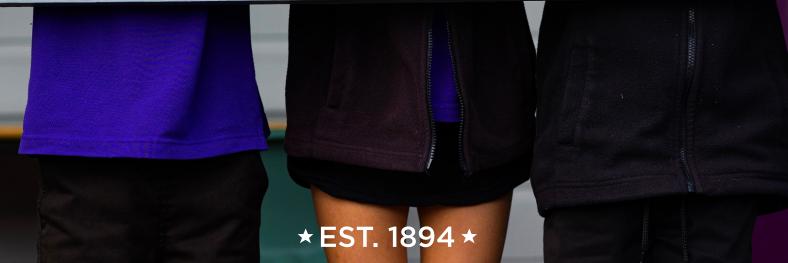
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# **SCHOOL**

Friday AUG 18: Premier's Reading **Challenge closes Sunday AUG 20:** Band Workshop Tuesday & Thursday AUG 22 & 24: Uncle Laurie visit Monday-Wednesday AUG 28 - 30: Stage 3 camp Canberra



Wednesday AUG 16: P&C AGM Monday AUG 21: Father's Day stall Friday SEP 1: Father's Day Breakfast



Friday AUG 18: Zone Athletics Carnival Wednesday AUG 23: Kindy 2024 **Sports Extravaganza** 

**EXCURSION** 

**Tuesday AUG 15: Kindy Excursion Teddy Bears Picnic Muogamarra** 







"Education breeds confidence. Confidence breeds hope. Hope breeds peace."

- Confucius

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# Open Hay



Vicky Wallace **PRINCIPAL** 

hank you to all our special visitors who joined us for an amazing time during Education Week. Well done to the BPS Band and the Girls and Boys Dance groups who all performed to provide some spectacular lunchtime entertainment. A huge thanks to the canteen and all our volunteers who provided tea, coffee and cake for those who wanted to enjoy it during our picnic lunch. A huge congratulations to all our students who performed for our parents, grandparents, and community. Your dancing, singing, and smiling faces were the day's highlight! Our students and teachers spent a lot of time and energy rehearsing for the special occasion, and they were great! It was also fantastic to see so many visitors making their way into the classrooms and the children sharing their learning experiences.

# **Feedback Survey**

Thank you to everyone who filled in our feedback survey. The responses were incredibly positive, and our kids and teachers loved the day. Survey results showed that 85% of parents/cares rated the value of Open Day as Outstanding and 92% rated

their enjoyment as High or Outstanding. The timing of the event was rated Satisfactory by all survey respondents and was rated Outstanding by 71%. Finally, a huge thanks to Mrs Lukic for her time, creativity, and expertise in teaching our dance groups and organising Open Day. You are awesome and we would be lost without you!

### **Kindy Excursion**

Next week we have the Kindy Excursion -Teddy Bears' Picnic at Muogamarra. I know they'll have an amazing time! We also have our Zone Athletics Carnival on Friday 18 August. Well done Mr Griffin for getting this organised for our competitors!

### **P&C AGM**

Do not forget our AGM (Annual General Meeting) for the P&C is on Wednesday 16 August at 7pm in the School Library. It would be great if we could get some additional parents and carers attending. Our P&C are extremely supportive and a highly active part of our school community. New members are always welcome so hopefully we will see you there!



















