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TERM 1, WEEK 8

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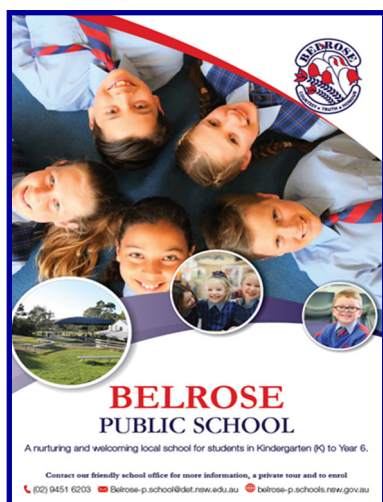
Dates

Term 1 2021

Friday 19 March	School Chess 8.00am P & C Disco for kids
Tuesday 23 March	P & C Gelato at recess
Thursday 25 March	School Cross Country 9.15am
Monday 29 March	Awards Day assembly 9.30am
Tuesday 30 March	P&C Meeting
Thursday 1 April	Mufti/Play clothes Easter Hat Parade 2:30pm Last day of Term 1

Term 2 2021

Tuesday 20 April	Students return
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KINDERGARTEN 2022

OPEN MORNING

THURSDAY 22 April 2021 9.30-11.00am

Principal's Message

MATHS OLYMPIADS

Our High Potential and Gifted Education students will be participating in the Maths Olympiad competition beginning on March 24. A number of students from years 5 and 6 have been selected due to their work in class with high level mathematics. These sessions will take place each Thursday from 8:00am in Mrs Stephens' room.

TERM 1 CELEBRATION OF LEARNING AWARDS ASSEMBLY

Date: Monday 29 March, 2021

Time: 9:30am

Items will include the Performance Band and K-2 choir. This assembly will feature students presented with certificates for Creativity in Learning and Literacy as well as the Swimming medallions and trophies.

COMPETITION

We have had much interest in the Forestville RSL 'Australia My Country' Literacy and Art Competition with entry forms located at the front office. Please ask for them.

SPEECH THERAPIST

We are looking forward to offering Speech Pathologist sessions at school each week. Kathren Lemmetty, a Certified Practicing Speech Pathologist and member of the Speech Pathology Association with 21 years paediatric experience in private practice may be reached at kathrenlemmetty@yahoo.com.au

CHESS

Last week saw the completion of the specialised Chess Master tuition by Kevin Hu from the Sydney Academy. Beginning this Friday from 8:00am school chess will begin in Mrs Stephens' classroom.

PERFORMING ARTS GROUPS

With heightened enthusiasm the children are learning their dance routines. Our submissions have been placed for the North Dance Festival for both of our senior dance groups with our initial audition in the early weeks of next term.





Join us for an **Open Morning** at
BELROSE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Thursday 22 April, 2021 | 9.30am-11am

We invite you and your children to experience our wonderful school. Meet the Principal, enjoy a short performance from our students, visit our Kindergarten classrooms for a fun activity, and tour our extensive grounds. **All Welcome!**



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2022 OPEN MORNING FOR PARENTS AND PRESCHOOLERS

Date: Thursday 22 April

Time: 9:30am

Our visitors will be greeted by our leaders at the gates and led to the hall to be entertained by the K-2 choir. Come to hear from Max and Lucy, our Captains, Bec Keiller, our P&C President, and staff. Bookings are not required.

NAPLAN 2021

Each year 3 and 5 student will be taking home some information about the NAPLAN tests which will take place in Term 2, Week 4. Our school will be completing the tests online as all schools are required to do this by next year. The exception will be the Year 3 students in Writing where they will complete this using pen and paper.

Tuesday 11 May—Writing

Wednesday 12 May—Reading and Conventions of language

Thursday 13 May—Numeracy

Practice online tests will be completed before the end of the term to familiarise the students with the format of the tests as well as to test the IT capabilities.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Thank you to the Year 6 parents for returning the EOI forms for high school for 2022. All booklets must be completed and returned regardless of whether your child will be attending a local or independent school.

SCHOOL INTERVIEWS

We have 178 bookings for Parent/Teacher interviews. Thank you for the positive comments from parents on the ease of our system. Times are still available at www.schoolinterviews.com.au with this closing tomorrow at 10:00am

EASTER HAT PARADE

The Easter Hat Parade will be held on Thursday 1 April at 2.30pm. Students wear mufti/play clothes to school on this day. As our school has a large focus on sustainability we ask that you try to create your hat using materials that you already have at home where possible. The P & C Easter raffle will be drawn at the parade. Maybe a special, healthy furry friend could visit the school that day too.

