

THE LATEST NEWS FROM

# BRISBANIA PUBLIC SCHOOL

## 6 DECEMBER

## 7 DECEMBER

## 8 DECEMBER

## 9 DECEMBER

Presentation Day for Years 1-6  
9:15am

Reports Home

Reverse Santa  
Volunteers Thank You Morning Tea  
BBQ Lunch  
Colour Run  
**CANTEEN CLOSED**



## MISS PARREY'S MESSAGE



### WEEK 9

Where has the year gone!

Today starts the last 2 weeks for our students for 2023. Finishing on 16 December.

Teachers have communicated via Dojo if your child is receiving an award at Presentation Day. We are very excited to announce our 2023 leadership team on Thursday too.

Teachers have worked hard on Semester Two reports. We are having a few glitches with printing reports, so we hope to have them to you on Thursday afternoon.

Friday 9 December is our big day.

We start with elves and Santa receiving reverse Santa gifts from students, we then give the bags of presents to Care4Coast. The teachers then thank our volunteers for their assistance and support over morning tea in the library.

Our volunteer parents for the end of year BBQ get organised and cook ready for each student to get a sausage sandwich, drink and iceblock.

After lunch, we hold our Colour Run. Be prepared for some rainbow shirts, shorts, shoes and body parts at home time. PLEASE SEND IN SOME OLD CLOTHES AND SHOES and/or a WHITE TSHIRT IN A RESUABLE PLASTIC BAG for the colour run.

If you do not want your child to be involved, please let your class teacher know via Dojo. Alternate activities will be provided with Mrs Duruz.

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### **ABORIGINAL STUDENTS' CELEBRATION OF THEIR CULTURAL GOALS**

Following the introduction of our Cultural Groups this year with Ms Simpson, we will be holding an assembly for our Aboriginal students and their families at 9:15am on Monday 12 December in the hall to celebrate achievement of their cultural goals.

### **CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL NOMINEES FOR THE 2023 STUDENT LEADERSHIP TEAM**

Last Tuesday, the students from Years 2-5 and staff were so impressed by the calibre, quality and passion of the 27 students who stood for the 2023 Student Leadership Team. All could have been voted in, unfortunately only 6 will be announced on Thursday. I encourage the remaining 21 students to stand for house and vice captains, SRC, Environmental or Library leadership positions in 2023.

You should be very proud of your delivery of your speech and willingness to stand.

### **RED AND YELLOW DAY**

\$319.30 will go to help our lifesavers.

Thank you so much ,Brisbania!!

## **PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS**

1H- RILEY- GREAT MATHS

1H- LUCA- GREAT MATHS

1H- OLIVIA- GREAT MATHS

1H- FINN- GREAT MATHS

1/2C- LUCY- IMPROVED READING

1/2C - TATE- GREAT MATHS

1/2C- LENNOX- GREAT MATHS

### **Christmas Market**

Last Saturday, our school grounds were full of Christmas spirit as we hosted our first ever Christmas Market. The community flocked through the gates to explore the many stalls, catch up with friends and for many to revisit old memories of BPS. A huge thank you to Jo Hyland, a new Kindergarten parent, who took on this massive task of organising the event with the support of the P&C. To the staff, families, students who supported the market, thank you especially to those who stayed all day. To view photos of the day please go to the school's Facebook page.

Karen Duruz



# **ASSEMBLY AWARDS**

## **KINDY AND STAGE ONE**

KK - Koa H, Mila J  
KT - Ashton M, Indi P  
K/1N - Leon J, Zachery P, Finn D  
1H - Luca S, Ella K  
1/2C - Avalon W, Siaki W, Sofia K  
2B - Caitlin E, Brodie M  
2VN - Georgia C, Vivian H T, Maria T

### **YCDI**

Ziggy T, Mateo H T, Isabella H, Brayden C,  
Zahra L, Lenox M, Ivy R, Ella L, Ziggy E-W  
Emily O, Barney B, Hendrix K

### **LEADERS**

Hendrix , Adalise, Riley, Summer, Tane

## **STAGE TWO**

3S - Abby, Leo  
3T - Mali, Aria, Will  
4L - Jack, Lyla, Bethany  
4M - Liam, Alexis W, Flynn  
4/5S - Sierra

### **YCDI**

Valdemar, Elijah, Sidney, Layla, Ivy, Windsor  
Campbell, Kailee, Taj, Lola, Hamish, Joe, Mitchell

## Anticipated Costs for 2023

In addition to voluntary school fees of \$50 for 1 child, \$70 for 2 children and \$80 for 3 or more children, the following are anticipated costs for each stage that need to be paid for each child. Please be aware that additional activities may be added throughout the year including mufti days and fundraisers. Learning Packs include numerous subscriptions for use in lessons.

