

The Crest

Self

Respect
Others

Community

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Berowra Public School Newsletter

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IMPORTANT DATES

- Teddy Bear's Picnic
- P&C AGM
- Father's Day stall
- Father's Day Breakfast

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Over the last few weeks I have been sharing formative assessment research and what it looks like in the classroom. Staff ensure in their daily lessons that there are clear learning intentions and success criteria. This enables teachers to provide explicit effective feedback to all students. Teachers also strategically question to gain student understanding and change their lesson according to student's needs. Our next step of learning as a staff is activating students as instructional resources for one another. Last week I touched on learning intentions. This week's focus is on success criteria.

Royce Sadler (1998), an Australian educationalist who has long been working in the field of formative assessment, says it this way:

We need to let students into the secret, allowing them to become insiders of the assessment process. We need to make provision for them to become members of the guild of people who can make consistently sound judgments and know why those judgments are justifiable.

Success criteria is:

- written in language that students are likely to understand.
- limited in number so students are not overwhelmed by the scope of the task.
- focused on the learning and not on aspects of behaviour (eg paying attention, contributing, meeting deadlines etc.).
- supported, where necessary, by exemplars or work samples which make their meaning clear.
- created, ideally, with input from students so that they have greater understanding and ownership.

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When students refer to the success criteria they are able to:

- evaluate their progress while in the process of completing an assessment task or activity, and then evaluate their achievement on completion;
- provide feedback to other students at strategic points while they are in the process of completing the assessment task or activity;
- get timely feedback from the teacher allowing the student to act on to improve their performance.

Next week I will focus strategic questions as a formative assessment strategy.

Relieving Executive

Congratulations to Mrs Clayton, Mr Parker and Mrs Wilkinson who will be relieving executive while Mrs Beckedahl and Mr Pritchard are on long service leave. We welcome these aspiring leaders to the team.

Out of Area Enrolment Policy

Please be aware that any new enrolments are to be considered under the Department's Enrolment of Students in NSW Government Schools policy and the General Enrolment Procedures (2019), available on the Department's internet site at <https://education.nsw.gov.au/policy-library/policies/enrolment-of-students-in-nsw-government-schools>

While parents may apply to enrol their child in the school of their choice, acceptance is subject to the child being eligible to attend and the school being able to accommodate the child. In some circumstances, where schools are over their designated enrolment cap and local enrolment buffer, non-local enrolment applications, including those of siblings, are not able to be accepted by the school. Please be aware that Berowra Public School has now exceeded their enrolment cap and are unable to accept non-local enrolments.

If you are considering moving you may wish to refer to the School Finder tool <https://education.nsw.gov.au/school-finder> to see if any siblings or extended family will be eligible to enrol at Berowra Public School in the future.

Don't forget The Crest is also available on the school website:

www.berowra-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Click on the 'Newsletter' tab.

Parent Online Payments can also be made from the BPS website using the 'Make a payment' tab.

Looking for lost notes? Click 'Our School' tab then 'Missed a Note?'

Upcoming events are under the 'Calendar'.

Please join us in celebrating the

Berowra

Public School

125th Anniversary
September 24th 2019

All students and parents, past and present are welcome to attend from 10am for:

- A special assembly with guest speakers
- Unveiling of our new mural
- An historical photo presentation
- A mini museum
- Live performances
- Morning tea
- Sharing memories
- Time Capsule



Please email any old Berowra Public School photos to 125yearsbps@gmail.com. Please scan and email any old Berowra Public School memories with a short description. We will use these photos for a presentation.

