

# Belmont Primary School News

**25 September**, **2020** 

Term 3 Recap

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Coming Events Dance Performance: What a fantastic effort from all our students. Congratulations, everyone! I'm sure your parents, relatives and teachers were all very proud of you. I was amazed at your moves, and being able to remember them all throughout the dances.

Thank you, Mrs Alban and Mrs Baxter for the stunning Choir performance—another congratulations to all choir members!

A special thanks to Tayla and Jaimie for working with all our students over the past 10 weeks, and for pulling it all together. I look forward to being able to work with you again in 2021.

So many thanks—a big "thank you" to Mr Ward and Mrs Robinson for cooking all the and onions for the sausages sausage sizzle, and, to Tabitha. Tiffany, Laura and Olivia for organising the sausage sizzle and then manning the table throughout the night. A fantastic effort by all! A profit was made of \$302.32 and combined with our Faction Carnival Cake Stall, this amazing committee has raised \$683 in such a short time.

Our first P&C meeting for 4th Term is planned for the 20th October, and we would really like to see our P&C grow in numbers. Meetings start at 2:00pm and we are a friendly group—all welcome!

#### **Contribution Draw:**

Congratulations to the following families who will have their \$60 Fees refunded. This refund can go towards 4th Term events, course material costs or rolled over to 2021.

- Daniel B Room 1
- Abdel A Room 3
- Lia O Room 4
- Nadeen K Room 7
- Aya K Room 9

Please inform the office as soon as possible what you would like this money to go towards. (It cannot go towards Photo Day).

Thanks to everyone for paying the Contributions and Charges for 2020.

We currently have \$8 794 owing for 2020—covering fees, course materials, incursions and excursions—and this impacts on our budget and what we can offer your students.

Talk Like a Pirate Day: 18 September—What a motley crew we had at school on Friday. Thanks to all the students who dressed up for the day. Great effort, me hearties!

Perth Ballet Company—This was another inspiring incursion with all the students actively involved in the

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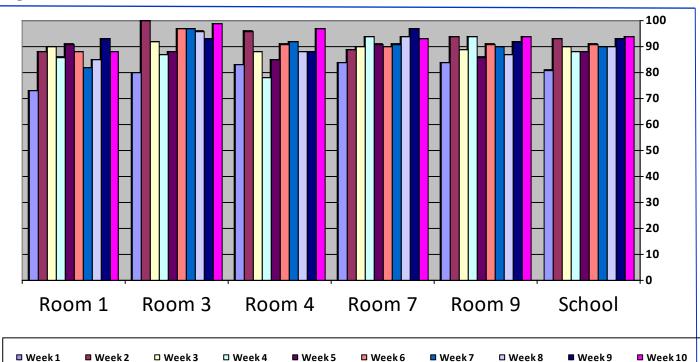
Tuesday 13 October

Students First Day Term 4

# Quote of the Fortnight

"Do more things that make you forget to check your phone."





performance—along with the message—Act, Belong, Commit! This was a free incursion and we sincerely thank Ethan, Georgia, Jess and Andres, along with the Perth Ballet Company, for this opportunity.

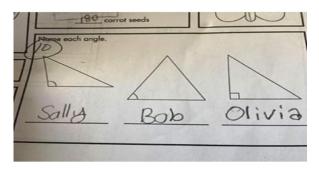
**Term Planner:** Our 4th Term planner has been given to your children today.

Please keep this handy to add to, or change any of the planned events for what will be a very busy term!

**Attendance:** Great to see this stay consistent over the past fortnight. Our attendance average for Term 3 is 89.8%. Well done!

Have a great break! Stay safe and happy and see you back at school on the 13th October!

# Stephanne Dann.....Principal



Look carefully—I'm sure some of you will get it!!

# **Congratulations**

#### **Sports Awards:**

In 3rd Term, we celebrate our students' sportsmanship and athletic ability.

The following students were awarded Certificates at this mornings assembly.

Congratulations to:

# Sportsmanship

•	Brad G	Kindy
•	Trav M	Year 1
•	Briar T	Year 2
•	Nancy V	Year 3
•	Sari W	Year 5

## **Athletic Ability**

	<i>J</i>			
•	Tayte H <b>-</b> J	Pre-Primary		
•	Flynn C	Year 1		
•	Eva K	Year 2		
•	Shrinand S	Year 4		
•	Pema W	Year 6		



