 3

The IMSS Brass Band held their second concert here at school in the last week of Term 3. We presented our items that we have worked on and learnt throughout the term for family and teachers. It was wonderful to be able to see the way our students confidence has evolved since the beginning of the year and hear the progress they have made in their playing. The highlight for us all is that we are now playing actual band arrangements! These musical pieces really challenge the band but the IMSS students are resilient and continue to strive to improve.



Caravana Sun Incursion

On Friday, 14 October, our IMMS program were lucky enough to get a visit from Caravana Sun. The students loved having a jam with the professional musicians and were inspired by their amazing skills.



World Teachers Day - Friday, 28 October

On Friday, 28 October, we took our hats off to our amazing teaching staff to celebrate World Teachers' Day. This was a great opportunity to recognise and thank our hard working teachers for the passion and dedication they bring to Broome North Primary every single day. Our teachers enjoyed a delicious lunch to celebrate their special day.



0-3 Program News

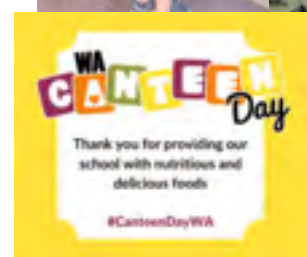
Our 0-3 Program have been busy gardening. They would like to thank Bunnings for their kind donation of a voucher to buy supplies, Miss Ellie for donating some plants and Red Dirt Heavy Diesel for their donation of mulch.

They also had a visit from the Police! The children were able to have a look in the police car and turn on the siren.

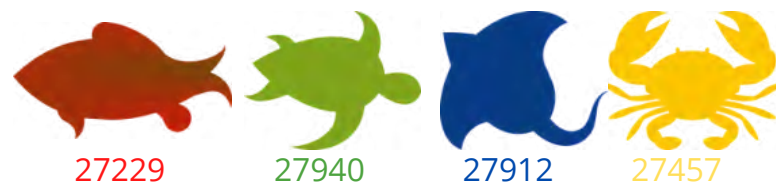




Our P&C canteen staff, Bec and Jacki were getting into the Halloween fun by dressing up recently. Canteen orders can be placed online only via Quickcliq - there are lots of yummy new menu items.

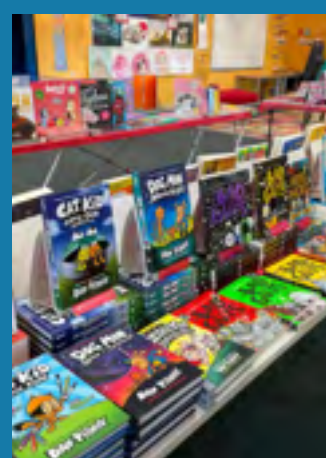


House Points Totals



Book Fair

Thank you for all the support for Miss Carol's recent Book Fair. Every book you buy earns the school commission to buy more new books for the Library. A massive \$1800 worth of new books will be filling the library shelves soon!



Student Leader Speeches

In Week 3, speeches and voting took place for our Student Leaders and House Captains for 2023.

It was wonderful to see so many of our Year 5 students wanting to take on this extra responsibility and represent the school.

19 students nominated to be Student Leaders and 27 students nominated to be House Captains.

All of the students spoke beautifully despite their nerves and all of them would make excellent representatives for the school or their house.

The elected students will be announced at the End of Year Concert.



Pizza with the Principal

Students get an entry ticket for the Pizza with the Principal draw when they bring their good work up to the office to show Mr Molyneux. Tickets get drawn twice each term in Weeks 4 and 8. Congratulations to these lucky winners this week.



Dear Parents and Guardians,

The Broome North Primary School Finance Committee and School Board have endorsed the following schedule of Contributions and Charges for 2023.

Voluntary Contributions in curriculum areas are an important part of assisting the school to provide essential value adding resources and services for your children. The amount for all children in 2023 is \$60:

K-PP Voluntary Contributions	
Kindergarten / Pre-Primary – Consumables and resources	\$60
Year 1 – 6 Voluntary Contributions	
English and Mathematics	\$10
Science	\$10
The Arts/Music	\$10
Health & Physical Education	\$10
Technologies	\$10
Yawuru	\$10
Total	\$60

In addition, the figures below show the possible maximum amount families can be requested to pay in 2023 for extra-curricular activities and student acquisitions:

POSSIBLE Additional Charges Kindy to Year 6	
Spelling Mastery Book Yr2-6	\$27
Excursions / Incursions	\$20
Various sporting events during the year for selected students	\$30
Derby Interschool Carnival (selected Yr5 & Yr6 students)	\$30
Year 6 Graduation Activities	\$10
Year 6 Leaver Shirts	\$50
Year 6 Camp - (parent /student fundraising reducing cost to families)	\$800
PEAC Program – (academic selective program Yr5/6)	\$80
Music - IMSS Program	\$190
School Photos – costs supplied by external provider direct to families up to	\$100

Payment Options – Payments for contributions and any additional costs can be made by cash, cheque, or direct deposits – please use students surname and year as a reference.