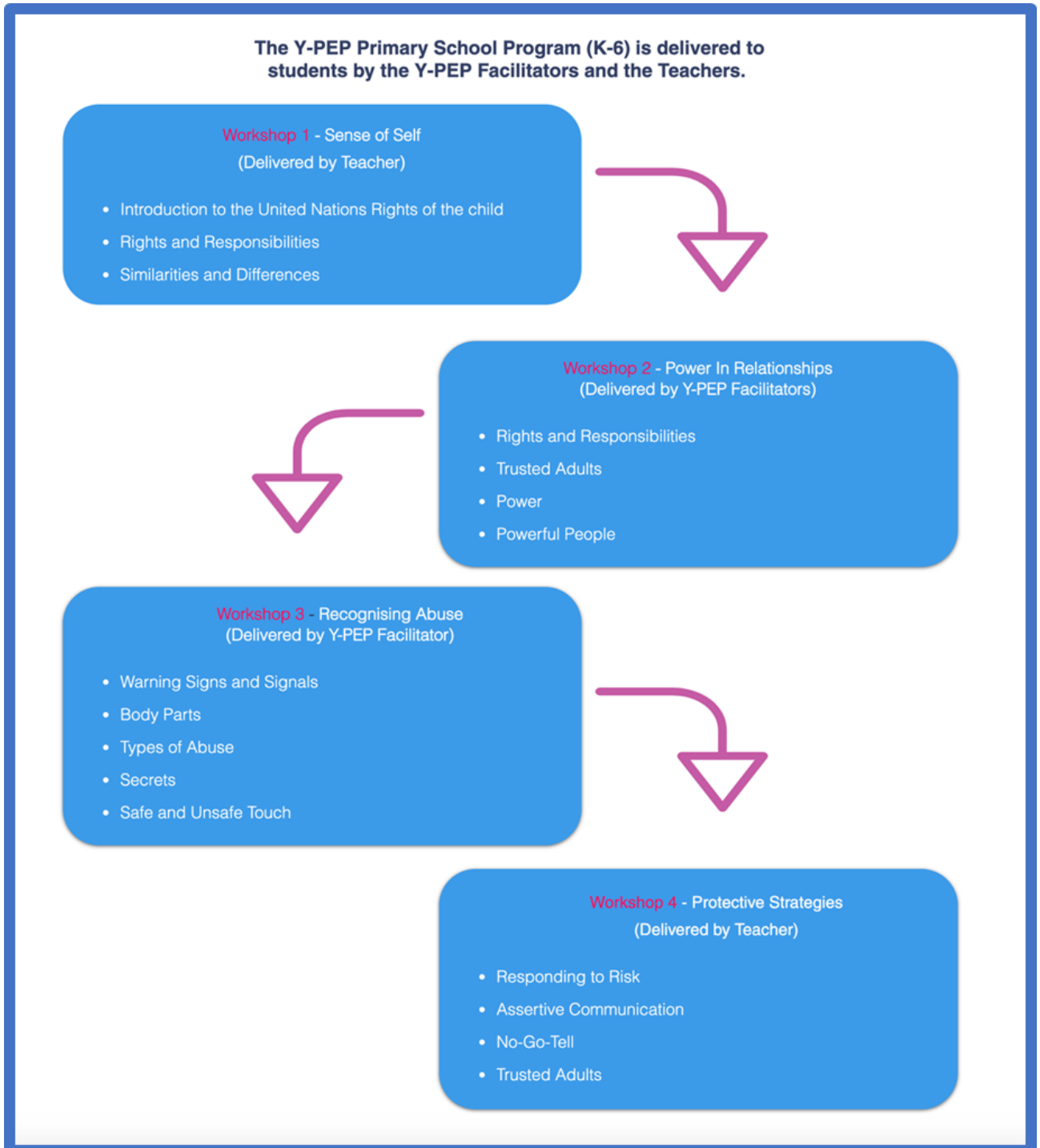
Have a great week.

Chantal Mamo
BTeach BEd MA Creative Arts

Child Protection Lessons for Berowra Public School

Over the next two weeks, all classes at Berowra Public School are fortunate to be included in the Y-PEP Child Protection Education Program, which is aligned to the NESA PDHPE Syllabus. The workshops are highly interactive to allow students to use multiple areas of learning. We will have experienced and professional facilitators deliver the workshops suitable for varying levels of skills and to create age appropriate and engaging content for them to feel safe.

The content listed below is tailored to be age-appropriate (as outlined in the NSW syllabus) for each year group.



Digital Technology at Berowra Public School

3/4C loving Stemshare WeDo kits. Thank you to Andrew and Adam for visiting us and teaching us how to use these amazing kits.



Message from the office:

Thank you 2W for our lovely Rainbow Fish. Our office foyer is looking very bright and cheery.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Thurs 22 August	Teddy Bear's Picnic for Kindy—KP and KY Uniform Shop open 3-3.45pm
Tues 27 August	Father's Day stall
Wed 28 August	Band Rehearsal—Asquith Girls
Fri 30 August	Zone Athletics—Narabeen Sports and Rec Father's Day Breakfast
Sun 1 September	Father's Day
Mon 2 September	Digital Tech UNSW Comp
Tues 3 September	Book Parade and Book Trivia
Wed 4 September	Science UNSW Comp
Thurs 5 September	Uniform Shop open 3-3.45pm
Fri 6 September	BPS Disco
Mon 9 September	Writing UNSW Comp
Tues 10 September	English UNSW Comp
Wed 11 September	Spelling UNSW Comp
Thurs 12 September	Maths UNSW Comp Canteen Hotdog day
Mon 16 September	Area Athletics Carnival
Mon 16—Wed 18 Sept	Stage 3 Canberra Camp
Thurs 19 September	Uniform Shop open 3-3.45pm
Fri 27 September	Last day of Term 3
Mon 14 October	All students and staff return to school for Term 4
Wed 16—Fri 18 Oct	Stage 2 Broken Bay camp
Thurs 17 October	Uniform Shop open 3-3.45pm
Tues 22 October	Teacher's Day
Thurs 31 October	Grandparents Day Uniform Shop open 3-3.45pm
Fri 1 November	Kindergarten 2020 transition Part 1
Fri 8 November	Kindergarten 2020 transition Part 2
Fri 15 November	Kindergarten 2020 transition Part 3
Tues 3 December	High School Year 6 Orientation Day
Tues 10 December	Stage 3 Surf Lifesaving excursion
Wed 11 December	Presentation Day
Thurs 12 December	Year 6 Farewell dinner
Wed 18 December	Last day of Term for 2019

