

Banksia Bulletin

Banksia Road Primary School

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Caring, creative, challenging and achieving



Tuesday, 12 November 2019

CALENDAR

Week 5 Term 4 2019

November

Wednesday 13 th	School transition program – Step Up to School
Thursday 14 th	K-2 Assembly (2J item and French Dancers performing)
Friday 15 th	Uniform Shop 8.45 - 9.15am Summer PSSA Round 13

Week 6 Term 4 2019

November

Monday 18 th	Uniform Shop 8.45 - 9.15am Homework Club P & C meeting 6:30pm Good as Gold Luncheon #1
Tuesday 19 th	Playgroup
Wednesday 20 th	School transition program – Step Up to School Scripture afternoon tea
Thursday 21 st	Year 3-6 Assembly (4A item)
Friday 22 nd	Uniform Shop 8.45 - 9.15am Summer PSSA Semi Finals

Week 7 Term 4 2019

November

Monday 25 th	Uniform Shop 8.45 - 9.15am Homework Club P & C auxiliary meeting 9:30am in the hub
Tuesday 26 th	Playgroup
Wednesday 27 th	School transition program – Step Up to School
Thursday 28 th	P & C Daytime Disco
Friday 29 th	Uniform Shop 8.45 - 9.15am Mount Lewis transition Summer PSSA Finals

Notes home:

Year 3 – 6 Good as Gold Day note

Future Dates:

Presentation Day 4th December

K – Year 6 Good as Gold Day 5th December

STAFFING

I am pleased to announce the following teachers are newly appointed permanent staff members of Banksia Road.

- Miss Lisa Powys
- Mrs Sana El-Chahal
- Miss Hala Naser (targeted graduate)

FORTNIGHTLY VALUE: CITIZENSHIP

- Be a good representative of Banksia Road
- I am responsible and reliable
- I am polite and well-mannered

FORTNIGHTLY FOCUS: LEARNING

I focus on my work and respect the learning of others.

- I am ready to learn with all of my equipment
- I listen to all teachers and try my best
- I respect the learning of others
- I talk at the right time

CAPTAINS/ PREFECTS 2020

Year 5 students and teachers have commenced the process of student leadership selections. They have started a mapped process of nominating their peers for an opportunity to hold a student leadership position in 2020.

Initially, Year 5 and 6 vote to cull the nominees down to the final eight, this will take place on Friday 15th November. This process will culminate in speeches by the boy and girl nominees being delivered in Week 6 (Friday 22nd November). This activity is managed very transparently by the Year 5 teachers and the Stage Coordinator, with my support. The policy was amended three years ago in consultation with the P & C to ensure voting does not become a popularity contest.

BANKSTOWN EAST HILLS DANCE FESTIVAL

Last Tuesday night Banksia Road stole the show at the Bankstown East Hills Dance Festival with no less than three performances.

The Shakers ignited the crowd with the drumming and their raw passion for Arabic dancing. Thank you Mrs Khassouk, Miss Bedran, Mrs El-Chahal and Mrs Tleis and the parents who helped.

The Beatz thrilled the audience with their sharp dance moves. Thank you Mrs Beard and Mrs Jackson.

The Bouncers closed the show with a mesmerizing performance. The combination of lighting and symmetrical dance moves created an illusion of magic. Thank you Ms Webster.



BEAUTY & THE BEAST DVD - \$10

The cast have an opportunity to purchase one or more DVDs of the Musical. A great idea for a gift or simply for nostalgia. Place orders in the office by this **Friday 15th November**.

GOOD AS GOLD LUNCHEON #1 MONDAY 18TH NOVEMBER

I would like to invite the first 76 students who have achieved Gold to a special banquet. A variety of pizzas and flowing fizzy drink will be served for lunch in the hall from 11:05am. Parents are invited and will be notified via a letter home.

THANK-YOU AFTERNOON TEA

On Wednesday 20th November, we would like to thank all our SRE teachers at an afternoon tea in the staffroom from 1:00pm. This will also be the final SRE for 2019.

