

Banksia Bulletin

Banksia Road Primary School

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Tuesday, 13 June 2017

CALENDAR

Week 8 2017

June

Tuesday 13 th	Krispy Kremes delivered P/T Interviews online booking opens
Wednesday 14 th	Playgroup
Thursday 15 th	K-2 Assembly (KL Item) Regional Cross Country
Friday 16 th	PSSA Rd 6 – Winter Book Club Due

Week 9 2017

June

Monday 19 th	Homework Club
Wednesday 21 st	Playgroup
Thursday 22 nd	3 – 6 Assembly (4H Assembly Item)
Friday 23 rd	PSSA Rd 7 - Winter

Week 10 2017

June

Monday 26 th	No Homework Club
Wednesday 28 th	Playgroup Good as Gold Day, Movies
Thursday 29 th	Parent Teacher Interviews from 2pm Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition
Friday 30 th	No school banking PSSA Rd 8 - Winter Last Day Term 2

Week 1 2017

July

Monday 17 th	Pupil free day
Tuesday 18 th	Students return for Term 3
Thursday 20 th	School banking resumes
Friday 21 st	PSSA Rd 9 - Winter

REPORTS / INTERVIEWS – 29th June

Semester 1 reports will be distributed to parents on Thursday 29th June at our three way, parent / teacher / student interviews which are 10 minutes each.

Please book an interview using the online link www.schoolinterviews.com.au.

1. Enter the unique code: **sbwc2** and click go
2. Enter your details
3. Select the teachers you wish to have an interview with.
4. Select the appointment time that best suits you.

Bookings must be finalised before 4pm on 28th of June, when bookings for this event will close.

The teachers are really looking forward to discussing your child's progress. The percentage of parent attendance at an interview has steadily declined over recent years:

2014	79.9% parents attended
2015	74.6% parents attended
2016	68.9% parents attended

Please make a commitment to attend as it is crucial if we are to foster productive partnerships.

Any parents requiring assistance can contact the school office on 9707 3423 or visit the Library for assistance with booking an interview.

OFFICE STAFF CHANGES

Mrs Taleb has started her maternity leave and has been replaced by Mrs Brown. We wish Mrs Taleb all the best and welcome Mrs Brown.

Donate to the MWAMBA ACADEMY (KENYA)

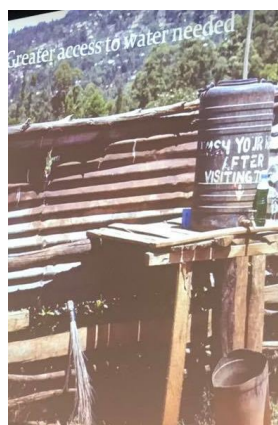
Through Global School Partners we have formed a partnership with the Mwamba Academy (a school in Kenya). Students received an information sheet from GSP on Friday.

After 2 weeks, we have raised \$1 500.

We will continue to accept donations until the end of this term.



Simon from Global School Partners



KRISPY KREME DRIVE (P & C fundraiser)

Thank you once again to the P & C for coordinating another fundraising event at Banksia Road. We raised in excess of \$1 000 for the Krispy Kreme Drive. Doughnuts were sent home with students this afternoon. All money raised will go towards further school upgrades such as, a running track on the oval.

GOOD AS GOLD

The Good as Gold excursion for all eligible students is Wednesday 28th June. The students will be watching the movie 'Cars 3'. The school has subsidised the cost meaning it will only cost \$10. Permission notes and money need to be returned by Friday 23rd June (permission note was sent home today).

SILVER AWARDEES

Congratulations to Janah Alameddine (award received Thursday 8 June) and Arielle Taulapapa (award will be handed out on Thursday 22 June).

BRONZE AWARDEES

The following awardees received their award at this morning's assembly. Congratulations!

Siham, Aleyana, Liyana KL; Marwa, Souad KM; Wafaa, Gurustat, Lana, Saba KN; Mervat, Saffiyah, Ahmad, Omar Fadi KS; Roueya 1/2P; Fatima, Ibrahim, Afraa, Zain 1F; Ayden, Sajid 2F, Mariam, Moustafa, Nesrin, Syed Nazeer Mohsin, Utbah, Zayd 2H; Aaliyah, Layla, Rhianna, Lujain 2S; Amina, Hamida, Hamze, Tala 3A; Ruqaya, Soraya, Mariam 3G; Jihad, Bilal, Nesreen, Sara 3T; Zunaira 4/5G, Fawze 4H, Anne-Marie, Ibrahim, Norah, Sameera, Yousef, Zakaria, Zidane, Mohamed S 4K; Eman 5B, Aisha, Ayham, Jinann, Riham, Zane, Daniel 5E; Ghassan, Yassin 6A

PSSA

PSSA Round 6	16 June 2017	
SPORT	OPPONENT	VENUE
Boys Soccer	Georges Hall (B)	The Crest, Carysfield Road, Bass Hill
Rugby League	Malek Fahd	Roberts Park, Greenacre
Girls Soccer	Regents Park	Gosling Park, Field 2
Netball	Malek Fahd	Deverall Park, Yanderra St, Condell Park

PSSA Round 7	23 June 2017	
SPORT	OPPONENT	VENUE
Boys Soccer	Greenacre (B)	Jim Ring Reserve, Woods Road, Birrong
Rugby League	Bass Hill	Steve Folkes, McClean St, Georges Hall
Girls Soccer	Birrong	Gosling Park, Field 2
Netball	Bankstown North	Deverall Park, Yanderra St, Condell Park

App – SKOOLBAG

Our school now has purchased the Skoolbag iPhone and Android app to help us communicate more effectively with our parent community. We are asking all parents to download our skoolbag school app. This app will be used to send newsletters, alerts and other important information. The App is free and there are no passwords. It is important that all parents utilise this app as it will be the most efficient way for sending alerts to all families.

Search for '**Banksia Rd Public School**' in the app store (Please ensure 'Rd' is not written as 'road'). Install on device.

BOOK CLUB

Book Club orders are due back at the school on Friday 16 June. Every purchase from the catalogues earns Scholastic Reward points. This enables the school to earn books and educational items to be used in the library and class rooms.