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BRONCOS' BUSSELTON TOUR 2008

This year's tour was awesome!!

On Wednesday, we performed at two places - the Australind Seniors' Centre and Our Lady of the Cape Primary School. Soon after these performances we drove to our holiday house. On Thursday we had two performances - one at West Busselton Primary and the other at Georgiana Molloy Anglican School. Later that afternoon all the Broncos went to the beach to chill! We made a turtle covered in shells. On Friday we had our final performance at Dardanup Primary School. On our way back we stopped for lunch at Cicerellos in Mandurah. My highlight of the tour would probably be going to the beach and having a sand sculpturing competition. *Narmatha*

We went to Busselton for our tour this year and stayed in a two storey house which was fantastic. For Tea on the first night we made pizzas. In the three days we did 6 performances : 3 on Day 1, 2 on Day 2 and 1 on Day 3. Boy was I tired after that! *Olivia*

My highlight of our tour was painting Jemma's face like a dead person and scaring Renae & Olivia in the cupboard!! *Storm*

My favourite part of our tour was going to the beach with Ryan and making a model of a sand bomb factory. *Justin*

My favourite time on tour was when we went to Simmo's Ice Cream parlour on Thursday and met Bang, the ice-cream eating emu!! *Natasha*

I loved performing for the schools, especially the really enthusiastic audience to showcase our dancing. My favourite part was playing "Murder in the Dark" and walking into a cupboard to find Jemma wearing face paint! It was sooooo scary!! Soon after that I found out that everyone had played a prank on me! The tour was awesome!! *Renae*

My highlight of the tour was when we pranked Renae & Olivia. Overall, we had heaps of fun. It was the best tour yet!! *Evelyn*

The best part of the Broncos' tour for me was when we went down to the beach and built sand sculptures. Our sculpture was a mermaid and we won because we bribed Mr Boyes (aka Jelly Bean). I also enjoyed it when we pranked Renae and Olivia. *Georgina*



Pizza making!



Dardanup PS doing "Cowgirls' Twist"



Georgiana Molloy Anglican School



Georgiana Molloy rhythm makers!

Broncos not smiling while performing had to wear a mask!!





From the Principal's Desk

Thanks to the Broncos for their contribution to this newsletter.

Fete

WOW! Saturday's Fete was fantastic. Thank you to everyone who came along. We must acknowledge the work of Helen Wong, Dianne Ayre and Meagan Hanson who along with many other wonderful parents, worked tirelessly to organise a superb day. The P&C raised close to \$20000 which will be used to support the school in 2009. Thank you also to Celeste Patman for organising the Fete Raffle. I would also like to acknowledge the parents who were the class coordinators.



W8	Jan Armstrong	W4	Natalie Swift	S6	Debbie Beddoes
W7	Jan Armstrong	W2	Michelle Ha	B4	Tracey Crotty
W6	Debe Daniel & Lisa Hughes	W1	Lorraine Carpenter	B5	Marianne Dingli
W5	Celeste Patman	S5	Lindy Wagner	B6	James Wong & Pauline Hough
B1	Jude R	B2	Penny Newton & Lisa Smirk	B3	Jude R

Enrolments for 2009

It would be helpful for us to know as early as possible if you are planning on a move for next year. If your family is relocating for work etc next year and your children will not be with us in 2009, then please let the office know as soon as possible.

Learning with the Brain in Mind

Please find included with this newsletter the last article for Module 3 – The Primary Years. This article focuses on ways to support your child's growth and learning at home.



Semester 2 Reports

Teachers are busy preparing the Reports for Semester 2. These will be sent home with children on Thursday 18 December. If you are leaving for holidays earlier than the last day, then please make arrangements with your child's teachers to collect the Report on their last day.

Broncos Tour

I have received many wonderful reports back about the Broncos' Tour last week. Well done to all children for representing our school positively. Thank you to Mr Dancer, Mr Boyes, Mrs Pascoe and Mrs Williams for giving up their own time to take the children on the Tour.

School Council

Thank you to Mr Tim White for his nomination for the vacant School Council position. Tim will take up the position effective immediately.

The next School Council meeting is scheduled for Monday 8 December at 7:30pm. This is an open meeting and anyone is welcome to attend.

World Teacher's Day Winners

Congratulations to students in S5 and S6 who have won for their classes, trips to the WA Museum in a competition run by the Western Australian College of Teaching. Portraits are available for viewing at <http://www2.wacot.wa.edu.au/index.php?section=136>



Stephen Lee

SCHOOL FETE

A Big Thank You to all those who helped out at the Fete on Saturday. It was a huge success!!

Thanks also to everyone who came to the Fete and supported our school community.



P & C Fete Committee

SNACK SHACK NEWS

We sold over 300 Slushies at the School Fete last weekend. They certainly are a popular item. Remember we sell Chocolate and Blueberry Muffins at lunch which are delicious value at \$1.20.



The following are on roster for the week commencing Monday 10th November.

