

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Where has the school year gone! With only two weeks remaining it is hard to believe that the 2022 school year is coming to an end. We are fast forgetting the impact of COVID, (except for the numerous amounts of RATS we are still storing) mandatory reporting and isolating for 7 days, not to mention mandatory mask wearing. However, we have survived and the students have made great progress academically and socially. Once again, I would like to thank students, parents, staff and the wider community for your support not only during COVID but also across the whole school year.

Student reports will be sent home on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> December. Please take time to focus on the attitude, behaviour and effort sections of the report. If a student is working to their full potential, you cannot ask for much more. If you wish to discuss to your child's report, the class teacher is your first point of contact. Parents can also request through the office after Tuesday the 13<sup>th</sup> Dec a printout of a report called 'Student Position Report', which outlines how your child's grade compares to students in the same, year level at Bletchley Park PS. If you would like to request a report, please email [BletchleyPark.PS@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:BletchleyPark.PS@education.wa.edu.au), and provide your child's name, year level and email address to send the report to. Please remember this is a busy time of the year and your request will be processed ASAP.

As a staff we look forward to seeing you all at the upcoming School Concert Night and book awards (Yr 1-6 only) which will be held on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> Dec. Following feedback from the School Board, this year will be in a slightly different format to previous years.

K- Yr 2 students need to be in their classes at 5:00pm ready for a 5:15 pm start on the oval. Students will then return to their classes ready to be collected by their parents. Yr 3-6 students need to be in their classes by 6:25pm ready for a 6:45pm start on the oval. They will also return to their classes at the end of the night where parents can collect them. This is always a great community event. Drinks and ice cream will be available from food vans on the night.

As in 2021 we are hoping to release class lists for 2023 in the final week of the school year. These will be placed on the school web site. If this does occur, please remember they are subject to change if student numbers fluctuate over the summer holidays. The following considerations are considered when making placements.

- Academic achievement, social/emotional development and student behaviour
- Needs of Special Educational students
- Gender balance
- Friendship groups
- Parent requests

Class lists have been formulated by current classroom teachers and are then reviewed by the leadership team.

If your child has not been allocated to a classroom or you have any concerns, please email the school: [bletchleypark.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:bletchleypark.ps@education.wa.edu.au) outlining your concern or child's name and year level for 2023. We will try to respond to your request before the end of term.



### Office Hours

Mon/Thurs - 8.00am - 4.00pm  
Friday - 8.00am - 3.00pm

### 2022 TERM DATES

Term 1: 31<sup>st</sup> Jan – 8<sup>th</sup> April  
Term 2: 26<sup>th</sup> April – 1<sup>st</sup> July  
Term 3: 18<sup>th</sup> July – 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept  
Term 4: 10<sup>th</sup> Oct – 15<sup>th</sup> Dec



### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### School Development Days

Term 2: Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June  
Term 3: Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August  
Term 4: Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November

#### School Hours

8.30am – 2.30pm  
Recess - 10.40am – 11.00am  
Lunch - 1.00pm – 1.30pm

#### Students Last Day for 2022

Thursday  
15<sup>th</sup> December

#### Students First Day for 2023

Wednesday  
1<sup>st</sup> February



Have a great fortnight

Regards Wayne Walpole

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# Bletchley Park Primary School

## Term FOUR Planner 2022



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School Hours  
8.30am – 2.30pm

Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 8.15am – 4.00pm  
Friday - 8.15am – 3.00pm