DAYTIME DISCO – THURSDAY 28TH NOVEMBER

The P & C are coordinating a Daytime disco for all students. The disco sessions will be:

K to 2 – 10:30am till 11:30am
Yr 3 & 4 – 11:45am till 1pm
Yr 5 & 6 – 1:15pm till 2:30pm

The lunch option is a Kafta wrap & popper
Children not attending the disco will remain in class.
Glow sticks will also be on sale from \$1 to \$3.

All money raised will go towards school upgrades such as

- A new adventure playground
- Updates to the Year 6 area.

Disco only \$5
Kafta only \$5
Disco & Kafta \$8

**All money and orders due by Friday 22nd November
(place in the office and write P & C on the envelope)**

MOBILE PHONES

If your child needs to bring a mobile phone to school, they are reminded to hand it in at the office each morning when they arrive at school, and not when the bell rings. Where phones are not handed in or brought up at the bell time, parents will be called.

VISITORS TO THE SCHOOL

All visitors including parents who visit the school during the day are to report to the school office. This should be done **before** proceeding to other areas of the school and is for your child's safety.

GOLD AWARDS

Notifications to parents that their child will be receiving a gold award will now be through email. Please ensure that your email address is updated with the office so you can be informed.

Congratulations to the below students!

K - Year 2 awards to be presented at this Thursday's assembly:

KB – Aminah; KF – Hooria; KM – Yazan; K/1P – Alyssa, Elijah, Syeda Safiya Zahra; 1N – Yazan; 1V – Ayah; 2B – Maryam, Syed Sameer Mohsin; 2C – Niyyara; 2J – Joumana, Lana, Souad, Juneyaid

Year 3 - 6 awards presented to the students:

3R – Adam M, Joman; 3S – Youssef E; 4T – Grace; 5O – Aiyah; 5/6G – Khuban; 6R – Sameera

Year 3 - 6 awards to be presented at the assembly on Thursday 21st November:

3A – Sedra; 3S – Yarah, Zahraa; 4H – Bilal, Mohammad; 4T – Maria, Utbah, Yara; 5E – Aisha, Samah, Mustafa; 5/6G – Laith; 6R – Yusra

SILVER AWARDS

Notifications to parents that their child will be receiving a silver award will now be through email. Please ensure that your email address is updated with the office so you can be informed.

K - Year 2 awards to be presented at this Thursday's assembly:

KB – Emmett; KF – Junayd, Medinah, Rihanna, Sarah, Farouk, Muhammad E; KM – Laylah, Malik; 1N – Gabriel, Idris, Isabella, Souad; 1V – Aaliyah, Amar, Mariam; 1/2S – Christina; 2B – Mohamed; 2C – Soumaya; 2J – Ahmad J, Isaac, Ahio, Jibril

The following Year 3-6 awards have been presented to the students:

3R – Mohammed; 3/4G – Husayn; 4H – Aya, Sarah-Amira; 5E – Nasser; 5O – Faysal, Saeedimran; 5/6G – Ahmad; 6K – Ibrahim

Year 3 - 6 awards to be presented at the assembly on Thursday 21st November:

3A – Zain; 3S – Haris; 4A – Sara; 4H – Khaled; 4T – Aaiza, Emmanuel; 5E – Mariam; 5O – Tala

Congratulations to all the above students!

BRONZE AWARDS

Congratulations to the following K - 6 students who have received their bronze award:

KM – Isaac; 3A – Mohammed Y; 3S – Alyssa; 3/4G – Ghith, Wael; 4T – Mahmoud, Zainab; 5O – Siryne; 6R – Abir, Khushbakht, Wahib

ENROLMENTS ARE INVITED FOR 2020

We are currently taking enrolments for 2020. The DoE recently announced tighter procedures around out of area enrolments. Our school population is growing and places are limited for students not in our catchment area. If you have a child who will be starting school next year please come to the school and complete an enrolment form. Please let your friends and neighbours who have children starting school next year know that they need to come to the school to enrol.

