



BOYANUP PRIMARY SCHOOL

Independent Public School

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Welcome back to the 2023 school year! I hope you all had a relaxing and enjoyable holiday break with your families. I'd like to take this opportunity to welcome our new students and families to Boyanup and look forward to sharing another rewarding and exciting school year with you all.

I am very impressed with how the staff and students have settled into the first week of school so well. Classrooms are well organised and presented with children fully engaged in their learning. I hope your child has come home excited to be back at school.

Over the coming weeks, your child's teacher will make contact with you to discuss classroom organisation, procedures, routines, programs and up-coming events. It is important that there is ongoing contact between teachers and families ensuring a strong partnership regarding the education of your child.

Student Medical Updates

It is important that parents/carers inform the school of any changes to their child/ren's health and medical status as soon as possible so we can update our records and where necessary medical plans.

New Staff in 2023

I would like to welcome our new staff this year. Ms Ryan teaching Year 5/6 in TA 1, Miss Mullen teaching Kindergarten in the Rainbow Room and Mrs Turner teaching Pre Primary and Year 1 in the Lorikeet Room. Also a warm welcome back to Mrs Delich who will teach in Pre Primary/Year 1 once a week, while her other day is as a Learning Support Coordinator, helping children with identified needs.

New Deputy Principal in 2023

I would also like to introduce our new Deputy Principal, Mrs Joanne (Jo) Parry.

Mrs Parry joins our team from Bunbury Primary School as Deputy. She comes with a wealth of knowledge and experience which will supplement our school's continuous improvement journey.

Mr J. Grasso
Principal



School Board Vacancies

School Board nominations are now open for the following positions; 3 parent and 2 community members. Nomination forms will be emailed to all families this week and community nomination forms will be available at the Post Office or the School. If you are interested, please complete the forms and return back to the school before Monday 27th February.

The board of a public school works with the school community to achieve the best outcomes for students. It plays an important role in contributing to good school governance so that school resources are used efficiently, and community expectations and the school's priorities reflect the needs of students. Meetings are normally held once a month for up to a maximum of 2 hours.

If you have any further queries, please contact the school.

Staff at Boyanup School in 2023

Mr Justin Grasso	Principal	Mrs Loretta Roberts	Manager Corporate Services
Mrs Jo Parry	Deputy Principal	Mrs Amanda Munday	School Officer
		Mrs Mel Denham	School Officer
		Miss Kelly Owen	Administrative Assistant
		Mrs Angela Brimson	Librarian
Miss Fiona Mullen	Teacher, Kindergarten	Specialist Programs	
Mrs Lauren Turner	Teacher, Pre Primary (Not Wed)	Mrs Natalie Liley	The Arts (performing, music, dance, visual, media)
Mrs Lauren Delich	Teacher, Pre Primary (Wed)	Mr Dean Dixon	Science and Technology & Physical Education
Mrs Desiree Purcell	Teacher, Year 1/2	Mrs Tanja Bourne	Wellbeing and Multi Lit Literacy Intervention
Mrs Kirsty Reely	Teacher, Year 2/3	Ms Lisa Baker	School Psychologist (even weeks Thurs)
Mr Geoff Wilson	Teacher, Year 3/4 (M – Th)		
Mrs Natalie Liley	Teacher, Year 3/4 (Fri)		
Mrs Kylee Ryan	Teacher, Year 5/6		
Ms Stephanie Collett	Ed Assistant, Kindy		
Mrs Holly Moore	Ed Assistant, Pre Primary		
Ms Renee Cairns	Ed Assistant, Year 1/2	Ms Julie McCosker	Gardener
Mrs Leanne Hotter	Ed Assistant, Special Needs, Year 2/3	Miss Makenzie Pelusey	Head Cleaner
Ms Gemma Picken	Ed Assistant, Special Needs, Year 3/4	Mrs Portia Ventouras	Cleaner
Mrs Tiffany Murray	Ed Assistant, Special Needs, Year 5/6	Mrs Megan Smith	Cleaner
Mrs Kristine Walton	Ed Assistant Special Needs, Year 5/6		
Mrs Angela Brimson	Ed Assistant (PP) and Intervention/Learning Support		