TELL THEM FROM ME SURVEYS FOR YEARS 4, 5 AND 6 STUDENTS

Our school is taking part in the 'Tell Them From Me' student survey early next term. The survey will provide us with valuable feedback on what our students think about school life, how engaged they are with school and the different ways that teachers interact with them.

Schools in Australia and around the world have used the Tell Them From Me survey to help them improve. The 20 minute survey is completed online and is run by an independent research company, The Learning Bar which specialises in school-based surveys. Staff in schools will not be able to identify individual students from their responses. If you do not want your child to take part in the survey, please email me at your convenience.

Belinda Zorian
Principal

Students of the Week

KIJ Asher C Jenny A	1/KG Eden B Ruby G	2/1S Austin G Ellie W	2M Beau S Lauren S	4/3K Leo J Charlie T
4W Noah H Claudia S	5/4S Anthony R Emma C	6/5P Chloe S Isla S	6D Imogen S Taisei Y	

Congratulations to our Bronze Award Recipients



Congratulations to our 2020 UNSW Maths Prize Recipients



Max F, Emily C and Claudia S

Sport News

Belrose V Terrey Hills 12/3/21 PSSA Reports

Softball A

Everybody played amazingly so the score ended 15-9 to us. There was one person who stood out to me, it was Emily. I don't know where it came, but Emily smashed it out of the park! I was very proud of our whole team with what we did against Terrey Hills.

Abi

Junior Cricket

Sadly we lost by 28 runs and Anthony got an ankle injury and was run out. The bravest player of today was Anthony. Players of the match was Harry and Jack. Both Harry and Jack smashed a six and a four.

Billy

Senior Cricket

The senior cricket team had a fun time playing against Terrey Hills but they did beat us by 27 runs. The score was 60—33.

Liam

Softball B

Belrose smashed it! We won 12-4. The player of the match this week is Evie. She caught someone on the full and was an amazing pitcher. She did some great batting too. Well done Belrose.

Emma C

T Ball A

Everyone played so well last Friday and we communicated with each other more this time. The score was 11-21, so we won! Terrey Hills played really well too. The player of the match goes to Holly J because she got a few people out as catcher. She played really well with a smile on her face! Well done, Belrose.

Sophie

T Ball B

When we played Terrey Hills they did not have enough players in their T Ball B team, so they forfeited and we won. We just played a friendly game and also won that. I didn't have to pick a player of the match because it was a friendly game. Everybody played very well and it was nice to play in the B's for a game. Thank you!!!

Emily C

PSSA Competition this week:

Belrose V Wakehurst at Lionel Watts Oval

PSSA draw :

Round 6	26 March	Belrose V Kambora at Belrose PS/Wyatt Oval
Round 7	23 April	Belrose V Killarney Hts at Killarney Hts PS/Oval
Round 8	30 April	Make up round if needed

Please note this draw is subject to change. If PSSA is cancelled, we will send an email.

Sport News

Area Trials AFL

Congratulations to Charlie S, who successfully made it through to the next round of the AFL Area Trials. On Tuesday afternoon he was one of 22 students chosen from 101 students to represent the Sydney North Area at Byron Bay. We congratulate Charlie on his huge achievement and wish him the very best.



Area Swimming

Congratulations to our swimmers who attended the Area Swimming Carnival on Monday. Emma C, Lucy C, Ben G and the Senior Girls' Relay Team (Aurelia, Lily C, Sofia, Lucy C).

Lucy C achieved her personal best times in the 50m Butterfly and 200m Medley.

Emma C achieved her personal best times in all her races. She swam in the 200m medley, 50m Freestyle, 50m Backstroke and 50m Butterfly and made it through the heats into finals for 50m Backstroke and 50m Butterfly.

Ben competed and gave it his all in the 50m Freestyle.

The girls' senior relay beat their time at Zone by 2 seconds.

A great result from all competitors as making it to Area is a significant achievement and they have represented Belrose with pride.



