



# Belmont Primary News

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## COMING EVENTS

- **Friday 25th August**  
Music Assembly  
Newsletter
- **Wednesday 30th August**  
Choir Performance at  
WAPPA Conference
- **Wednesday 6th September**  
Book Week Performance
- **Wednesday 7th September**  
Great Aussie Crunch
- **Friday 8th September**  
ROLA - Read Out Loud Awards
- **Thursday 14th September**  
Faction Carnival
- **Tuesday 19th September**  
Talk Like a Pirate Day
- **Wednesday 20th September**  
Dance Concert—6pm  
Art Show
- **Friday 22nd September**  
Newsletter  
Japanese Assembly  
Last Day of Term 3
- **Monday 9th October**  
First Day Term 4  
FOR TEACHERS
- **Tuesday 10th October**  
First Day Term 4  
STUDENTS

## Dear Parents/Caregivers,

What a busy, but awesome week we have had to finish off 3rd Term.

Our week started with “Talk Like a Pirate Day” on the **Tuesday**, and it was fantastic to see so many pirates at the school. Photos were taken and these will be published in a newsletter at the beginning of 4th term.

We then had our Music and Dance Spectacular on **Wednesday** evening, along with Room 7 & 9 Creative School displays in the Library and Meeting Room. The P&C team did a wonderful job in keeping those hungry tummies from rumbling. And 4 families received vouchers from Cassie Rowe as a recognition of Contributions and Charges paid for 2023. Thank you to all families who have paid their fees in support of our school. I hope parents used this opportunity to visit classrooms to look at some of the fantastic work being done.

**Thursday**—what a great day - with our Faction Carnival highlighting the athletic talent we have at Belmont, and the awesome array of “sweet goodies” supplied by you, the parents. Thanks to all who contributed to the day and to our amazing little team from the P&C, for the wonderful Cake Stall. I really enjoyed my Honey Joys and the cupcakes. My sincere thanks to those parents who also helped set up in the morning, and pack up in the afternoon. Your support was greatly appreciated. Further thanks go to our Year 11 students from BCC—Kyra, Caleb & Harry—what fine ambassadors you are for your school!

And to all the staff at Belmont PS, thank you, one and all, for all the work done leading up to the Carnival and your tireless work on the day. We know need to get ready for the Interschool Carnival so we can show the other schools how we shine!

Today, **Friday**, we finished the term off with our Japanese Assembly. The Year 6 student leaders did an awesome job in running this assembly, without the assistance of Sensei Keranxi. Congratulations to our Sport Award winners as nominated by Ms Smyth our Term 3 PE teacher.

**Faction Names**— Mrs Reiger has compiled a table of names received for renaming our Faction names from Red and Blue to something related to seasons, colours, history, etc. I have added them at the end of the newsletter for you to discuss at home, vote according to your preference (top 5 only) and return to school for the beginning of 4th term. We will then tally the votes and let you know what the new names will be by the end of the first week. Thanks to everyone for sending in name suggestions and to Mrs Reiger for compiling the table of suggested names.

I look forward to seeing what the top preferences will be!

**Term Planner**—This will be sent out via Connect by the end of the day. Please remember that dates of some events are always subject to change. It doesn't look quite as busy as this term was but it won't be long before we finish another awesome year. A reminder that if you know you will be leaving the school next year (other than the Year 6 students), could you please let us know as our school budget is based on the number of students here. This information will remain confidential.

I think we will all now need a well-deserved holiday break !!

Enjoy your holidays—make lots of wonderful memories together and —stay safe and happy .....Stephanne Dann



## Birthdays

Birthdays in September. Happy Birthday to;



- ♦ Faith Daniel
- ♦ Joshua Isabella
- ♦ Jay Holly
- ♦ Tremain Mia
- ♦ Danny Xavier
- ♦ Ms Dann

## Kind



Sometimes it takes only one act of kindness  
and caring to change a person's life.

*Jacki Chan*

## Certificates Presented at this mornings Assembly

Congratulations to the students who received certificates at Friday morning's assembly.

### Certificates Sportsmanship

- ♦ Kenji — Room 1
- ♦ Platon — Room 3
- ♦ Trav — Room 7
- ♦ Lia — Room 9



### Certificates Athletic Ability

- ♦ Isabella — Room 1
- ♦ Gurraj — Room 3
- ♦ Diane — Room 7
- ♦ Imogen — Room 9

Faction Names Voting Sheet. Please have a look at the suggestions we received and then vote according to your preference—#1 being first choice to #5

Sheets can be returned to school at the beginning of 4th term for the tallying to be completed. If you cannot print off this sheet, please write your preferences on a piece of paper and return to school. Your name is not required. This is your opportunity to have a say as names will be chosen on votes received. Thanks.

Blue	Red	Meaning	Voting Preference 1-5
Argean/Azure	Cerise	Colours	
Makaru	Bunnaru Birak	Seasons Winter and Summer	
Lapis	Argate	Gemstones	
Bilya	Kard/Karla	River and Hills/Fire	
Fish	Crabs	Animals	
Pegasus	Phoenix	Mythical Creatures	
Redbacks	Chanticleer/Sharks	Animals	
Red Devils	Blue Monsters		
Fire Hawks	Navy Gators	Colour Animals	
Miracle Workers	Bold Type		

Photos from all events over the past couple of weeks will be added to our 1st Newsletter at the beginning of 4th Term. We have certainly missed Mrs Fitzpatrick and Mrs Westcott in the front office but also thank our relief office staff who stepped in at short notice. Thank you, also, to Ms Smyth for her role as our PE teacher this term, and to the various relief teachers who have worked in classes due to staff leave.

## Community News



Tues 3rd & Wed 4th Oct 2023

# ATHLETICS CLINIC

WA ATHLETICS STADIUM, PERTH



Sarah Edmiston

## CHOOSE ANY 4 EVENTS PER DAY

This clinic is designed to develop athletic skills for boys and girls aged 8 to 16 years.

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Paul Edmiston

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