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## BONNYRIGG HEIGHTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

*A school dedicated to quality teaching and learning*

Term 2 Week 4

21 May 2025

### A Message from Mr McKay

Dear Parents/Carers

Welcome to week 4 term 2 2025. Yes, I must admit the weather conditions of late have been certainly impacting on us all, especially having children unable to access the playgrounds/fields around the school. A huge reminder to students and parents, that officially, Winter uniform is now into play. Can I please remind parents of the importance of labelling student uniforms. Every week we are averaging up to at least 10-20 jackets being delivered to the front office or the uniform bins outside the admin block. We appreciate your attention to this as the costs of replacements are increasing. Please ensure that you use a black marker pen and clearly write their first and second name. I am sure that this winter will be very cool.

**A HUGE REMINDER TO PARENTS AND STUDENTS:** After last week, we celebrated Walk Safely to School for 2025. Although this was a very wet day, several teachers came to the party on the council parking ground by safely walking down and meeting several students. We enjoyed the scramble through mud and water and praised the kids for their listening skills. Thanks to those parents who dropped their child/ren off to school-look forward to another big event for 2026.

**WALKING ON THE SCHOOL CROSSINGS:** We all need to take the opportunity and reflect that we are doing the right and safe thing when leaving school. Our school is exceptional in having 2 crossing supervisors with experience who help many students and parent/grandparents and community. To have these people ensures your child being safe each day. If you are crossing in the wrong area-as I observed this week ie crossing on corners of street (Lewis St) and (Wilson Rd). You are placing yourself at risk and not to mention your child who you place at risk. We take the time to teach our students the right ways and to have them challenged as it saves 1 minute, is not a good practice that should continue. Please STOP and Think, an extra 30 secs of walk will ensure that you as the parent are safe and your child/ren will also be safe. This is important for us all.

A reminder to all students, parents, grandparents, that all schools across NSW will be recognising and celebrating Reconciliation Week. In our school, we are extremely fortunate to have many nations who come together in our school to celebrate and acknowledge culture and customs and to achieve a greater understanding of the people who make up these groups.

### Coming events for Term 2

Date	Events
Thursday 22 May	Stage 3 Assembly
Friday 23 May	Stage 1 Assembly
Monday 26 May	National Sorry Day
Tuesday 27 May	Year 6 Fundraiser - PJ Day/Disco
Wednesday 28 May	GVPSSA Cross Country
Thursday 29 May	Stage 2 Assembly
Friday 30 May	Kindy Assembly
Thursday 5 June	Stage 3 Assembly
Friday 6 June	Stage 1 Assembly
Monday 9 June	Public Holiday - No School
Thursday 12 June	SSW Cross Country
	Stage 2 Assembly

This week we are privileged to celebrate Reconciliation Week. The theme this year is: "Bridging Now to Next". Our Students K-6 – Support, will be able to be involved in many activities that have been planned. In our School we have a team of people working together in planning for special celebrations. I can say that this team have the best intentions of all students. I look forward in being a part of the day.

Our year 6 students will be moving forward in raising funds for their Yr 6 Farewell this term. On the 28 May our year 6 students will be having a Pyjama Day/Disco for all students. Information regarding the running of this event has been sent home to parents. This will be a great day for all involved. Please ensure that you read the information that has come home informing the students of what they need wear on the day!!!

A reminder to all parents that on the 9 June – Monday, NSW will be celebrating a Public Holiday. All students return to school on Tuesday 10 June.

Thanking you,

Daryl McKay  
Principal



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## This Week's School Value

OUR SCHOOL VALUES



# Be Responsible



## Next Week's School Value

OUR SCHOOL VALUES



# Be Cooperative