Cross Country

On Thursday 25 March at 9:15am, we will be holding the school's annual Cross Country Carnival. We will require parent volunteers to hand out wrist bands and to be support crew along the course to ensure safety of the students. We would need volunteers between 9-11am. If you would like to volunteer, please email Mr Warren directly mark.warren@det.nsw.edu.au.

Age Groups:

- 8 – 9 years: 2 km (3 laps) 2 bands
- 10 years: 2km (3 laps) 2 bands
- 11 years: 3km (4 laps) 3 bands
- 12 – 13 years: 3 km (4 laps) 3 bands

P & C News

We are at the fun end of the term now, don't forget it's not too late for a ticket to the disco.

This Friday night the children can put on their favourite outfit and dance the night away.

Drop off and pick up will be only via Ralston Ave. Don't forget your \$5 for your Easter Raffle ticket. Raffle tickets will be available as you sign in for the Disco.

Please remember that this event is for the children only. There will be many more events for the adults from next term onwards.

Thank you to all the parents that have volunteered to help at the disco, a roster has been sent via email please let me know if you haven't received it.

Ideally we would like volunteers to arrive at least 15 minutes prior to the disco start time.

K-2 5.00-6.30pm
3-6 6.45-8.30pm



Gelato Day is next Tuesday and they can be purchased via Flexi schools.

The new murals for the quadrangle and canteen have been approved.

These will be completed in the Easter holidays.

If you have any time from the 10-14th of April free and would like to be a part of this process please let me know.

Thank you to all the families that have already offered some help.

We will be high pressure cleaning the quadrangle, undercoating walls in preparation for the murals and beautifying that whole area.

Not to mention having some fun along the way.

So even if you have an hour free let me know.

We have lots of other exciting events planned for the rest of the year so stay tuned to the newsletter each week.

Rebecca

SCHOOL BANKING

The School Banking Program is starting back next week.

Due to volunteer availability we will be changing the day to Wednesday's. Banking will start on 24 March at 8.35 in the library.

We have a small gift for all of the children that banked in 2020 as a thank you for your patience while we had to halt banking due to Covid. This will be given out in the coming weeks.

If you've never banked before and would like more information please come and visit us at the library on Wednesday.

We look forward to seeing you all soon.

Lynsey, Heather and Kate

CANTEEN ROSTER

Friday 19/3	
9.30-11.30am	Jacqui Power
12.00-1.30pm	Jacqui Power Emma Burling

UNIFORM SHOP OPENING TIMES

Thursday afternoon - 2.45pm to
3.15pm



Lost Property

Outside the school office is a trolley with lost property including water bottles, lunch boxes and clothing. Many of these items are unnamed so we are unable to return your property. Please check that your child's items, including clothing (particularly jumpers), are clearly labelled so we can return to your children. Check out the trolley for your missing items!

THANK YOU BURLING FAMILY

A huge THANK YOU to the **Burling family** who spent all Saturday building a new bay at the school for our mulch and soil. The bay is perfect for trucks to dump the mulch and soil which we use daily in our garden & composting. We are so grateful for the Burling family giving up so much of their time!

R.Jones



You are cordially invited to attend

Open Morning 2021

Friday 23 April – 9.00am to 10.00am

Subject to Covid-19 Guidelines

See website for updates

www.davidson-h.school.nsw.edu.au

Commencing at 9.00am

*To attend this event go to
www.schoolinterviews.com.au
and make a booking using the code **zgfgc***



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HIGH SCHOOL



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ACROBATICS AND GYMNASTICS PROGRAM

Pick your day or days!

Times:	Half Day 9am - 1pm	Full Day 9am - 3:30pm
Ages:	4+	
Place:	5A/106 Old Pittwater Rd, Brookvale	
Cost:	Half Day \$45	Full Day \$70

APRIL				
	6	8	9	
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
12	13	14	15	16

Please bring your morning tea, lunch and drink bottle with you. Wear sporty clothes.

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Dates: Tue 6 April - Fri 16 April | plus Mon, 19 April at Cromer
Time: 7.30am – 6pm week-days
Cost: \$76 per day (Child Care Subsidy available)

Bookings: Book online or call 9942 2312



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HOLIDAY CAMPS

DUE TO POPULAR DEMAND, WE ARE INTRODUCING CLIMBING HOLIDAY CAMPS

WEEK 1 - TUESDAY 6TH & WEDNESDAY 7TH APRIL
WEEK 2 - MONDAY 12TH APRIL & TUESDAY 13TH APRIL

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