

# The Crest

## **Term 3 Week 10 21 September 2022**

Dear Parents and Carers

Wow can you believe we are at the end of Term 3 already!

It certainly has been a very busy and productive term for our students, teachers and families with learning and a magnitude of extra-curricular activities. This term we had our Athletics Carnival, NAIDOC Day, Education Week Open Day, Festival of Instrumental Music, Kindy's Teddy Bear's Picnic Excursion, P&C Working Bee, Zone Athletics, Year 4 Science Experience Day at AGHS, Father's Day Breakfast, Book Week Parade and Fair, SASS Week and Stage 3 Camp to Burrendong Dam....no wonder we all need a rest!!!

I'd like to thank our dedicated teachers and SAS staff for all their hard work during the term, our students for their participation, enthusiasm and kindness and our families for their ongoing support. I hope everyone has a wonderful break and spends time to rest and recover.

Our Oval Upgrade is nearing completion and hopefully will be finished for Term 4. We appreciate your patience with this project as it has taken longer than anticipated, but it will be well worth the wait when it is completed.

### **Staffing Updates**



Congratulations to Mrs Kathryn Boon who was the successful applicant at BPS for the 3 day a week position of APCI (Assistant Principal Curriculum and Instruction) which will commence in 2023. We are extremely lucky to have Kath as a permanent member of our BPS team and we look forward to continuing our learning journey and whole school focus on mathematics in 2023.

We Farewell Mr Glenn Pritchard who will be retiring on the 7 October 2022. Mr Prichard has been at BPS for the past 17 years. We wish him all the best in upcoming retirement. Mrs Claire Dewar (Monday, Tuesday and Wednesdays) and Mrs Brittani Mitchell (Thursday and Friday) will be teaching 3/4G for the remainder of the year with the support of Mrs Tennille Kolarik.

We also farewell Phil our cleaner who is retiring on Friday 23 September. Phil has been at BPS for the past 8 years. He has been amazing and will be extremely hard to replace.

Mrs Penny Williamson (QTSS Teacher 2 days) and Mrs Sarah Krull (RFF Teacher 2 Days) will be taking maternity leave commencing in Term 4. We wish them both the very best with their upcoming arrivals. Mrs Ruchi Bharadwaj will be joining the QTSS team (Monday and Tuesday) during Term 4 and a new staff member Mr Dylan Mead will be joining the RFF team (Thursday and Friday).

### **Student Learning – 5/6B Persuasive Texts**

*Dear Community Members,*

*You must not get how fun Lake Burrendong Camp is and how much Berowra Public School loved the camp no matter how long it took to get there.. It's a fact that Lake Burrendong Sport and Recreation Camp should still be offered to Berowra Public School because the food was so good, great activity opportunities and lodges big enough for all your friends.*

*Firstly, the food at Lake Burrendong is so good! There is no debate that the food is better than any camp I have ever been to. All the food was healthy but so delicious. Dinner and breakfast was great and they offered different things everyday. I myself am a picky eater but at this camp, I was eager to try all the food!*

*Secondly, there are so many different activities that give you lots of opportunities. All the activities were so fun! I got to try things I have never done before. There wasn't one bad activity.*

*Thirdly, the lodges are big enough for all your friends! I got all my friends in my cabin because it was the perfect size! Any bigger and it would have been overcrowded and any smaller, people would miss out! See? Perfecto!*

*I know I have convinced you that Berowra Public School should still be offered to get to go to Lake Burrendong because the food was so good, great activity opportunities and lodges big enough for all your friends.*

*Regards,  
Annika*

Dear Community Members,

Without doubt Lake Burrendong camp was NOT worth it because of the price, time travelled and spent away, lodges and the groups. On the other hand, Lake Burrendong was worth it because of the activities, behaviour of people and activities outside of camp.

For the negative side, the price was high coming in at a whopping \$595. If you got sick or even a little bit sick, you would be sent home and not even refunded. But if you got homesick or had bad behaviour you would also be sent home and not refunded a single cent. I understand the bad behaviour part but the homesick part and not even refunded while wasting half a day you nor the person driving will ever get that time back.

Secondly, the time used to travel to and from Lake Burrendong was around a whole day's worth of travelling. Me personally and many others agree that 24 hours is too long for travelling, anybody can see that 24 hours is too long. The time spent at Lake Burrendong (five days) was a big jump from stage two camp which would only be three days away from parents which will inevitably leave many children homesick and throwing \$595 down the drain. It was even worse for year five not only because they haven't had a school camp before giving them a higher chance of being homesick.

Thirdly, I do not think that the people organising the lodges realised how much they screwed up when they were creating the cabins because I do not think anyone could've slept because I was woken up three times minimum per night because of the people in my cabin and next door were making so much noise, I feel that the people next door felt the same way as I have because of the noise emitted from the cabin I was in.

Lastly the groups weren't made in the best way and it seemed that the group makers tried to split up friend groups as much as possible because everyone and I speak for everyone when I say this, only had two friends at most, some people didn't even get any friends in their group.

On the other hand, camp at Lake Burrendong was worth it because of the activities. The activities let you learn something new like survival skills. For example, in survival skills you learn how to build a tent out of a tarp, make a fishing rod and learn how to make a bottle flare. This can help you if you ever get lost in the wilderness.

In my opinion and in many others, the behaviour of people changed around the instructors, enough long term of this could result with that behaviour all or most of the time.

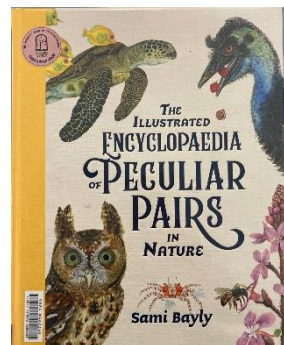
Finally as far as I'm concerned, the activities were fun for the most part as I've heard. Many of the people enjoyed gold panning at Bathurst as some people found gold or something interesting.

To conclude I passionately believe that camp to Lake Burrendong was not worth it because of the price, time travelled and spent away, lodge and groups and that these heavily outweighed the positives (activities, behaviour and activities outside of camp).

