



Beverley District High School

Independent Public School

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Our School Voice

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News Updates and Reminders

- Faction Cross Country at the town oval, **Friday 11th May 2018**.
- Australia's Biggest Morning Tea, Amenities Building, Friday 11th May 2018.
- Engaging Adolescents Seminar, 4-6pm Monday 14th, 21st, 28th May 2018.
- P&C meeting Tuesday May 15th 2018, 7pm.
- NAPLAN Online Tuesday May 15th to Tuesday May 22nd 2018**, inclusive.
- School Board meeting, Wednesday 16th May 2018, 7pm.

Check Connect Notices

- Term 2 Planner
- Canteen Menu

NAPLAN Online 2018

- Our Year 3, 5, 7 and 9 students will be completing their NAPLAN assessments **online** in Week 3 and 4 this term. Only Year 3 writing will be completed on paper. NAPLAN assists governments, education authorities and schools to see whether young Australians are reaching literacy and numeracy goals.
- NAPLAN Online has benefits over traditional paper-based tests, including better assessment, more precise information, faster turnaround of results, and a more engaging experience.
- The tests assess the sorts of skills that are essential for every child to progress through school and life, such as reading, writing, spelling and numeracy. The results are used to support school improvement processes by enabling teachers to monitor their students' progress over time against a national measure and to identify areas of strength and development.
- If your child is absent due to illness, catch up tests for writing can only be held on Wednesday 16th May. Catch up tests for the other learning areas may be possible in the days to follow the scheduled test, depending on scheduling constraints. The last possible date for a catch-up test (other than writing) is Tuesday 22 May.

TIMES	TUES 15/5	WED 16/5	THURS 17/5	FRI 18/5	MON 21/5
9am – 10.30	WRITING Year 3 (Paper) Year 5 (Online)	READING Year 3	CONVENTIONS Year 3	CONVENTIONS Year 5	NUMERACY Year 3
11am – 12.30pm	WRITING Year 7 & 9	READING Year 5	CONVENTIONS Year 7 & 9	NUMERACY Year 7 & 9	NUMERACY Year 5
1.15 – 2.45pm	READING Year 7 & 9	WRITING Catch-up tests	WRITING/READING Catch-up tests		CONVENTIONS/READING Catch-up tests

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Term 2					
Week 3	May 14 th Engaging Adolescents Seminar 4-6pm	15 th NAPLAN Online	16 th NAPLAN Online School Board Meeting 7pm	17 th NAPLAN Online	18 th NAPLAN Online Canteen Open
Week 4	21 st NAPLAN Online Engaging Adolescents Seminar 4-6pm	22 nd NAPLAN Online	23 rd National Simultaneous Storytime	24 th Newsletter Yr 1 Assembly @ 2pm Uniform shop open 2.30pm	25 th Canteen Open

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ANZAC Ceremony

On Thursday 3rd May our student leaders hosted the school ANZAC Service. Recognising ANZAC Day is an important part of Beverley District High School tradition in remembering those who demonstrated great courage in the service of their country and those who made the ultimate sacrifice. Our student leaders did a wonderful job in running the service and we would like to sincerely thank all of the special guests and community members for joining us for this special yearly event. We would also like to thank all of the parents, grandparents and community members who donated their lovely flowers so our students were able to make the wreaths. Lest We Forget.



The school choir performed 'Lest We Forget' at the service.



BEVERLEY'S BIGGEST MORNING TEA

Friday 11 May 2018, 10.00am – 11.30am
Amenities Building - (Town Oval)

Come and watch your child or grandchild run in the cross country and enjoy a cuppa, purchase items from the HACC stall or tickets in our great raffle.

Cost: A gold coin donation with all proceeds going to the WA Cancer Foundation



Faction Cross Country Friday, 11TH May 2018 Beverley Town Oval

Please ensure students have appropriate running shoes and attire for the Cross Country.

Students who bring along a gold coin can enjoy treats from the Biggest Morning Tea.