Early Stage One	Stage One	Stage Two	Stage Three
<b>Term One</b>	<b>Term One</b>	<b>Term One</b>	<b>Term One</b>
Learning Packs \$100	Learning Packs \$100	Learning Packs \$100	Learning Packs \$100
Wellbeing sessions \$35	Wellbeing sessions \$35	Wellbeing sessions \$35	Wellbeing sessions \$35
Cultural Infusion incursion \$25 (For Harmony Day)	Cultural Infusion incursion \$25 (For Harmony Day)	Swimming Carnival \$10	Swimming Carnival \$10
	<b>Year 2</b> Swimming Carnival \$10	Possible Stage Two Excursion \$40	Year 6 shirts per shirt \$50
		Cultural Infusion incursion \$25 (For Harmony Day)	Cultural Infusion incursion \$25 (For Harmony Day)
<b>Term Two</b>	<b>Term Two</b>	<b>Term Two</b>	<b>Term Two</b>
Life Education \$12	Life Education \$12	Life Education \$12	Life Education \$12
Possible Kindergarten excursion \$40	Stage One excursion \$40		<b>Year 6- Canberra</b> \$400 TBC
		University of NSW Competitions TBA	University of NSW Competitions TBA
		Central Coast Dance Festival \$50	Central Coast Dance Festival \$50
<b>Term Three</b>	<b>Term Three</b>	<b>Term Three</b>	<b>Term Three</b>
Musica Viva \$10	Musica Viva \$10	Musica Viva \$10	Musica Viva \$10
Sport in Schools \$40 TBC	Sport in Schools \$40 TBC	Possible Stage Two Excursion \$40	
K-2 Athletics Carnival \$5	K-2 Athletics Carnival \$5	8-12 year olds Athletics Carnival \$10	8-12 year olds Athletics Carnival \$10
	<b>Year 2 only</b> 8-12 year olds Athletics Carnival \$10		
Photos TBA	Photos TBA	Photos TBA	Photos TBA
<b>Term Four</b>	<b>Term Four</b>	<b>Term Four</b>	<b>Term Four</b>
Life Education \$10	Life Education \$10	Life Education \$10	Life Education \$10
Christmas Luncheon \$10	End of Year celebration \$20	End of Year celebration \$20	End of Year celebration \$35
	<b>Year 2 only</b> Swim Scheme		<b>Year 5- The Great Aussie Bush Camp</b> \$350 TBC
Year 6 Mini Fete \$7.50	Year 6 Mini Fete \$7.50	Year 6 Mini Fete \$7.50	<b>Year 5- Year 6 Mini Fete</b> \$7.50
		Gymnastics \$40 TBC	Gymnastics \$40 TBC
		Zone Ball Games \$5	Zone Ball Games \$5
			Central Coast Drama Festival \$75
			<b>Year 6</b> Trivia night \$10
			<b>Year 6</b> Farewell \$50



The staff at  
Brisbania Public School  
would like to invite you to our  
2022

THANK YOU  
MORNING TEA  
for our volunteers  
on FRIDAY 9 DECEMBER  
10:55-11:15am  
in the library.

Please let your child's class teacher know via Dojo,  
if you can join us.

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



**SECONDLIFE**  
RE-CRAFTED



### CANTEEN ROSTER TERM 4

WEEK 9	NAME	WEEK 10	NAME
MONDAY	HELP NEEDED	MONDAY	HELP NEEDED
TUESDAY	HELP NEEDED	TUESDAY	HELP NEEDED
WEDNESDAY	HELP NEEDED	WEDNESDAY	HELP NEEDED
THURSDAY	Lee Williams	THURSDAY	HELP NEEDED

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

Please call the school:

**4369 1246**



### CANTEEN NEWS

We welcome Parents, Grandparents, Carers, Aunts and Uncles to volunteer.

Please make sure you have your WWCC, Code of Conduct and Declaration for Childcare Workers completed before commencing.

Thank you for your support.

Paula and Rose.