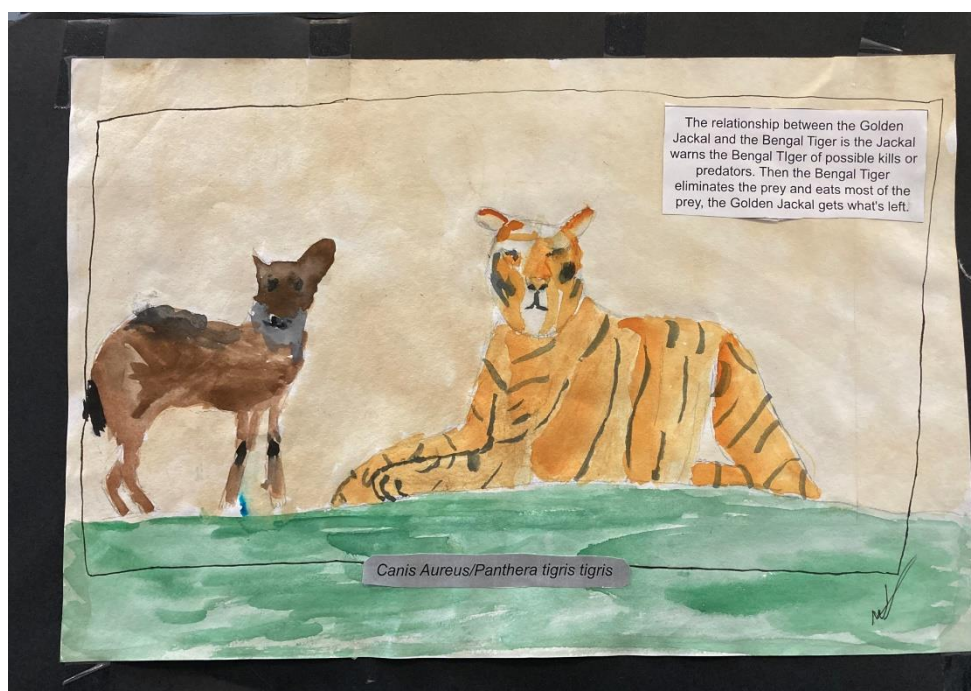
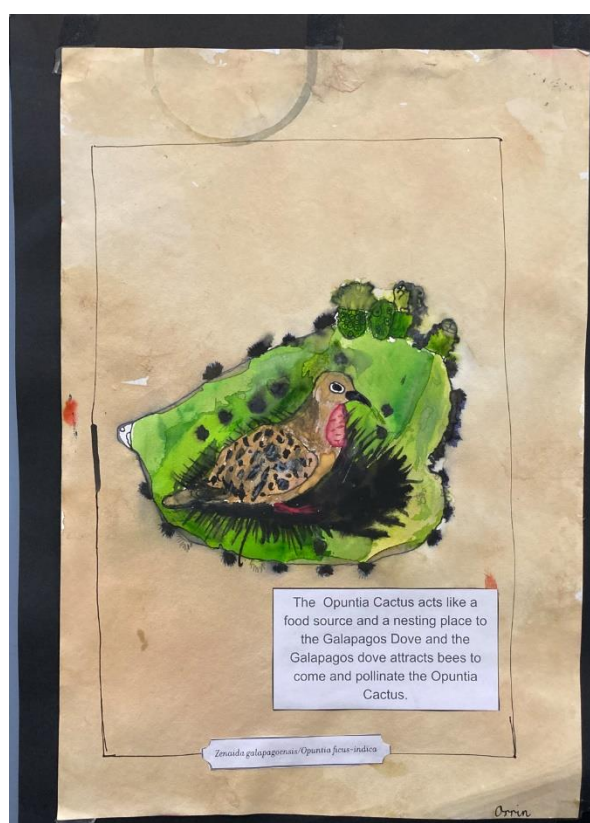
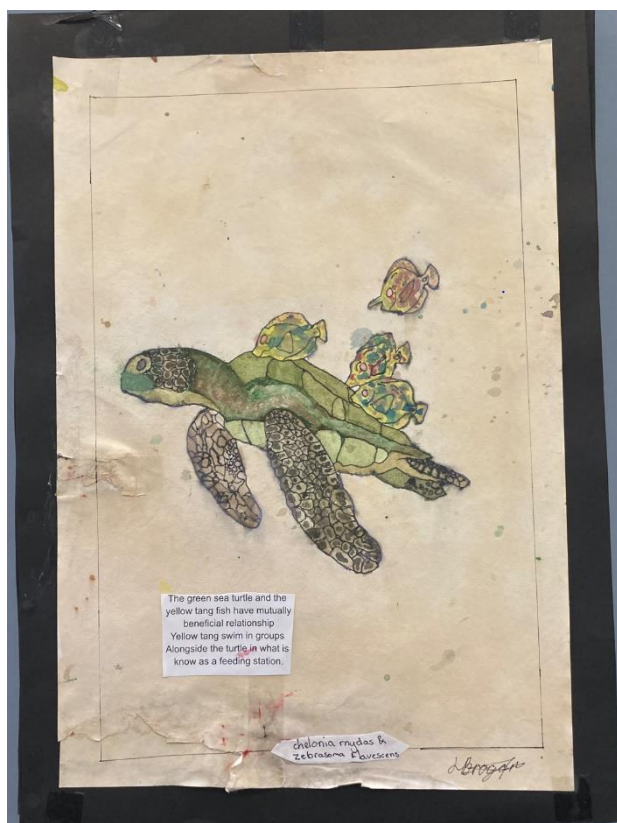
Yours Sincerely  
Matthew



## Book Week Artwork 5/6B

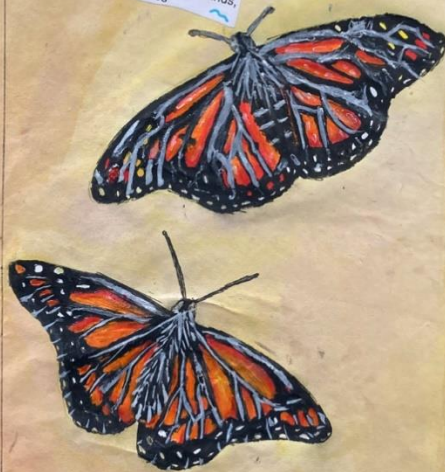


Based on the non-fiction book:  
'The Encyclopedia of Peculiar Pairs in Nature' a book about the  
symbiotic relationships between living things.





