



Fields Focus



Friday 23rd August 2024

Week 6 Term 3

Dear Berwick Fields Community,

We hope this message finds you well! As we hit the halfway mark into this busy term, there are some exciting events and opportunities that students and families have been involved with.

Book Week Dress-Up Day

This week, we celebrated Book Week with our annual Book Week Dress-Up Day on Tuesday! Students were encouraged to come dressed as their favourite book character. We were excited to see the creativity and passion for reading come to life.

Excursion to Werribee Zoo – Grade 4

Our students in grades 4 headed out to Werribee Zoo on Wednesday for a full day experience. This was a fantastic opportunity for the students to learn about animals and conservation efforts in an engaging environment. Students, Teachers, and support staff had a great day. We are proud of students for their respectful behaviour throughout the day.

Grade 6 Production – “Shrek”

We are thrilled to announce the upcoming Grade 6 Production titled “Shrek”. The performance will take place on October 22, 24, 29 and 31 in the school Performing Arts Centre. Our Grade 6 students and staff have been working hard, and we can't wait for you to see the result of their efforts. Tickets will be available from Monday 26th August 2024 on Try Booking.

Tickets prices are:

Adults \$20

Children \$10

Teachers \$10 - Special price!!

Family of 5 (2A and 2C) - \$50

Family of 4 (2A and 3C) - \$55



Seats are allocated and limited, so get in quick!

Bookings can be made via the TryBooking website <https://www.trybooking.com/CTUEF>.



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Friday 20th August 2024

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Prep Breakfast

On Wednesday, our Prep students had a special opportunity to come to school early for a breakfast event aimed at fostering independence. The morning also allowed them to practice getting dressed in their school uniforms and preparing for the day ahead. It was a wonderful experience, giving our young learners a chance to build confidence and develop important routines in a supportive environment. We're proud of how well they embraced this opportunity to start their day on the right foot!

Child Safe Requirements

We kindly ask that you refrain from taking any photos or videos of children during school assemblies/ events, in line with Victorian Child Safe Standards. These laws are designed to protect the privacy and safety of all students. Unauthorised photography or recording can inadvertently put children at risk, and it is important that we all work together to create a safe and secure environment for our students.


We appreciate your understanding and cooperation in helping us uphold these important regulations.

We're looking forward to the upcoming events listed below and hope to see lots of participation and support from our wonderful school community.

Best regards,

Jo Tippett
Acting Principal



August	Week 7	26 ICAS Testing Maths (Gr3-6) School Council Meeting	27 Father's Day Stall 	28 Father's Day Stall Grade 5 Incursion- Mad About Science Hoop Time (Gr5/6) Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	29 Grade 5 Incursion- Mad About Science	30 Father's Day -Morning Celebration 8:30am Prep Assembly 2:40- 3:15 (PAC)
	September	Week 8	2	3 Grade 1 - Chesterfield Excursion Hoop Time (Gr3/4)	4 Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	5 Grade 2 Assembly 2:30 - 3:15 (PAC)
Week 9		9 Grade 3 Assembly (PAC) 2:40 - 3:15	10 Grade 1 - Chesterfield Farm Excursion	11 Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	12 Grade 2 Supreme Incursion	13 Grade 4 Assembly JSC Event

Housekeeping

Please note that any student that needs to be collected from school between 9.00am and 3.20pm by Parents, Carers or Emergency contact (even if you are a familiar face to the school) you will need to provide Photo Identification.

This is a requirement by the Education Department.

Specialist Sessions and Bells

09.00 **Morning Bell**

Specialist session 1

10.00 **Specialist session 2**

10.50 **Recess eating time**

11.00 **Recess**

11.20 **Specialist session 3**

12.20 **Specialist session 4**

13.20 **Lunch eating time**

13.35 **Lunch**

14.20 **Specialist session 5**

15.20 **End of Day**



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Department of Transport and Planning



Dogs at School Policy



Pet dogs

Berwick Fields Primary School is not a public place, and our principal has the authority to permit or decline entry to school grounds and impose conditions of entry.

