

SCHOOL

Monday JUN 17: Journey to Antartica Thursday JUN 20: Kindergarten 2025 **Danbce Concert 2:30pm** Monday JUN 24: Beanie and Scarf Day **Food Drive**



Wednesday JUN 19: Pyjama Mufti Day Friday JUN 28: Term 2 Disco



JUNE 17-30 2024: Sydney North Dance **Festival**

SCHOOL CALENDAR LINK **LINK**





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"We learn from failure, not from success!" - Bram Stoker

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CANTEEN



A busy school

Carolyn Stephens PRINCIPAL (Rel.)

Baby news!

Berowra PS principal, Ms Vicky Wallace, has a new addition to her family. Little Wylie James was born early April and both mum and bub are doing well. The staff are enjoying getting some pictures of this gorgeous boy, who is growing

Ms Sinead Simmonds headed off on maternity leave at the end of last week, ready for her own new addition. We wish her well and look forward to hearing baby news soon. Mrs Georgie Simpson-Lee and Mrs Kelly Lukic will be job sharing 12K for the rest of the year to ensure a smooth transition for the class.

Reconciliation Week

Last week was National Reconciliation Week and the students and staff explored this year's theme 'Now more than ever.' During this week students learnt about our shared histories, cultures and achievements and explored how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia. Berowra PS staff have completed a survey related to reconciliation and are working on finalising our draft Reconciliation Action Plan.

NAIDOC Week

This week, we will be celebrating NAIDOC week on Tuesday 11th June. Uncle Laurie visited the

school to have a yarn with students and staff to deepen our knowledge and understanding of local Aboriginal history and culture. The theme for NAIDOC 2024 is 'Keep the Fire burning! Blak, Loud and Proud' This theme honours the enduring strength and vitality of the First Nations culture. Students rotated around various games and activities led by the Year 6 students. Uncle Laurie then consulted with staff on our Aboriginal Committee around our Reconciliation Action Plan. He will be coming back next term to share his culture with all the students in Years 3-6 and will be having a yarn with our Aboriginal students.

Extracurricular opportunities

At BPS we are extremely lucky to have talented and dedicated teachers who ensure that our students are enriched with many opportunities beyond the classroom. Last week the Stage 2 students had a fantastic time at Zoo Snooze, learning about animals from around the world. Kindergarten attended their first excursion to Gibberagong, to learn about special local places and connections to country. Our dance, choir, band and recorder group have been busy rehearsing for their upcoming performances.

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Chess Club

hess is an incredibly fun club. I especially recommend it if you have a little or no experience of playing it. John, our very funny teacher has heaps of jokes he is willing to share with you (always about chess). He also gives out 3 very special special

awards every Tuesday that you can save up to get shiny trophies! We have tournaments every term, and if you win, you will get









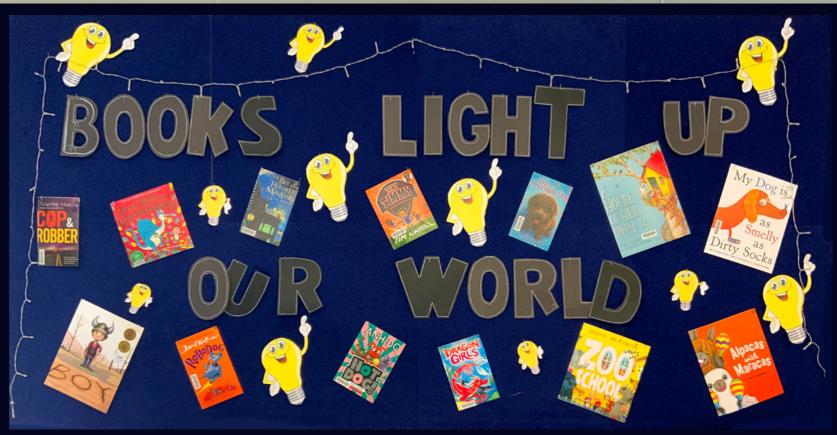
LIBRARY DISPLAYS OF STUDENT ARTWORK



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RECONCILIATION WEEK

On Friday the 1st of June Mrs Kolarik took 10 students into Hornsby on a train to watch an Aboriginal concert for Reconciliation Week. To start the concert, a man did a Welcome to Country, then we got to watch dances of different animals. Sometimes we got to go up on stage and join in to learn some of the

dances. They told us what the dances meant and how it represents the animal. At the end of concert we packed up and walked to the train station where we got on a train to go back to Berowra.

