



Beverley District High School

Independent Public School

'Working in Unity to make a difference for every child'

BDHS sits on the land of our Noongar people and we acknowledge them as the traditional custodians of the Ballardong region.

Fortnightly Newsletter Friday 20th August 2021

Principal Message:

Farewell Kelly Winter

Congratulations to Kelly Winter on her new employment with Department of Communities in Midland working in the Target 120 Program commencing next week. Target 120 was developed at piloting an early intervention for at-risk young people aged between 10 and 14 years, and their families, to reduce rates of juvenile reoffending. This is an area of strength for Kelly and a role in which she will undoubtedly excel. In Kelly's short time with us as an Education Assistant, Library Officer and School Officer, she has become a respected and integral member of the Beverley DHS team. We extend our best wishes to Kelly and know that she will be a valuable asset in assisting at-risk youth across the region. In the meantime, we are determining the best course of action for staffing the School Library for the remainder of 2021. We will keep everyone advised accordingly.

TheirCare

TheirCare and Beverley DHS welcome all students from K – 6 to attend before and after school sessions. As a school we have invested significant time and effort to secure the services of a recognised and highly reputable out of hours care provider to support our families, students and staff by providing a fantastic, dependable and low-cost service that has not previously been available. This service and arrangement relies on the patronage and attendance of students at both the before school and after school sessions.



When the partnership arrangement is reviewed in just over three months' time decisions will be made about whether this service continues into 2022 based on the level of patronage from families. Please feel free to call into the service located in our MOASH Building on Lennard Street if you have any questions. The Centre Co-ordinator Mrs. Margaret Williams will gladly give you a tour and talk to you about the wonderful program offered to our primary-aged students. The TheirCare Centre operates from 7.00am to 9.00am and 2.00pm to 6.00pm Monday to Friday.

Come and join Margaret and myself for a coffee and chat next Thursday 26th August 2021 at 3.30pm. I look forward to seeing some more parents

Languages

At School Board last Wednesday evening our parent representatives were highly complementary of the Language Program at Beverley DHS. While Mrs. Minchin has been on leave Mrs. Freeman has been delivering highly successful AUSLAN language classes. Additionally, it was mentioned at School Board level and from our Student Leaders at a previous School Board meeting, that they would like to see Italian and AUSLAN being co-delivered as Languages to our students at Beverley DHS. Well done Mrs. Minchin and Mrs. Freeman.

Beverley Show

Our students and staff have been busily finishing some of the work this week, that will be on display at the Beverley Agricultural Show this Saturday 21st August 2021. I am really looking forward to attending the show and seeing the tremendous range of student work on display.

Mini-Olympics

Thank you to Mrs. Bailey and staff for the magnificent Mini-Olympics held on Friday at the end of Week 3. It looked like everyone had a great time and participation was high. What a fitting end to the school week and to connect our students to a significant world event the was the Summer Olympics. It is great to see the SPARK in our students and staff.

Faction Athletics Carnival

We are very excited for the upcoming carnival, as I am sure all parents and carers are. While it has been a wet few weeks Mrs. Bailey has been working hard with students during Physical Education lessons preparing our students for the Faction Athletics Carnival. I want to thank Mrs Bailey and the rest of the Beverley DHS team for their organisation of the carnival and I am expecting to see some outstanding individual and team performances on the day. Mrs. Bailey is still requiring some parent helpers on the day so if you are able to volunteer some time next Friday please contact our Front Office Team on 9646 2500.

Year 7 – 10 Design & Technology: Woodwork 2021

Since the beginning of this year our Secondary students have been part of an innovative new program, that sees Design and Technology (D&T) Woodwork lessons being delivered via video conferencing across many district high schools in the Wheatbelt. The lessons are delivered by trained and experienced D&T Teachers based at the School of Isolated and Distance Education (SIDE). To be eligible to participate in this program we need to make sure we have the working technology for video conferencing and a D&T workshop fully equipped to meet the demands of the course, along with a trained secondary teacher, in order to to meet the occupational health and safety aspects of the course and be able to co-deliver the curriculum being offered. Both Mr. Dautopulos and Mrs. Tonkin have been trained to co-deliver these classes. Mr. Dautopulos is the teacher timetabled to these classes and with the SIDE D&T Teacher, who delivers woodwork classes of a high calibre, with our students' progress and achievement increasing significantly in this area as a result. Well done to all of our students and to the staff, especially Mr. Dautopulos, for the successful implementation of this program at Beverley DHS.



Urban Indigenous

Kaya! On Wednesday 18th August 2021 we had a visit from Urban Indigenous. This organisation works with schools delivering Aboriginal cultural experiences, engaging Aboriginal people to share their stories, cultures & heritage, and accelerating reconciliation. Thank you to Ms. Ugle (AIEO) and Mrs. Murray for organising this important opportunity for our school. Our students co-created two amazing canvas' that will be on display at the Beverley Show on Saturday and later displayed in our school.