The two butterflies are called *Danaus plexippus* (or monarch butterflies) and *limenitis archippus* (viceroy butterflies). Both have beautiful orange and black wings making their first glance together look the same. The two butterflies live in the same environment which is meadows, grasslands, and along roadsides.



*Danaus Plexippus /  
Limenitis archippus*  
Chloe Spencer

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*Grantiella picta*  
*Anyema quandang*

William Harding



The cape sugarbird nests among the protea waiting for the flowers to bloom. The bird sips the nectar. When the bird is finished drinking the pollen gets on their feet and when it flies away the pollen drops off birds feet on a other flower.

*Promerops cafer / Protea cynaroides*

Ruby M

In the painting the rat actually has a parasite in it, the rat got the parasite by eating the cats poop, the parasite changes the rats fear receptors in the brain, preventing the rat to follow its natural instincts to stay away from the cat. The parasite makes the rat think the cat is it's friend. It doesn't take long for the cat to eat the rat.



*Toxoplasma gondii / Felis catus / Rattus norvegicus*

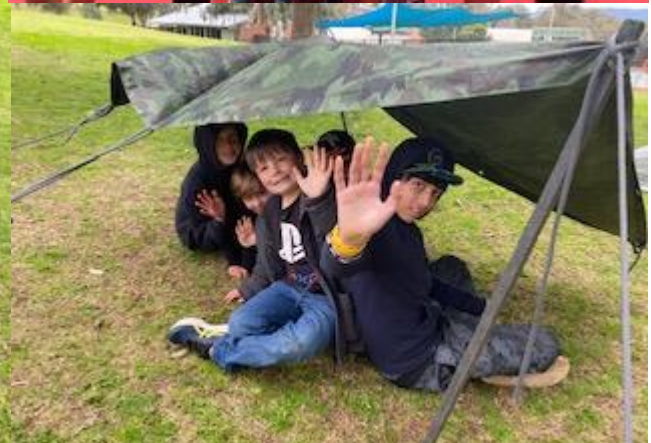
Freyja N. 9/26/21



## Stage 3 Camp











### **RFF Reward Day – ice blocks for the winning classes**

During RFF and QTSS lessons, the students have been working hard to achieve up to five Dojo points in their lessons with Mrs Lukic, Miss Roberts, Mrs Krull, Mrs Simpson-Lee and Mrs Williamson. At the end of each term the class from each stage with the most Dojo points are rewarded with an ice block. Congratulations to the Term 3 winning classes!

Kindergarten – KRed

Stage 1 – 1T

Stage 2 – 3/4P

Stage 3 – 5/6G

## **Covid Updates**

On Thursday 31 August, National Cabinet agreed to reduce the isolation period for COVID-19 positive cases from 7 days to 5 days, with the following caveats:

- this would apply only to people with no symptoms at day 5 of their isolation
- 7 days isolation remains for workers in high-risk settings including aged care, disability care, and those providing care in the home.

## **The change will come into effect from Friday 9 September**

### **Notifications for absentees**

Thank you to the P&C who has suggested the use of a text-based system for notifying parents their child is absent. We have investigated this and are able to use the Sentral system to do this. Once the office staff is trained we will let you know when we will start trialling the new system. We thank you for your patience while we get this organised.

### **Early Departures**

If your child needs to be collected to leave early, please try to collect them before or after our break times to avoid any unnecessary delays in collection. Our recess time is 11:20-11:45am and our lunch time is 1:30-2:20pm.

### **Drop-offs and pick-ups**

The drop off of students will continue from Hillcrest Road. To limit contact please ensure you don't linger at drop off or pick up. Teacher supervision in the playground starts at 8:50am, so please ensure students walking to school by themselves are arriving after 8:50am.

Please be reminded that parents should not enter school grounds to drop off students before school.

All parents need to attend the school office during school hours to collect early leavers or deliver late arrivals.

Students catching a bus or riding a bike will exit from the Hall gate.

### **Parent Communication**

BPS Parent Communication Procedures and our BPS Visitor Procedures are available on our school website.

We encourage parents to engage in their child's learning by leaving a like or a comment on their Seesaw work. If you have questions, enquiries, or comments for teachers please email or phone the school and the teacher will get back to you as soon as possible.

School Bytes, our school email system is set up to send emails to the parent listed as the 1<sup>st</sup> contact on student enrolment forms. If you would like to add a second parent/carers contact to receive emails please email your request to the school email address.

Additionally, if you change your email address or are not receiving emails, please ensure you notify the school so we can check and update your details.

## WHS

Intensive cleaning will continue to take place daily and schools are being provided with additional hygiene supplies.

### Risk Management Plans

If your child has sustained a serious injury and requires accommodations or adjustments to be put in place please phone the school office to make an appointment with me. We create Risk Management Plans to prevent any further injury and so that all staff are aware of any necessary changes that are put in place.

### Enrolments – Please enrol your child now using online enrolments

A child is entitled to enrol at the local school that the student is eligible to attend if his or her home is within that school's intake area.

Currently our school has an enrolment of 342 students. We sit 18 above our enrolment cap of 324 students. An out of area application for BPS can still be made, however, it is submitted to a panel who follow criteria to decide whether the application is accepted.

BPS Enrolment Procedures and Protocols are located on our school website at <https://berowra-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

Please contact the office if you require any additional information.

If you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to contact me via the school email [berowra-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:berowra-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au) or phone the front office.

Vicky Wallace  
Principal





## Learning From Home

Berowra PS is utilising the Department of Education's Learning from Home packages to support students who are at home in isolation due to COVID-19. These resources are available without a school log in – students select their grade level and can be guided through the tasks with a series of videos and explanations. There are now 2 suites of home learning packages and students can start in either. Each suite gives a suggested starting point.

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/learning-from-home/learning-at-home/2022-digital-learning-packs/primary>

Work can be completed offline and returned to the class teacher when your child returns, or via a digital tool such as Google Docs or Slides.

Students may also access their individual class Google Classroom (Yrs 3-6) or Seesaw and complete any work or activities that may have been posted for the class or upload any tasks they have completed from the home learning platform.

Students may also complete Mathletics, Reading Eggs or Decodable Readers Australia Online as appropriate. Other possible learning activities include:

- Reading aloud to practice fluent and expressive reading
- Reading privately
- Writing in a journal or free writing book – stories, reviews of books or movies etc
- Playing card or dice games
- Research a topic of personal interest and create a presentation to share what was learned

Of course, if your child is feeling unwell, there is no expectation that they complete work at home.