School Term Dates for 2023

First Term

Commence: Wednesday 1st February – Thursday 6th April

Second Term

Commence: Wednesday 26th April – Friday 30th June

Third Term

Commence: Tuesday 18th July – Friday 22nd September

Fourth Term

Commence: Tuesday 10th October – Thursday 14th December

No Students Attend on these dates:

Monday 6th March – Labour Day P/H

Monday 24th April – Staff Development Day

Tuesday 25th April – ANZAC Day P/H

Monday 5th June – WA Day P/H

Monday 17th July – Staff Development Day

Monday 9th October – Staff Development Day

Deputy Principal – Jo Parry

Hello everyone and welcome to 2023.

My name is Jo Parry, and I am thrilled to be a part of the Administration team as Deputy Principal at Boyanup Primary School. Previously, I was part of the team at Bunbury Primary School where I formed part of the Administration team and Curriculum Management team throughout the school.

I hope you are all feeling re-energised and ready for a great year ahead. I am excited about being part of the Boyanup community and happy to be part of such a wonderful school.

One of the focus areas for our school is PBS – Positive Behaviour Support. It is a wonderful program that ensures that our students are ready for the real world beyond school. Our four expectations of **Be Responsible, Be Caring & Safe, Be an Active Learner** and **Be Respectful** ensures that students feel safe and are supported to choose appropriate behaviours. Our behaviour Matrix is clearly displayed across the school and regularly accessed by all staff so that students understand what it means to model these four expectations.

As educators, it is our responsibility to prepare our students for success in the school setting and beyond and this program does just that. If students are not demonstrating these expected behaviours, we teach them the right behaviour.

*"If a child doesn't know how to read, **we teach them.**"*
*"If a child doesn't know to swim, **we teach them.**"*
*"If a child doesn't know how to multiply, **we teach them.**"*
*"If a child doesn't know how to drive, **we teach them.**"*
*"If a child doesn't know how to behave, **we teach them.**"*

This process of support is a whole school approach to ensure that expectations are consistent and achievable. If patterns of low-level behaviours emerge then students are referred to Administration where we begin a process of restorative practice towards the desired behaviours. The line of communication with parents is vital and plays an integral role in the restoration of behaviour.

I look forward to working with you all.

Kind regards,

Jo Parry

School Councillors, Term 1 2023

Term 1 Student Councillors

Our Term 1 Student Councillors are:

Lorikeet: Matilda Parsons, Billy Sayers

TA 1: Kingsley Bennett, Matilda Rose

TA 2: Lewis Dybdahl, Poppy Redwood

TA 3: Macie Strand, Sunny Charlier

TA 6: Ethan Gardner, Indiana Maddock



Front: Billy, Poppy, Lewis, Matilda Parsons Indiana
Back: Macie, Matilda Rose, Kingsley, Sunny



Front Ethan

Congratulations
To all our elected Student Leaders



*Kaya,
Hello*

MY NAME IS
HOPE.

I will be running Boyanup OSHC.

My passion is building relationships with families and the wider community while also creating a welcoming space for all.

I live in Dalyellup with my loving husband and two wonderful children.


I look forward to meeting you all!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL JODIE

Jodie Buck
Company Director



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 0418 118 935

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[head office is upstairs]

School Fees and Student Update Forms

**School Fees and P & C Contributions can be paid at the school office or by direct debit.
Every payment assists our school and our students.**

Statements for the 2023 Voluntary Contributions and charges are now due for payment at the school office. These voluntary contributions go a long way to supporting the schools' budget in providing funds to assist with teaching consumables. Thank you to everyone who has made their payment already!

Due to Department requirements, we are in the process of updating all our student records. Please check details, sign and return to the office by **Friday 10th February**.

