

## **Beverley District High School**

**Independent Public School** 

Fortnightly Newsletter Thursday, 21st June 2018

## **Our School Voice**

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#### **News Updates and Reminders**

- P&C Meeting Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2018, 6.30pm. All welcome.
- Students recommence Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July, 2018.
- Canteen orders due Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July, for canteen on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- P&C Meeting Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2018, 6.30pm. All welcome.
- Kindy enrolments for 2019 due Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2018.

#### **Check Connect Notices**

- Australian Veterans' Children Assist Trust Scholarships Flyer
- Bev Bowling Club Flyer
- Badminton Club Flyer



Our Year 4 – 6 students attended the Winter Carnival hosted by Pingelly in Brookton. Our soccer, netball and football teams played so well! We would really like to thank all of the parents and spectators who came along to support our students in their sports! A special thank you to the staff, parents and students who coached, scored and umpired on the day.

WINTER CARNIVAL











Term 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 9	25 <sup>th</sup> June	26 <sup>th</sup>	27 <sup>th</sup>	28 <sup>th</sup>	29 <sup>th</sup>
		P&C Meeting			Students last day for
		6.30pm			Term 2
Term 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	16 <sup>th</sup> July	17 <sup>th</sup>	18 <sup>th</sup>	19 <sup>th</sup>	20 <sup>th</sup>
	Pupil Free Day	Students first day.	<mark>Canteen Open.</mark>		
		<mark>Canteen pre-orders</mark>	Pre-orders due in		
		<mark>due in to office by</mark>	yesterday <b>– No on</b>		
		<mark>9am.</mark>	the day orders		
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## BDHS P&C News:

## Week 1 of Term 3 (Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July) will see a 'Pop Up Canteen'...

Recess: Homemade Sausage Rolls (\$1) Lunch: Roast Beef Roll with Oven Baked Wedges (\$5)

<u>Please pre-order your lunches for this 'Pop Up</u> Canteen' on Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> July (First day of School).

A huge Thankyou to our outgoing Volunteer Canteen Coordinator, Tegan Hudson.

The P&C are very excited to welcome Jo Rose from Beverley Real Life Church as our new P&C Canteen Coordinator. Jo will be working in partnership with the Beverley P&C, to assist with the running of the P&C School Canteen, and continue its operation as a fundraising source for the P&C. This has been a difficult <u>voluntary</u> position to fill, and we are very fortunate to have the support of the Beverley Real Life Church to be able to continue to provide a canteen service for the students at Beverley DHS.

Our new Canteen Menu will be available when children return to school at the beginning of Term 3, and we know that students and staff will be excited by the delicious home cooked meal options available each week. Canteen day will change to WEDNESDAY from the beginning of Term 3. Please remember that canteen orders need to be pre-ordered on a Monday.

All families should have received a note requesting parent volunteers to assist with serving and clean up in the canteen. We have developed a roster, whereby Year Groups are responsible for assisting on certain weeks of the term. PLEASE assist us in filling this roster by nominating for one of the dates listed and returning this form to the school by Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> June. If we can all come together as a school community and take a turn of helping our voluntary coordinator for one shift, this will not become a huge undertaking for any one family.



# **Music Quiz Night**

The P&C will be holding a **Music Quiz Night** on **Saturday, 28<sup>th</sup> July** at the Beverley Town Hall. Creche facilities (with a movie) are available for younger children, and students in Year 4 and up are welcome to book a table.

PLEASE start thinking about getting your table of 10 together and supporting the P&C in their **MAJOR FUNDRAISING EVENT** for the year... It promises to be a fun night out for all of the family! All proceeds will be used to benefit the children at Beverley DHS. Tables can be booked by contacting Bruce Kilpatrick on 0428 464 006 or <u>4kilpatricks@gmail.com</u>

#### **Next Meeting**

The next P&C Meeting will be held next **TUESDAY, 26<sup>th</sup> June at 6-30pm in the Staff Room.** ALL WELCOME!

*PS... Keep an eye on the new P&C noticeboard at the end of the Primary School Wing to keep updated with Meeting dates and current activity of the Beverley DHS P&C.* 

#### Interschool Cross Country Apology

Due to the change of time of the 8 year olds' race at our CGSISA Interschool Cross Country event some parents may have missed out on seeing their child race. We apologise for any inconvenience caused as a result of the change to the Program.

I thank you all for your attendance at the recent Interschool carnival.

Regards **Courtney Franz** HPE Teacher Science Teacher York District High School



The Australian Veterans' Children Assistance Trust (AVCAT) is a national independent charity.