If you do not have adequate access to devices, please contact the school to make arrangements for a loan device. Please email your class teacher via the office if you have any issues with log in details for any of the mentioned platforms.

## Attendance

Teachers are still recording attendance. If your child is sick please let the school know by either email or phone so that we can update our rolls accordingly and if they are isolating we are able to provide learning from home.

# Health and Safety is everyone's responsibility

Our P&C has purchased accident insurance for students who are injured as a result of a serious incident at school. Information is available at the office.

**Accident & Health International**  
Underwriting Pty Limited



**Covid-19 Update** Berowra Public School is continuing to follow DoE and NSW Health advice to help manage the spread of viruses and we will continue to keep the community informed as we are provided updates



1. **Wash your hands** regularly and thoroughly.
2. **Sneeze into your elbow** or a tissue, disposing of the tissue straight away and then washing your hands.
3. **Stay home if you are unwell** and in schools, send home staff or students who show signs of being unwell through the day.

## Road Safety

**Due to lack of casuals at Transport for NSW, BPS may not have a crossing supervisor allocated daily until Miriam's position is filled. Please remind your children of the road safety messages below.**



1. Wherever possible, cross the road at a designated pedestrian crossing facility
2. Stop! Look! Listen! Think! When crossing the road
3. Take care whenever you cross
4. Don't run across the road

Council has recently been receiving a higher than usual number of complaints from local residents, in relation to school parents or carers parking across or obstructing access to resident's driveways, with some refusing to move their vehicles when asked.

### Parking near driveways

- When parking legally near a driveway, you must ensure that no part of your vehicle blocks the driveway or access to the property at any time.
- A vehicle can be parked up to the wings of the driveway.
- A driver can drop off or pick up a passenger in front of a driveway, however it is an offence to leave a vehicle unattended or to not move their vehicle at the request of the property owner.

### Parking near footpaths and pedestrian kerb ramps

- When parking legally near a footpath or pedestrian kerb ramp, you must ensure that no part of your vehicle blocks access to the footpath or kerb ramp at any time.
- A vehicle can be parked up to the wings of the pedestrian kerb ramp.
- By parking correctly and considerately, you allow other vehicles and pedestrians to access properties or footpaths easily and safely, creating a safer environment for other road users.

## BPS SCHOOL CALENDAR

**\* Please note calendar events are pending Covid-19 restrictions and DoE guidelines at the time of the event.**

Term 3		
Week	Date	Event
Week 10	Wednesday 21 September	P&C Meeting at 7:00pm
Week 10	Friday 23 September	Last Day of Term 3

**Save the date for Term 4**  
**Grandparents and Friends Day Thursday**  
**17 November 2022**



TRY THESE:

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**B**uild, craft, or cook something



**O**utside play



**R**ead a book



**E**arn some money



**D**o something for others

## Term 4

Week	Date	Event
Week 1	Monday 10 October	School resumes for students
Week 2	Wednesday 19 October	P&C Meeting 7:00pm
Week 2	Wednesday 19 and Thursday 20 October	NSWPSSA Athletics at Sydney Olympic Park (SOP)
Week 2	Saturday 22 October	School Fair
Week 4	Thursday 3 November	Canteen Special Day – ice cream
Week 6	Wednesday 16 November	P&C Meeting 7:00pm
Week 6	Thursday 17 November	Grandparents and Friends Day
Week 6	Sunday 19 November	P&C Working Bee
Week 8	Wednesday 30 November	Prefect Elections
Week 9	Monday 5 December - Friday 9 December	Survival Swimming Water Safety Program Years 2 & 3 (Some Year 4)
Week 9	Friday 9 December	Reports Home
Week 9	Friday 9 December	P&C School Disco
Week 10	Tuesday 13 December	Mini Fete
Week 10	Wednesday 14 December	Presentation Day
Week 10	Wednesday 14 December	Year 6 Farewell
Week 10	Thursday 15 December	Talent Show
Week 11	Monday 19 December	Year 6 Clap Cut
Week 11	Monday 19 December	Last day of school for students
Week 11	Tuesday 20 December	SDD – Last day of school for staff





# Oval Upgrade



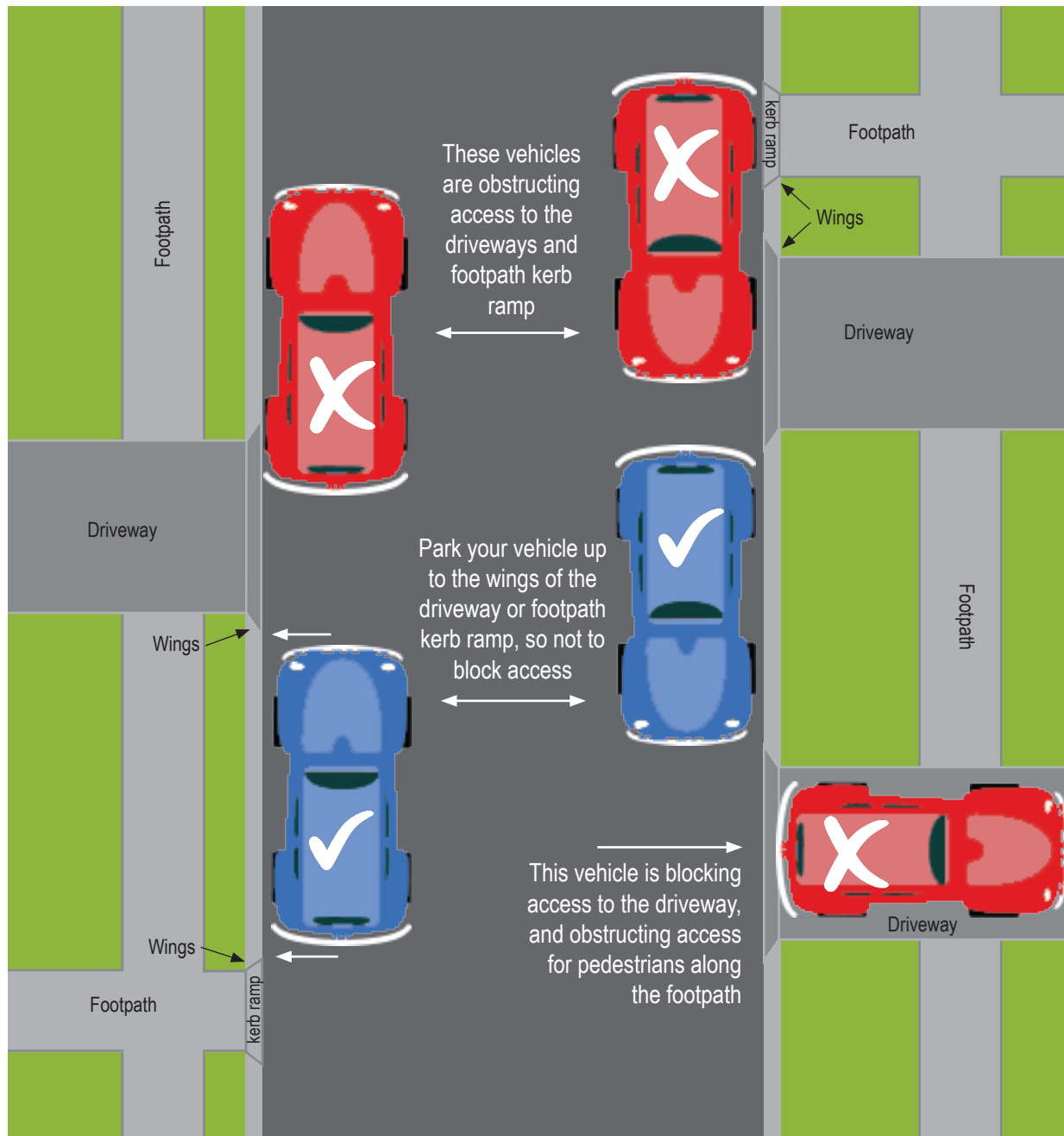
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Public School