- Mon 10/11 9am-11.20am Debbie B
9am-1.20pm Lyn H
- Tues 11/11 9am-11.20am Meagan H
9am-11.20am Help Needed
11.20am-1.20pm Help Needed
11.20am-1.20pm Help Needed
- Thu 13/11 9am-11.20am Kay R
9am-11.20am Help Needed
11.20am-1.20pm Help Needed
11.20am-1.20pm Dimpy K
- Fri 14/11 9am-11.20am Yadu V
9am-11.20am Help Needed
11.20am-1.20pm Help Needed
11.20am-1.20pm Monika

Thanks for your assistance.

Kay Rutty
Canteen Coordinator

YEAR 7 GRADUATION



If you are a Year 7 parent and would like to be involved with the Graduation planning (decorations, Year Book etc), please join us for coffee at the Dome Southlands this **Sunday, 9th November at 2pm.**



Helen Wong - Year 7 Graduation Committee

MEDICAL ALERT LIFE THREATENING ALLERGIES



We have a number of children in the school with severe allergies to nuts and nut products. These children, in most cases, need only to touch an object which has been handled by a child who has eaten a product containing nuts, for there to be a life threatening reaction.

Please support the safety of all the children in the school and refrain from sending any nut products in your child's lunch and snacks. These may include peanut butter sandwiches, Snickers bars, etc.

Thank you for helping to keep our kids safe.

HONOUR CERTIFICATE RECIPIENTS THURSDAY, 31ST OCTOBER 2008



Congratulations to the following Honour Certificate Recipients :

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|------|-------------------|----|------------------|
| W1 | Alex Stanley | S5 | Jordan Kosovich |
| | Luke Schonemann | | Raine Mitter |
| W2 | James Lloyd | S6 | Grace Weber-Lowe |
| | Annelise Stirling | | Dylan Wetmore |
| W4 | Mahta Khodadad | B1 | Jasmine Quick |
| | Matthew Giles | | Walied Afrooz |
| W5 | Raymond Burge | B2 | Cory Nutt |
| | Jessica Spence | | Braden Panizza |
| W6 | Riley Sutherland | B3 | Frances Ewen |
| | "Whole Class" | | Aimee Simpson |
| W8 | Tyrelle Manado | B4 | Jayden Lim |
| | Amy Stone | | Sophie Stuttard |
| | Megan | B5 | Ashley Oversby |
| | Kovacs-Moreton | | Lisa Cho |
| LOTE | Corinne Rudman | | Tegan Giles |
| | Salar Sobhi | B6 | Michelle Stephen |
| Phys | Saxon Rocke | | Austin Cummings |
| Ed | Amy Truscott | | |

LIBRARY

URGENT!!

Help is needed to cover new Library and Reading books. If you can assist, please see me in the Library. Thanks!



Nola Williams
Library Officer

SUPPORTING YOUR FRIENDLY SCHOOL



We can help children feel safer and happier at school by demonstrating how parents and schools can work together as partners.

How can parents support our Friendly School?

- Get to know our school's bullying policy and discuss it with your children.
- Maintain regular contact with your children's teacher.
- Try to attend school functions, for example assemblies and/or help out on the class parent roster to demonstrate your support for your children and the school.
- Read the school newsletter and discuss items of interest with your children.
- Model a positive attitude toward school and encourage your children to see the positive aspects of school life.
- If there is a problem with your children at school, try to work together with the school to overcome the problem. This shows a committed partnership between parents and the school to work towards positive solutions.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS



FRI 7TH NOV Guitar 8.20-8.50am Yr 6 Guitar 8.50-9.20am Yr 7 Edu Dance - B5&6	MON 10TH NOV	TUE 11TH NOV	WED 12TH NOV Fremantle Language Development Centre Meeting in Library - 9.30-11am	THU 13TH NOV Edu Dance
FRI 14TH NOV Assembly - B5 Guitar 8.20-8.50am Yr 6 Guitar 8.50-9.20am Yr 7 Edu Dance - B5&6	MON 17TH NOV	TUE 18TH NOV	WED 19TH NOV	THU 20TH NOV Newsletter sent home today. Broncos' performance at Rossmoyne/Riverton Seniors - 10.30am Edu Dance

LEEMING OUT OF SCHOOL CARE CENTRE INC (LOSCCI)

LOSCCI provides out of school care to our school. We provide quality childcare in a reliable, safe, secure and enriching environment. We operate "Before School Care" Mon-Fri 7-9am and "After School Care" Mon-Fri 2.30-6pm.

We also offer a Vacation Care program throughout all school holidays, ensuring your child remains in a familiar child care environment throughout the year.

We currently have limited vacancies for "Before" and "After School Care" each day of the week. If you are searching for quality, accredited, out of school care for your child, please don't hesitate to call us on 9310 7305 to discuss your child's individual care requirements.

ROYAL LIFE SAVING KEEP WATCH PROGRAM

November 14 - 16 is Royal Life Saving Home Pool Safety Weekend

As PoolWerx are proud partners in Community Water Safety with Royal Life Saving and the Keep Watch Program we encourage all pool/spa owners to be proactive during the Pool Safety Weekend.

Visit www.homepoolsafety.com.au to download your safety check list.



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