

Beverley District High School

Independent Public School
Successful, Supportive, Sustainable

Our School Voice

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Fortnightly Newsletter **Thursday, 18th October 2018**

News Updates and Reminders

- Wednesday Canteen – orders due Monday
- Next Week - Book Fair Tuesday 23rd to Thursday 25th October, 2018.
- 'Shrek' Production at Town Hall, Friday 2nd Nov 2018. **Save the Date.**

Check Connect Notices

- Mental Health Flyer
- Canteen Menu/Roster
- Term Planner

School Board Nominations

Our School Board has a very important role in reviewing policy, ensuring accountability, and planning for the short and long-term future of our school. The School Board is made up of parent members, community members, and members of the school staff. We seek nominations to fill the vacancy of our outgoing Board member, Ros Mellick, for up to three years from 2019.



A nomination form is attached and we would like all parents to seriously consider taking up this opportunity. We seek parent representatives with a range of skills and life experiences. You do not need to be a long-term Beverley resident. You do not need to know a lot about finance or educational policies to be on the Board – Board members will help each other to learn what they need to know, and training is provided.

As a parent member, your opinion will be valued, and the Board Chair (currently parent rep Carly Veitch) will ensure that your voice is heard at meetings. If you would like to find out a little more about the role, you can contact our parent-elected members of the Board (Lisa Blanch, Carly Veitch, Ros Mellick or Damien Murray) or Principal Wendy Moore on 9646 1165 with any questions about nominations or about the Board.

Community Connections Forum – Be very involved!

We are keen to continue to work closely with community groups and organisations in Beverley to strengthen the school's place at the heart of the community. We will be holding a **community forum on Thurs 8 November at 2.30pm** to thank the groups and businesses who so give so generously of their time, resources and expertise. The forum will include the chance to develop ideas for ongoing partnerships and the sharing of ideas. If you are an interested parent member of a community group, and would like to be involved in the forum, please contact the school office by Wednesday 31 October. We would love to have your input.

Term 4	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 3	Oct 22 nd Canteen orders due in today.	23 rd Kindy Fun Day Book Fair	24 th School Board 7pm Book Fair	25 th Early close Assembly Book Fair	26 th
Week 4	29 th Canteen orders due in today.	30 th	31 st Canteen Open – pre-orders only	01 Nov Early close Newsletter	02 Shrek – Town Hall



Colour Explosion Run 4 Fun



The **Colour Explosion Run 4 Fun** was a huge success at the end of last term! Our students, staff and families all had a fantastic time getting wet and covered in colour!! We celebrated the students' achievements in learning and adapting behaviours to meet the goals of our SPARK matrix!!

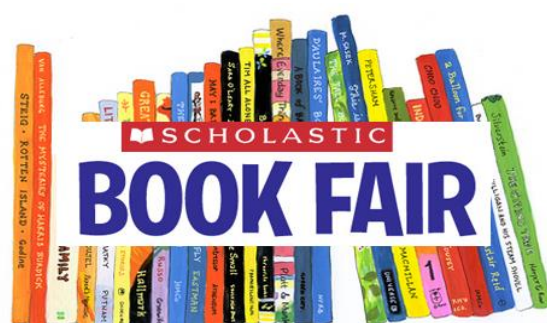
'At Beverley we have SPARK everywhere and always!'

Thank you to everyone for their involvement, including those who organised sponsorships, parents who sent their children along with old clothes, and those who were able to make it along on the day. We really appreciate our parent and community support! We'd like to extend a special thankyou to Vanessa Hewitt for her wonderful photography.



Book Fair – NEXT WEEK

Book Fair is a great opportunity for the community to have access to a 'pop up' book shop for children. All sorts of books, ranging from junior fiction to young adult and lots of non-fiction interest books will be available for purchase at very reasonable prices. The school receives a commission on sales which goes towards purchasing new books for the school library. A great chance to do some Christmas shopping!



Where: Beverley District High School Library
(please sign in at the front office)

When: **Tuesday 23rd October 2018** 8.30am to 3.30pm
Wednesday 24th October 2018 8.30am to 3.30pm
Thursday 25th October 2018 8.30am to 3.30pm

Uniforms

Have you checked your uniform supply lately? A Summer order is being placed soon. Please get in contact with Kristy Parker 0439 634 650 (available Wed-Fri) or School Office 9646 1165 if you require any items.

Wheatbelt Ball – 9th November

The Secondary Wheatbelt Ball (Yr7 – 10) in Quairading is fast approaching. Please return your form and payment to the office by Friday 26th October. A fun night is guaranteed!



Good Mental Health and Wellbeing

Keeping children healthy and happy involves looking after their mental health as well as their physical health. Mental health is how we think or feel about ourselves and what is going on around us, and how we cope with the ups and downs of life. Good mental health helps us to form positive relationships with others, handle challenges and be able to generally enjoy life. With good mental health, children think positively about themselves and learn and achieve better results at school. See full flyer on Connect.



WHOLE SCHOOL PRODUCTION

It is nearly time for the long awaited Whole School Production inspired by 'SHREK'. Thank you to everyone for arranging costumes and for the donations of large cardboard for our students and staff to use for props and backdrops! Everyone has been working really hard all year in the lead up to this night. We look forward to seeing you there!!

Date: 2nd November

Venue: Beverley Town Hall

Doors Open 5.30pm (***Students to arrive 4.30pm***)

Entry: Donation at the door

Supper Provided



All family and friends are invited to share in this wonderful night!

Summer School Holidays



WAAPA Summer School 2018/2019

This Summer WAAPA at ECU, Mt Lawley is offering an exciting performing arts program for students from Years 1 to 12. The Summer School includes classes in RAP, Acting, Dance, Drama, Screen Performance, Music Theatre and of course, how to perform Shakespeare. For information about the fantastic courses on offer please visit WAAPA Summer School or contact Gabrielle Metcalf at g.metcalf@ecu.edu.au

Book Award Donations

The school is seeking donations from interested parents or organisations to assist with the purchase of the end-of-year book prizes. Monies/Cheques can be left with the front office during school hours. We greatly appreciate your support.

The Amber category

Items classified as **Amber** on the school canteen menu must be limited by either their portion size or their availability. Savoury commercial items such as hot dogs, hash browns, chicken nuggets, pies and sausage rolls should not be available more than twice per week.



Other **Amber** items, such as small fruit juices, small fruit muffins and ice creams can be sold every day however, they need to be restricted in some way, this is why we only sell these items at recess or lunch only, not both.