Assembly  
Friday 8.30am

### Term FOUR - 2022

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	10 Oct	11 Oct	12 Oct	13 Oct	14 Oct
2	17 Oct P&C Meeting Kindy Group A Excursion - Jungle Gym	18 Oct Kindy Group B Excursion - Jungle Gym	19 Oct	20 Oct Yr3 - Excursion Kings Park	21 Oct Numero Competition Junior Assembly - LA4
3	24 Oct School Board	25 Oct	26 Oct	27 Oct Yr6 Camp Parent Meeting 2:40pm	28 Oct Day for Daniel Senior Assembly - LA33 & 34
4	31 Oct	1 Nov Interschool Athletics Jumps	2 Nov ASD Carnival Gosnells PS	3 Nov Interschool Athletics	4 Nov School Dev Day Students DO NOT Attend
5	7 Nov	8 Nov	9 Nov Cyber Safety Parent Meeting 6:30 - 8pm	10 Nov	11 Nov Junior Assembly - LA13
6	14 Nov Yr6 Student Camp Meeting 1:30pm	15 Nov Yr6 Camp	16 Nov Yr6 Camp	17 Nov Yr6 Camp	18 Nov Yr6 Camp Senior Assembly - LA20
7	21 Nov School Board	22 Nov	23 Nov Yr6 Councillors Parliament House	24 Nov	25 Nov P&C Disco Hawaiian Luau Theme Senior Assembly - Choir/Music Ensemble
8	28 Nov P&C Meeting	29 Nov	30 Nov	1 Dec Hello High School Evening for Yr 6 parents 6 - 7:30 pm	2 Dec Kindy - Orientation Day (More info to follow)
9	5 Dec Campion 2023 Stationary pick-up 2pm - 3:30pm Choir Performance	6 Dec	7 Dec	8 Dec School Concert	9 Dec
10	12 Dec Graduation	13 Dec Reports Home	14 Dec	15 Dec Yr6 - Bounce	16 Dec Students Do Not Attend



## New Duty Bags/Library Bags

A big thank you to students in **Year 5 LA 21** who have designed and decorated a calico bag using the batik method in Indonesian. The bags are for selected teachers as new duty bags and in the library as spare library bags. Thanks also to Mrs Bryant for her help with the painting. Students were proud of the results and the teachers all felt special to have something made just for them. Bagus!

**Ibu Colquhoun**  
Indonesian Teacher





## Last Assembly for 2022

Wow what a great way to end our Friday morning assemblies. The talent of our musicians and choir was exceptional. The singing and playing was superb. Congratulations Ms Watson and all students involved today. Congratulations go to our Councillors and Faction Captains for 2023 Joshua, Conrad, Talhah, Liam, Ella, Aria, Logan, Luke, James, Bridgett, Taylor, Kobe, Mason, Alaina, Chayce and Payton.



# 2022 Concert Night Parent Information

**This year's Concert Night will be held on  
Thursday 8th of December 2022.**

This is a wonderful opportunity to build on our strong community spirit and acknowledge our hard working student's achievements. Parents please note this is an alcohol and smoke free event.

Details are:

**K-Year2 students in class by 5.00pm and on the oval for a concert start at 5.15pm sharp**

**Year3-6 students in class by 6.30pm and on the oval for a concert start at 6.45pm sharp**

Students will not be released earlier; however, they must be picked up promptly after the concert from the child's classroom.

- Kindergartens to year 2 students will be collected from their classroom.
- Year 3-6 students will be collected from their classroom.

Please be mindful of the current COVID guidelines.

All siblings not participating in the concert must be seated with their parents.

**We look forward to sharing an evening of singing, entertainment and awards.**

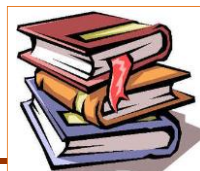


## Call Out for Donations for our End of Year Book Prizes

### **BOOK PRIZES** - Calling on our local Business and Community Families

If any local businesses or school families would like to sponsor a Book Award for the 2022 Awards Night, please inform the school office.

Each book award is to the value of \$25 and each sponsor will have a thankyou placed in our Christmas Program.



## Bletchley Park Billy Goats



ARE YOU READY Bletchley Park Primary School Community for the battle of the year!

Dads and father figures, come down with the kids and get involved in our end-of-year event.

We will be battling it out through our battle course on the school oval, as we work in teams to win the round and reign supreme in our NERF WAR!!

Date : Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> of December 2022

Where : BPPS School Oval

Time : 2 – 5PM

Bring down your Nerf Guns, we will provide the bullets. **(No Nerf Ultra Bullets provided)**

Hats, Water bottles, and sun /safety glasses are recommended.