# PLAY FOOTBALL 2023



**2023 REGISTRATION FROM \$90\***

\*With Active Kids Voucher

## WHY PLAY FOR WOY WOY?



- FREE** Registration for Under 5s\*  
(\*with active kids voucher)
- FREE** Development Program for U6s - U12's  
delivered by Kano Football  
(More info: [kano-football.com.au](http://kano-football.com.au))
- FREE** Goalkeeper training program for all new  
and experienced keepers age U10s to U16s
- FREE** Cadet Referee Program
- FREE** Playing shirt to keep U5s - U11s

[WWW.WOYWOYFOOTBALL.ORG.AU](http://WWW.WOYWOYFOOTBALL.ORG.AU)



## SUMMER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

### DIECAST CARS WORKSHOP

LEARN HOW TO PAINT, ADD CUSTOM TYRES AND BUILD A SCENE  
FOR YOUR HOTWHEELS CAR. AIMED AT EVERYONE NEW  
TO SCALE MODELING - PERFECT FOR A 6 TO 10 YEARS

**Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> January 10am to 11:30am**



### STARWARS WORKSHOP

A BEGINNER TO INTERMEDIATE LEVEL COURSE TO LEARN HOW TO ASSEMBLE A SNAP  
KIT, LEARN BASIC PAINTING TECHNIQUES AND BUILD A SCENE FOR A STAR WARS  
AIRCRAFT. AIMED AT EVERYONE NEW TO SCALE MODELING PERFECT FOR A 8 + YEARS

**Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> January 12:00pm to 2:00pm**



### ENGINEERING FUN

A BEGINNER TO INTERMEDIATE LEVEL COURSE TO LEARN  
HOW TO ASSEMBLE A GEAR BOX AND THEN ADD  
AND TEST TO SEE WHAT MOVES  
PERFECT FOR A 8 + YEARS

**Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> January 10:00am to 12:00pm**



### MILITARY PLANES



INTERMEDIATE LEVEL COURSE TO LEARN HOW TO ASSEMBLE A COMPLEX  
KIT WITH GLUE AND LEARN BASIC PAINTING TECHNIQUES  
AIMED AT PEOPLE WITH SOME SCALE MODEL EXPERIENCE - 10 + YEARS

**Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> January 12:30pm to 2:30pm**

only **\$50**  
each

Book online [www.thehobbiesfactory.com.au](http://www.thehobbiesfactory.com.au)

or call 0438 636 198

3/53 Pacific Hwy, Ourimbah

ev summerfest  
**KiDS**

**9-11.30am**

**MON 2 to FRI 6 jan.**

**2023**



An epic holiday program for kids. Come and enjoy awesome games, challenges, Bible talks, friendship and fun!

[EVCHURCH.INFO/SUMMERFEST](http://EVCHURCH.INFO/SUMMERFEST)

**\$7**  
COST PER CHILD PER DAY  
\$13 PER FAMILY PER DAY

Each morning during Summerfest Kids!  
GREAT COFFEE, TASTY TREATS,  
POP-UP TALKS, and SPACE TO SIT AND CHAT.

9-11.30am

MON 2 to FRI 6 jan.

ev summerfest  
**Cafe**

ev summerfest  
**Nights**

7-9.30pm

MON 2 to FRI 6 jan.

**\$2 ENTRY**  
TEENS YEARS 7-12

live music  
late Night Cafe  
Water Sports  
Bible Talks  
And more



[EVOYOUTH.COM/SUMMERFEST](http://EVOYOUTH.COM/SUMMERFEST)

