

THE LATEST NEWS FROM

# BRISBANIA PUBLIC SCHOOL

## 15 NOVEMBER

Swim Scheme

Headstart at EHS

## 16 NOVEMBER

Swim Scheme

Tjudibaring AECG Award evening at  
Kincumber HS

## 17 NOVEMBER

Swim Scheme

## 18 NOVEMBER

Yr 5 at EHS Sports Gala day

Swim Scheme



## MISS PARREY'S MESSAGE



### 2023 PLANNING

2023 planning is well underway. It is crucial that we know if your child is leaving at the end of the year. Please email the school this week. If you know anyone who is enrolling, other than in Kindergarten next year, please get them to contact the school ASAP.

### TJUDIBARING LOCAL AECG AWARDS

On Wednesday, the annual award presentation will be held at Kincumber HS.

Our Stage 2 and 3 Aboriginal dancers will be performing and Ava and Brax will be comparing. We are proud of you.

Congratulations to all students who were nominated and to students who will receive an award.

Thanks to Ms Simpson who has been the school contact liaising with the Tjudibaring AECG, accompanying students for dance practices and organising the printing and framing of awards.

### OUR ABORIGINAL STUDENTS' CULTURAL DAY ON COUNTRY

On 22 November, our Aboriginal students will be visiting Bulgandry and Girrakool accompanied by our Aboriginal teachers and supported by Rob Waters from State AECG to learn more about our local Aboriginal sites and their significance.

### REVERSE SANTA

It will soon be 9 December, please pick up a gift for our Reverse Santa annual gift giving to support less fortunate students on the Central Coast.

### AGM

The P&C AGM, followed by a general meeting run by the newly elected P&C Executive, will be held in the staffroom on 24 November at 6pm.

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## **THANK YOU, LINDSAY IVINS**

Lindsay Ivins will be stepping down as Brisbania PS's P&C President at the P&C's AGM on Thursday 24 November.

Lindsay has been amazing giving herself wholeheartedly to the role. She was instrumental in organising P&C run events during COVID lockdown last year, she organises Crazy Camel annually, she has liaised with the Easter Bunny for eggs for all students and staff, assisted with Mothers' Day Breakfast, You Did It BBQ, Cross Country and Athletics Carnival catering, organised fetes, raffles and cake days. She writes a report weekly for the newsletter.

Without Lindsay, the P&C may have folded numerous times.

A MASSIVE thank you, Lindsay, for your brilliant service to Brisbania PS over the years.

## **CHRISTMAS MARKETS**

Our inaugural Christmas markets will be held on Saturday, 3 December from 10am to 2pm. Thank you to Jo Hyland and Mrs Duruz for their organisation.

## **TRANSITION TO ERINA HS**

On Friday, Year 5 will be visiting Erina HS for their Fun taster day of High School life. Have fun!

Orientation Day will be held on Tuesday 29 November at Erina HS for our Year 6 students.

A small group of students are also enjoying a weekly visit to Erina HS to assist in their transition to Year 7 in 2023.

## **KINDY 2023**

Last Friday, we held our 5<sup>th</sup> Headstart session for our 2023 Kindy. The students are now familiar and well prepared for big school. We look forward to their first day in 2023.

A massive thanks to Mr Stott, Mrs Duruz, Miss Christoffersen and Mrs Masters for their fun activities and care. Special thanks, too, to our Student Leadership Team and the P&C uniform shop mums and Lindsay Ivins for their support.

## **REMEMBRANCE DAY**

Last Friday, it was Mrs Carey's pleasure, on my behalf, to accompany Giselle, Ebony and Jacqueline to the Davistown RSL to commemorate Remembrance Day with returned service personnel.

The school also held an assembly to mark the commemoration, significance and history of Remembrance Day.

## **LIFE EDUCATION**

The Life Education van, presenter and Harold will be visiting from 21-25 November. Please pay ASAP, if you haven't already done so. The program covers grade appropriate content from our PDHPE curriculum.

## **RAT TESTS/ INCREASE IN COVID CASES**

The DoE has advised us that there will be a new peak in COVID cases in December.

Please contact the office, if you require more RAT tests. We will send RAT tests home with your child ASAP after your request.

## **LIBRARY STOCKTAKE**

The end of year is quickly approaching and our library stocktake will be starting soon. You can greatly assist the library staff by having a home stocktake of your books! So often our school library books get mixed up with personal ones. Also, get your children to check in toy boxes, cupboards and under the bed. With the annual stocktake taking place, there will be no borrowing for the next 3 weeks. Please return borrowed books back to the school library as soon as possible.

# PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

3S Ryder - Art  
 1H Elsie, Danielle - Wonderful writing  
 1/2 Billie - Wonderful writing

♡The P&C would like to give a HUGE THANK YOU to all the local business that are supporting the Christmas Raffle this year. Your support is greatly appreciated. ♡



## CANTEEN ROSTER TERM 4

WEEK 6	NAME	WEEK 7	NAME
MONDAY	HELP NEEDED	MONDAY	HELP NEEDED
TUESDAY	HELP NEEDED	TUESDAY	HELP NEEDED
WEDNESDAY	Meryl Whetton	WEDNESDAY	Chelsea Stone
THURSDAY	HELP NEEDED	THURSDAY	HELP NEEDED

We are looking for a parent volunteer for Book Club next year.

Please call the school:

**4369 1246**



## MEETING 😊

**Our next meeting has been changed to NEXT THURSDAY 24 November at 6pm**, in the staff room.

We will start with the AGM then following that will be our meeting.

We would love many new families to join the P&C. It is only \$2 to join!

You will have to become a member before the meeting, so you are able to vote on your new executive team or to be part of the executive team.

It is wonderful to be part of the team and I love helping make wonderful memories for the students. Come and join us ❤️

Our bank details to be able to pay the \$2 are:

**Brisbania Public School P&C**

**BSB: 032596**

**Acct: 218938**

## CHRISTMAS RAFFLE 🎄🎄🎄

The Christmas Raffle is now open and available for you to purchase tickets to support the school.

Flyers will be sent home with students this week and is also available in this newsletter.

Thank you to the local businesses that have supported the raffle this year.

Bakehouse Cafe, Rebel Sports, 2 Fidget Queens and Foreplay golf. We appreciate your support, thank you. ❤️

Thank you to Jo Hyland for inviting us to sell raffle tickets at the Davistown RSL market on Sunday.

It was great to have one of our school leaders, Milly there to sell the tickets. Thank you, Milly 😊



## CANTEEN

We are welcoming volunteers back into the canteen. If you interested in helping cook and serve some delicious recesses and lunches for the students, please contact Paula and Rose in the canteen.

## UNIFORM SHOP 🛍️👕👖

Thank you to Caitlin, Kim, Sam, Toni, Bec and Aminta for all your hard work throughout Kindy Head start over the past five Fridays. The new Kindy students are looking very smart and of course very cute in their new school uniforms.

Also, a big thank you to you all for doing a big clean out of the uniform shop over the past few weeks. The Uniform shop looks amazing. ❤️

## CRAZY CAMEL

Orders will be sent home with students within the next couple of weeks. If you would like your order to be kept at the office and not sent home with your child, can you please contact the school, and we will keep it separate for you.

## CHRISTMAS MARKETS - Saturday 3 December 🎄🎄🎄

A HUGE THANK YOU TO Jo Hyland for all your hard work to make the Brisbania PS Christmas Markets a great day for us all and the community.

The P&C will be running a Sausage Sizzle and a Cake Stall at the markets. If you are able to help on any of these stalls, we would love to hear from you.

Have a great week, see you at the meeting on Thursday 24 November 6pm.

Lindsay Ivins

P&C President

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**Brisbania Public School**

# **Christmas Market**

**Sat 3rd Dec**

**10am-2pm**

**High St Saratoga**

**Come along to the school for a fun day out  
whilst supporting our school and local  
small businesses.**



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# Information for applicants

For entry to selective high schools in Year 7 in 2024

## Ready to apply?

Apply online at:

[shsoc.education.nsw.gov.au](https://shsoc.education.nsw.gov.au)

Note: there may be changes to the dates and procedures in this document.

For the latest updates visit:

[education.nsw.gov.au/shs-oc](https://education.nsw.gov.au/shs-oc)

## Key Dates

**Application website opens**

18 October 2022

**Application website closes**

16 November 2022

**Test centre and test authority advice released**

20 April 2023

**Selective High School Placement Test**

4 May 2023

**Illness/misadventure requests submitted**

11 May 2023

**Placement outcome expected to be released**

Mid-August 2023

# TERM 4 2022

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7	21 November Life Ed Drama Festival	22 November Life Ed Drama Festival CULTURAL DAY for Aboriginal students Headstart at EHS	23 November Life Ed	24 November Life Ed P&C AGM Meeting 6:00pm	25 November Life Ed
8	28 November	29 November Yr 6 to 7 Orientation Day	30 November	1 December	2 December <b>SATURDAY 3 DECEMBER CHRISTMAS MARKETS</b>
9	5 December	6 December	7 December	8 December Presentation Day Years 1-6 9:15am Reports Home	9 December Reverse Santa You Did It activity and BBQ
10	12 December Year 6 Farewell and Graduation @ Davistown RSL	13 December	14 December	15 December 9:30am Kindergarten Graduation	16 December End of year Stage activities Year 6 Walk out from 2:30pm to the basketball court <b>Last day of Term 4 for students</b>
11	19 December Staff Development Day	20 December Staff Development Day	21 December	22 December	23 December