WHAT PAYMENTS ARE DUE?

Year	Excursion	Due Date	Cost
6	Graduation Bear	Friday 15th November	\$15
6	Canberra excursion	Friday 22nd November	\$50
3-6	Aquatopia	Tuesday 26th November	\$20

PSSA DRAW

PSSA Summer Round 13 - Friday 15th November		
SPORT	OPPONENT	PARK
Boys Softball/ Teeball	Make up round for wet weather	Kinch Reserve Third Avenue Condell Park
Girls Softball/ Teeball	Make up round for wet weather	O'Neill Park Cnr Nobbs & Cooper Roads Yagoona
Junior Boys/Girls Basketball	Make up round for wet weather	Basketball Stadium Condell Park
Senior Boys/Girls Basketball	Make up round for wet weather	Basketball Stadium Condell Park
Boys Cricket	Georges Hall	The Crest Steve Folkes Reserve
Girls Cricket	Make up round for wet weather	Graf Park George Street Yagoona

Wednesday
6th November

- Step Up to School Program

Wednesday
13th November

- Library and canteen visit
- Community hub – parent workshop

Wednesday
20th November

- Classroom visit
- Teddy Bear's Picnic

Wednesday
27th November

- Uniform shop and classroom visit
- Community hub – Parent Q&A

Wednesday
4th December

- Whole school presentation day
- No Step Up to School Program

Wednesday
11th December

- Graduation Day



**“Step up
to
School”**

**Weekly
program**



Banksia Rd. Public School Canteen



"Christmas Special"

Wednesday 11th of December (Lunch only)

"Party Pack Special"

mini pie (1), mini sausage roll (1)
hashbrown (1) and chicken nuggets (3)



(with Apple juice or Orange juice)
(FREE pinkfrosting lolly)



\$6.00

*Please complete the slip below and return to the School Canteen
by Tuesday 10th of December to ensure you don't miss out*



"Christmas Special"

NAME:
JUICE:

CLASS:

Sauce: Barbecue Tomato

Please advise of any allergies which relate to the special.



'No Stopping' signs

Drivers must not stop in an area where a 'No Stopping' sign applies.

Minimum penalty \$344 and two demerit points.



Stopping on or near a:

- Pedestrian crossing;
- Children's crossing; and
- Marked foot crossing.

Minimum penalty \$457 and two demerit points.



Double parking

Double parking is illegal and dangerous.

Minimum penalty \$344 and two demerit points.



Making an illegal u-turn

Minimum penalty \$344 and three demerit points.



'No Parking' signs

Drivers must not stop unless dropping-off or picking-up passengers. The maximum stopping time is two minutes. The driver must stay within three metres of the vehicle.

Minimum penalty \$191 and two demerit points.



'Bus Zone' signs

Drivers must not stop or park in a bus zone unless you are driving a public bus.

Minimum penalty \$344 and two demerit points.



Always hold your child's hand in and around traffic.



إشارات 'ممنوع التوقف' (No Stopping)

على السائقين عدم التوقف في منطقة لتطبيق عليها إشارة ممنوع التوقف. الحد الأدنى للغرامة 344 دولاراً وخمساراً نقطتين من نقاط الأمانة (demerit point) فقط.

ممنوع التوقف فوق أو قرب

- ممر مشاة محطّط
- ممر أطفال المدارس
- أي ممر مشاة Foot Crossing محطّط بإشارات للمشاة

الحد الأدنى للغرامة 457 دولاراً وخمساراً نقطتين من نقاط الأمانة (demerit point) فقط.

الصف المزدوج

الصف المزدوج مخالف للقانون وغير مسموح. الحد الأدنى للغرامة 344 دولاراً وخمساراً نقطتين من نقاط الأمانة (demerit point) فقط.

