



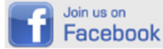
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BPS Newsletter – Number 10
Friday 15th June 2022

Dear Parents,

The first week of Term 3 has flown by. Thank you so much for the lovely warm welcome I have received this week. It has been such a pleasure to meet all of you and begin to get to know this school and its community. I am looking forward to continuing the fabulous work of the school in the coming term.

Inglewood Primary School

Our combined program with Inglewood Primary School will resume on Friday, July 22.

Gym

A reminder that we will be attending Palmer’s Gym for four weeks. Please see the calendar attached for the dates. Consent forms were generated via uEducateus at the end of last term.

Tennis

We will also be participating in the Tennis Victoria ‘Classroom to Court’ Program this term. This program is free of charge as part of the Positive Start in 2022 initiative. Consent forms will be generated via UEducateus in the next week.



Cluster Football

The interschool football match will take place on the 27th of July. Our team will consist of a mix of students from the Bridgewater, Inglewood, Lockwood South and St Mary’s schools, as organised by Mr. G.

Chaplaincy Update

We are yet to find a new chaplain. Our provider, Your Dream, is continuing the recruitment process and we hope to make an announcement about our new chaplain in the near future.

Lunch Orders

A reminder that orders must be either handed in to school on a Thursday morning, or alternatively, dropped off at the bakery in person by close of business the day before.

Home-reading

Please ensure that your child is practicing their reading at home on a regular basis.

Have a terrific weekend.

Kind regards,
Linda Kingsley

Happy Birthday Harrison



Respect

Excellence

Relationships

SCHOOL COUNCIL

Principal
Linda Kingsley

President
Leah Bailey

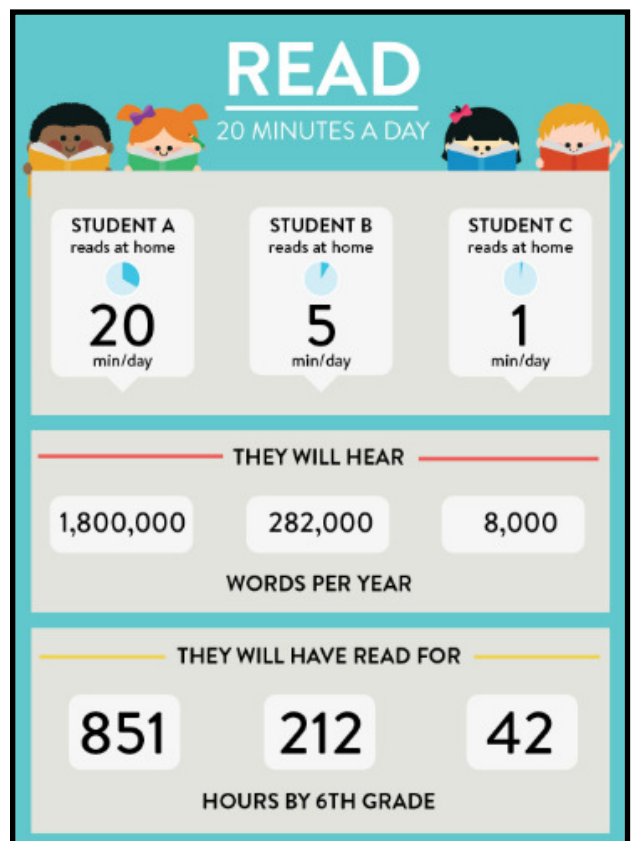
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Shannon Zimmer
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Student Awards—Classroom Award

The classroom awards recognise students who are demonstrating skills that are in line with our school values, Respect, Excellence and Relationships.

Please note that this award will be presented at our next assembly. Assemblies will take place every second Friday afternoon at 3:10 pm either at the front of the school or inside during inclement weather. All parents are encouraged and welcome to attend.

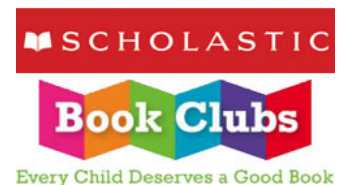
Student	Reason
Amaya	For demonstrating resilience and positivity when approaching new and challenging situations.

Calendar

Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5
Monday 18th July Breakfast Club Tuesday 19th Gym Program commences Wednesday 20th Outdoor Classroom - River Lunch Club Friday 22nd Inglewood Extension	Monday 25th July Breakfast Club Tennis Tuesday 26th Gym Wednesday 27th Outdoor Classroom - River Lunch Club Thursday 28th MARC Friday 29th Inglewood Extension	Monday 1st August Breakfast Club Tennis Tuesday 2nd Gym Wednesday 3rd Outdoor Classroom - River Lunch Club Friday 5th Inglewood Extension	Monday 8th Breakfast Club Tennis Tuesday 9th Gym Wednesday 10th Outdoor Classroom - Onsite Lunch Club Thursday 11th MARC Friday 12th Inglewood Extension

Scholastic Book Club

Issue 5 is attached to this newsletter and is available from the school office, if you wish to order please return orders with money to the school office box by Thursday 28th July or alternatively orders can be placed on line through LOOP.



Bridgewater PS banking details:

EFT DETAILS: BSB 633-000
A/C 132448242

YOU MUST MAKE SURE YOUR FAMILY SUR-NAME IS INCLUDED AS THE REFERENCE!



Bridgewater; Thursday 28th July

The Indigenous Literacy Foundation raises money each year in various ways, one of which is [The Great Book Swap](#).

Thanks to Bron Coffey (who is connected to Raywood) we have been lucky enough to receive St Joseph's left-over books from their swap day to get us started. If families have any books they would like to donate to the book swap I would be happy to collect and include them.

On our book swap day students can bring a gold coin to school to swap for a book. All money raised will be donated to the Indigenous Literacy Foundation. This money goes towards providing books to children in remote Communities across the country. I will be sharing information about the fabulous work this foundation does in my lessons prior to the Book Swap day.

MARC News



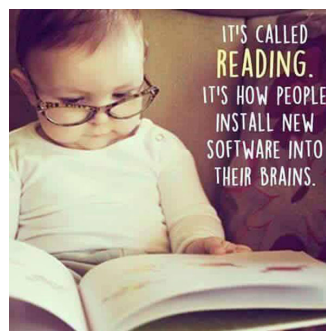
Don't forget to bring along your coins on **Thursday 28th July** so you can swap them for some great books! We will be raising money to send to the Indigenous Literacy Foundation.



We continue to be supported by the Terry Floyd Foundation and Dymocks Children's Charities. Over the holidays I catalogued \$1,000 worth of new books donated by these wonderful organisations, and they are all ready for borrowing!



CBCA Book Week celebrations at Bridgewater will happen on **Thursday 25th August**. You might want to dig around in the dress up box to see if you have something fabulous to wear! We will be sharing some of the short listed books and choosing our favourites before the winners are announced.



It's going to be a big, brilliant, bookish term!

Mrs G ☐