*We are excited to share more information regarding our school oval upgrade!*

*As you are aware, BPS P&C were successful with securing a grant for \$100,000 through the Community Building Partnership Program with the support of local sporting clubs. This injection of funds has allowed us to get this project off the ground and make it a reality. The new synthetic surface will provide more space and opportunities for students to play and learn safely all year round. The new space will be 50m x 25m with a running track around the outside as well as multiple field markings to allow for different configurations. The work will begin in July school holidays and will take approximately 4 weeks (weather dependent). The oval will be a welcomed addition to our wonderful school and we look forward to seeing the end product.*



# Parking near driveways, footpaths and pedestrian kerb ramps



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**Please consider others when parking your vehicle**

*Australian Road Rules - Reg 198- Penalties apply*

# BPS FAIR

## 22ND OCTOBER 2022

### Fair Update

Our school Fair is fast approaching. Plans are well underway and the countdown is now on! ONLY 31 sleeps!

This is the major fundraising event for our school and we can't do without your help. The funds from our Fair this year will go directly to our wonderful school and benefit our children. Over the years the P&C has funded air conditioning, smartboards, laptops, hall projector and most recently our new playground and oval.

Our Fair is entirely run by volunteers who all have busy lives themselves so please be patient with us.

If you have any questions regarding our Fair or can assist in anyway please reach out to us – [fair@bps.org.au](mailto:fair@bps.org.au).

### Class Stalls

Our class stall coordinators have been busy planning for the day. Volunteer sign up pages have been posted to your class Facebook pages. If you could can lend a hand for an hour on the day it would be greatly appreciated.

CLASS	STALL	CONTACT
KRED	FACE PAINTING, CRAZY HAIR AND TATTOOS	RACHEL BYERS
KYELLOW	APEX BBQ	HAYLEY MYLUIS
1T	TOFFEE APPLES + ICE CREAM	LAUREN URASAKI/ RILEY CATER
1K	LOLLIES	LARA HOYE/SANDRA NGYUEN
2L	GOZLEME	ERIN SUTTON
1/2A	MOVING BODIES BOUNCY CASTLES + BOOKS	LISSIE WATTS/SARAH DAVIES
3/4B	DRINKS	NICOLA HERWEYER
3/4HP	FALAFEL	DIANA DANDAN
3/4G	SMOOTHIES	SEBASTIAN GREEN
3/4S	HOT DOGS + PIES	ROSA ROSS/FLIK BINGHAM
5/6B	HAUNTED HOUSE	RACHEL BYERS/AMY MCINTYRE
5/6C	CHOCOLATE WHEEL	GEMMA HAYES
5/6G	CAKES	SUSANNAH WARE
5/6H	SIDESHOW ALLEY	RACHEL BYERS

# BPS FAIR

## 22ND OCTOBER 2022

### Raffle Tickets

Thank you to everyone who has already returned your sold raffle books! We have already sold over \$2,000 worth of tickets. Returned raffle books and money can be returned to your class teacher or the school office.

### Rides Bands

Ride bands are NOW ON SALE! Tickets are \$35 for a 6hr ride band and on the day bands will be \$40 so please scan the below code and buy your ride band today!

### Cake Stall

Each Fair we ask our school community to support the cake stall by donating cakes, slices, biscuits, cupcakes or muffins to sell on the day. To assist with the stall, your child will be sent home with a cake box on Monday 17th October to fill with any baked goods. We ask that boxes be returned to school on either Friday 21st October or the day of the Fair.

### Dates for the diary

All fair meetings will be held at 7pm in the school library on the following dates:

- 12th October
- 19th October
- 22nd October FAIR DAY

### Contact us

Email: [fair@bps.org.au](mailto:fair@bps.org.au)

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/berowrapublicschoolfair>





A background image featuring a dark night sky with out-of-focus warm yellow and orange bokeh lights. On the left side, a vertical sparkler is lit, with bright sparks radiating from its tip.

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### CASS PROPERTY

Adam Castelnovo – director and owner of CASS Property is our proud Platinum sponsor for our BPS Twilight Fair. With 10 years of being a successful real estate business owner under his belt, Adam and his team buy, sell and manage property across the upper and lower north shore of Sydney.

“Combining that passion for real estate with an idealistic dream to be my own boss I chose to become a captain of my own fate and took the plunge into entrepreneurship. My dream was simple: a service-focused, market-leading real estate specialist (me), whose reputation is based solely on my client’s experiences (you).”

You can trust that when you are working with Cass Property, you are not only under the very best care, but you have the professionalism and personalised service to ensure your real estate experience is one to remember.

