



Chittaway Bay Public School



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Safe
Responsible
Respectful
Engaged

K-2 Assembly – NO ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK
3-6 Assembly – NO ASSEMBLY THIS WEEK

Principal: Ruth Goodwin

Term 1 Week 8 2018

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 21 st March	Commonwealth Bank Parent Information Session 8:30	Parents
Wednesday 21 st March	Harmony Day	All students
Thursday 29 th March	Easter Hat Parade	All students
Thursday 29 th March	Sydney North Swimming Carnival	Selected students
Friday 30 th March Monday 2 nd April	Easter Long Weekend	
Thursday 12 th April	ANZAC Day Service at school 10.30am	All students
Friday 13 th April	Last day of Term 1 Students return Tuesday 1 st May	All students
Friday 4 th May	Cross Country	Students over 8 years
Friday 11 May	P&C Meeting	All parents welcome
Monday 14 th May	School Photographs	All students
15 th to 17 th May	NAPLAN	Students in Years 3 and 5
Thursday 31 st May	Athletics Carnival	All students
Monday 11 th June	Queens Birthday Public Holiday	
Friday 6 th July	Last Day of Term	

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Evacuation

As part of keeping safe at CBPS we practice evacuation and lock down drills each term. In week 7 all students took part in an evacuation drill. Although it was only a practice, all students displayed extremely sensible and displayed all of our PBL expectations throughout the practice. Well done, CBPS!

Harmony Day

On Wednesday 21st March, we will be celebrating Harmony Day. The students will be completing Harmony Day activities in their class and contributing to a whole-school Harmony Day display for the foyer. Students are encouraged to wear something orange to school on Wednesday for our celebrations.



National Day of Action Against Bullying and Violence - Bullying No Way!

On Friday our students participated in Bullying No Way activities to acknowledge the National day of action against bullying and violence. All students were involved in activities including watching a video and taking part in discussions on how to make our school a safe school. If you would like any further information please visit the BULLYING NO WAY website <https://bullyingnoway.gov.au/>

Zone Swimming

Congratulations to the students who attended the zone swimming carnival at Mingara on Tuesday 6th March. All of the students tried their best and represented CBPS with pride, displaying our PBL expectations of Safe, Responsible, Respectful and Engaged. Well done, CBPS!

Easter Hat Parade and P & C Easter Raffle

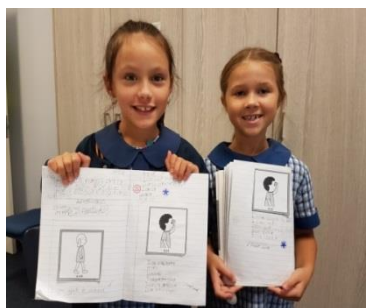
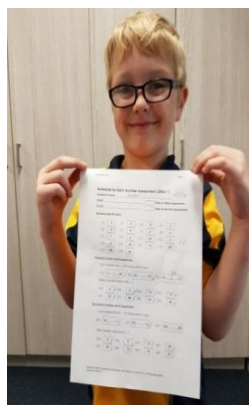
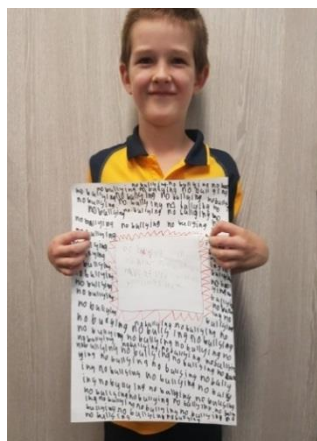
This year the Easter Hat Parade will be held on Thursday, 29th March. Students are asked to make an Easter Hat at home to wear in the parade. The P & C will also be holding an Easter Raffle which will be drawn at the Easter Hat Parade. They would appreciate any donations of Easter eggs and Easter items for the raffle. Please send donations to the office in by Monday 26th March. Thank You for your support.





