

Welcome to Week 3 2018

Monday 14th May 2018

Bunnings Performance

It was wonderful to see so many families at our Bunnings Junior Choir performance. We really appreciate your support of our choir program and by the look on your faces you really enjoy watching your children perform. Once again we say a huge thank you to Mrs Graham for her hard work in training our students to perform so well. Just imagine what they will be like when they become our Senior Choir!

Bunnings Sausage Sizzle

It was great to see so many parents helping out on the Bunnings Sausage Sizzle last Saturday. This is going to be a huge fundraiser for our school so if you haven't put your name down for the next sausage sizzle over the long weekend please message Kirsty our President on 0423984093 or send her a message on the P & C Facebook page.

Walk Safely to School Day Breakfast THIS Friday 18th May

This Friday 18th May from 7.30 am is our Walk Safely to School Healthy Breakfast. 98.5 FM Sonshine Radio will be broadcasting live from our school. So leave the cars at home and walk to school for a yummy healthy breakfast and a happy time shared with your school community.

Don't forget your bowl, plate, spoon, fork etc

98.5 Sonshine FM is broadcasting from our school due to our involvement with YouthCare and the School Chaplaincy program. Check out 98.5 Sonshine FM at

<https://98five.com/freecoffeefriday/>

Please note there will be NO RUNNING CLUB on Friday due to the breakfast.

NAPLAN

NAPLAN testing commences TOMORROW for our Year 3 and Year 5 students. Parents are reminded to ensure your children arrive at school on time and they come prepared after having a nutritional breakfast and a good night's sleep. Parents please stay positive when talking about NAPLAN and simply encourage your children to do their very best.

A message from your P & C



Our Mother's Day pop up shop was a huge success with so many excited children picking something special for mum! We have raised \$950 so far. We hope everyone loves their gifts and thank all our parents for supporting the P&C. Thank you to the parents who helped the children buy gifts and helped with the set up/ take down of the stall. Your help is appreciated so much and you are the reason we are able to do events such as this.

Thank you to the parents who volunteered to cut a massive 30kgs of onions for our Bunnings sausage sizzle on the weekend. Thank you to those who gave up a few hours of their weekend to help with our fundraising efforts!

Our next Bunnings Sausage Sizzle is Sunday the 3rd June.

Our P&C cannot continue to run without the help of all our parents and community members. Our volunteers are working tirelessly but they need help to keep our events as planned.

Please get in touch if you're able to help or come along to our next meeting Wednesday the 13th June at 8.40am in the school conference room!

(Meetings have changed to morning due to not meeting quorum at our night time meetings)

Thank you from your P&C team

2019 Kindergarten and Pre Primary Enrolments

Kindergarten and Pre-primary enrolments for 2019 are now open.

All students currently attending Kindergarten at Baldvis Gardens Primary School are required to complete an enrolment application for Pre-primary in 2019.

The application form has been sent home for you to complete and return to the front office by **Tuesday 31st July 2019.**

If you have any enquiries please contact the office and they will be able to assist you.

Our School's Catchment Area

Our school has a very good reputation and we are getting many enquiries from out of our area for enrolment in 2019. The land close to our school is being developed and will soon open up to new housing estates. Therefore we will need to restrict enrolments from outside our catchment area to ensure we have sufficient space for our students living in our catchment area. When speaking with friends and family who live outside our catchment area can you please remind them we now need to restrict enrolments coming from outside our area. Please speak to me if you have any queries relating to out of catchment enrolments or you have family or friends seeking enrolment in our school. Students currently in Pre Primary to Year 6 from

out of catchment are guaranteed a place in our school until they finish their schooling in Year 6.

Kapahaka

Tomorrow (Tuesday) is Kapahaka Day after school in the covered assembly area. Don't miss the chance for your children to be immersed in Maori culture and enjoy the music and the dance. Please meet Taniera in the covered assembly area from 3 pm. Attached is an information package and expression of interest form.

Parent Teacher Meetings

Parent teacher meetings will be held in the last week of term and I wish to remind you school will be closed from 2 pm on Tuesday 26th June to provide additional time for these interviews. You will soon be invited to book your interview time and I do hope everyone will take this opportunity.

I do hope you will join us at breakfast on Friday. The weather forecast is great and I am confident this will be a very happy school community event.

Next Community Assembly

Our next assembly is Friday 25th May and Mrs Taylor's Year 1/2 class will be leading this assembly.

Toastie Tuesday is Back

Tomorrow Toastie Tuesday returns as our student councillors continue to raise funds for their World Vision Sponsor Child. Cheese toasties will be for sale for \$2 at recess time from the covered assembly area.

I look forward to seeing you all at breakfast on Friday!

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Jayne Ebsworthy
Principal