By CHARLIE (Year 6)











GARDEN CLUB

UPDATE















n Monday the 3rd of June, Stage 2 went to camp. Firstly, we went to The Botanic Gardens. We saw cactuses and rainforest plants such as banana trees. Next we went to the aquarium and saw sharks and fish of other types. We waited a long time to see a dugong show, witch was very interesting. We had a ferry ride to the zoo and went on a short nature walk. At night, the year 4's saw red pandas, lions and sea lions. We ate

delicious dinner, watched a movie and didn't get to bed until 10:30 pm. The next day we had to be up by 6:00 am to visit the animals. We had a 3 course breakfast and spent the day at the zoo. We saw the seal show, the bird show and then headed home. We were exhausted but had the best adventure ever!

By Maddi. M. and Elodie B. (Year 4)























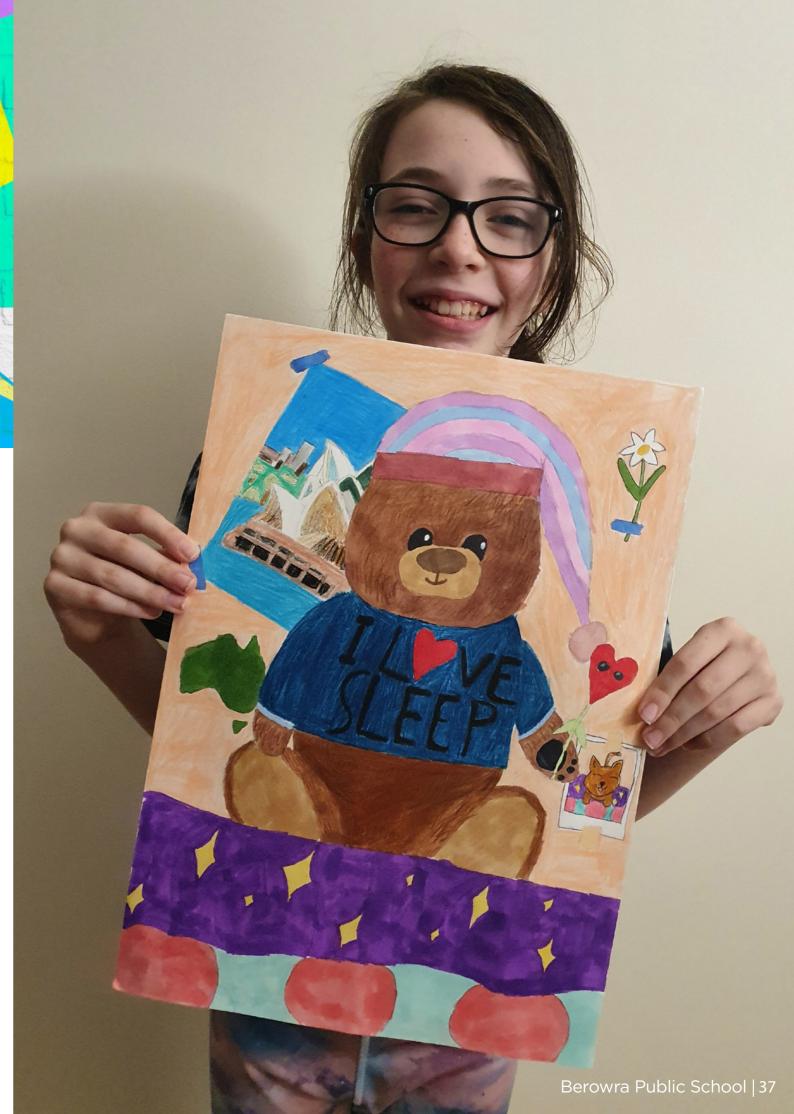






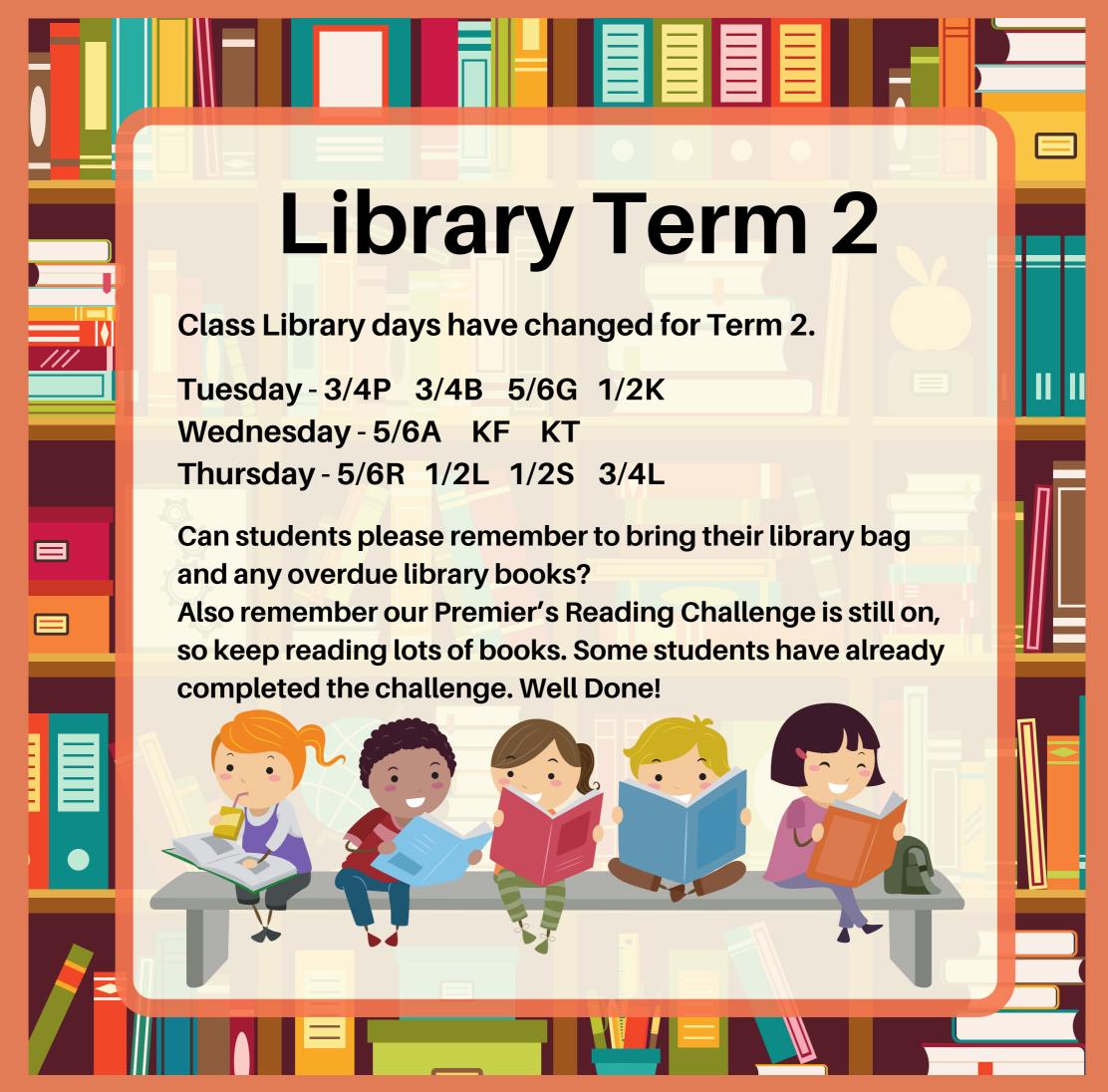


Congratulations to Emma P! Her artwork was nominated for the Operation Art competition. She will now wait for a team of judges to look at all the entries from students across NSW. The judges will then select 50 artworks to be gifted to the Children's Hospital at Westmead. Good luck Emma!