Great work

Last week I was lucky enough to have many visitors to my office to show me the quality work that they are completing in the classroom. Taleah and Tasharyn from 3/4S came to show me their sentence work. The girls had been writing sentences using set words in response to a picture. Great writing, girls! Asher from 3/4S made a fantastic poster as part of our Bullying NO Way activities on Friday. Excellent, Asher! Jesse from 1/2E had been working hard to complete his maths and came to show me his super mathematics work. Well done, Jesse! Riley and Jasmine from KG have been working hard on writing sentences and I was very impressed with the great work they had produced. Fantastic effort, Riley and Jasmine! It was wonderful to see students engaged in their learning, working together and trying their best. Keep up the wonderful work, Chittaway Bay.



Healthy Lunchbox

Healthy lunches and snacks are important for active children. It is important to offer healthy lunch box choices. Tips include adding fresh fruit, crunchy vegetables and a combination of protein, dairy and carbohydrate foods.

- Eating healthy food helps children concentrate and learn. Encourage your children to help choose and prepare their own lunch. They might like to make a list of the foods they enjoy. Praise your child when they choose healthy foods for their lunch box.
- When a child or an adult eats healthily and maintains a healthy body weight, they have less risk of developing chronic health problems such as diabetes or cardiovascular disease.
- Eating healthily and regular physical activity can lead to a healthy body weight, which can help to promote a child's self esteem.
- Make sure that fruits and vegetables are a part of lunch for your child. Low fat or non fat dairy should be selected over regular fat milk and cheese.
- Make lunch fun by packing a note for your child, cutting up healthy sandwiches into fun shapes or adding low fat flavoured milk to their lunch box and keep processed foods to a minimum.

More healthy lunchbox ideas can be found at <http://www.healthylunchbox.com.au>



Logo

After consultation with the students, staff and parents and community we have now decided on the new logo for Chittaway Bay Public School. We will start to use the logo on our letter head and other school items. Over time the logo will also be printed on our school uniform. Students will be able to continue to wear our uniform with the previous logo.



Student Resource Packs

Thank you to all of our families who have purchased resource packs to support their child's learning at school. The resource packs include all stationary items, art materials, software licences and classroom educational resources specific to each stage. If you have not yet paid for this resource pack please pay as soon as possible.

Car park

The school car park is for staff parking. To ensure that we keep our students safe parents are asked not to use the staff car park to pick up and drop off their child. Thank you for your support.

PBL

Last week our Year 6 PBL leaders lead our students in activities related to our PBL expectations Safe, Responsible, Respectful and Engaged. The students participated in a game about being Safe, Responsible, Respectful and Engaged. Our Yr. 6 Leaders all did a fantastic job. Well done!



Commonwealth Bank

Cassie from the Commonwealth Bank will be holding an information drop in session about school banking in the school hall from 8.25am on Wednesday 21st March 2018. If you would like any further information about school banking please drop in and have chat with Cassie.

National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy 2016

In May 2018 the National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) will be completed by students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. NAPLAN has the support of all State and Territory Education Ministers and will assess the literacy and numeracy skills of students across Australian schools.

The results of the tests will provide important information to schools about what each student can do, and will be used to support teaching and learning programs. Parents will receive a report indicating their child's level of achievement. Each student's level of achievement will be reported against the national minimum standard. Student background information (student name, gender, date of birth, language background and Aboriginality) will be collected as part of the National Assessment Program. This information is treated confidentially and held securely to ensure that every student's right to privacy is maintained.

The NAPLAN tests will be conducted from 15-17 May 2018.

Students may be considered for exemption from the tests if they:

- are newly arrived in Australia (less than one year before the test) and with a language background other than English, or
- have significant intellectual disability and/or significant co-existing conditions which severely limit their capacity to participate in the tests.

All other students are expected to participate in the tests. Disability adjustments which reflect the student's normal level of support in the classroom may be provided. Large print, Braille, coloured paper versions and electronic tests are available to meet the needs of individual students.

Access to disability adjustments or exemption from the tests must be discussed with the school principal and a parent or carer consent form must be signed.