11 & 11+ yrs – 9.00am

7 yrs – 9.15am

10 yrs – 9.30am

6 yrs – 9.35am

5 yrs – 9.40am

Recess 10 to 10.30am

(Aust. Biggest Morning Tea)

Secondary – 10.35am

8 yrs – 10.40am

9 yrs – 11.00am



Engaging Adolescents Seminar

We invite parents to attend a 3 session seminar on engaging adolescents, to be held in the Library on **Monday 14th, 21st and 28th May 2018, from 4 – 6pm.**



The seminar provides practical skills for resolving teenage behaviour issues that are common in our modern times. It is about building a stronger relationship and renewing your sense of confidence by equipping you with the skills to hold a tough conversation about challenging behaviour with your teen.

Parents will learn:

- New understandings of adolescent brain development
- Building a relationship with your teenager - and making the best of your non-crisis conversations with them
- Skills to hold tough conversations about teenage challenging behaviour.

Please register your name by **Friday 11th May, 2018** with the school office if you plan to attend

National Simultaneous Storytime Wednesday 23rd May, 2018.

National Simultaneous Storytime (NSS) is an annual campaign that aims to encourage more young Australians to read and enjoy books.

Every year a picture book, written and illustrated by an Australian author and illustrator is read simultaneously in libraries, schools, pre-schools and many other places around the country.

2018's book is *Hickory Dickory Dash* written by Tony Wilson, illustrated by Laura Wood and published by Scholastic.



P&C Update:

Next P&C Meeting: Tuesday 15th May @ 6-30pm.

We will be making a decision on the future of the school canteen at this meeting, as well as setting new fundraising priorities now that the Nature Playground project has been completed. Please come along to provide your input. All welcome!



P&C Cake Stall: Will be held on Saturday, 26th May at the Street Stall in the main street from 8-30am. Donations of baked goodies very much appreciated and can be delivered directly to the street stall on Saturday morning. All funds raised will go back into school projects/resources to benefit the BDHS students.

Watch this Space: We are working on a P&C Notice board for outside the Year 2 classroom at the school. It will be launched in the next few weeks - keep an eye out to be kept up to date with P&C Meeting dates, Fundraising Activities, Fundraising Priorities as well as news from the Uniform, Canteen and K-PP Sub-Committees.

Year 3/4 ANZAC Artwork



Keeping teeth clean

Plaque is a sticky, almost invisible film of bacteria that builds up on teeth and the gum line. It forms continuously and if teeth are not brushed, plaque will form a thin layer within 24 hours.

Plaque needs to be removed every day. If not, a hard material called calculus forms on and between teeth. To clean teeth use fluoride toothpaste. For children with dysphagia, absent 'gag' reflex or PEG feeds, use non-foaming toothpaste.

Remember:

- Brush teeth at least twice a day and supervise your child if they brush independently.
- Speak to a dental therapist about which type of tooth brush is best for your child.
- Use a pea size amount of fluoride toothpaste to clean teeth and spit it out after brushing. Toothpaste should not be swallowed, if your child is unable to spit talk to your dentist about using a fluoride gel to clean your child's teeth.
- Do not rinse with water after brushing teeth.
- If your child food pouches, make sure their mouth is empty after each meal.
- Older children should floss their teeth daily. A floss holder can assist parents/ carers to floss children's teeth.
- Chlorhexidine mouthwash can be applied to teeth using a toothbrush or cotton swab.

If you have any questions about dental health for your child discuss with your Community Health Nurse

Quick Tip

Brushing teeth twice a day, using fluoride toothpaste, eating a healthy and nutritious diet, and having regular dental check-ups with the dentist are essential steps towards preventing tooth decay.

For more information about dental care for your For more information about dental care for you child visit:
http://raisingchildren.net.au/articles/dental_care_school_age.html

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Recipe Link

<https://livelighter.com.au/Recipe/534/bean-burritos-3-2-1>

