THE LATEST NEWS FROM

29 November 2021

BRISBANIA PUBLIC SCHOOL

UPCOMING EVENTS

30 NOVEMBER

1 DECEMBER

2 DECEMBER

3 DECEMBER

HEADSTART SESSION THREE FOR KINDERGARTEN 2022



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2022 BRISBANIA PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C EXECUTIVE

Last Tuesday, the P&C held their general meeting and elected the following Executive.

President-Lindsay Ivins

Vice President - Carla Kelly

Secretary - Shane Murray

Treasurer- Nathan Vant

The community of Brisbania PS looks forward to working with you, in your P&C roles.

COMMUNICATION REMINDER

The staff encourage you to use the following forms of communication. Dojo for quick messages to class teacher and a letter, note, email to the school email's address or a phone call if wanting to write a longer message or have a conversation with the teacher. Changes to afternoon pick up are best done via calling the school.

LEAVING AT THE END OF YEAR

If your child is leaving at the end of year from Kindergarten to Year 5, please let the office know immediately.

REVERSE SANTA

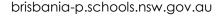
We are looking forward to Reverse Santa on Friday, following the P&C's raffle draw. Thanks for your donation of a new gift.

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CHANGES TO PROTOCOL IF A COVID-19 CASE AT SCHOOL

In order to minimise disruptions caused to schools by COVID-19 cases, and to maximise the time our students have learning in the classrooms a number of changes to operations for schools will be introduced from today, Monday 29 November, for the remainder of Term 4.

Rapid antigen 'test-to-stay' program

A rapid antigen home testing (RAHT) 'test-to-stay' program will be available to any student who is a close contact of a COVID-19 case in a school setting. This will enable them to get back to school immediately following a negative PCR test and on the basis they do daily RAHTs before attending school across 7 consecutive days. This means that our students' learning is able to continue with minimal interruptions following a positive COVID-19 case. Full support will be available to help you implement this should it be required at our school and many other schools and students are already using RAHTs successfully.

Stay safe and well

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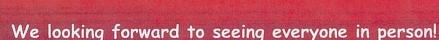




We invite all families and students from our Tjudibaring Aboriginal Education and Consultative Group (AECG) community to an end of year BBQ

When: 4pm Friday 10th December

RSVP: by 3pm Friday the 3rd December - please let us know how many family members will be attending with you so we can cater enough food Where: Heazlett Park near the park and bbgs



Enquiries & RSVP to <u>Tjudibaring.aecg@outlook.com</u>

Jade Bush (President) & Tara Johnson (Secretary)

STUDENT SUCCESS

STAGE 2

3M - James H L, Violet P, Sophie S

3T - Bonnie P, Liam S-W, Shakira T, Abbie L

3/4D - Ethan R, Carter H, Bella O

4L - Sienna B, Henry S, Evie G

4M - Bonnie S, Cooper S W, Riley G

YCDI

Alexis W, Seth B, Lyla D, Marshall W, Jett M Kaylee U Luca D, Ava W, Jakob C, Charlie R, James. R Hunter MD

Assembly Leaders

Alexis W and Oscar S

PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

2VN - Charlotte, Kashel

3M - Declan



P&C NEWS

Congratulation to everyone on their positions for the P&C 2022 Executive Team, I am very much looking forward to working alongside you all.



President: Lindsay Ivins Vice President: Carla Kelly Secretary: Shane Murray Treasurer: Nathan Vant

We welcome Carla to the team and welcome back Shane and Nathan, thank you everyone.

Thank you to Mel Martin for all your hard work over the years, we will miss you.

Caitlin Richards is also stepping down from the position of Uniform Coordinator, Caitlin thank you for doing the most amazing job, we will miss you. Caitlin is happy to stay in the position until we find a replacement. If you are interested in the position or to hear more about what would be involved, please email: brisbaniapublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au

Congratulation to Mel Martin and Caitlin Richards on being nominated to become life members of the P&C, we thank you for all your support and service to the school community.