PSSA INTERSCHOOL SPORT

Snr Soccer Snr2

Games start by 12.45

Friday 23/8/19

**at
Montview Oval**

AFL Junior

Games start by 12.45

Friday 23/8/19

**at
Foxglove Oval 1**

AFL Snr 1 /

Games start by 12.45

Friday 23/8/19

**at
Foxglove Oval 1**

**Dad, you're
wonderful**



**COME & SPOIL THE BPS DADS!
FRIDAY 30TH AUGUST
7:15-9:15AM
BACON AND EGG ROLLS TO BE
ENJOYED**



FATHER'S DAY STALL TUESDAY 27th AUG



A great opportunity for your child to choose fabulous gifts and help fundraise for our school.

Gifts priced from \$2 to \$10.

Classes will be taken to the stall during the day. Please remember to give your child money and a bag to put their gifts in on the day!!

School Support Group



**JOIN
US!!!**

**P&C AGM
7pm Wednesday
21st August
in the staffroom.
The more the
merrier...**

NOTES YOU MAY HAVE MISSED

Sent Out	Subject	Distribution	Response before
13/2	School Contribution	K-6	ASAP
13/3	Classroom Resources	K-6	29/3 OVERDUE
1/5	Stage 2 Broken Bay exc Deposit required	Yrs 3&4	12/9 23/5
3/6	Stage 3 Canberra exc Deposit required	Yrs 5&6	5/9 20/6
24/7	Teddy Bears Picnic	Kindy	13/8 OVERDUE
24/7	Term 3 Tennis	Yrs 3-6	6/8 OVERDUE
31/7	Zone Athletics	Zone reps	22/8
31/7	Term 3 Gymnastics	Kindy	15/8/19 OVERDUE

**'Parent Online Payment' (POP) is the departments preferred payment method.
Don't forget to send a permission form to the class teacher.**

Money Collection Procedures -

- BPS payment/permission envelopes with cash or cheque enclosed are not to go to the classroom teacher.
- All money envelopes and permission notes are to be 'posted' in the letterbox attached to the wall in the office foyer. This can be done by children or parents prior to school or during recess - not during class time. Please DO NOT enclose payments in plastic sandwich bags, use the schools payment envelopes.
- Gold coin donations for mufti days can still go to the classroom and will be collected by the organising group.
- Please do not put canteen money in the school letterbox. Go to the canteen when it is open or post it in the canteen letterbox.
- **Cash and cheque collection days are still Tuesday and Thursday so please do not sent payments to school on any other day.**
- The Department's preferred method of payment is Parent Online Payment (POP) accessed through the school website, by clicking on 'Make a Payment' tab.
- You can access POP any time, any day and you don't need correct money.



The simplest way

to make baked vegie chips

Serves: 4 | Prep time: 15 min | Cooking time: 20 min

Ingredients

- 1 sweet potato, peeled
- 2 carrots, peeled
- 2 parsnips, peeled
- 1 large beetroot, peeled
- Sprigs of fresh rosemary or thyme
- Olive oil spray
- Sea salt



Method

Pre-heat oven to 190°C. Slice all the vegies into thin rounds.

Spread them out on paper towels and blot dry, ensure they're as dry as possible.

Line a baking tray with foil and lightly spray with olive oil. Spread the vegies and herbs on the tray and spray them with olive oil and add a dash of salt.

Bake for approx. 20 minutes, checking every 5 mins.

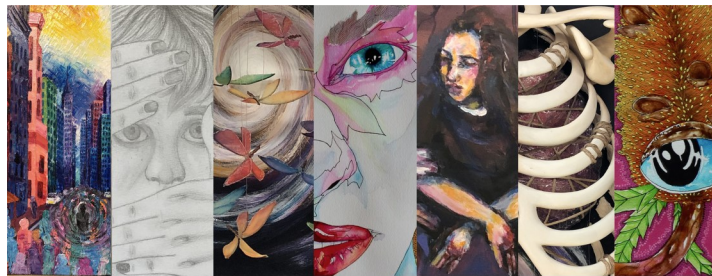
to ensure they're not burning.