الاستدارة للخلف بطريقة غير قانونية

الحد الأدنى للغرامة 344 دولاراً وخمساراً ثلاث نقاط من نقاط الأمانة (demerit point) فقط.

إشارات 'ممنوع الوقوف' (No Parking)

على السائقين عدم التوقف إلا إذا كانوا يُنزلون أو يُصعدون ركاباً. أقصى مدة للتوقف تعيقان على المسائق البقاء ضمن مسافة ثلاثة أمتار من السيارة. الحد الأدنى للغرامة 191 دولاراً وخمساراً نقطتين من نقاط الأمانة (demerit point) فقط.

إشارات 'منطقة باصات' (Bus Zone)

على السائقين عدم التوقف أو الجوفوف في منطقة باصات إلا إذا كانوا يهبطون باس أو موصلات عاملة. باصات المدارس. الحد الأدنى للغرامة 344 دولاراً وخمساراً نقطتين من نقاط الأمانة (demerit point) فقط.

اصمدك دائماً بيد طفلك أثناء السير في مكان لتواجد فيه حركة مرور.

'No Stopping'標誌

在 "No Stopping" (禁止停車) 標誌適用的區域，司機不得停車逗留。

罰款至少為344元，同時扣2分。

如在下列地方或其附近停車逗留：

- 人行橫道
- 兒童通行橫道
- 已標明的任何人行橫道

罰款至少為457元，同時扣2分。

並排停車

並排停車 (Double parking) 不但違法，而且有危險。

罰款至少為344元，同時扣2分。

違法掉頭 (U-turn)

罰款至少為344元，同時扣3分。

'No Parking'標誌

除了讓乘客上下車之外，司機不得停車逗留。停車時間不得超過兩分鐘。司機離開車輛的距離不得超過三米。

罰款至少為191元，同時扣2分。

'Bus Zone'標誌

除了巴士司機之外，司機不得在巴士停車區 (bus zone) 停車逗留 (stop) 或停放車輛 (park)。

罰款至少為344元，同時扣2分。

在交通繁忙地帶，一定要始終牽住孩子的手。



Bảng Cấm Ngừng

Người lái xe không được ngừng tại nơi có bảng cấm ngừng áp dụng.

Phạt tối thiểu \$344 và mất hai điểm.



Ngừng xe tại hoặc gần

- nơi người qua đường
- nơi trẻ em qua đường
- bất cứ dấu hiệu qua đường nào

Phạt tối thiểu \$457 và mất hai điểm.



Đậu xe song song

Đậu xe song song là bất hợp pháp và nguy hiểm.

Phạt tối thiểu \$344 và mất hai điểm.



Quay xe lại bất hợp pháp

Phạt tối thiểu \$344 và mất hai điểm.



Bảng Cấm đậu

Người lái xe không được phép ngừng trừ phi có người xuống hoặc lên xe. Thời gian ngừng tối đa hai phút. Người lái xe phải ở gần xe trong vòng ba thước.

Phạt tối thiểu \$191 và mất hai điểm.



Bảng Trạm xe buýt

Người lái xe không được phép ngừng hoặc đậu tại trạm xe buýt trừ phi lái xe buýt công cộng.

Phạt tối thiểu \$344 và mất hai điểm.



Luôn luôn nắm tay trẻ em tại nơi hoặc gần chỗ lưu thông.

Parents, for the sake of our students, please display good behaviour especially around the school. Children and young people will copy the example you set.

Child restraint rules

Children under the age of seven years must be restrained in an age-appropriate child restraint or booster seat, when traveling in a vehicle. Always make sure your children are buckled-up before driving off.

Minimum penalty \$337 and three demerit points.

Drive vehicle using a mobile phone in school zone

Minimum penalty \$457 and five demerit points.



Obey the school zone speed limit of 40 km/h during school terms.

For further information please contact

the Road Safety Officer
City of Canterbury Bankstown
9707 9000 or visit rms.nsw.gov.au

cbscity.nsw.gov.au

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Driving safely in & around school zones