SUMMERFEST is run by EV Church - 331 Terri gal Drive Erina

ev/church



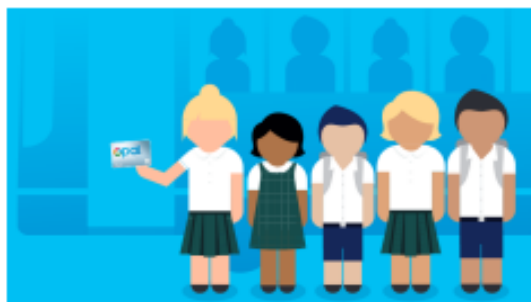
# School Travel

Term 4 2022

## 2023 school travel applications are now open

School Travel Term 4 2022 2023 school travel applications are now open Applications for student travel in 2023 open from Monday 10 October 2022. Students who need a School Opal card or travel pass for 2023 can apply now. A new application will need to be submitted if they are applying for the first time, or if they are requesting an additional travel entitlement as a result of a new shared parental responsibility situation (e.g. joint custody). Students who change address, school, campus location, have repeated a year or received an expiry notification from Transport for NSW for their school travel entitlement should renew or update their details before the end of term 4. This will ensure that schools can endorse applications, and entitlements remain valid for the start of the 2023 school year. School Opal card holders will have the changes applied to their existing card. If a student's distance eligibility has changed based on their grade (i.e. grade two to grade three), the system will automatically update their entitlement if they meet the new criteria. If they do not meet the new eligibility criteria, we will send an expiry notification via email. Students who have an entitlement approved under a medical condition that is due to expire will receive a notification advising them to re-apply. Term Bus Pass holders will receive a notification to re-apply. Students in the Opal network applying for an Opal card (including a Term Bus Pass) for the first time will receive their Student Opal card at their nominated postal address. Cards will be mailed out from January 2023. Students living in rural and regional (R&R) areas should receive their travel pass at the start of the new school year from their nominated transport operator. It may come via the school or be sent directly to them at home. Note: some R&R operators do not issue travel passes. Students/parents should confirm with their nominated operator if they do not receive a pass. Travel from Term 1 2023 We ask that parents plan ahead and make sure their child knows which service/s to use and has a valid ticket to travel; either a School Opal card or Child/Youth Opal card (within Greater Sydney) or a School Travel Pass (outside Greater Sydney), from the start of the school year. Applications for 2023 School Student Transport Scheme (SSTS) travel open at the start of Term 4 2022, so parents/students can apply or update details early and be ready for the start of the new school year. Most students using the Opal network will not need a new Opal card and can continue travelling on their existing card each year. The start of the year is a busy period for local transport operators, and students travelling without a valid ticket make service planning and operations difficult.

We recognise that for some families last minute changes to school enrolments mean they may not have a School Opal card or Travel Pass for the start of term. In the Opal network, we strongly encourage these families to have their children travel with a Child/Youth Opal card until they receive their valid School Opal card. If outside Greater Sydney, parents should contact their local bus operator to discuss their travel needs. Bus operators are flexible and understanding, particularly at the start of the school year, and will ensure students can travel safely to and from school. But to best support our operators we encourage all students to have a valid ticket, as early as possible, from the start of the school year. Students using School Opal cards are also reminded that they must tap on and tap off in line with the Student code of conduct and Opal terms of use.



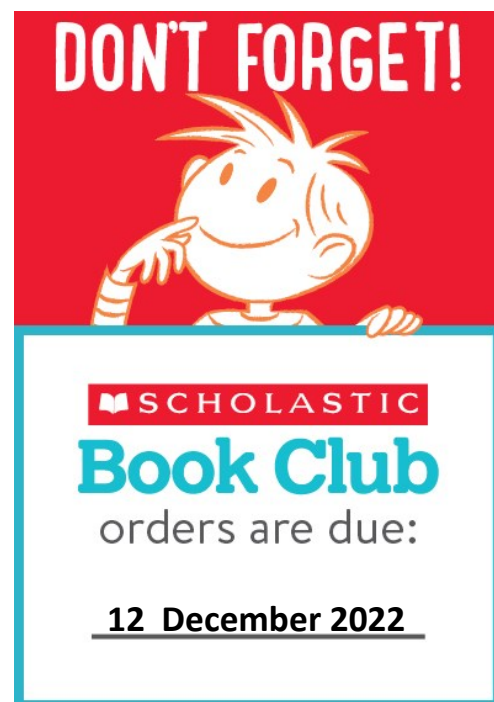
Further information can be found at [transportnsw.info/travel-info/using-public-transport/school-travel](https://transportnsw.info/travel-info/using-public-transport/school-travel)  
Enquiries can be submitted at [transportnsw.info/contact-us/feedback/passes-concessions-feedback](https://transportnsw.info/contact-us/feedback/passes-concessions-feedback)

# TERM 4 2022

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
10	12 December Year 6 Farewell and Graduation @ Davistown RSL	13 December	14 December Choir and dance groups to Alloura Waters	15 December 9:30am Kindergarten Graduation Stage 3 Aqua Splash end of year activity	16 December End of year activities - Kindy, Stage 1 and 2 Year 6 Walk out from 2:30pm to the basketball court  Last day of Term 4 for students
11	19 December Staff Development Day	20 December Staff Development Day	21 December	22 December	23 December



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12 December 2022