We are thrilled to have your support Cass & cannot wait to see you on the 22nd of October!

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### KING BUILDING GROUP

Introducing King Building Group, one of our fabulous Silver sponsors for our BPS Twilight Fair!

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### AIR INDUSTRIES AIR CONDITIONING

Introducing, Emmanuel and Laryssa from Air Industries Air Conditioning, who is one of our fabulous Silver Sponsors for our BPS Twilight Fair!

Air Industries is a family-owned business based in Mooney Mooney.

With over 25 years of experience, they specialise in installation, service, repair and maintaining air conditioning systems to residential homes and light commercial business. Their team are fully licensed, insured and professional with a solid reputation of providing a reliable, affordable, safe and honest service. With access to the top leading brands in Australia, they service the Hawkesbury River, Upper North Shore and parts of the Sydney.

Their philosophy is simple:

"If the system is not good enough to be used in our home or business, we will not recommend it to you".

We aim to provide you with the best air conditioning system, so you will enjoy it for many years to come."

Make sure you contact the lovely Laryssa today for a free quote or schedule a service:

0407 201 436

<https://airindustriesac.com.au/>



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### HAMILTON ISLAND

Hamilton Island is one of our silver sponsor's for the BPS Twilight Fair this year!

Part of the Whitsundays, and at the heart of the Great Barrier Reef, Hamilton Island is a uniquely Australian paradise. With the sun at your feet, it truly is a warm, relaxing, and fun destination for the entire family!

Hamilton Island is a private, 100% Australian-owned resort in the heart of the Great Barrier Reef.

On Hamilton Island you'll find a range of accommodation including the award-winning qualia resort, an 18-hole championship golf course, a choice of cafes and restaurants and a 300+ berth marina. With its own airport, you can fly direct to Hamilton Island from Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane and be enjoying the year-round average temperature of 26 degrees in under three hours.

We have our cocktails waiting by the pool already!

If you want to make your next destination Hamilton Island, make sure you visit their site today & speak with a friendly reservations consultants to enjoy the paradise that Hamilton holds!

<https://www.hamiltonisland.com.au/>



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BPS FAIR 22ND OCTOBER 2022

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## Silver Sponsors Cont.

### MOVING BODIES

Introducing, the home of kids and adults fitness on Sydney's North Shore – Moving Bodies!  
Another one of our fabulous silver sponsors for our BPS Twilight Fair!

Situated at Mt Kuring-Gai, the team at Moving Bodies aim to make exercise and fitness fun for children and adults of all ages – from babies to seniors.

Aware of the demand among North Shore residents and their families for a local fitness centre where kids and adults can enjoy healthy and fun activities, Moving Bodies Centre was opened in April 2012. The Centre, complete with indoor heated swimming pool, offers programs outside the school system that complement your family's lifestyle.

So, whether it is gymnastics, adult or children's fitness classes, ninja courses, indoor soft play, swimming lessons or indoor parkour – you can guarantee Moving Bodies has it all!  
Plus, it's a fabulous venue for your next little one's birthday party or perhaps you'd prefer to hire their mobile birthday party equipment?

Whatever you feel like taking part in, ensure you visit Moving Bodies today, you're sure to have a tonne of fun!

<https://www.movingbodies.com.au/>  
Hamley Road, Mt Kuring-gai  
9457 7732



### PROPERTY ALCHEMY

Introducing Belinda and Penelope from Property Alchemy as one of our Silver sponsors for our BPS Twilight Fair!

With over 20 years in the property space, they were driven to establish their very reputable business in an effort to solve their own experiences with substandard real estate services.  
They recognised a real opportunity to serve property investors looking for premium customer service expertise in property purchasing sales and quality property management in the one company.

"We founded Property Alchemy with one simple goal: we want to help our clients build wealth through property and enjoy their experience with us."

With a 5 star rating and their outstanding credibility which has seen them never lose a client, you know you're in good hands with Property Alchemy!

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### CHADWICK BEROWRA

Step aside friends, and welcome to the Silver banner – Chadwick Berowra!

Ingrid Stewart and Alison Gormly are two fabulous real estate agents, who have recently made their presence known in the local Berowra Village.

Genuine and passionate with an absolute commitment to achieving the best outcome for her clients, Ingrid is held in high regard throughout the Hornsby and Berowra area. Living locally with her family, her background in marketing and design has provided Ingrid with a skillset that adds real value when helping clients prepare their homes for sale.

Constantly striving to exceed expectations, her warm approachable demeanour has helped Ingrid excel in her chosen profession because she genuinely cares about people. Client satisfaction is of paramount importance and remaining relevant beyond the transaction has been key to her business and a major source of referrals for her services.

As a trusted advisor, building long lasting relationships with buyers and sellers is at the core of Ingrid's success and together with her associate Alison Gormly, you can rest assured that no detail throughout the selling process will be left to chance. Recognising that for many people, the sale or purchase of property is one of the most emotional and important decisions they will make in life, you can feel secure and confident knowing that your property is in the safest of hands.

So if you're wanting agents that are knowledgeable, supportive and confident in doing the most they can to benefit you whilst guiding you through your real estate journey, contact Ingrid or Alison today!

"We live local and love local"

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### BEROWRA RSL CLUB

Introducing one of our fabulous Bronze Sponsors for our BPS Twilight Fair, Berowra RSL Club!

Club Berowra is situated at 997 Pacific Highway, Berowra and is a great location not only for residents of Berowra and adjacent suburbs but also as a mid-way point between Sydney and the Central Coast.

With several bars, gaming areas, dining areas and events all year round, you can enjoy a lunch, dinner or beverage six days a week with the convenience of being picked up or dropped home safely, care of their fabulous courtesy bus.

Make sure you give Berowra RSL a visit today, their food and atmosphere is sure to keep you coming back for more!

02 9456 1844  
997 Pacific Hwy, Berowra  
<https://clubberowra.au/>



**Club Berowra**

### TURNER ROAD PRESCHOOL

Say a big warm hello to one of our Bronze Sponsors for our BPS Twilight Fair, Turner Rd Preschool!

Led by Michelle Doran, Turner Rd Preschool provides high quality education and care for 3 – 6 year olds right here in our local community. They pride themselves on providing nurturing learning environments that inspire and challenge young children to create, explore and learn using an interest-based play approach.