Premier's Reading Challenge







Book Glub

Book Club closes:

18 June



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Owra School Wide Expectations

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PBL	Office	Eating Areas	Playground	Canteen	Toilets	Hall	Outside of School HZSS/Bikes/Bus
Self	Use your manners Use the office for the right reasons	Take care of your belongings Sit down to eat	Be in the right place at the right time Take care of your belongings Play safe and fair	Be in the right place at the right time Spend your own money	Use the toilets at break times when possible Wash your hands Leave unnecessary belongings outside e.g. food	Be in the right place at the right time Respect the occasion Sit quietly and sensibly	Be in the right place at the right time Take care of your belongings Represent your school appropriately
Others	Be patient and wait your turn Be polite to the office staff	Leave others to eat in peace Eat you own food and drinks	Follow teachers' directions the first time Keep hands, feet and objects to yourself Encourage others	Follow teachers' directions the first time Speak politely and wait your turn	Keep hands, feet and objects to yourself Respect others' privacy Use an inside voice	Follow teachers' directions the first time Listen attentively to all speakers	Follow teachers' directions the first time Keep hands, feet and objects to yourself Speak politely and act kindly
Community	Be helpful and friendly to all visitors Be respectful of furniture and surroundings	Keep the area clean and tidy Put your lunch boxes in the class tub	Use equipment appropriately and safely Keep food away from play areas Be respectful of other people's games	Keep the area clean and tidy Use facilities and equipment properly	Use facilities properly Conserve water Keep facilities clean and tidy	Take care of facilities Applaud appropriately	Walk bikes and scooters in school grounds Follow road rules Use facilities properly

BEROWRA PUBLIC SCHOOL MERIT AWARDS **CLASS KF** CLASS 3/4L CLASS 5/6R **GRACE W EVI G LOGAN C** TIA V **ALISTAIR H HALLE P AMELIJA V** EMMA P **SAMANTHE S-C HELENA L** LUCY H **DUSTIN T ASHTON M** ELI E **JESSE W EWANS CLASS KT** PIA M CLASS 3/4B **BEAU H** CLASS 5/6G TO FINN A, **BRAXTON P** BE **MEHTAB P** LIAM R **ANNOUNCED WILLOW N** CLASS 1/2K **JACKSON R WINTER W** RYAN O'C **REMY T** CLASS 3/4P **CHARLIE E ISABELLE P BRAXTON N QUINN C** ELLY L **OLIVER L** CLASS 1/2L **ZACHERY R** TO **CHARLOTTE F** BE MASON M **ANNOUNCED** CLASS 5/6A NYA B KAI G CLASS 1/2S SIENNA P **RUDY S** MAX R **KAIA R JACOB C JOSHUA G BRAD M ELIJAH R** 46 | The Crest





Respect in the EATING AREAS

Self	Take care of your belongingsSit down to eat		
Others	 Leave others to eat in peace Eat your own food and drinks 		
Community	 Keep the area clean and tidy Put your lunch boxes in the class tub 		

Everyone - Everywhere - Everytime

SCHOOL UNIFORM



Girls Winter Uniform

Purple polo shirt with school logo

Completely black Skorts, shorts, jazz pants or trousers (no logos)

White or black socks

Completely black school shoes

Black polo fleece jacket

Wide brimmed school hat

Boys Winter Uniform

Purple polo shirt with school logo

Completely black Shorts or trousers

(no logos)

White or black socks

Completely black school shoes Black polo fleece jacket

Wide brimmed school hat

Girls Summer Uniform

Purple polo shirt with school logo Completely black Skort/shorts (no logos)

White socks that are below mid calf Completely black school shoes Black polo fleece jacket Wide brimmed school hat

Boys Summer Uniform

Purple polo shirt with school logo <u>Completely black</u> shorts (no logos) White socks that are below mid calf Completely black school shoes Black polo fleece jacket Wide brimmed school hat

Sports Uniform

House colour polo shirt Completely black shorts or skorts (no logos) White socks that are below midcalf and track shoes

Uniform shop link https://uniformsho p.bps.org.au/

Wide brimmed school hat

Logos - School logo only on clothing, socks and hats, no other logos should be seen. Shorts - Shorts must be of an appropriate length. Bike shorts and short shorts are not appropriate for school.