Whilst Berwick Fields Primary School understands that many families in our school community keep dogs as pets, to ensure that our school remains a safe and inclusive place for everyone, pet dogs are not permitted on school grounds under any circumstances.

Our school community is diverse, and may include people that are allergic or uncomfortable around dogs. We are also conscious of the health hazards that may be posed by dogs. We ask that families please leave their pet dogs at home or safely tether them outside school grounds when attending our school or school events.

At times students may wish to bring pets from home to share with their class. These requests must be made through the school Principal.

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Every Conversation Matters



Child Protection Week



Join the City of Casey's Child Safe Team as we discuss the types of abuse and how to respond.

Discover the value of conversations and strategies to engage with children to keep them safe.

Suitable for parents, carers and educators.

Tuesday 3 September, 6.45pm-8pm

Bunjil Place Library
2 Patrick Northeast Drive, Narre Warren

Free

Scan the QR code to book

Adult event








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TERM 3 2024

Berwick Fields Primary School
Keep this handy calendar on your
fridge for upcoming events at school.

		15	16	17	18	19	
July	Week 1	Curriculum Day - 3 Way Conferences 	Students First Day of School for all students 3 Way Conferences- selected times	3 Way Conferences- selected times Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	NAIDOC Koorie Student morning tea celebration. State Cross Country Championships	Whole School Assembly	
	NAIDOC Week Activities						
	Week 2	22 School Council Meeting	23 Hoop Time (Gr5/6)	24 Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	25	26 Division Winter Sport Finals – (AFL, Tee ball mixed)	
	Week 3	29 First Aid in Schools with St Johns Ambulance (Gr4-6)	30 Prep - 100 Days of school First Aid in Schools with St Johns Ambulance (Gr4-6)	31 Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	1 	2 Prep Assembly 2:40-3:15 (PAC)	
August	Week 4	5	6 	7 Gr3 Social Fair indoor adventure excursion. Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts 9x9 AFL Gr 5/6 Boys and Girls (Casey Fields)	8 Grade 2 Assembly 2:30 – 3:15 (PAC)	9 Grade 1 Assembly 2:30 – 3:15 (PAC)	
	Week 5	12 Grade 4 Assembly ICAS Testing English (Gr3-6) Regional Tee ball (Girls)	13 District Athletics (Casey Fields) Casey Netball Cup Tournament (Gr3/4) Regional Tee ball (Boys) EAL Morning Tea	14 Regional Hockey Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	15 Casey Cavaliers B/Ball clinic (Gr1/3)	16 Grade 3 Assembly- (PAC) 2:40 – 3:15 Melbourne United B/Ball Clinic (Gr4)	
	Week 6	19 Grade 6 Assembly (PAC) 2:40 – 3:15 	20 Book Parade dress up Math Community Night- Building confidence in Math	21 Prep Breakfast (Cost \$2 each) Grade 4 excursion -Werribee Zoo Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	22 	23 Grade 5 Assembly 2:40 – 3:15 (PAC)	
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		Week 9	9 Grade 3 Assembly (PAC) 2:40 – 3:15	10 Grade1 - Chesterfield Farm Excursion	11 Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	12 Grade 2 Supreme Incursion	13 Grade 4 Assembly JSC Event
		WEEK 10	16 Grade 6 Assembly 2:40 – 3:15 (PAC)	17 	18 Divisional Athletics (Casey Fields) Wednesday Wellbeing Breakfasts	19 Grade 5 Assembly 2:40 – 3:15 (PAC)	20 Whole School Assembly End of School Footy Dress up Parade

UNIFORM

The wearing of school uniform is compulsory at Berwick Fields Primary school. For our full uniform list, please see our Website or contact PSW- 407 Princes Hwy Officer- 03 9768 0382.



Polo Shirts
Blue or White



Jumper



Polar Fleece
Jacket



Summer Dress



Black Pants
No Jeans



Black Shorts



Blue Hat **Compulsory** from
1 September till 30 April



Winter Skirt (Tunic)



Socks –
White, Black, Navy



Sport Shoes or Black Shoes



The following items are not permitted as a part of our uniform:

Jewellery



Long Earrings



Nail Polish



Make-Up