Open from 8:00am–4:00pm, 48 weeks of the year with a 1:5 educator-to-child ratio, their tailored 8 hour day, not only provides parents with a care service 48 weeks per year (we close for 4 weeks over the Christmas period), but also ensures they can maximise any Child Care Subsidy (CCS).

"Children, families, community and environmental awareness is at the forefront of all we do."

Turner Road Preschool has been purposefully designed with the child, families, sustainability and the environment at the forefront. What a beautiful, nurturing business to have on board with us here as BPS!

Make sure you reach out if you are keen to know more about Turner Rd:  
9456 0609  
<https://turnerroadpreschool.com.au/>

*Adventure*



**TURNER ROAD  
PRESCHOOL**

### CROCODILE CREEK SHIRTS

Welcoming one of our Bronze Sponsors for our BPS Twilight Fair, Crocodile Creek Shirts!

A family printing business, right here in the heart of Berowra, Crocodile Creek Shirts service all around Australia, providing schools and clubs with Memento Shirts, Graduation Shirts and Leavers' Shirts, proudly made right here in Australia, only using high quality products. Crocodile Creek Shirts has thrived over the decades and was established way back in 1986! With a fondness for quality, the longevity of the business speaks as a testament to the product, consistency and superior service.

As a family business, they not only offer fast and friendly service with competitive pricing, but also proudly donate \$2 from every shirt sold, to not-for-profit organisations.

You are in good hands with Ryan and Chey at the centre of Crocodile Creek Shirts, so make sure you reach out and enquire with them today!  
9456 6699  
<https://www.crocodilecreek.com.au/>



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### BAS HEALTH & FITNESS

Berowra BPS dad and bringer of jokes, kettlebells and bikes, Bas Green is the owner of BAS Health & Fitness – and one of our proud bronze sponsors for our Twilight Fair! Berowra's favourite group fitness sessions, BAS Health & Fitness gives you holistic fitness with a feelgood vibe, coached by expert fitness trainer, Bas himself.

Regardless of age, ability, skills or fitness level, he can adapt the session to give you a solid workout that's ideal for where you're at. His fitness sessions all have his trademark blend of science, physical challenge, art, mental stimulation, and group fun. If you've even been up before the sun round here, you might have seen him setting up sessions for an awesome group of BASinators on Berowra and Warrina Ovals.

Reach out and contact Bas, to start your health and fitness journey today!

Bas Green  
0416 977 963  
bashealthandfitness.com.au  
FB @BASHealth&Fitness



### FIRST CLASS GLASS

Introducing one of our bronze sponsors for our Twilight Fair, First Class Glass!

Ben and Alanna are incredibly well known within the community, providing exceptional customer service as premier glaziers in Hornsby and the surrounding North Shore Area.

Offering a complete range of services to suit all of your residential and commercial glass requirements including glass repairs, replacement and installation, glass and mirrors cut to size, bespoke mirrors and mirror repairs, frameless glass shower screens, coloured glass splash backs, glass balustrades, UV bonding, glass shelving and roof lights, double glazed units AND a whole lot more (phew) – their knowledge, experience and professionalism means any glass-related job is completed flawlessly and efficiently.

Reach out to FCG today & make sure you tell them we sent you!

firstclassglass@hotmail.com  
<https://firstclassglass.com.au/>  
0424 614 310/ 02 9987 2397



### SOCIALUS.

Welcome to the Bronze banner – SocialUs.

SocialUs. consists of two locals, Meagan & Jess, who are the go-to for organic social media marketing.

Meagan and Jess are all about supporting businesses that lack the time, desire, or mental capacity to manage their social media marketing.

Got some annoying pain points you can't seem to understand?

SocialUs. offers one-on-one consults to give you the answers to all those pesky social media questions.

Hate creating content, and don't have a creative bone in your body? They offer social media management as little or as much as you require. Don't know who your ideal client/customer is, or when to post on what day?

They can build a social media strategy that will enable you to manage your own social media with the knowledge and skill to ensure your social media is on point.

Whatever you need, they guarantee you will end up happier and less stressed with the assurance that your social media matches the magnificent product or service you're selling.

So, make sure you reach out to these fabulous ladies today, if you're after some serious social media support.

[www.socialus.com.au](http://www.socialus.com.au)

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### THE SHOPPE AT COWAN

Introducing, one of our newest small businesses who has really changed not only the community vibe in Cowan, but have also introduced a stunning, exciting new food and beverage menu, welcome to the Bronze banner – The Shoppe at Cowan!

Owner Joy, who has been a resident for many years, had a vision to transform the little local café situated on the Old Pacific Hwy into something truly special. The Shoppe @ Cowan is a new era of fine food, quality coffee, convenience items and general corner shop requirements – right here in the heart of Cowan, NSW.

"My vision is for it to be an asset to the community and a hub for people to gather with friends, enjoy a coffee and a chat."

So, next time you take a buzz on your bike up the old road, or are merely wanting to venture somewhere different, that is not too far from home, pop in to The Shoppe at Cowan!

The hardest part will be choosing what you'll tickle your taste buds on first!

Facebook: @theshoppeatcowan



The Shoppe @ Cowan

### ABOVE AND BEYOND BUILT

Welcome to the stage, one of our fabulous BPS Twilight Fair Bronze sponsors, Above & Beyond Built! A proud local, successful business and popular amongst many.

With owner Frank at the centre, A&BB have an exceptional reputation for providing quality builds, home extensions, custom designed granny flats and utilising that creative flair to transform and exceed their customer's expectations.

"Our business has been built around trust, or what we like to call that 'open book approach'. Offering our clients, a service built around honesty in the way we communicate our process & perform even the smallest of tasks. A build should be an exciting journey, a successful collaboration between both builder and client. We understand this at Above and Beyond Built & believe this is why we are truly "a step above the rest". "

With the clients at the centre of everything they do, it is no wonder why so many will always put Above and Beyond Built at the forefront!

Make sure you contact Frank and his team today!

<https://www.aboveandbeyondbuilt.com.au/>  
frank\_build@hotmail.com  
0431 176 488



### THEIRCARE

Welcome to the Bronze banner, one of our BPS Twilight Fair sponsors, TheirCare!  
Offering their before and after school care facilities for many schools, including ours!

TheirCare provides a stimulating and safe environment for all children, where children come and enjoy their time in a program that will engage and keep them active. During session time children develop life skills, friendships, confidence and creativity through play.