Tights and Leggings - Black tights and/or leggings are only to be worn under school uniform.

Jewellery - Bracelets, necklaces, rings, and earrings (other than studs or small sleepers) are not permitted to be worn at school. Watches can be worn and in the case of Smart Watches, must be on 'school mode', as per the BPS mobile phone procedure.

Accessories - Nail polish or false nails are not permitted to be worn at school. Hair that touches the shoulder must be pulled back. Small hair accessories are permitted in the school colours of purple, yellow and black.

Friday

Available Wednesday, Thursday and

Order online at www.Flexischools.com.au

by 8 45am or at the cantoon by cam

Canteen Menu 2024

by 8.45am or at the canteen by 9am									
TOASTED SANDWIC	HES								
Cheese	\$3.00	HOT FOOD							
Ham	\$3.50	Garlic bread	\$2.00						
Chicken	\$3.50	Corn cob	\$2.00						
Cheese & tomato	\$3.50	Spring roll	\$0.80						
Cheese & ham	\$4.00	Nuggets	\$3.50						
Cheese & chicken	\$4.00	- gluten free	\$4.00						
Cheese & pineapple	\$3.50	Snack pie	\$3.50						
Cheese & baked beans	\$3.50	Homemade pasta bolognaise	\$4.00						
Cheese & spaghetti	\$3.50	-gluten free	\$4.00						
Cheese & tuna	\$4.00	Sausage roll	\$4.00						
Spaghetti	\$3.20	Spinach & ricotta roll (V)	\$3.50						
Baked beans	\$3.20	Traveller pie	\$4.50						
Tuna	\$3.50	Chicken burger with lettuce &	\$550						
Ham, cheese &	\$4.00	mayo							
pineapple		- add cheese, cucumber &	\$6.00						
Ham, cheese & tomato	\$4.00	tomato							
Gluten free bread	\$1.00	Beef burger with cheese &	\$5.50						
SANDWICHES		tomato sauce							
Vegemite	\$2.00	- add salad	\$6.00						
Cheese	\$3.00	Chicken snack wrap with							
Ham	\$3.50	lettuce and mayo	\$5.50						
Chicken	\$3.50	- with cheese, carrot							
Tuna	\$3.50	cucumber & tomato	\$6.00						
Salad	\$3.00	Pizza slab 170g							
Egg	\$3.00	- cheese or hawaiian	\$4.00						
Egg, lettuce & mayo	\$3.50	*							
Ham, cheese & tomato	\$400	Sauce - tomato or BBQ	\$0.40						
Tuna, lettuce & mayo	\$4.00								
Extras - salad, cheese or									
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All sandwiches on wholemeal bread

Gluten free bread

Wrap

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JOIN US FOR A DANCE LESSON OR COME AND WATCH OUR SCHOOL DANCE & CHOIR PERFORMANCE! (PRESCHOOL EXCURSIONS OR PARENTS AND PRESCHOOL CHILDREN)

DANCE WORKSHOP: THURSDAY 6TH JUNE 10.20-11.20AM

TERM 2 DANCE CONCERT: THURSDAY 20TH JUNE 2.30-3.10PM

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please RSVP: bonnie.tonkes@det.nsw.edu.au



Parents & Carers! Join us with your preschool aged children and visit Berowra Public School. Meet at the hall for some information about our school and how to enrol then enjoy a tour with our student leaders.

Date

: Wednesday, 22nd May 2024

Time

:10am -11 AM

(•) **Location**: Meet in the Library. A school tour will follow.

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