Remove any that are brown and crispy before the others.

For more recipes, tips and ideas visit our [website](http://healthylunchbox.com.au).

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Community Events



Ku-ring-gai High School

inspire, challenge, create

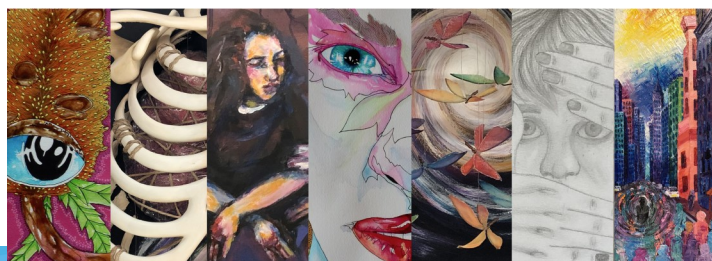
Annual Art, Design + Photography Exhibition 2019

AUGUST 21 - AUGUST 23

Wednesday: 6:30pm - 8:30pm (official opening 7pm)

Thursday, Friday: 9am - 4:30pm

Margaret Preston Hall



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HORNSBY GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS

HGHS
COMMUNITY
FAIR

FEATURING

- FOOD STALLS FROM AROUND THE WORLD
- MUSIC ENSEMBLES
- DANCE PERFORMANCES
- ART DISPLAYS

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS!

*Pre-Loved
Fashion
Stall*

Featuring formal dresses, jackets, skirts, blouses, pants, scarves, belts, purses, wrist bands, accessories and more!

**TRASH &
TREASURE
STALL**

THE BIGGEST
RECYCLING EVENT
OF HORNSBY

**WIN
WINE & CHOCOLATE
AT THE HGHS COMMUNITY FAIR**

TOMBOLA

AT HORNSBY GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL | 10AM - 4PM

BEROWRA RSL

New members
can try free for
2 weeks



We swim on
Sundays at
Hornsby Pool

2019/20 REGISTRATION DAY

BEROWRA VILLAGE SHOPPING CENTRE (OUTSIDE BAMBINOS TOO)

Saturday 14th September 2019, 10am – 2pm

We welcome all swimming levels. Swimmers are grouped according to ability with handicapping used to promote close racing.

There is also an opportunity to compete at State level as part of a Zone team.

AGES FROM 4 to 24

www.berowrarslswimclub.org or find us on Facebook



Northern Districts Little Athletics 2019-20 Season

“A community-oriented not-for-profit organisation for Family, Fun and Fitness”



ONLINE REGISTRATION NOW OPEN – Season runs from 14 Sep'19 to early March 2020

Ages U6-17 (ask about our Tiny Tots Program)

**A great way to stay active over Spring & Summer for athletes of all capability levels,
with a focus on achieving your Personal Best**

Weekly programs held at Foxglove Oval, Mt Colah on Saturday mornings from 8:30 - 11am

See our website www.ndlac.org.au for more information!



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ACTIVE KIDS
CLUB YOUR KIDS TODAY! CLAIM YOUR \$100 VOUCHER TODAY! 



PLAY CRICKET!


**PLAY MORE SHOTS, FACE MORE BALLS AND TAKE MORE WICKETS!
GET BACK INTO THE ACTION OF JUNIOR CRICKET AND
TAKE YOUR GAME TO THE NEXT LEVEL**

BEROWRA CRICKET CLUB REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!
Junior Blasters (5-7yrs) | Juniors (U8-U16) | Seniors (Open)

All ages. All abilities. All inclusive!
Be part of the family club.

Online registration:
www.berowracricket.org

Enquiries: bccjunioresenquiries@gmail.com

LOOKING FOR A UNIQUE, QUALITY CHILD CARE?

You can find it at **Bumble Bees Early Learning Centre**, located at 49 Yallambee Road, Berowra.

Recently under new management, we're a family owned, family oriented 29-place boutique style early childhood centre. Caring for children aged 6 weeks to 6 years, we operate from 7:30 am to 6:00 pm Monday to Friday.

Recent changes to the centre include new owners, new staff members, updated facilities, revised learning programs and upgraded outdoor facilities for the children...and a kitchen staffed to provide nutritious meals every day (so delete "Make up lunch box" from your 'to do list', we've got that covered)

To contact Prue at Bumble Bees Early Learning Centre, call 02 9456 3513 or email bumblebeesberowra@gmail.com

For more information, visit our website at <https://bumblebeeselc.com.au>

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