AVCAT helps the children and grandchildren of Australian ex-service men and women to a better future by providing tertiary education scholarships. Through the generous support of the Australian Government Department of Veterans' Affairs,





AUSTRALIAN VETERANS' CHILDREN ASSISTANCE TRUST

ex-service organisations and individual donors, AVCAT offers up to 90 new scholarships each year for students enrolled at an Australian University, TAFE College or Registered Training Organisation.

To be eligible to apply, students must meet the following criteria:

- A child, step-child, foster child or grandchild of an ex-serving Australian Veteran
- An Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Enrolled, or planning to enrol in 2019, in a full-time course at an Australian University, TAFE College or Registered Training Organisation
- Receiving, or eligible to receive, Centrelink Youth Allowance or an equivalent means-tested educational payment

Applications for 2019 scholarships open on August 18, 2018 and close on October 31, 2018. For information about how to apply contact the AVCAT team! T: (02) 9213 7999 E: avcat@dva.gov.au W: <u>www.avcat.org.au</u>

## Holiday Badminton

Calling school age children Yr 7 and up. Looking for something to do during school holidays, then Badminton is the answer. There will be a small prize for the winners. Morning tea provided. Please wear closed in shoes, racquets provided. Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> July

9-11am Beverley Shire Hall Adults \$6 Children \$4 For enquiries please call Pat on

0422 388 475.







Commencing the <u>6<sup>th</sup> July 2018</u>, the Beverley Bowling Club would like to hold an 'Introduction to Lawn Bowls' day for kids.

10am to 3pm at the Beverley Bowling Club Lunch provided Cost: \$15 per person Age 10 to 16 years

RSVP by the 4<sup>th</sup> of June to <u>bevbowls@gmail.com</u> or 0427 472 804



# Kindy Enrolments for 2019

2019 Kindergarten students have birth dates between 1.7.2014 and 30.6.2015.

Please collect an enrolment form from the front office during the hours of 8.30am –3.15pm or ask us to email one to you.

All completed forms are required back to the school **by 20<sup>th</sup> July,** 2018.

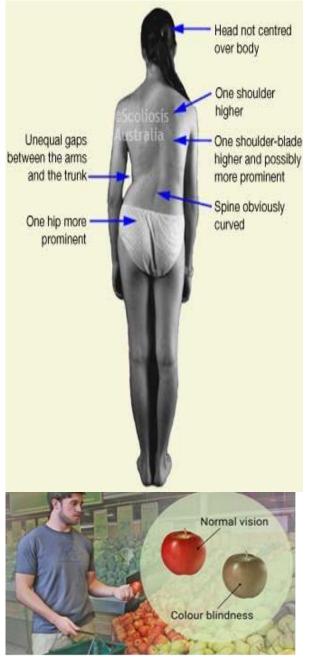


#### **HEALTH CHATTER**

Recently Year 6 students were given handouts on scoliosis and colour blindness. Please take the time to read these and follow up with your Doctor, Physiotherapists or Optometrist if you have any concerns.

## **Facts about Scoliosis**

Parents/guardians of students in Year 7, 8 and 9 are reminded about the importance of re-checking their child's spine as children may show signs of scoliosis following a rapid growth spurt.



- Scoliosis is a lateral or sideways curve of the spine.
- Approximately 4% of the general population is affected by Scoliosis.
- 90% of people affected are female.
- The most common time for scoliosis to develop is in pre to early teens when hormones are changing.
- The cause of Scoliosis is unknown however; contributing factors can be poor posture and habits.
- One in 10 people will have scoliosis.
- One of the most common signs of scoliosis is a prominent shoulder blade, frequently the right one. One shoulder might also be higher, and the person seems to tilt to one side. One hip might seem higher than another.
- Eighty percent of cases have unknown causes.
- Scoliosis can either be hereditary or developed.

You can visit the national website for further information on <u>www.scoliosis-australia.org</u>

If you have concerns re scoliosis **PLEASE** see your GP or local Physiotherapist for further assessment.

## What is Colour-Blindness?

Colour-blindness is the inability to distinguish the differences between certain colours. This condition results from an absence of colour-sensitive pigment in the cone cells of the retina, the nerve layer at the back of the eye.

#### Things to remember

- People who are colour blind usually have difficulty with the colours green, yellow, orange and red.
- Colour blindness is usually inherited and affects more boys than girls. Approximately 1 out of 12 males and 1 out of 20 females. Test all boys in your family if there is history of colour blindness and test girls if both sides of the family have colour vision problems.

#### Where to get help

- Ophthalmologist (Eye Specialists)
- Optometrist (Opticians)