

# Banksia Bulletin

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Caring, creative, challenging and achieving



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## CALENDAR

### TERM 3

2015

#### Week 3

#### EDUCATION WEEK

July

Monday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Homework Club 3pm-4pm
Wednesday 29 <sup>nd</sup>	Open Day Assembly 9.30am How to Support Your Child's Home Reading Workshop 3:15-3:45pm (Library)
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Round 10 PSSA

#### Week 4

August

Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Homework Club 3pm-4pm
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup>	Playgroup 9.30am -11.30am
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup>	Round 11 PSSA

#### Week 5

August

Monday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Homework Club 3pm-4pm
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Athletics Carnival
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Playgroup 9.30am -11.30am
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Stage 2 Excursion- Powerhouse
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Round 8 PSSA Catch Up

#### Week 6

August

Monday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Homework Club 3pm-4pm
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Playgroup 9.30am -11.30am
Friday 21 <sup>st</sup>	PSSA Semi Finals

**NOTES HOME:** Athletics Carnival-Whole School  
Early Stage 1 & Stage 1- Calmsley Hill  
Farm

## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

# EDUCATION WEEK

### THEME: CELEBRATING LOCAL HEROES

Parents and community members are invited to our 'Open Day' on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> July.

- 9:30am K-6 Assembly with some of our former students invited as guest speakers in keeping with the theme. We will also have a performance from our Banksia Bouncers (Senior Dance).
- 10:15am Open classrooms. Parents are invited into the classroom to see the great work their child is completing.
- 11:15 till 12pm bring your picnic basket and spend lunchtime with your child.

## NAIDOC

We celebrated NAIDOC Week last Wednesday. The Koomurri Education group provided the students with an insight into Indigenous culture with storytelling, dancing, face painting and boomerang throwing. Thanks to Mrs Zubairi for coordinating the event.



### EARN AND LEARN (till 8<sup>th</sup> Sept)

Simply place the stickers in the box situated in the school office OR in the BRPS box at our local Woolworths.

Hamish Woudsma  
Principal

### MERIT AWARD AWARDEES 24th JULY 2015

Congratulations to the following students for receiving their Bronze Awards:

Sattar , Eiliyah and Mia KG, Mohamed KM, Isaac and Isabella KW, Taisir, Adam, Jad and Riham 3G, Hajer, Lan and Ayham 3N, Mohammad and Aneesa 4P, Isabella 5F and Tina 6P

Congratulations to the following students for receiving their Silver Awards:

Daniel and Adam 3N and Vivienne 5P

### READING CLUB PARTIES

Reading Club at Banksia Road is a fantastic opportunity for students to read quality novels and talk about them with peers. Our first party for the term will be this week. If your child participates in Reading Club please mark the party date on your calendar and provide a plate of finger food to share on the day of the party. Food can be dropped off to the library in the morning.

Year 3	Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> July 2.15	Fish in Room 11
Year 4	Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> of August 2.15	Water Tales
Year 5	Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> of August 2.15	Tale of Despereaux
Year 6	Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2.15	Silver Sword

### PSSA Round 10, 31<sup>ST</sup> July

***A reminder, that weekly payment is to be paid by Thursday morning.***

Sport	Opponent	Venue
Girls Soccer Junior/Seniors	St Euphemia	Gosling Park Chiswick Rd Greenacre
Rugby League	Greenacre	Roberts Park Waterloo Rd, Greenacre
Boys Soccer	Georges Hall	Crest 1 Bass Hill Carysfield Rd
Netball Jnr & Snr	Berala	Deverall Park

### PLAYGROUP

***THERE WILL BE NO PLAYGROUP OR BANKSIA STARS WEDNESDAY 29<sup>th</sup> JULY DUE TO EDUCATION WEEK ASSEMBLY.***

### CANTEEN

The Canteen would like to inform parents and caregivers wishing to have lunch with their child on Open Day that orders can be placed before Open Day Assembly at 9.30am Wednesday 29th July.