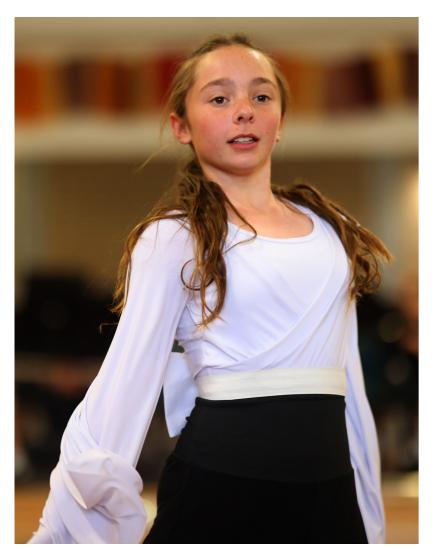








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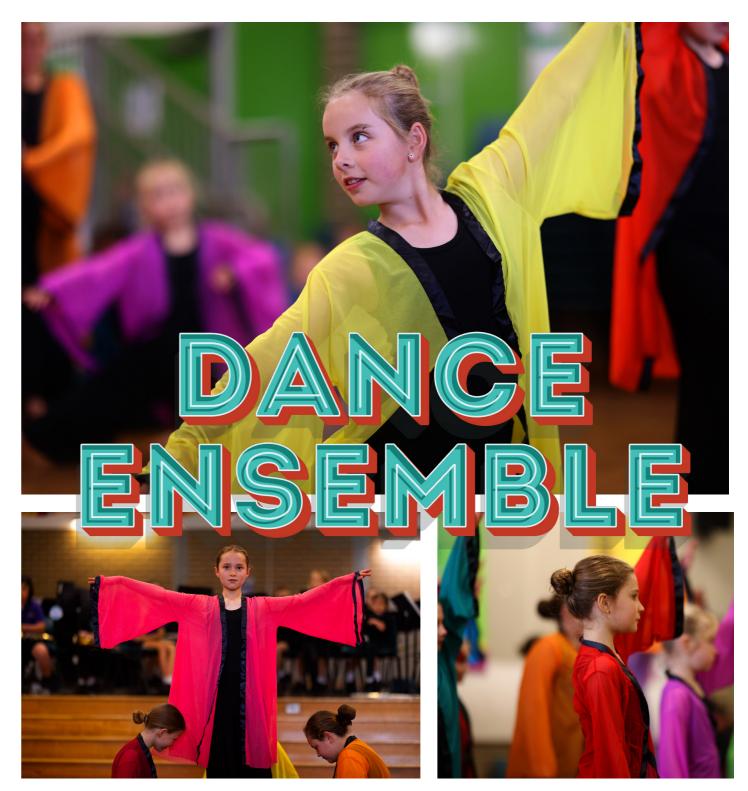
















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# LIBRARY EVENT - BOOK WEEK 2023



# **WAY TOO COOL!**

Join Marley and Henry on their new adventure **WAY TOO COOL!** as part of Children's Book Council of Australia Book Week 2023. Enjoy a fabulous gateway into the best in children's literature through the CBCA 2023 shortlist books and celebrating the theme: READ, GROW, INSPIRE.

WAY TOO COOL! is a highly interactive musical adventure that explores ways to solve differences using empathy, kindness and a strong sense of humour.

When: Thursday 24 August, 5.30pm-6.30pm

**Hornsby Library** Where:

Age: Cost: Free

Bookings: Bookings essential.

Book online at hornsby.nsw.gov.au/library or at any Hornsby Shire Library Branch.

Children 10 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

Bookings are essential. For booking details and further information on this event and more events in your library visit hornsby.nsw.gov.au/library









# BREAD TAGS FOR WHEELCHAIRS



Please save your bread tags - they will be recycled to fund wheelchairs, mainly in South Africa.



We collect bread tags Australia-wide, and recycle these in Robe, SA. All funds raised through recycling are used to supply wheelchairs.

**BPS P&C are participating in the Aussie Bread Tags** for Wheelchairs collection program

Simply collect and send in clean plastic bread tags to your class teacher or drop box at canteen. Do not send in cardboard tags please.



Note this is a private collection drive within the school for families & friends and we are not a registered public collection point

Visit https:// ozbreadtagsforwheelchairs.org.au to see what it is all about!

**Collection contact: Lisa Heathers** 

Got other War on Waste ideas? Bring your ideas to the next P&C meeting!



"I like Smiling Mind because it can make you be calm." Braxton P

# This fortnights Smiling Mind focus is Making Decisions

"I think Smiling Mind is something really good to get the things that you are thinking about that are bad away." Cooper V

"One of the ones I really
like is the decisions
because sometimes I
need help making
decisions and that
[meditation] helps me."
Seren D

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# THE JUNIOR SCIENCE CLUB



**TERM 3, 2023** 

# **Presented by the Children's Discovery Museum**

A four week program for young scientists aged 6 to 8 years presented by the Children's Discovery Museum. Participants will be able to learn and explore themes from different branches of science through numerous practical experiments.

### **Session 1: Science of Sherbet**

Explore the sometimes explosive effects of acidbase reactions to discover how sherbet tingles your tongue, and make your own to take home. **When: Monday 28 August,** 4.30pm-5.30pm

# **Session 2: I Like to Move It**

Discover what it really takes to 'move it' like the cast of Madagascar and use this to impress your family and friends with a clever physics trick.

