



Principal's Report

Streamed events

Many thanks to all K-6 grades who have hosted streamed sessions of the students' learning in their classrooms. This has allowed parents to at least feel as if they have been part of their children's class even though they have not been allowed on site since March.

Some grades displayed reading group sessions, others did math lessons, another did robotics while another did a construction session. Positive feedback from parents has been received following all of these sessions.

Presentation Days

Please join us for your child's class presentation ceremony next week Monday - Thursday, another streamed event. A program will be emailed to you and a link to each grade's special event.

Monday 7 Dec 9.45 am Year 1 Class Awards
11.45 am Year 2 Class Awards

Tuesday 8 Dec 9.45 am Kindy Class Awards

Wednesday 9 Dec Stage 2 (Year 3&4)
9.30 am Year 4 Special Awards
10.30 am Year 4 Class Awards
11.45 am Year 3 Special & Class Awards

Thursday 10 Dec Stage 3 (Year 5&6)
9.30 am Year 6 Special Awards
10.30 am Year 6 Class Awards
11.45 am Year 5 Special Awards
12.45pm Year 5 Class Awards

Special Awards ceremonies will precede grade presentations on Wednesday and Thursday commencing at 9.30am.

All events will be streamed live but not videoed as some children do not have permission to publish. A group photo of those with permission will be taken after each class presentation and sent home via email to parents.

Thanks to the P&C

Although there have not been many activities to allow the P&C to fundraise this year, they have generously funded a new AV system for the hall. This AV system is much more up-to-date with new technology, quality sound, external speakers, wireless microphones & the like.

Many of you would have experienced the erratic system that we had and the many times that it failed during special events. So, we are very grateful to the P&C for donating \$16,500 to pay for this.

P&C AGM

Next Monday, the last meeting of the P&C for 2020 which is also the AGM will be streamed via Teams. Please join us for this special event to celebrate the close of activities for 2020 and especially thank the P&C Executive for their hard work and consistent efforts in making Bellevue Hill a better place for students to learn and thrive.

Fundraising efforts over the last few years has left enough funds in reserve to see us through this lean year, so we are forever grateful. New members will be elected to the P&C Executive to take on this important role, working with the school in a very productive partnership. Please join us at 7.30 pm.

Year 6 Farewell

The NSW Premier's easing of hospitality restrictions this week will enable our Year 6 students to have a more relaxed and fun farewell. This formal event is held at Zest, Point Piper every year and can now proceed with some dancing and mingling amongst the students. Thank goodness and just in time.

Sue Bennett
Principal

Green Team



In week 7, The Green Team collaborated to ideate some designs for the area behind the school hall. The goal is to create a native habitat garden and improve the biodiversity of the area. This will complete the native corridor from Cooper Park to Bellevue Hill Park.



The 2021 project aims to work with the whole school community to achieve this by; restoring the current gardens, recycling garden beds, planting new gardens, creating an urban garden and include the addition of garden furniture for students to use. The students have made a great start!



Eliza Levy
- Leader -
Green
Team



Merit Awards Week 8

Year 1: Nora R, Eliana H, Eden W, Reggie C,
Olive W, Ethan T, Rachel K, Zev G

Year 2: Oliver S, Lachlan S, Eva H, Noa G,
Jake Mc, Charlie M, Zion M

Year 3: Mayra S, Noa B-I, Jordana G, Soyun P,
Valery D, Madeline K

Year 4: Mia G, Joshua L, Caleb R, Logan H,
Nate M, Max P

Year 5: Alex A, Luka B, Jaimie L, Mika R

Year 6: Lily S,

Italian:

Vivienne L (Y2), Jasper D B (Y4), Lulu P (Y5)

Hebrew:

Levi F (YK),



Spoken Word (SLAM) Poetry in Year 5

People use their voices to communicate or to entertain. They use their voices to perform drama, public speaking or stand-up comedy. Some people read poems aloud, others rap verses or sing. These are all ways that you can use your voice to tell a story or to communicate with others.

When you read a poem out loud we call it **'spoken word poetry'** or **'Slam Poetry'**. Year 5 have been working on their own slam poems based around a topic of their interests.

See some of the fantastic work below!
Year 5 Teachers

Plastic Pollution - Lexi C

Splash goes the trash into the sea everybody hasn't seen how the ocean has been. All these sea creatures are dying and it's horribly terrifying.

Plastic should be locked behind bars as we need to stop throwing gum rappers out of our cars. Enough of lying about using metal straws so take back that fake applause.

Coles and Woolworths what have you done still using plastic no awards are won. The community needs to start, everybody needs to do their part.

Our special sea why can't we protect it. While we are all sitting on the couch trying to forget it.

Let's pull up our socks instead of going on vacations we need to start building on our future generations. Let's finally move forward instead of moving back, there's always a light at the end of the tunnel so let's make a comeback.

Today's present is tomorrow's past so let's make a difference for all this to pass. Just remember everything's counting on us.



Animal Endangerment - By Eden S

It's a really big problem that animals are dying.

And I'm standing here wondering why no ones really trying.

All of sudden we're back to square one .

No one really knows what horrible things we've done

Hunting them to eat, killing them for their fur .

No one knows what's going on. It just seems like a blur.

