

# Booborowie Bulletin

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## Achieving and Learning for Life

### Reminders

- ☉ Thu 2nd Feb - SRC elections
- ☉ Mon 6th Feb - Governing Council AGM - 6pm
- ☉ Tue 7th Feb - Meet and Greet and Something to eat! - 3:30 to 5:30
- ☉ Mon 13th Feb - Student Free Day - Play Is The Way training for staff
- ☉ Fri 24th Feb - Assembly - 2:45
- ☉ Heat Up Lunches - Mondays
- ☉ Lunch Orders - Tue to Fri
- ☉ Library Day - Fridays
- ☉ Playcentre - Fridays 9am



Remember to apply sunscreen before school!

We will reapply during the day!

### Quintessential Quote:

"Life offers you so many doors. It's up to you which ones to open and which ones to close."

Unknown.

### Principal's Perusal

Welcome to 2023! I hope you have all had a happy holiday break and got to spend time doing things you enjoy as a family!

Our newsletters will now be published monthly, so, as there are only two days left in January, this issue will be a short one to give you a glimpse of what has been happening at school during the holidays, some welcomes and some important dates. Please find attached a letter of introduction from your child's teacher/s. Teachers will send home a more detailed class curriculum overview next week with the February newsletter.

We welcome back our returning students: Alex, Jesse, Lachie, Mack, Molly, Ned and Peyton.

We also welcome our new Foundation students: Edward, Evie, Jack, Kenzie and Tess.

And welcome to our newest members of our staff team: Hayley Holland, who will be teaching in the Ngani class, Felicity Mudge, who will be providing SSO classroom support and Ian Walker, who is our new Groundsperson.

We also welcome back Mel Walker, who will continue as our front office and classroom support SSO; Mandy Noack, who will continue as our finance SSO, as well as taking on the role of our new Playcentre Leader; Julia Daniel, who will be teaching in the Winda class and Charmaine Kopp, our wonderful cleaner.

What a wonderful year of learning we are all going to have!

Please have a browse over the page, to see what has been happening at school during the holidays . . . hint . . . it wasn't just painting! Thank you to staff who put in so much extra time over their holidays!

♥ Mary

Winda Class



Ngani Class



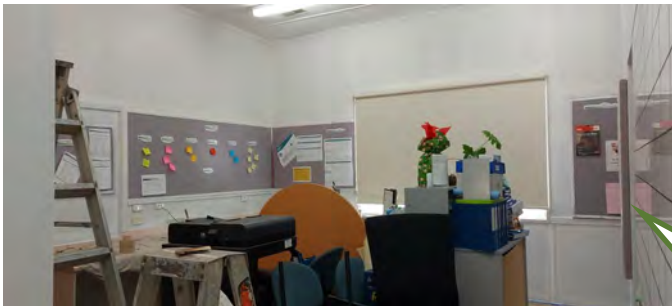
Library



The Arts



Office/Staff Room



What  
a  
difference!

## **SRC Elections**

Today the students in the Winda class helped to decide what qualities are needed in being a school leader, and in particular, to being the SRC Chairperson, Secretary or Treasurer.

The older students will be given the opportunity to stand for election of these important roles. They will write their speeches at home, and present them to the rest of the school on Thursday, when we hold our SRC elections!

This is an excellent opportunity for genuine student voice in our school, and supports the learning that year 3 to 6 students cover in the Civics and Citizenship component of the HASS studies.

## **Governing Council AGM**

On Monday 6th February at 6pm, we will hold our *Governing Council AGM*.

Being on *Governing Council* is a great way to work with the Principal to help set and monitor the direction of the school. We meet twice per term (Meeting time to be determined by new *Governing Council*).

On school *Governing Councils*, members take on a two year term. You can, of course remain on *Governing Council* longer than this! Currently at least four of our existing members will continue, but we would love to see some new families join us! Tomorrow, an information pack with more details will be sent home, along with nomination forms.

## **Meet and Greet and Something to Eat!**

On Tuesday 7th February from 3:30 to 5:30 we will hold our open afternoon for parents.

Teachers will provide an overview of learning in their class and have an opportunity to share your wonderings.

We will finish off with a sausage sizzle!

Hope to see you all there!

## **Rubbish Removal!**

During our **BIG** clean up during the holidays, we managed to get rid of about 30, **YES 30!!!!** wheelie bins full of rubbish and recycling.

We are recycling old teacher resources to a charity that helps schools in disadvantaged places.

We have been left with a small pile of old furniture, etc in the staff car park. If someone is able to make this magically disappear for us, we would be so grateful!



## Whole School Timetable - 2023

All staff to take part in Welcome Circle and Play Is The Way

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:30 - 8:45	Before School Duty	Before School Duty	Before School Duty	Before School Duty	Before School Duty
8:45 - 9:15	Welcome Circle & Play Is The Way	Welcome Circle & Play Is The Way	Welcome Circle & Play Is The Way	Welcome Circle & Play Is The Way	Welcome Circle & Play Is The Way
9:15 - 9:30	Reading Groups	Reading Groups	Reading Groups	Reading Groups	Reading Assessments
9:30 - 10:00	Writing Groups	Writing Groups	Writing Groups	Writing Groups	F-6 ICT-15 min F-6 Handwriting-15 min
10:00 - 10:15	Fruit Break	Fruit Break	Fruit Break	Fruit Break	Fruit Break
10:15 - 11:00	Spelling Groups (Jolly Phonics & Jolly Grammar)	Spelling Groups (Jolly Phonics & Jolly Grammar)	Spelling Groups (Jolly Phonics & Jolly Grammar)	Spelling Groups (Jolly Phonics & Jolly Grammar)	Spelling Groups Spelling Tests
11:00 - 11:20	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess	Recess
11:20 - 12:20	Maths Groups	Maths Groups	Maths Groups	Maths Groups	F-6 Buddy Time
12:20 - 12:50	Child Protection Curriculum	F-6 HPE Theory	Play Is The Way Life Raft lessons	SRC: Weeks 1, 5, 9. School Pride: other weeks	F-6 Library
12:50 - 1:30	Lunch time	Lunch time	Lunch time	Lunch time	Lunch time
1:30 - 2:30	HASS	F-6 Japanese	F-6 Science	F-6 The Arts	F-6 PE
2:30 - 3:20	HASS (Winda) Play - Ngani	F-6 Health			F-6 Design Technologies  (Weeks 4, 8: Assembly)
3:20	Home Time	Home Time	Home Time	Home Time	Home Time