Students may be withdrawn from NAPLAN by their parent or carer. This is a matter for consideration by parents in consultation with the school principal. If you wish to withdraw your child from the tests, a parent or carer consent form must be signed.

Please make an appointment with the principal, Ruth Goodwin, if you would like to discuss your child's participation in NAPLAN.

Additional information about NAPLAN can be found at

www.nap.edu.au/NAPLAN/Parent_Carer_support/index.html or please ask the school for further information.



Thank you for your support during this campaign, we have over 50,000 vouchers and still 3 weeks to go. We should be able to buy lots of new sporting equipment for our whole school. Vouchers can be placed in the box at Chittaway Coles or brought into the school. Let's see if we can reach 100,000!



Have a great week of learning Chittaway Bay Public school,
Mrs Ruth Goodwin
Principal

Introducing our School Leaders



Hello, my name is Lois. I have been elected into Parliament for 2018. My position is Communication and Public Relations. What I want for Chittaway Bay Public School is to make our school a better place by helping students succeed in their goals. I will always tell them to never give up what they love.

I love running, gymnastics and going to the beach with my family.

Hello, my name is Charlotte. I have been elected into Parliament for 2018. My position in Parliament is Education, Health and Safety. For 2018 I would like to help all the younger students to succeed in learning and influence them to follow all expectations throughout the year.

I love going out with my whole family to places like the beach, going for runs/walks and helping other people with their problems.





Hello, my name is Violet. I have been elected to Parliament for 2018. My position in Parliament is the Environment, Aboriginal and Multicultural Affairs. I would like to influence all my fellow students to be safe, responsible, respectful and engaged and follow all the PBL expectations.

I hope by the end of the year that I would have achieved my goals for Chittaway Bay Public School. I love going to the beach except getting sunburnt and I love running.



Hi, my name is Kai, Minister for Sport and Performing Arts. I like to play football with my friends, listen to music and help others.

I hope during the next year to encourage other students to become more active and enjoy participating in sport. I look forward to being a safe, responsible, respectful and engaged role model.

Merit Awards

Congratulations to the following students on receiving a Merit Award for weeks 6-7.

Phoebe 1/2J, Keira 1/2J, Melanie 1/2J, Eden 1/2J, Summerah KG, Lucian KG, Lea KG, Jacob KG, Izabelle KG, Axyl KD, Lilly KD, Tia KD, Tiernan KD, Glynn KD, Jayden K/6S, Nathan K/6S, Nash 3/4P, Esther 3/4P, Cooper 3/4P, Daniel 3/4P, Lacey 3/4P, Elliot 1/2E, Jackson 1/2E, Piper 1/2E, Zaylee 1/2E, Liam 1/2E, Sebastian K/6M, Bella K/6M, Sarah 3/4D, Joshua 3/4D, Ella 3/4D, Kaiden-Lane 3/4D, Jonathan 3/4D, Jordy 3/4D, Sam K/ 6P, Sierra K/6P, Bella K/6M, Sebastian K/6M, Tristan KP, Milania KP, Soraya KP, Nadiah KP, Jordyn 1/2M, Ruby 1/2M, Nikitas 1/2M, Jacob 1/2M, Zoe 2/6C, Jack 2/6C, Dustyn 2/6C, Catelyn 2/6C, Lila 1/2W, Adam 1/2W, Isla 1/2W, Melia 1/2W, Matthew 1/2W, Ella 1/2W, Jayden 2/3T, Abigail 2/3T, Cody 2/3T, Hayden 2/3T, Kyla 5/6I, Chelsea 5/6I, Alex 5/6I, Michael 5/6I, Charon 5/6I, Ellie 5/6I, Mackenzie 5/6K, Logan 5/6K, Olive 5/6K, Charlotte 5/6K, Preecha 5/6K, Khiani 5/6K, Tom 5/6H, Ava 5/6H, Brenden 5/6H, Nalani 5/6H, Nate 5/6H, Paige 1/2M, Lola 3/4S, Imogen 3/4S, Jack 3/4S

Parliament Report

Our year 6 Parliament sits every Friday afternoon and these items were proposed and debated, with some proposals being discussed by staff.