If you do not have a Nerf Gun, we will have some on the day for you to use.

RSVP to this event through Facebook, and message the page to let us know how many kids.

<https://fb.me/e/24CL0GGeR>

This is going to be a great afternoon.

Message Denis on 0403 646 183 for more details.

### **P&C Hair Accessory Stall – this Friday 2 December!**

Appearing in the ECE Area for Kindy Orientation from 9am and for the rest of the school we'll be outside the Admin/Office from 2.10pm.

Hand crafted hair accessories in our school and faction colours, Christmas patterns and lots, lots more!

We look forward to seeing you there.



### **P&C Pop Up Second-Hand Uniform Shop – open Friday 2 December**

Thank you to those families who have already donated uniforms for resale. We greatly appreciate your donations.

Our P&C Second-Hand Uniform Shop will be open regularly in 2023 but to kick off we'll be setting up shop in the ECE area for Kindy Orientation tomorrow morning.

### **Clear out your outgrown uniforms and help our P&C**

We welcome and appreciate donations of freshly laundered preloved uniforms at any time via the LIME GREEN collection bin outside the school office.

**Please only donate good quality uniforms – we cannot accept torn or stained uniforms or non-uniform items.** And please remove any name tags prior to donation. Thank you so much!

### **Stuck on You Labels – Get ready for 2023**

Order your name labels from Stuck on You and help raise money for our P&C. Head to [www.stuckonyou.com.au](http://www.stuckonyou.com.au) and by using the Fundraising Code: BLETCHLEYPPS at the checkout, our P&C will receive a donation for each order place. We thank you for your support!

### **Hawaiian Disco**

Thank you to everyone who supported our disco last Friday night. It was a fantastic evening!

We sold 384 tickets prior to the night and 117 door sales. The students had a fantastic night and we raised \$5,500 for the P&C which will be spent back on resources and facilities for our school.



Thank you to all the parents for your patience. It is a mammoth effort to coordinate and execute a disco for over 500 students. Thank you to the staff and teachers who came along on the night and a big thanks to our P&C Fundraising Committee and extra volunteers for generously giving up your time. We couldn't do it without you.

## Library News



**Scholastic is trialling a NEW LOOK for Issue 8 the reason why?**

**Better for the environment:** Scholastic Australia is moving with the times, and has made Book Club, more sustainable. The new version of Book Club has a smaller carbon footprint, using less paper and is fully recyclable.

**Bigger experience for kids:** The new Book Club will be a bigger experience for kids to enjoy by the addition of games, reviews and Book Club news plus they will be reading a newspaper.

**Book club due by Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2022**

**Thank you for your support!**

Kind Regards  
*Danette Isgar*



## School Canteen – New Ordering System 2023

### **Hello Bletchley Families**

Next year we are introducing Spriggy Schools as our new online ordering platform, complete with its own mobile App. Register your student now and be ready for the new school year. Please continue to use Quickclik until the end of term to place your students lunch order.

**Robyn - Canteen Manager**

### **Canteen News**



#### **Dear Parents**

**2023 will see the canteen starting the year with a new online ordering platform. From the beginning of term one Spriggy Schools will be our new online ordering system. Spriggy Schools has a straight forward app that makes ordering easy and efficient.**

**Download the mobile app and order direct from your phone or tablet! This is one aspect that has been missing and requested by parents from our current ordering system. Another great feature will be the ability to see exactly what you are ordering as most foods will have a photo to show you not only the portion size but what your lunch will look like.**

**We will continue with our current ordering system until the end of this year so you have plenty of time to use any funds in your QuickClick account.**

**You can download the Spriggy Schools app from today onwards and register your students now. You may also register at [www.spriggyschools.com.au](http://www.spriggyschools.com.au) You may add your new 2023 class number once you start ordering next year. There is no need at this time to load funds, in-fact Spriggy Schools offer a pay as you go system with a 29c per order fee and no other costs to parents.**