School Buses

A reminder to all parents and guardians that students who need to travel on the school bus on a regular, permanent basis must have received approval from School Bus Services (Department of Transport). Bus Contractors and Drivers cannot give this approval. If you are unsure as to whether you have formal approval and / or need to submit an application please visit <https://www.schoolbuses.wa.gov.au/> to ascertain your travel status.

"We have to go from what is essentially an industrial model of education, a manufacturing model, which is based on linearity and conformity and batching people. We have to move to a model that is based more on principles of agriculture. We have to recognize that human flourishing is not a mechanical process; it's an organic process. And you cannot predict the outcome of human development. All you can do, like a farmer, is create the conditions under which they will begin to flourish."

Sir Ken Robinson

Mr. Adrian Lister – Principal

School Uniform

A big congratulations to those students who have been commended on their standard of dress at school and always wearing school uniform. If your child is not able to wear uniform for some reason, please feel free to contact the school, or send them in with a note of explanation. Wearing neat and tidy uniform is important to the pride that we show in our school and we appreciate your support in ensuring your child's uniform is neat and presentable. A reminder that **hoodies are not permitted** at school although a **plain black or red shirt, worn under school shirt** for warmth is permitted in our dress code expectations.

*Hats and faction shirts are available through the school front office or Kristy Parker (P&C).
All other uniform items are available from Avon Trading.*

Beverley District High School
2021 Faction Athletics
Beverley Town Oval
Friday 27th August, commencing at 8.40am

Please note these times are not fixed and are more of a guide than a set timetable.
 Lunch will be staggered around the completion of events from 11.45am.

	TRACK	JUMP, FIELD AND TEAM GAMES
8.40am	400m Boys Yrs 7-10 400m Girls Yrs 7-10	
8.50 - 11.00am	80m GIRLS and BOYS Yrs 1—6 80m Mixed Pre-Prim (Novelty) 100m BOYS and GIRLS Yrs 1—10	LONG JUMP Yrs 1-10 (PP Novelty) TRIPLE JUMP Yr 5-10 DISCUS Yrs 7-10 SHOTPUT Yrs 7-10 TUNNEL BALL Yrs 1-4 (PP Novelty)
11.00am	50m BOYS and GIRLS Yrs 1 & 2 50m Mixed Pre-Prim (Novelty)	Above continued....
11.30am- 12.30pm	SHUTTLE RELAY Pre-Prim (Novelty) LUNCH starting around 11.45am Staggered lunch around events	FLAG RELAYS Yr 1-6 (PP Novelty) (+Parent/Teacher/Student Flags)
12.30 – 1.45pm	200m BOYS and GIRLS Yrs 3 -10 SHUTTLE RELAY 50m Yrs 1-2 SHUTTLE RELAY 100m Yrs 3-4 CIRCULAR RELAY (4X100m) Yrs 5-Secondary	
1.45 – 2.30pm	800m PRIM BOYS OPEN (Yrs 3 – 6) 800m PRIM GIRLS OPEN (Yrs 3 – 6) 1500m SEC BOYS OPEN 1500m SEC GIRLS OPEN	LEADERBALL MIXED Prim & Sec PASSBALL MIXED Prim & Sec
2.30—3pm	PRESENTATIONS	

Points Allocation

Individual Events

1st – 5
 2nd – 3
 3rd – 2
 4th – 1

Team Games

1st – 10
 2nd – 6
 3rd – 4

We still need your help!

Please contact the school front office on 9646 2500, or

Mrs Narelle Bailey narelle.bailey@education.wa.edu.au

if you are able to assist on the day.



TheirCare Playspaces and intentional teaching areas are designed to scaffold childrens learning, support friendships and social engagement, encourage imagination, investigation and creative thought, and promote physical exercise through play-based learning. At TheirCare children are active participants in developing our weekly program, to ensure all learning opportunities are meaningful and relevant to individual children's interests. We focus on enjoyment and embrace a nurturing approach to our care of your children.



Children have continual opportunities to be creative and are involved in lots of great hands-on activities.



There is always lots of fun games to promote social skills and support friendships.

We also provide time and support to complete homework



Somewhere to chillax after a day in school!

Here are some of our resources, inviting and intentional teaching and learning areas, and spaces to enage with friends having fun. Engaging children in a supportive environment is key to our commitment in providing quality care.



P & C News

Thank you to everyone supporting our P&C Super 66 Lotto for 2021. All funds raised directly benefit the students at Beverley District High School. Congratulations to our weekly winner who are listed below. More winners to come. Good luck!