1. Air conditioning for the Hall. Defeated at staff meeting, but possibly get large fans.
2. National anthem in Hall. Agreed by staff (Possibly the Year 6 gift to the school).
3. School volley ball team. Returned to Parliament for more discussion.
4. Mufti-day fundraiser (Commonwealth Games). Passed in Parliament, awaiting staff decision.
5. Repaint Hall. Passed, Hall upgrade in progress.
6. An honour roll for Kooka Coins. Defeated.

Book Club

All orders for Issue 2 Scholastic Book Club need to be placed on **LOOP BEFORE** Wednesday, March 28, to enable delivery before the school holidays.



School App



Communication is an important part of any school and helps with the smooth running and organisation for both families and the school. Our school has a school app which can be downloaded onto your phone. Chittaway Bay Public School Skoolbag App is for parents and the school community. Download this App to be kept up to date with everything that is happening at CBPS. It features Events, News, Newsletters, Documents, and push notification alerts direct from the School.

Canteen Roster

Term 1 - Weeks 8 and 9

Wed 21/3: K Donnelly, W Hawkins

Thurs 22/3: K Donnelly, W Hawkins

Friday 23/3: K Donnelly, W Hawkins, A Morris, N Hillier

MONDAY - CLOSED

Tues 27/3: K Donnelly, A Hancock, C Murphy

Wed 28/3: K Donnelly, S Reynolds

Thurs 29/3: K Donnelly, W Hawkins, K Leha

Fri 30/3: GOOD FRIDAY - CLOSED

MONDAY – CLOSED

Tues 3/4: K Donnelly, A Hancock, C Murphy

Please phone Karen Donnelly on the **Canteen mobile phone - 0421 016 640**

Closed in shoes must be worn at all times in the canteen. Thongs and sandals are not allowed due to Health and Safety regulations.

The Uniform Shop

Open Fridays at 8.45 – 9.30am (school term only)

In the community room – Lay-bys available

Orders and money, marked “Uniform Shop” may be placed in the box in the Office.

Our uniform is black shoes, no coloured laces etc, please!

School Banking

Student banking is every Wednesday. Please give your bank books to your teacher to put in the class banking pouch. The pouch is sent to the office for processing and returned to the class teacher.

School Banking Information Session.

Chittaway Bay is excited to offer the Commonwealth Bank School Banking program to all students.

School Banking is a fun, interactive and engaging way for young Australians to learn about money and develop good savings habits. Children who deposit money into their Youthsaver account through School Banking earn Dollarmites tokens, which they can save up and redeem for exciting rewards.

The rewards available during 2018 are:

- Twister Power Handball
- Secret Scratch Pad
- Sparkle Glitter Pens
- Glow Light





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- Mighty Boom Handball
- Heat Reactor Pencils
- Slushie Maker Cup
- Zoom Flying Disc

School Banking is also a great fundraiser for our school. Our school receives a Regular Savers Contribution of \$5 for every 10 deposits processed per student as well as an Annual Contribution which is based on the number of students who made at least one School Banking deposit in the prior year.

School Banking day is Wednesday. Each week you need to hand your bank book to your teacher for collection.

We will be holding a School Banking Information Session at our school:

Time: 8.30am – 9.15am

Date: Wednesday 21st March

Location: COLA/PLAYGROUND AREA

Please join us and find out more about the School Banking program and how your child can get involved.

If you are interested in opening a Commonwealth Bank Youthsaver account for your child you can visit commbank.com.au/schoolbanking and click on the link to open a Youthsaver account. A School Banking representative will be available at the Information Session to show you how you can do this. In order to verify yourself and your child, you will need your driver's licence and your child's birth certificate, but if you don't have these with you on the day, you can complete verification online at home.



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The school holidays are fast approaching - are you ready? We are! We will have heaps of activities, with something for every child.