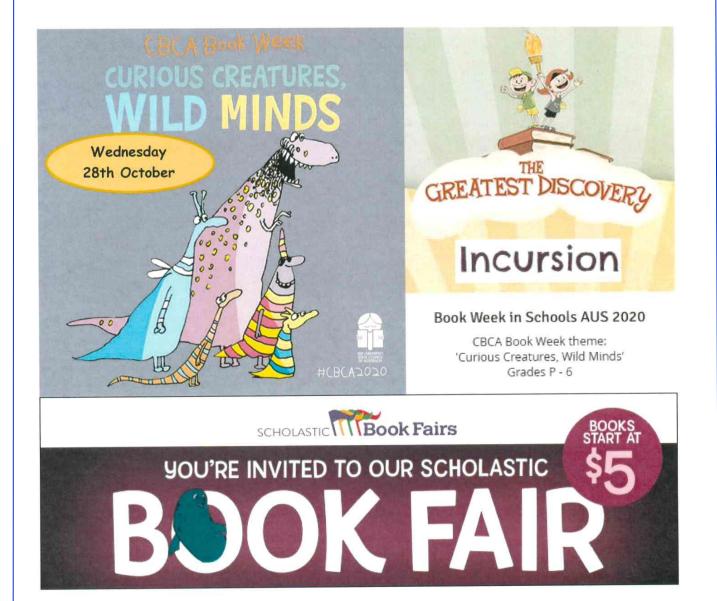


Belmont Primary School is going to have an exciting start to Term 4 as we celebrate reading through fun Book Week activities. We are celebrating Book Week on **Wednesday 28**<sup>th</sup> **October (Week 3)**.

This day will be full of excitement and will involve:

- Dressing up in a costume based on the Book Week theme (see below) or a character from a book;
- An incursion by Perform Education;
- A Scholastic book fair.

More information will be provided next term. If you have any questions, please see Miss Tobias in the library.



# Science This Term

This has been a fantastic term with lots of science happening.

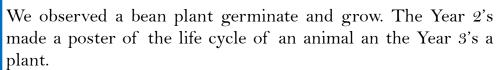


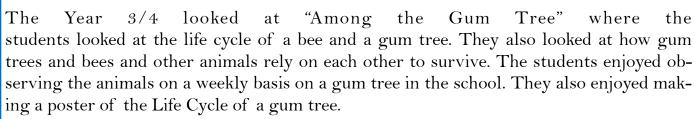
The PP/Year 1 looked at the "Dinosaurs or More". We looked at the features of a dinosaur, where they lived, what they are and their protection. The students loved designing and making their armour as if they were a dinosaur.

The Year 2/3 looked at "Watch it Grow". The students looked at various

animals to see how they grew and researched many animals and plants life cycles. We looked at animals that hatch from eggs and

that are born alive. We had some mealworms to observe which they loved seeing.







The Year 5/6 looked at "Rising Salt "where students looked at how changes in the environment affects different living things. They observed the effects of salinity on plants and

over watering of plants. They designed an irrigation or a trough for a farm. The students also wrote a

letter being an expert offering advice to a concerned farmer.

Science Week was another success with the students dressing up as scientists, lunch time fun activities supervised by the Year 5/6 students and our annual paper plane competition.





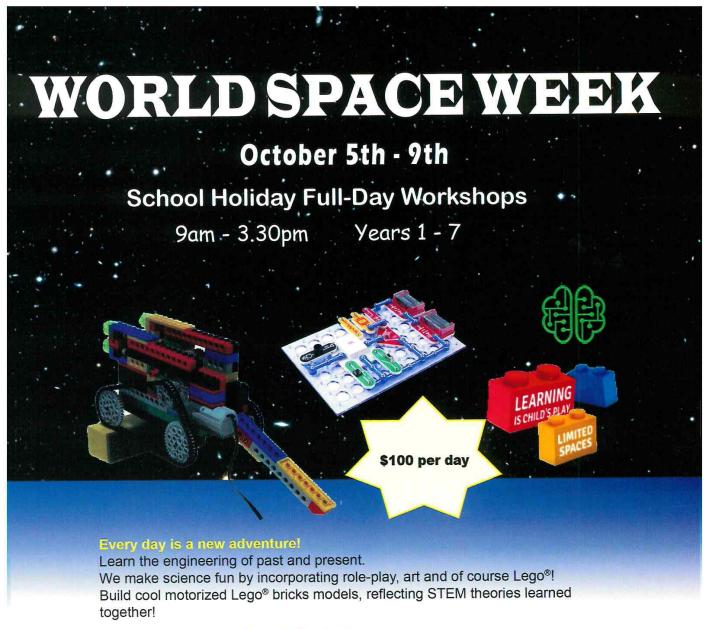
We had three Year 5 students attend the Belmont City College EPIC Science program for enrichment.

During the term twelve students have attended the Young Engineers Club after school on a Thursday. This has been very successful and the students have learnt and made many new things to do with engineering.

