

Beverley District High School

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Principal Report - P&C Meeting:

Public School Review

- Public School Review Validation to occurred on Wednesday 17th November 2021. Two reviewers, Mr. Rohan Smith (Direct, Public School Review) and Mrs. Janine Calver (Principal, Dongara DHS) visited our school to validate the school's judgements and findings as submitted in the Electronic Self-Assessment Tool (ESAT) uploaded in Week 5.
- A range of School Board members, P & C members, teaching staff and non-teaching staff, and students were involved across all six domains.
- Based on our final assessment and validations made by the review team Beverley DHS has completed an outstanding review. Our next review in all domains will be in three years.
- Our PSR Report will be available in three weeks must be uploaded to the DoE public facing Schools Online portal and we have also committed to upload to our school website.

School of Instrumental Music

- Based on a proposal submitted to the School of Instrumental Music earlier this term we received an email Friday 5th November 2021 confirming our acceptance as a participating school.
- This means that from the beginning of next year we will be allocated the services of a face-to-face Instrumental Music Teacher to Beverley DHS for 2022 and beyond.
- Our allocated teacher is Mr. Simon Styles. He is a highly experienced and accomplished musician. He currently teachers Instrumental Music across a number of Wheatbelt schools.
- For 2022, we will have one Year 5 beginner class of Clarinets (5 students) and one Year 6 beginner class of Clarinets (5 students).
- Selected students have been identified through a musical aptitude test and program screening which was conducted recently.
- Program offers and information has sent home shortly and a parent information session will be conducted soon.
- These classes will continue into Year 7 in 2023 as we bring on more students into the program. This is an exciting development for our school, and complements and adds value to The Arts Learning Area curriculum offerings.

Artist in Residence 2022 – Term 1 and 2

- Based on a successful COVID-19 Recovery Grant Application, Beverley Station Arts in partnership with the school will be hosting an Artist in Residence, Kaitlyn Elsegood, for Term 1 and 2 2022.
- Kaitlyn will work with Beverley DHS on an Arts Project that will be a shared contribution between the school and the community.
- The project will create art work/s that will project and detail a story around the local histories of:
 - Local Aboriginal culture, history and language.
 - o Beverley's early settlers and immigrants.
 - Significant Beverley women.
- More information will be shared with School Board early in Term 1 2022.

Secondary Science Funding

- In addition to the Primary Science Funding we are receiving as a school, I have just been notified that we will be receiving some additional funding for our Secondary Science Room.
- The State Government announced a \$424 million election commitment program to build new schools and upgrade schools across the State to help support the delivery of public education across Western Australia over the next four years. Beverley DHS has been allocated \$400, 000.00 to provide a secondary science laboratory conversion. Our project has been funded in the third year of the program and as such has been scheduled to commence in
- This is an exciting development and the upgrade is much needed. On completion our new science room will allow for the continued delivery of a quality secondary science education program at Beverley DHS.



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School Oval Reconstruction

The recent wet weather and a very late winter, the turf farm have advised that the turf is not in a suitable condition to be supplied now. They have stated that they are running approximately 2 x months or more behind due to the unusually late winter and recent wet weather.

IRP Civil Contractors have been informed that they can supply the product with confidence in late January. Please see a revised schedule below:

24/01/2022 > Earthworks 5 x days.Start Date/s:

Completion: 16/02/2022

31/01/2022 > Irrigation 5 x days.07/02/2022 > Install turf 7 x days.

School Class Structure for 2022

- We continue to receive new student enrolments at the moment. Significant growth in our student numbers has been observed since the start of the year. We now have 161 students from K - 10 enrolled at Beverley DHS.
- At the start of the year this number was 139. Presently we are projecting similar enrolment numbers for 2022.
- At the moment we are committed to the following class structure for 2022:

| K/PP | Year 1 / 2 | Year 2 / 3 |
|-------------|-------------------|------------|
| Year 3 / 4 | Year 5 / 6 | Year 7 / 8 |
| Year 9 / 10 | Year 11 / 12 SIDE | |

State Government's Mandatory Vaccination Policy

- The State Government has announced an expansion of the mandatory vaccination policy to further protect WA. While there are already mandates in place for high-risk occupations and industries, this policy, based on advice from the Chief Health Officer, outlines a phased approach to mandating the COVID-19 vaccination across a broad range of occupations and workforces.
- For schools this means all school-based staff will need to be fully vaccinated by Term 1 prior to the 31 January 2022. Additionally, parents, carers, volunteers and community members are subject to the following conditions:
 - o Parents, carers, volunteers and community members who come to a school, community kindergarten or a boarding/residential facility as spectators for events such as assemblies, dance and musical performances and sports carnivals are not required to be vaccinated.
 - Parents/carers who pick up and drop off students are not required to be vaccinated.
 - o However, if a parent/carer attends a school site on a regular basis to work, participate in or facilitate activities where they are in close proximity to staff or students, they must be vaccinated.
 - o This includes parents and community volunteers such as those who regularly work in the canteen, parent helpers on classroom rosters, and those involved in school literacy reading programs, P&C associations, or other activities that involve a regular attendance on the school site.

Students are not required to be vaccinated at our school unless they are attending another school or workplace for the purposes of workplace learning or work experience programs.

Mr. Adrian Lister **Principal**