**You can continue to purchase morning recess with cash or order it online.**

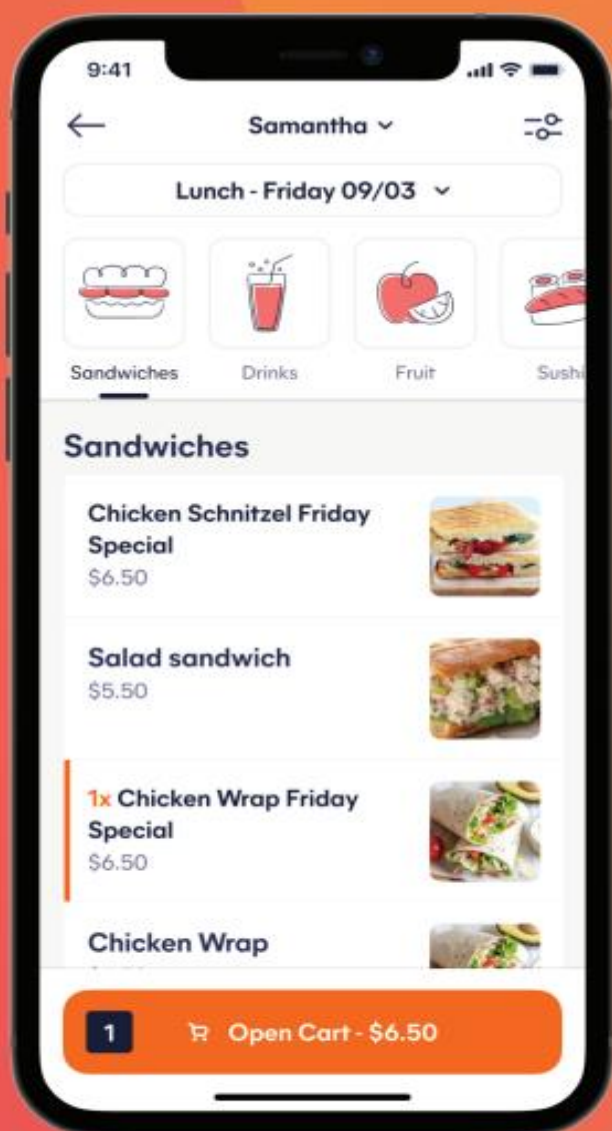
**Thank you for supporting this change for a better ordering experience.**

**Robyn - Canteen Manager**

Spriggy Schools

# Pay for lunch online!

The canteen has partnered with Spriggy Schools to make online ordering easy.



## Easy

View the full menu with all options and dietary labeling

## Simple

Quickly place orders from any device in minutes

## Convenient

Set and forget by ordering in advance



Download the app now!



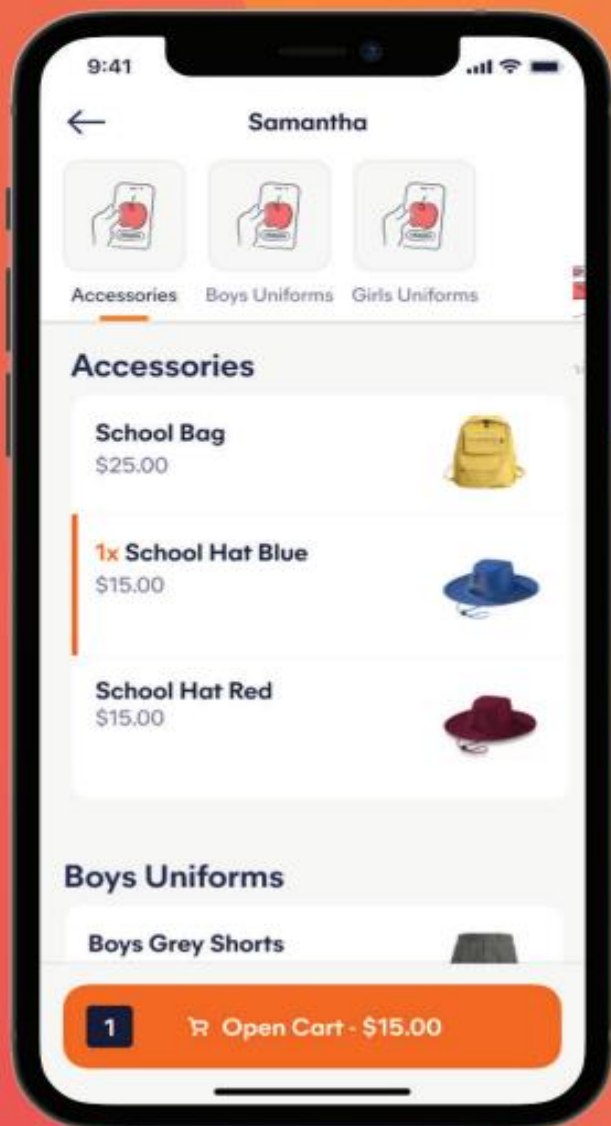
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Spriggy Schools