At TheirCare we pride ourselves on providing a safe, educational, stimulating, nurturing and caring environment. TheirCare's purpose is to incorporate the needs, interests and learning development of children whilst in our care, to ensure all children and families have a sense of belonging.

Whether it is before school care, after school care or our awesome holiday programs, your children will be engaged. Our spaces are clean and inviting and we invest in quality resources that are replenished to keep you children active and engaged.

We look forward to continuing to build a wonderful relationship with the BPS community.

If you'd like to look into utilising the facilities they offer, ensure you contact them today!

<https://theircare.com.au/>  
info@theircare.com.au  
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# BEROWRA PUBLIC SCHOOL FAIR RAFFLE

OUR SCHOOL FAIR IS FAST APPROACHING AND IS BEING HELD ON SATURDAY 22ND OCTOBER 2022. ONE OF THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE FAIR IS THE RAFFLE DRAW.

THIS YEAR, WE ARE ONCE AGAIN ASKING OUR BPS FAMILIES TO HELP WITH SELLING AND/OR BUYING TICKETS.

## DETAILS

- EACH FAMILY WILL RECEIVE ONE RAFFLE BOOKLET TO SELL.
- TICKETS ARE \$2 EACH WITH 20 IN EACH BOOK (TOTAL VALUE \$40).
- ONCE SOLD, PLEASE SEND MONEY AND TICKET BUTTS BACK TO THE CLASS TEACHER OR THE OFFICE IN AN ENVELOPE WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME AND CLASS ON IT.
- IF YOU WOULD LIKE ANOTHER BOOKLET TO SELL PLEASE SEND US AN EMAIL AT [FAIR@BPS.ORG.AU](mailto:FAIR@BPS.ORG.AU) OR SEE CLARE SALKE.
- IF YOU DO NOT WISH TO SELL THE BOOKLET, PLEASE RETURN IT TO YOUR CLASS TEACHER OR THE OFFICE.
- ALL BOOKLETS EITHER SOLD OR UNSOLD ARE DUE BACK BY: FRIDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER.

## RAFFLE PRIZES

1ST: 5 NIGHTS ACCOMMODATION FOR 2 ADULTS AND 2 CHILDREN CORAL SEA ROOM, REEF VIEW HOTEL HAMILTON ISLAND. PRIZE VALUE \$2,500 (SUBJECT TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS). FLIGHTS NOT INCLUDED.

2ND: NINTENDO SWITCH RRP \$449

3RD: \$250 CASH

THE RAFFLE WILL BE DRAWN AT THE FAIR ON SATURDAY 22ND OCTOBER AT 6PM.

YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE PRESENT WHEN THE RAFFLE IS DRAWN.

WINNERS WILL BE CONTACTED ACCORDINGLY.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



HAMILTON ISLAND  
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# TheirCare Newsletter

## Term 3 2022

This fortnight we dove right into all things to do with Pokémon!

Yes, you've guessed it. This week was called Pokémania ☺

From discovering the true meaning behind the word Pokémon being pocket monsters to creating our own Pokémon cards and earning our own, we had so much fun!

Throughout the week the children created their own Pokéballs from paper plates and from template designs; allowing them to adapt from what they have learnt from one context and transfer this to another.

We made Pokémon masks, our own Pokémon names, shrink art to then be made into a key ring on our school bags, and even our very own gym badges. Throughout the week we also created Pokémon stencil craft, and bookmarks.

For cooking club, the children created a fruit platter in the shape of a Pokéball. The fruits used for this amazing dish were strawberries for the red effect, bananas for the white effect and for the black we used blueberries. We then created some dipping sauce from melting marshmallows. On Friday the children made Ditto Pokémon cookies and Squirtleade (blue lemonade). The children worked hard with squeezing the lemons and adjusting the mixture to mask this look like the Pokémon Squirtle. For our breakfast and late snack on one of our afternoons we made Pokéball Bagels, using strawberry jam for the red, cream cheese for the white and blueberries for the black.

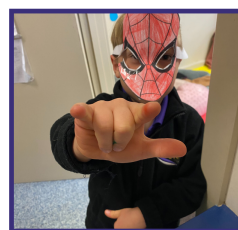


## Superheroes unite Week

Is that a bird or it that a plane?

No, it's Boshc's week of Superheroes uniting!

In week 9 the children immersed themselves in all things to do with superheroes. These superheroes are not subject to ones famous in movies but can also be someone who is a superhero to you.



The children created on Monday morning superhero masks and even designed their own adventure with creating a comic strip. The comic strips contained various stories and endeavors through what the children did on the weekend, what they would do if they had a superpower or even their own imagination of a character that gains control over a city.

We made various superhero emblems and put these to good use in our scavenger hunts, and superhero training to save the world and even our boot camp in our sports club program.

The educators assisted the children in cooking club experiences, where they got to create Thor's hammer, and Captain America's shield out of mini pizza bases and cutting out a cheese star for the middle of the shield.

In our science club we created our own secret messages from lemon juice and heating up the lemon juice to create a chemical reaction, revealing the message that the children wrote prior. But what's fun without a little giggle at some of the experiences, yes, we also made some Hulk poop, which was just green playdough ☺







# HAVE A BLAST



## Get into Woolworths Cricket Blast

It's a fun and active program for kids of all abilities, whether it's your first time with a bat or you're a backyard Cricket star!

**Berowra Cricket Club**

**Contact: Fred O'Connor**  
**bccjunioerenquiries@gmail.com**



**JOIN YOUR NEAREST CLUB**

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# Give life. Give blood in Berowra

**1 Gully Road**

17 October - 19 October



Monday 17 October  
Tuesday 18 October  
Wednesday 19 October

01.30 pm – 06.30 pm  
01.30 pm – 06.30 pm  
10.30 am – 03.30 pm



**NORMANHURST BOYS HIGH SCHOOL**

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## **Open Day**

### **For Prospective Year 7 2024/2025 Families**

On the day, there will be a Principal's Address and free school tours.

## **Friday 23 September 2022**

Registration by 10:00 am on  
Thursday 22 September 2022 is essential!

Register at:

<https://normanhurstboys.nsw.edu.au/open-day-2022>

**Address:** 54-72 Pennant Hills Road, Normanhurst, NSW 2076  
**Phone:** +61 2 94891077 **Fax:** +61 2 94895722

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