# How to Support Your Child's Home Reading Workshop

This workshop is aimed to assist parents in helping their child with reading. It will cover:

- Why home reading is important
- How children learn to read
- Strategies that can be helpful in assisting your child's reading

Session 2: Wednesday 29th July

When: 3:15 - 3:45pm

Location: School Library

Presented by Mrs Jackson & Mr Craft

### **Amina Elshafei**

**Author of Amina's Home Cooking!** Amina's Arabic, Korean and Multicultural cuisine is stunning.

As part of Community Kitchen, we'd like to take the cooking class participants to see Amina Elshafei at Greenacre Library. We will be meeting outside Greenacre Library. Can you please let us know if you are interested in coming along so we can book as places are limited.

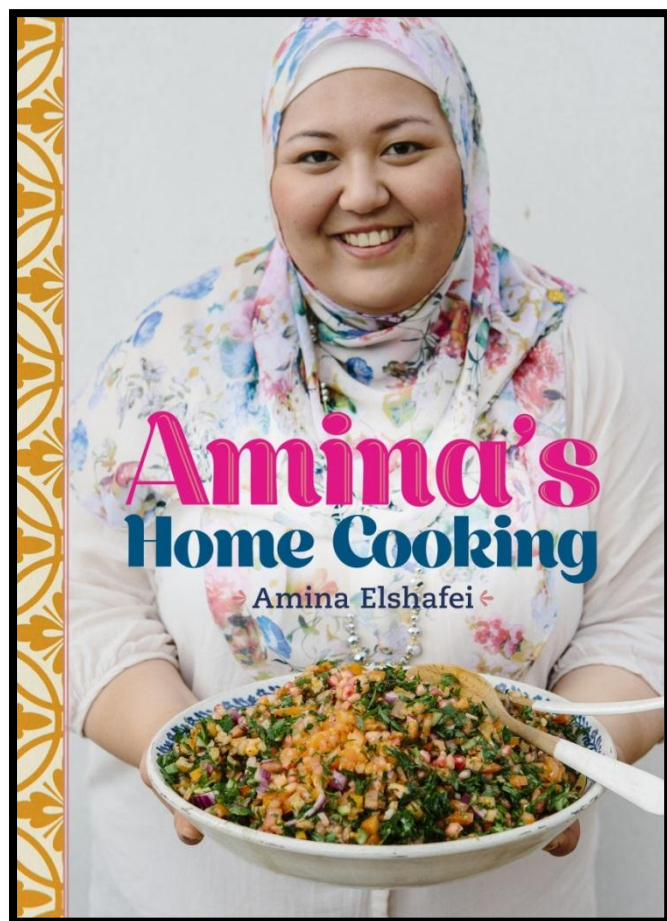
Come and hear Amina talk as she takes you on a unique food adventure.

Amina will be demonstrating her traditional family favourites. You will be able to taste some delicious food at the Greenacre Library and Knowledge Centre (Community Place, Greenacre).

**Wednesday 12 August 2015, 10am-12pm**

Bookings are essential - 9707 9744

Please call Marina on 0422 122 410 if you'd like to come along as part of the cooking class.



Welcome back to Banksia Rd Public School Community Hub! Join us in Term 3 for various activities and programs. The hub is a place to connect, share and learn and is open to all local families!

### **THE HOMEWORK CLUB**

Welcome to the Homework Club! Well done to all the students who, through their determination and motivation, are attending the Homework Club sessions. We would like you to come along again next Monday 3 August at 3pm. Keep up the good work and together let's make term 3 a productive one for you.

Parents, please collect your children and sign off at the school Library. It helps to be on time ☺ If you are running late, you will need to call Marina on 0422 122 410 and go to the front office to pick up your children. So, it will be easier if you can, please, come to the library on time at 4pm.

Parents, if you are interested in tutoring and feel you can help with English and Maths, please call Marina on 0422 122 410 to register your interest.