# Pay for uniforms online!

The uniform shop has partnered with Spriggy Schools to make online ordering easy.



## Easy

View the full catalogue with all items and sizing

## Simple

Quickly place orders from any device in minutes

## Convenient

Skip the lines by ordering uniforms online



Download the app now!



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## Kiss and Drive



### Parents - Kiss and Drive

- The Kiss and Drive zone is for your child's safety, your convenience, and to minimise congestion and confusion.
- Three minutes is the maximum time allowed for standing in the Kiss and Drive zone during the designated times of 8:00-8:45am and 2:30-3:15pm.
- Driver and passengers must remain in the vehicle.
- Pull into the Kiss and Drive zone as far forward as you can. This allows a continuous flow of traffic along Bletchley Park Way and Balfour Street.
- Do not leave your vehicle.
- Children should exit vehicle on the kerb side of the car.
- Children should travel with bags in the car (not in boot).
- Be timely. Make sure your children enter or exit the vehicle within two minutes.
- Stay in sequence. Don't cut into the queue. Allow other vehicles to follow you into the Kiss and Drive zone in an orderly manner.
- If you cannot see your child waiting, exit the Kiss and Drive, proceed around the block and re-enter the Kiss and Drive zone.
- Ensure children have safety restraints fastened before driving off.
- Do not do U-Turns in busy school zones. They are dangerous and put all children at risk. It is dangerous and illegal.
- Do not reverse into oncoming traffic.
- City of Gosnells Parking Rangers patrol regularly.





**Help keep your students safe**  
these school holidays with  
a school assembly message  
from **Kids Helpline!**



**FREE  
PROGRAM!**

discuss **3 tips** for students to  
take care of themselves over the  
holidays: **how to tackle boredom,**  
**how to care for your emotions,** the  
importance of help-seeking.

**register your interest now!**

**BOOK NOW!**

Available to all primary schools Australia-wide!

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## Youth Car Together 2022



The poster features three stylized Christmas trees at the top: a white one on the left, a red one in the center, and a green one on the right. A red circular badge on the right side of the trees contains the text '10 FOR 10' in large white letters, with '10 DAYS OF \$10 TICKETS' and 'OCT 21 TO 31' in smaller white text below it.

# YouthCARE Together 22

Family Christmas Festival  
Saturday 17th December | 3pm - 9pm  
**Claremont Showgrounds**

Join us for a festival full of activities for the whole family, where connecting the local community through our kids is half the fun.

Your tickets include all attractions, rides, exhibits, face painting, popcorn, health and wellbeing stalls, a petting zoo...

Carols | Live Music | Fun Rides | Food Vans | Coffee Bar  
Fun Games | Fireworks | Christmas Market | Bouncy Castle  
Dedicated Children's Play Area | Special Guest appearances

That's a lot to celebrate,  
let's celebrate Together.

 YouthCARE  
For more information and to buy tickets visit  
[youthcare.org.au/upcoming-events](http://youthcare.org.au/upcoming-events) or scan the QR code