BRISBANIA'S BUMPER CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

The Brisbania Bumper Christmas Raffle is open for you to purchase raffle tickets.

The raffle will be drawn by Santa Claus himself THIS Friday 3 December at 9am.

Winners will be posted on the P&C Facebook page.

THANK YOU to everyone who has bought tickets, we appreciate your support.

Great prizes valued at over \$3200 to be won!

Tickets are available to buy online only. More information in the poster in newsletter.

REBEL SPORT



Whether you're Christmas shopping, birthday shopping or getting yourself some new sport or gym gear, make sure when you're shopping at Rebel Sport that you say you're supporting Brisbania Public School at the register.

Every purchase accumulates points for our school which is turned into vouchers which the P&C can use to purchase sporting equipment for our school!

Have a good week everyone

P&C Team

CANTEEN NEWS

The school canteen including today only has nine days left of service.

All items as they start to run out will be made unavailable on Flexischools.

However, if for some reason we get large orders on a certain item and we run out on the day your child may be offered an alternative.

Thank you from Paula and Rose for supporting the canteen on our return from Learning from Home, we have been busier than ever and we look forward to seeing the children in our new canteen in 2022.

Stay safe and have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Paula and Rose



The Australian Government is supporting peak water safety bodies to declare the first day of summer, December 1st, National Water Safety Day, in a bid to encourage all Australians to make water safety a priority.

An unacceptable number of drownings occur during the months of summer with Australians making the most of the coastline, pools, rivers and lakes. Last season there were 248 drownings across Australia, with 39% of all drownings occurring during summer.

This year has been a difficult one for many communities and as we head to summer, we are expecting record numbers of people to visit our coastlines. With less opportunity to learn to swim in this last year it is more important then ever to ensure our children know how to stay safe on our coast and in our waterways.

To celebrate National Water Safety Day, we are bringing you Red & Yellow Day and we are asking schools to allow their students to come dressed in red and yellow to raise awareness of the red and yellow flags. Your children will be involved in activities through the day that will help them learn about coastal and inland waterway safety and will have fun watching Livestreams from our coastline brought to students by our very own Surf Lifesavers.

We urge you to engage with your children about the day and provide your children with opportunities to show you what they have learnt as you spend time at the water this summer – reinforcing these vital messages through practical experience is key to ensuring that our children know how to stay safe.

For more information on the day please visit Red & Yellow Day 2021 online. For more information on how to stay safe on the coast please visit our brand-new Beach & Coastal Safety Resource Hub.

We hope your children enjoy the day and have fun dressing up!

Have a safe and lovely summer!



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Central Coast Summer Chess Tournament for ages 6 to 17

Entry fee \$20

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Payment details and food options on contact with...

Gary Losh

glosh6090@gmail.com



New venue... previously at Mingara

Monday 10 January

Must pre-enter by Wednesday 5 January

Coast Community Church, Adelaide St, Tumbi Umbi 9.30am – 4.00pm

Minimum ability: Must know how to move the pieces and complete games largely unassisted.



Brisbania's Bumper Christmas Raffle

Sports Gear

Toys

Games

Craft

OVER \$3200

IN PRIZES

TO BE WON!!

Tickets Via Raffletix
Raffle Drawn 3/12/21 @ 9am
Winners Published on P&C Facebook



TERM 4 DEPENDENT ON COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9	29 NOVEMBER	30 NOVEMBER	1 DECEMber	2 DECEMBER	3 DECEMBER
					Headstart session 3
					Reverse Santa
					P&C raffle draw
10	6 DECEMBER	7 DECEMBER	8 DECEMBER	9 DECEMBER	10 DECEMBER
	Yr6 Farewell			Presentation Day	
11	13 DECEMBER	14 DECEMBER	15 DECEMBER	16 DECEMBER	17 DECEMBER
	Graduations			Last day for students	
	9:15 am Kindy				
	1:30 pm Yr6				