- Student Update Forms
- Medical Action Plans / Health Care Plans (as required)
- Permission for Students to have an Online Service Account (Year 3 students only)
- Computer Agreement (Year 3 students only)

School Absentees

If your child is absent from school, please SMS **0437 204 580** with a brief explanation. Alternatively, you can send a note to school with your child on their return. A text message is automatically generated at 10.00am if we have not received a verbal, written or SMS reason for your child's absence.

Uniforms

All students (except Kindergarten) are required to wear school uniform. There is a good stock of new uniforms available to purchase from the front office.

If you have any second hand uniform items that you no longer require, please don't hesitate to drop them into the office - these are greatly appreciated and can be purchased by other families for \$2.

Phys-Ed with Mr Dixon

Sport Days:

Pre Primary - Thursdays

Year 1 to Year 6 - Fridays

We encourage the children to wear their faction sports shirt and appropriate footwear on their sport day. This is in addition to the individual classrooms daily fitness.



If you are unsure of your child's faction - Redgum (red) or Preston (blue), please feel welcome to ask at the office.

School Canteen

The Canteen needs you to keep it running. If you can assist in any way, please don't hesitate to contact Marji O'Connor on 0410 501 895 or pop into the office to leave your details and your availability.

P & C Meeting AGM

Wednesday 22nd February, 9.00am – Undercover Area

Please come along, get involved and support our beautiful school. Nominations for 'office bearers' welcome however no pressure if you would just like to be a spectator. Come along, share your ideas and become aware of what's happening in our school - everyone is welcome!

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****LIBRARY NEWS 2023****

Our Library/Resource Centre is integral to our school. It is a place where the school community has access to quality literature and technology within a comfortable environment.

LIBRARY BAGS

Students in Kindy, Pre-Primary, Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 require a library bag when borrowing books. Year 5/6 students are given the responsibility of looking after their books without the need of a bag.

CLASS BORROWING SESSIONS

KINDY	THURSDAY	2.00pm - 2.30pm	1 ITEM - 1 WEEK
PRE-PRIMARY	TUESDAY	2.00pm - 2.30pm	1 ITEM - 1 WEEK
YEAR 1/2	THURSDAY	2.30pm - 3.00pm	1 ITEM - 1 WEEK
YEAR 2/3	FRIDAY	1.50pm - 2.30pm	1 ITEM - 1 WEEK
YEAR 3/4	TBA	TBA	2 ITEMS - 2 WEEKS
YEAR 5/6	TUESDAY	11.10am - 11.40pm	2 ITEMS - 2 WEEKS

Students with overdue items cannot borrow until all items are returned.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

Our school is participating in Scholastic Book Club again this year.

You'll find award-winning books, as well as old and new favourites. The books span a wide range of children's reading levels and interests.

'Issue 1' catalogues will be sent home this week.

Please order online at [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP) or download the LOOP app.

If you would like to pay by cash please return the completed order form and payment in an envelope to the front office. Please include your child's name on the order form and envelope.

Each order helps earn free books and teaching materials for our school.

Please feel free to contact me with any queries.

Regards

Angela Brimson - Library Officer

No Smoking



Just a reminder to parents/carers, the school grounds are NO SMOKING zones.
This includes the car parking areas.

Term Planner

2023 BOYANUP PRIMARY SCHOOL

Term One

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat	Sun
2	6 Feb	7 Newsletter	8	9	10 Kindy	11	12
3	13 Feb	14	15	16	17	18	19
4	20 Feb	21 Newsletter	22	23 Prefect Assembly	24 Kindy	25	26
5	27 Feb	28	1 March	2	3	4	5
6	6 March Labour Day	7 Newsletter	8	9	10 Kindy	11	12
7	13 March Class Meeting TA02 2.45-3.00pm	14	15	16	17	18	19
8	20 March	21 Newsletter HARMONY DAY	22	23 TA01 Assembly	24 Kindy	25	26
9	27 March	28	29	30	31	1 April	2
10	3 April	4 Newsletter	5	6 Students last day	7 Good Friday	8	9
H	10 April Easter Monday	11	12	13	14	15	16
H	17 April	18	19	20	21	22	23

Start and End of Term

Public Holidays

School Holidays (students)

School Development Days