Term 3 has certainly been a big science term!!

Mrs Waters-Science Teacher





# **Our Workshops**

Using Lego® and other exciting tools our participants have lots of fun!, learn STEM, and take part in the following activities:

Building Motorized LEGO® Learning STEM Playing Fun Games Performing Cool Experiments Advancing their Motor and Spatial Skills Outdoor & Art Activities

For more information, send an email or call us.



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# WORLD SPACE WEEK

5 Big Days! - 5 - 9th October

9am - 3.30pm

\$100 per day

## Workshop 1

#### Egyptian Engineering

What machines did the Egyptians use to build the pyramids? How did they measure time and navigate the Nile? We discover the answer to these questions and more!

## Workshop 2

#### Medieval Marvels

How did the warlords protect their castles? In this workshop, we unleash the dark side of engineering in this era.

## Workshop 3

#### **Aussie Inventions**

What machines were used to map the Australian Outback? What makes Aussies such great inventors? Can you be the next great inventor?

# Workshop 4

#### **Modern Electronics**

In this workshop, we study the basics of electronics and create some surprisingly effective household electronics (eg, alarm and FM radio).

## Workshop 5

#### **NASA Inspired**

We'll be exploring some of the best futuristic innovations from NASA that will be sure to inspire young minds.

#### Held at these locations:

#### **Quintilian School**

October 5<sup>th</sup> – Workshop 1 October 6<sup>th</sup> – Workshop 2

#### Wesley College

October 7<sup>th</sup> – Workshop 3 October 8<sup>th</sup> – Workshop 4 October 9<sup>th</sup> – Workshop 5

#### Ellenbrook Secondary College

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#### Check in with your health at our free expo!

Come along to the City of Belmont's mini women's health and wellness expo to meet with local health services who will be giving presentations, completing health checks and other activities.

This expo aims to empower women within the City of Belmont to check in on their health and to make, or keep making, positive changes that can

Date: Mini Expo - Thursday, 5 November 2020

Time: 10am-1pm

Venue: Forster Park Main Hall (Keane Street/Abernethy Road) RSVP: Register on Eventbrite by Thursday, 29 October 2020

https://healthy-minds-expo.eventbrite.com.au

Registrations are essential as places are limited. Light lunch provided.

Creating opportunities



Sessions one to three (15, 22 and 29 October) will look at:

- The importance of looking after mental health and wellbeing. Techniques to manage and maintain optimum mental wellbeing. Debunking misconceptions about mental health and wellbeing.

 Connecting women to services and support in the community.
The fourth session (5 November) will be a mini-expo which sees a number of local health services attend and provide presentations, activities, health checks and more.

Date: Thursday, 15, 22 and 29 October, and 5 November 2020

CITY OF BELMONT

**Healthy Minds:** 

Women's Wellness

**Support Sessions** 

Time: 10am—1pm Venue: Forster Park Main Hall (Keane Street/Abernethy Road) RSVP: Please register via Eventbrite by Friday, 9 October 2020. Visit https://healthy-minds-sessions.eventbrite.com.au

A light lunch will be provided each week. Free childcare is available, if requested whilst booking, for children who are not of school age. For more information, please contact the City's Cultural Engagement Officer on 9477 7453 or via community.development@belmont.wa.gov.au





#### Cloverdale School Dental Clinic

We will be open for the Sept/Oct 2020 school holidays. Cloverdale Dental Clinic is open from 8am - 4pm Monday to Friday. We are a free service and cater for school age children/teens from Kindy & Pre-Primary from the year they turn 5 to the end of year 11 or their 17th Birthday, whichever occurs first.

We are a Bachelor of Oral Health Final year placement clinic during university semesters. An experienced tutor oversees all check-ups and procedures.

It is not compulsory to enrol with the School Dental Service, if your children are having regular dental check-ups and treatment with their private family dentist, consider withdrawing from the school service. This will enable us to service those that are unable to access private dentistry. If circumstances change, you are welcome to re-enrol at any time.

If your address has changed/changes, please call us, as we send appointments to your home address, we also require current mobile phone numbers to send out text message reminders.

If your child has a toothache, please phone us on 9479 7222 between 8am-4pm, if you have an emergency outside of work hours, please contact your family dentist or the Emergency Service on 1800 098 818.

Regards, Cloverdale Dental Therapy Centre Staff

180 Fisher St (Clinic access through Gate 5 off Hendra St) Cloverdale Ph: 9479 7222



# **BELMONT Primary School**Fourth Term Planner, 2020......Parents



Holidays — 18th December — 31st Hanuary Students Return — 1st February, 2021

