



Belmont Primary School News

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Coming Events

Thursday 09 September

ROLA
Belmont Library

Friday 10 September

Assembly—Room 7

Weds 15 September

Jumps and Throws

Thursday 16 September

Crunch 'N' Sip

Friday 17 September

Faction Carnival

Quote of the Fortnight

“Success is getting what you want.

Happiness is wanting what you get”

Anon

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

What a wonderful assembly today—covering Room 9s items, Book Week Dress Up and the Bike Draw for the payment of School Fees., kindly donated by Mrs Cassie Rowe, MLA.

Thank You—to Mrs Trigger (P&C President) for her organisation and support in setting up and running the Book Fair—and to her team of helpers who all ensured the success that it was.

Thank You—to Mrs Rowe for her generous donations of book prizes for our Book Week Dress Up draw, along with the donation of a bike.

Thank You—to all families who have paid their fees and charges. This money supplements our Budget for the year and is used across all curriculum and extra-curriculum activities and resources. Remember, your fees equate to only \$1.50 per week, per child for the year. Where else can you get a quality product for only \$1.50 per week?

Congratulations to all the students who came dressed up to celebrate this year's Book Week, to the lucky raffle winners and to Jana the winner of the bike.

Thanks to Mrs Baxter for adding some fun and humour to her class's assembly—very

entertaining, and informative!

A great way to start the school day.

Stephanne Dann—Principal

Merit Certificates

Congratulations to the following students who received certificates at our last assembly.

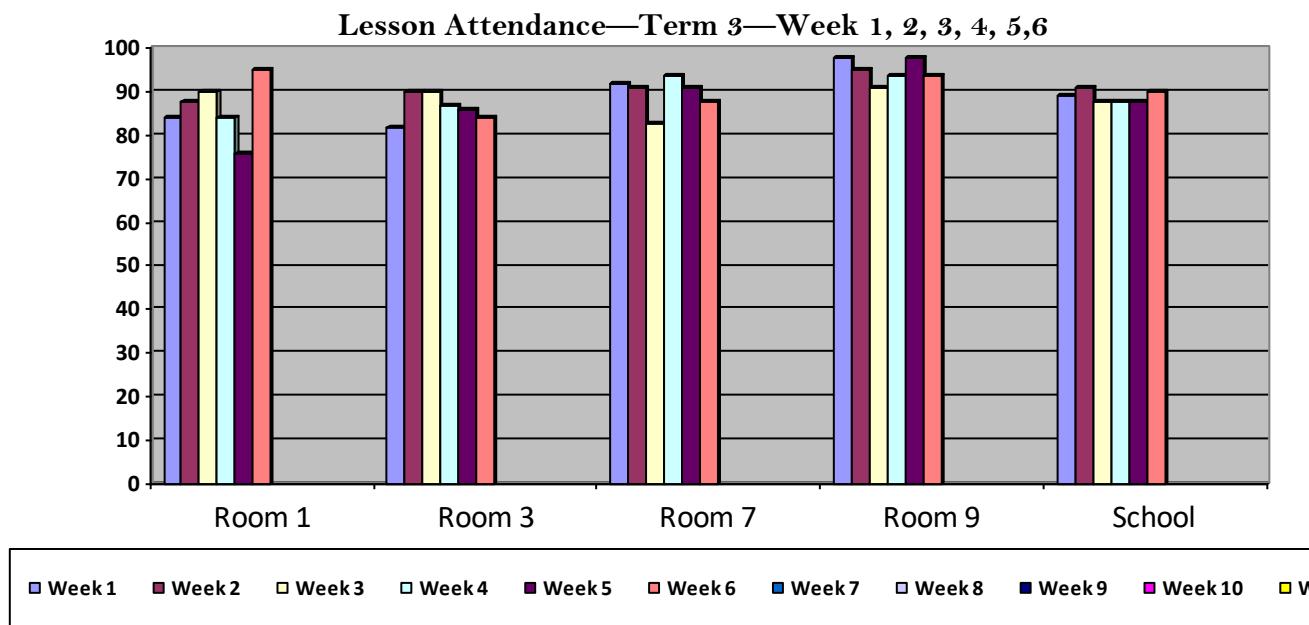
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| • Gurraj K | Kindy |
| • Sienna S | Kindy |
| • Heba Q | Year 1 |
| • Elianah W | Year 1 |
| • Lia O | Year 3 |
| • Denis K | Year 4 |
| • David O-M | Year 5 |
| • Hiba N | Year 5 |



Class News

Kindy/Pre-Primary—Our class has been completing some Book Week activities and enjoying lots of funny picture books with Mrs McDonald and Mrs Rigby this week.

We have been exploring number concepts in Maths and have been working incredibly hard during Literacy sessions and making great progress with our reading, writing, and spelling. We were lucky enough to have Levi's pet fish visit us for two days and we loved watching him swim around his tank. Levi has been a great friend to all the kids in our class and the teachers and students will miss him very much!



Year 1/2—In Geography, the Year 1's have been examining and exploring their world and places that are significant to them.

They looked at their house, City, State and Country.

The Year 2's have been examining their connections with the world and their connections to special places.

They will take a deeper look at the continents of the world and explore the features and countries.