Bang bang the hunters take a shot.

They don't know how much power they have got.

Animals, big, beautiful and tall.

So why do we have to watch them fall.

Guide dogs help people who can not see.

Improving their lifestyle so that they can be free.

These animals are dying all because of us.

We must all come together and discuss.

About why these adoring amazing animals have to suffer to stay alive.

All they want is to be let go and survive.

We won't get to see their uniqueness before they are gone.

This situation has become so wrong.

If we don't accept them it may be too late.

Cause they may disappear before we start to appreciate.



So next time think before you act.

You should protect and look after them I know that for a fact.



YEAR 6 – PARENT RAFFLE - PRIZE WINNERS

| Prize Number | Prize Description | Winning Ticket Number |
|--------------|---|-----------------------|
| Prize 1 | 1st Prize - Empower Personal Training & Nutrition Voucher | 1400 |
| Prize 2 | 2nd Prize - Empower Personal Training & Nutrition Voucher | 1057 |
| Prize 3 | 3rd Prize - Ready for Summer Hamper | 1093 |
| Prize 4 | 4th Prize - Toons Creation Birthday Party Voucher | 1884 |
| Prize 5 | 5th Prize - Spoil her Hamper # 1 | 1190 |
| Prize 6 | 6th Prize - Spoil her Hamper # 2 | 703 |
| Prize 7 | 7th Prize - Best Life Fitness Voucher | 675 |
| Prize 8 | 8th Prize - Technology Hamper | 1889 |
| Prize 9 | 9th Prize - Spoil her Hamper # 3 | 344 |
| Prize 10 | 10th Prize - Creative and Active Hamper | 1129 |
| Prize 11 | 11th Prize - Eats, Sweets and Coffee Hamper | 245 |
| Prize 12 | 12th Prize - Arts and Crafts Hamper | 2075 |
| Prize 13 | 13th Prize - Eats and Sweets Hamper # 1 | 1653 |
| Prize 14 | 14th Prize - Eats and Sweets Hamper # 2 | 2035 |
| Prize 15 | 15th Prize - Spoil her Hamper # 4 | 807 |
| Prize 16 | 16th Prize - Whisky and Champagne Hamper | 597 |
| Prize 17 | 17th Prize - Active Hamper | 816 |
| Prize 18 | 18th Prize - Flight Centre Voucher | 694 |
| Prize 19 | 19th Prize - Let's Go Shopping Hamper | 420 |
| Prize 20 | 20th Prize - Wine Hamper | 1172 |
| Prize 21 | 21st Prize - Rebel Voucher | 1054 |

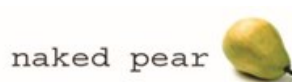
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Empower Personal Training & Nutrition



Innovative Property Advocates and the Blaustein family



Naked Pear and the Levy family



Arms of Eve



Sweet Celebrations



Fat coffee



Chargrill Charlie's and the Sher Family (Jake)



Sydney Smash Cakes



Toons Creations



Michael's Charcuterie



BEST LIFE
DO IT FOR YOUR BEST LIFE

We also have the following Year 6 families to thank who have sourced or sponsored prizes for the raffle

The Jacob Family
The Suskin Family
The Goodman Family
The Luft Family
The Parker Family

The Malev Family
The Sher Family (Keira)
The Jackson Family
The Olshansky Family

The Levin Family
The Kresner Family
The Satusky Family
The Katzeff Family

The Klevansky Family
The Efimoff Family
The Mizrahi Family
The Ress Family

WE WANT YOU.... TO BE A CLASS PARENT FOR 2021

This is a fun and interactive role - you're the link between the class teacher, parents, school and P&C. This is a great way to get to know your child's class, your teacher and be involved in and give back to the BHPS school community. AND it doesn't take much time at all.

Apply to be a Class Parent

All you need to do is go to:

<http://bit.ly/bhps-classparent>

and fill out your details

Or alternatively email your details to:

lisapeles@yahoo.com

and include your child's year in 2020/1 and teacher's name.

Please NOTE: Class Parents are allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.



BREAD TAGS FOR WHEELCHAIRS

Please save your bread tags - they are recycled to fund wheelchairs in South Africa.



Mary Honeybun founded the organisation in 2006 in Cape Town and they provide 2 - 3 wheelchairs to adults and children every month!

Collecting bread tags, even broken ones, makes a difference to our environment too, as they are recycled into seedling trays, frames and other items.

WHAT CAN I DO?

You can make a difference to the lives of people who need a wheelchair. Simply drop your bread tags off at the designated box at reception at school.

Ask your friends and family to help us collect bread tags too!



WELCOME TO KIDS CLUB Before Care, After Care and Holiday Club

Kids Club is a fantastic Before and After School Care Centre in the grounds of Bellevue Hill Public School where your child/ren can come along with their friends for a morning or afternoon filled with sport, science activities, indoor and outdoor games and loads more.

We also offer a fantastic Holiday Club Program each **school holidays**-look out for our program each term in Week 5.

If you are interested in finding out more about Kids Club please visit our website at www.kidsclubosh.com.au

If you are interested in enrolling please call or email the centre and we will send you the link to complete your Enrolment Form Online

We have both permanent and casual bookings available.

If you have any questions please call 9369 3643 or email

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