Direct Deposit Details:

Account Name: Broome North Primary School
BSB: 066-505
Account Number: 1048 7722

If you have any questions or wish to arrange a payment plan, please don't hesitate to contact Cheryl Parkinson-Varga, Manager Corporate Services, on 9195 3000.

Yours sincerely,





School & Community Notices

Broome North Primary School
END OF YEAR CONCERT
THURSDAY 8 DECEMBER 2022

The WIZARD of OZ

GATES OPEN 5.30PM
CONCERT STARTS 6.30PM SHARP
BNPS OVAL
PLEASE BRING A CHAIR OR BLANKET
PIZZA & DRINKS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE UNTIL 6.15PM
ALCOHOL FREE EVENT
ENQUIRIES PH: 9195 3000

GOING TROPPO!
is back for 2022!
Saturday November 12th
2pm -5pm
Broome North Primary School
undercover area

join in the best dressed fashion parade
 kids fun station and activities by Funergy
 Art by Tamara
 Green Fairy face painting
 Live entertainment
 Local stalls
 food vans
 raffles and prizes galore!

donation on entry goes to Broome North Primary School P&C
 This event is proudly sponsored by Development WA

Any enquiries contact Kylie 0499 990 656

Raising Screenagers
Realistic strategies to navigate the online world with your adolescent

DR KRISTY GOODWIN

From parents with research-based approaches and realistic solutions, this isn't another phone-based or digitally-driven event, but a real-world solution to help your child thrive in the digital world.

Parenting Connection is delighted to offer a presentation with Dr Kristy Goodwin. This presentation will help confused and concerned parents navigate the digital world with their 'screenagers', without suggesting that they 'digitally amputate' them. Dr Kristy will arm parents with research-based yet realistic advice to help parents feel confident about how they can best support their adolescent's physical health, mental wellbeing and learning online.

Kristy will explore:
 • Why young people are susceptible to POTENTIAL PITFALLS ONLINE given their BRAIN DEVELOPMENT;
 • Why the online world is APPEALING to adolescents (blend of science to explain your teen's digital infatuation);
 • A simple (& realistic) formula to determine healthy SCREEN TIME limits for teens of various ages (based on their BASIC NEEDS);
 • Why parents need to be the CO-PILOT of the DIGITAL PLANE and establish 3 BOUNDARIES to ensure their teen's time online supports her PHYSICAL HEALTH and MENTAL WELLBEING;
 • How to support their teen's 'DIGITAL DNA' especially when using social media or playing multi-player video games;
 • Why DIGITAL DISCONNECTION is critical for your teen's PHYSICAL HEALTH and MENTAL WELLBEING.

DATE - 22nd November 2022
TIME - 6:00pm (AWST)
REGISTRATION - <https://bit.ly/3KfGed2>

About Kristy
 Dr Kristy Goodwin is a former teacher, mother of two, and a leading expert in digital literacy, mental health and online safety. She provides brain-based expertise to help children and teens thrive in the digital age. Kristy works with parents, educators, and community groups to help them understand the digital world and how to support their children's physical health, mental wellbeing and learning online. Kristy is a former member of the VET Department of Education, the former head of the Northern, Western, South, and Southern Districts of the Department of Education and Training, and a former member of the Department of Education and Training.

POETRY SLAM

ARE YOU A BUDDING POETRY WRITER?

We are looking for three acts to represent our school at the upcoming Interschool Poetry Slam!


Students, you will need to bring your poem to school by Monday, Week 5.

You will present your poem to your classmates first, then, if chosen, will audition to a panel of teachers.

Good luck, and get writing!

POETRY SLAM RULES: OPEN TO YEAR THREE TO YEAR 6 STUDENTS

- Poem must be student's own original work
- No music allowed but can use props
- Poem must be recited from memory
- Students can rap their poems
- Each act can only be a maximum of 3 minutes long
- No type of poem is right or wrong, it is all about expressing yourself and having fun
- Students can work in teams (max number of students in each team is 3) or choose to perform by themselves.



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