Year 3/4—We have been enjoying our morning reading and will complete the challenge in a few weeks. Thanks again to Mrs Thomas for organising.

In English, we have been learning about poetry, and look forward to presenting two poems as Readers Theatre items at the next assembly.

In Maths, we have been revising mapping and coordinates as well as exploring probability.

In HASS we have been studying different biomes and environments.

Year 5/6—Our class has been learning about Volume and Capacity in Maths.

We have been researching the history of dance.

We really enjoyed dressing up as scientists last week and making our paper planes for the school competition.

Our class has been creating some amazing artwork with the use of a compass.

For NAIDOC week, our class designed some Aboriginal style artwork which we drew with chalk on the school pathways. We have also been learning about the Dreaming Time and Dream-time stories.

Office News

Payment of School Accounts

We have three options for paying your school fees to make life a bit easier.

1. We have Eftpos facilities in the office for your convenience.
2. We have Direct Deposit facilities, **BSB: 066 040 Account #: 19901797 Ref:** Your child's name.
3. Or you may pay by cash.

Please come and see us in the office if you would like to set up a payment plan to make life a little easier.

Returning next year?

Please let the school office know as soon as possible if you will **NOT BE** returning to Belmont Primary school next year.

Thank you.



P&C News

Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who was able to participate in our celebration of reading Scholastic Book Fair! We had nearly 40 family members visit the fair.



Your purchases for home earned our school library over \$600 worth of new books!

Congratulations to Nancy V in Room 7 who won the Book Pack Door Prize.

The P&C will also be presenting the Science Lab with some new books from fair incentives and some books for classrooms off of Teachers' own wish lists!

Fathers' Day



Next Friday, 3rd September students can attend our Father's Day stall to buy a gift for Father's Day.

All items are priced from \$1 to \$5.

Please remind your child to bring some pocket money along on the day!

Uniform Shop

The uniform shop is fully stocked with long sleeve school logo polos.

We also have new hats with smart gold piping to match our polos and track pants. They are also of a lighter weight fabric for cooler heads, and broader brimmed. And still only \$7!

To order, download the order form from the school website (Uniform Shop) or pick one

up at the School Office. Contact Yolanda on 04111443324 for any questions.

A reminder that short sleeve polos will be available at the start of Term 4 in time for summer.

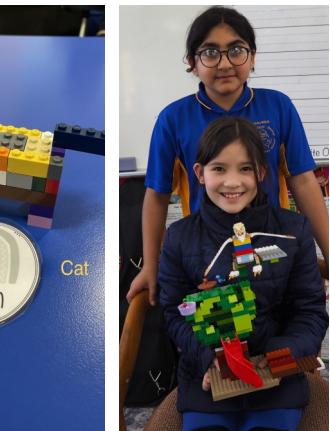
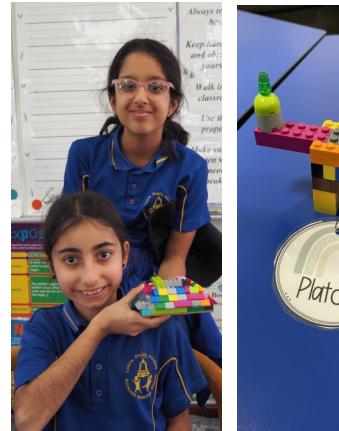
Second Hand Uniforms

We can always use good quality second hand uniforms!

Please donate any outgrown items to the School Office and we will find them a good home!

Your P&C

Lego Challenge



Year 5/6 - Room 9 - Term 3 - Week 6

Wow! We simply cannot believe that its Week 6 of Term 3 already!

During Science, we were very excited to make aeroplanes for the Paper Plane Competition with Mrs Waters! What a fabulous day that was last week.

The Year 6 class have been working on a Photography assignment in STEM. We have learnt to how photo illusions can be made by using perspective. We are excited to start taking photos of the group planned photos!

The Year 6 class for 2021, have delivered their 2nd round of Councillor Speeches to classes from Year 3 and up. Congratulations to Sari, Fatima, Ffloyd and Khadija for becoming Semester 2 Student Councillors. Congratulations also to Aya and Cooper, who are our School Faction Captains.

In class we have continued to concentrate on being very consistent with our handwriting and work presentation. Ensuring we are trying our best at all times.

We have also been investigating and analysing different types of graphs. We are becoming more familiar with algorithms involving division, multiplication, money, indices and continuing to improve our understanding of decimal, fractions and percentages during Maths.

This Term we would like to give, a special mention to the councillors lead by Sari Wynn, and Faction Captains for helping set up Sports practise sessions each Friday afternoon. Your organising skills and responsibility toward setting up each Friday is greatly appreciated.

In Art we have completed some amazing Compass Art evaluation pieces. Mrs Baxter is very impressed with Room 9's ability to use a compass now.

Our Year 6's, are looking forward to their Graduation Week Activities for the end of Term 4. We are all hoping that everything will go ahead as planned so fingers crossed! We have a back up plan if we go into another Lockdown...

It is a great pleasure to teach the Year 5/6 class this year. They are an amazing group of talented, engaging students who are enthusiastic to learn and improve.

Wishing everyone a fabulous month leading up to the next Holidays!

 Mrs Baxter—Year 5/6 Teacher