Feature theme days these school holidays include:

Home Tweet Home

It'll be a hoot when we build our very own bird mobiles, feeders or houses.

Gearing up For The Games

Design and decorate your own sports jersey and get ready to wear it for the any sporting occasion.

Games On!

Are you ready for a day full of exciting games that put your skills to the test? We are!

Plate Creations

We're opening our minds and getting creative by painting our own magnificent mindfulness plates.

Book Into A Holiday Club Program

To discover more about a Holiday Club program at a school near you and to book visit:

www.campastralia.com.au/holidayclub

We look forward to seeing you and your family soon.

From the Team at Camp Australia.



To find locations near you and to book, visit www.campastralia.com.au/holidayfun

CAMP AUSTRALIA – Before and After School Care

Coordinator – Ashleigh Nilsson-Taylor Mobile – 0411 298 352

Program	Times	Full Fee	Final Costs after Government Subsidy
Before Care	6.30am-8.30am	\$15.19	\$4.20 - \$7.60
After Care	3.00pm-6.00pm	\$25.94	\$7.88 - \$12.97

Most families are entitled to between 50% and 85% subsidy

Visit www.campastralia.com.au



Join our Easter Family Night

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THURS 22ND MAR 6PM TO 8PM

**Bring the family along
for a great night of fun!**

- Easter D.I.Y. Workshops
- Visit from Easter Bunny
- Fun Easter egg hunt
- Easter activities for the whole family
- Light refreshments will be provided

- Laughing Clowns, Ride On Animals
- Balloon Twister, Popcorn, Fairy Floss
- BBQ Dinner - The Entrance Mens Shed
- Pizza Oven - Berkeley Vale RFS
- DJ, Pony Rides, Photo Booth
- * Spin & Win, Kids Craft, Face Painting

Bookings recommended. For more information or to book ask one of our team in-store or visit www.bunnings.com.au

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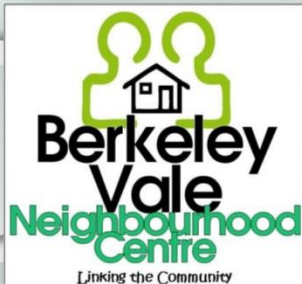
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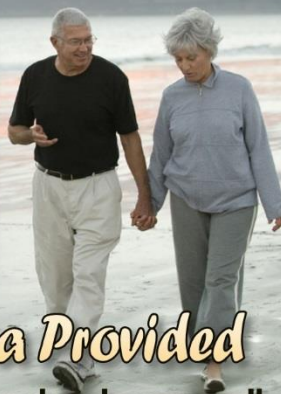
Free Health Education for Older People

Don't miss our free information session at The Berkeley Centre, aimed at older people living independently in the community



Healthy Brain Ageing *Your Brain Matters*

Thursday
March 29th
1pm - 2pm



Afternoon Tea Provided

For more information or to book, please call or email:

Berkeley Vale Neighbourhood Centre, The Berkeley Centre,
3 Heather Ave, Glenning Valley,
Phone 4388 5801, Email manager@bvnc.org.au



Jo-Anne Whitelaw Piano – Keyboard Teacher 0418 387 391

The lessons cost \$18 per lesson, with a small discount for siblings, and run for 45 mins per lesson.

Keyboards will be provided for the lessons, and there will be a fee for the books used in the lessons.



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JUDO CLASSES IN THE SCHOOL HALL THURSDAYS during Term

3.30-4.15pm: Recreational Students 5-8yrs

4.30-5.30pm: Recreational Students 8-11yrs

5.30-6.30pm: Recreational Students 11-14yrs

6.30-7.30pm: Experienced Students 8-14yrs

7.30-8.30pm: Adults & Parents

Facebook: judocentralcoast Shane: 0410 044 205

\$10.00 per class OR \$90.00 per term

If you are interested in your child taking part in these lessons, please fill out the permission slip below and return to the schools office.

Piano/Keyboard Lessons

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Students Name: _____

Parents Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms): _____

Parents Signature: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

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