When: Monday 4 September, 4.30pm-5.30pm

# **Session 3: Eggsperiments**

Eggsperiment with major ideas in physics, chemistry and biology and explain everyday phenomena using the humble egg.

When: Monday 11 September, 4.30pm-5.30pm

## **Session 4: Dinosaur Doings**

Join palaeontologists in exploring the prehistoric world of dinosaurs through fossils and make a fizzy dinosaur egg to take home!

When: Monday 18 September, 4.30pm-5.30pm

Where: Hornsby Library, 28-44 George Street, Hornsby

**Ages:** Strictly 6-8 years

**Cost:** \$60 for the 4 week program

**Bookings:** Bookings essential. Book online at hornsby.nsw.gov.au/library

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# BEROWRA PUBLIC SCHOOL

# MERIT AWARDS

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**CHRISTEL R** 

**FLORENCE C** 

**JOSEPHINE B** 

CLASS K/1T

**JAIR** 

**HAILEY M** 

**ELI R** 

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BE

**ANNOUNCED** 

CLASS 1/2L

**CARAF** 

**DUSTY T** 

**GEORGIA C** 

KITTY R

**SAMANTHA SC** 

**EVELYN C** 

**KIERAN A** 

**SUMMER S** 

CLASS 3/4L

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CLASS 3/4B

BE

**ANNOUNCED** 

CLASS 3/4G

**ELIJAH E** 

TRISTAN H

**CHARLIE G** 

**WILLIAM L** 

**JONATHAN T** 

**LOGAN M** 

CLASS 4/5A

**VINNY M** 

**NIALL H** 

**WILLOW N** 

**SAM SW** 

**MADDIE K** 

**SOPHIE C** 

CLASS 5/6M

**SIENNA P** 

**DANA DR** 

**LACHLAN L** 

SAM C

MIA L **GIA M** 

CLASS 5/6S

**NETHULA S** 

**COOPER B** 

**HAYDEN W** 

**RUBY M** 

**DILAN H** 

**HARPER F** 

CLASS 5/6P

**RILEY U** 

**ERIN P** 

**NINA P** 

**ARSHIA A** 

**HENRY W** 

**JESSE W** 





We would like to acknowledge the Guring-gai and Durug land that we learn, play and have fun on. We thank the Elders past, present and emerging for the resources that keep us alive and living. The land we walk and breathe on is out responsibility to look after. Thank you.

# National Pyjama

We celebrated the comfort of our pyjamas on the 21st of this month and boy Were We excited to rug up in our comfiest clothes during this chilly weather.

# Pokemon Week!

Our theme for Week 1 featured one of BeroWrd's

# Travel Week!

We explored all the wonders of our world in Week 2, with our theme 'Where in the World Shall We Go?"! Activities this Week included making our flags of the World bunting for our room, exploring music from various cultures, and crafting our dream bucket lists!

We were very excited to be back starting Term 3 with a program jam packed with excitement and something for every child to enjoy. For sport this week, and for the kids brave enough to venture into the cold, we had 'Pokemon Frisbee Target Toss', 'Poke Trainer Fitness Test', and a 'Pokemon Scavenger Hunt'. Craft club included a wide variety of creative activities such as 'Pokemon Drawing Lessons' and 'DIY Pokemon Cards and Gym Badges'.

Week two's theme was 'Where in the World Shall We Go?' and it consisted of lots of it required lots of exploring! We made our own country flag bunting to brighten our room even more, made bucket lists for our future travel dreams, read books about awesome characters who venture to all sides of the world, and we even danced and did our other activities to songs from different



Our helpful breakfast server!



Late night snack!

OOSH Educator Day! 26/07/2023 Thank you to the educators who support our growing

team and help to look after our brilliant kids.

# Student of the Week! Maddison Murphy

Week one's student of the week goes to Maddie Murphy for her consistent acts of kindness and her helpful nature that continues to help the service. We would like to specifically show our appreciation to Maddie for writing our new Acknowledgement of Country which is now read out by a different student at the beginning of every session.

Jack Irwin

Jack receives Student of the week in week 2 for his consistent thoughtfullness towards the educators and willingness to help out our very big team!

Jess Dula

David Teakle

Sophie Crouch

Andrew Sheldo

Aidan O'Sulliva

Before School: 6:30AM-8:50AM After School: 3:20PM-6:30PM

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