Date	Numbers Drawn ABCDEF	AB: \$25	CD: \$50	EF: \$25
31/7/2021	366130	Emma Davey	Monica Van Der Snoek	Sharyn Morrell
7/8/2021	680582	Brooke Duff	Aliesha Murray	Jo Copping
14/8/2021	626783	Deb Crilly	Summer Crilly	Carissa Shaw



Olympic Fever

On Wednesday the 11th of August, the Year 3&4 class were fortunate enough to see a real Olympic torch.

The torch belongs to Carley Bickley's Pop and he ran with it in Broome in 2000. He was chosen to run the Olympic torch relay to acknowledge his positive contribution to the local community.

The students thoroughly enjoyed Mrs Bickley's visit and researching facts about the torch relay.

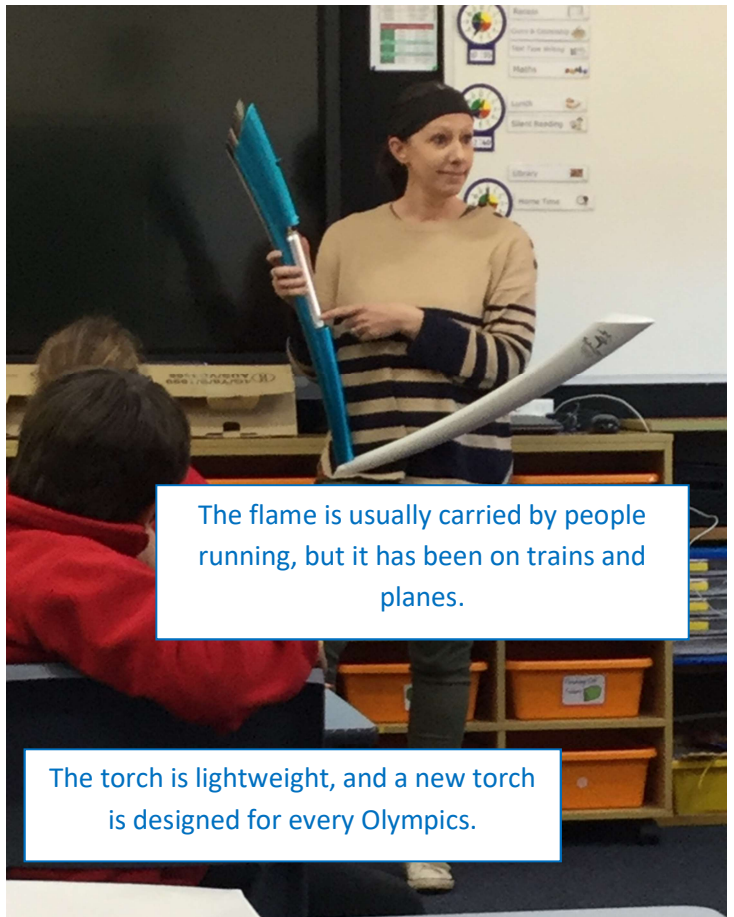
The Olympic torch relay transports the flame from Olympia to the sites of the Games.

The torch was taken by astronauts into space in 2000.



The flame is usually carried by people running, but it has been on trains and planes.

The torch is lightweight, and a new torch is designed for every Olympics.



The runners are surrounded by security guards.

Many torches are made. The torchbearer is given their own torch that they can purchase afterwards. It is the flame that is passed from runner to runner, not the torch.



Sickness, Illness or Injured Student Guidelines

Students are often sick, managing a short-term illness or have sustained an injury that would prevent them from fully participating in some, most or all aspects of the school curriculum program. At other times school staff throughout the school day will often observe, manage and treat, where possible, students who have become sick and/or injured while at school. This includes students who have returned to school following an absence due to being sick, ill or injured.

1. Parents / Guardians / External Health Professionals (for short-term sickness, illness or injury)

- Provide a signed note/letter explaining the type of sickness, illness or injury preventing the student from participating in particular classes or activities.
 - For primary students this note must be given to the classroom teacher.
 - For secondary students this note must be given to the student's Period One Teacher.
- The note/letter must clearly state the reason for non-participation and indicate if any level of participation is allowed. At all times students will attend their class as timetabled.

2. Classroom Teachers (Primary), Secondary Teachers (Secondary) and Specialist Teachers (Primary/Secondary)

- The teacher on receipt of the signed note/letter is to make contact with any other teachers who are responsible for the student throughout the day and clearly communicate the level of activity or non-activity allowed. (A copy of this letter should accompany the student to the teacher/s concerned e.g. Physical Education Teacher, D & T Teacher, Music Teacher). Students are to continue to attend their specialist classes unless otherwise advised by their teacher and in negotiation with the parent / guardian.
- All teachers must comply with the request of parents/guardians/external health professionals and exclude, modify or support the student based on the level of activity allowed. If further clarification is required the teacher/s are to refer the student to Administration.

3. External Health Professionals (for long-term sickness, illness or injury)

- For long-term sickness, illness and/or injury a signed letter is required from the external health professional, medical provider or GP that must clearly state the duration of the sickness, illness and/or injury. This letter should also list the activities which the student can safely and actively participate in during their return to school and those activities which cannot be undertaken. Any associated medical plans must accompany this letter (e.g. Asthma Plan/Anaphalaxis Plan/Rehabilitation Plan).
- For severe and long-term cases of absence, non-participation or removal from specific classes a Documented Plan will be required following a case conference consultative process. This will be coordinated and managed by Administration.

4. Students who develop a sickness, illness and/or injury while at school

- All teachers regularly monitor student health and well-being throughout the school day.
- As per COVID-19 guidelines, any student who is deemed to be unwell will be sent to the front office and parents will be contacted to collect the student (the student will remain in the sick bay until time of collection).
- If any teacher/s believe that a student may still be sick, ill or injured after returning to school following an absence then parents are to be contacted immediately.
- If any teacher/s believe that students have become sick, ill or injured while at school they are to ascertain the seriousness of the condition and make contact with the parent/guardian as soon as possible. This is the responsibility of the teacher who is supervising the student at the time when the sickness, illness or injury occurs.
- A student who attends a class or activity who indicates to the teacher they are sick, ill or injured is to be:
 - Assessed or treated in case of injury (First Aid).
 - The parent/guardian is to be contacted by front office staff and a decision is made by staff to either arrange for the student to go home, exclude the student from the activity and/or modify the activity to allow the student to participate.
 - If the student is remaining at school, teachers are to arrange suitable teaching and learning activities while continuing to monitor the student's condition.
- All injuries require the teacher to complete a Student Accident and Injury Report after making contact with the parent/guardian.

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Shaping the future

VacSwim enrolments now open

Help keep your child safe in the water.
Enrol in VacSwim now for the October
2021 and summer 2022 school holidays.

education.wa.edu.au/vacswim



**Country early start
7 day program**

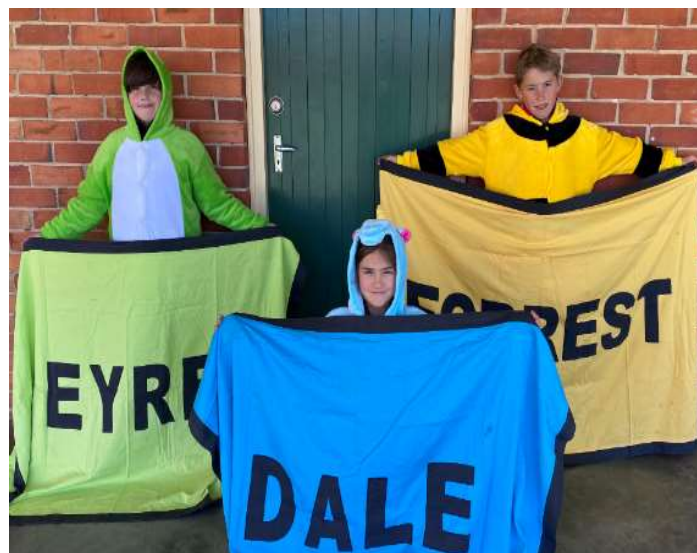
Friday 17 Dec 2021 to
Thursday 23 Dec 2021

Child \$30*
Family \$81*

School Uniform Update

School uniforms can now be purchased through Avon Trading during their normal trading hours.

If you require school hats, or faction shirts, please contact Kristy Parker by text on 0439 634 650 or pop in and see her at Avon Trading.



Term 3 - Term Planner 2021

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	SAT	SUN
6	23 rd	24 th As One <i>Nvitting</i>	25 th	26 th 9am Yr 5/6 Assembly	27 th Faction Athletics Carnival	28 th	29 th
7	30 th	31 st As One <i>Nvitting</i>	Sept 1 st Student Wheatbelt Leadership Forum	2 nd K/PP Father's Day Afternoon 5.30-6.30pm	3 rd Newsletter	4 th	5 th
8	6 th Pyjama Day	7 th Secondary I/S Athletics Carnival @ York	8 th Directions Career Expo Secondary @ Northam	9 th	10 th Primary Interschool Athletics Carnival @ Brookton	11 th	12 th
9	13 th Cadet 9/10 Camp	14 th	15 th	16 th 9am Yr 2 Assembly K/PP Dinosaur Dig @ Avondale	17 th Newsletter	18 th	19 th
10	20 th Secondary Country Week TBC	21 st Book Week Dress-Up Day	22 nd	23 rd	24 th		



Canteen open



Early closing, 2.30pm.