

# Boulder Primary School Newsletter

## Term 2, Week 2 2023

Once again, we have had another fantastic start to a term. However, we started the term with a “bang” having school photos in the first week. Many thanks to all our parents for their support with these.

We have many projects in the “pipeline” this year. After many years and many requests, at the end of last term, we were very excited to watch the installation of three air conditioning units in the undercover area. Along with the fans, during the summer months, Assemblies should be a little cooler. We were also very excited as once again, after many requests, we were able to install air conditioning in the Hall. This will make this versatile space more useable during the summer months.

Along with the projects above, we have the ECE Playground and the Library projects “on the go”. Mrs McMeeken and Mrs Bishop are also working with BHP and Phoenix to further develop the School Garden. With Mrs Hansen’s support we hope to include some Aboriginal art and incorporate some bush foods. When finished this will be an amazing space for student learning.

In line with “greening” Boulder PS and removing the bitumen, we are also looking at extending the gardens along the Moran Street boundary of the school. Hopefully, we will be able to create a wonderful entrance to the school, one which makes a statement about Boulder Primary School.

Boulder Primary School prides itself in the development of future teachers. As such we are very pleased to have Jamieson and Zara with us this term as they prepare to become teachers. Jamieson Scott is working with Ms Benham in Room 5 and Zara Wallwork is working with Ms Skinner and Ms Simpson in Room 6. I know they have great mentors and will no doubt learn a lot about teaching. We hope they enjoy their time with us.

Our Term looks very busy with a School Disco this Friday, Mother’s Day stall, Eagles Fever Cup, Semester One Reports, Winter Lightning Carnival, Movie Night and NAI-DOC Day all scheduled on the calendar. I would like to highlight the Learning Journey on the 14<sup>th</sup> of June and ask that parents and carers write this one into the family diary. With the details yet to be finalised, Learning Journeys are a great way for students and parents to engage and discuss and show their learning.

Finally, my beloved Hawks are sitting at the bottom of the AFL Ladder with only one win. So, there is only one way to go and that is up. “Go the HAWKS”!

Regards

David Callow

### DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday 5/5/23—Disco Year 6 Fundraiser.

Monday 8th –12th May Mother’s Day Stall

Friday 12th May Assembly Room 14.

Thursday 18th May School Board Meeting

Friday 19th May Eagles Fever Cup

Friday 26th May Assembly Room 7

# Proud History, From the Deputy Principals

Boulder Primary School is committed to providing a safe environment for students, staff, and visitors. One way we can all help to achieve this is by walking bikes and scooters when on school grounds.

We have a large amount of bitumen on our school grounds, and riding bikes and scooters can be dangerous for both the rider and those around them. By walking bikes and scooters, we can avoid accidents, collisions, and injuries.

Walking bikes and scooters also promotes a respectful and considerate attitude towards others. By walking instead of riding, we are showing that we care about the safety and well-being of everyone in our school community. It also shows that we value and respect the school environment.

Additionally, walking bikes and scooters can help to reduce noise levels and distractions. This can create a more peaceful and focused learning environment for students, and a more pleasant work environment for staff.

We understand that walking bikes and scooters may take a few extra minutes, but the safety benefits are worth it. We expect all students, staff, and visitors to follow this important safety rule when on Boulder Primary School grounds.



Walking bikes and scooters on school grounds is a simple but important way to promote safety, respect, and consideration for others. Let's all do our part to keep our school community safe and enjoyable for everyone.

Mr Ashley Ferguson  
Deputy Principal

# Great Future!

## From the Deputy Principals

### Early Arrivals

As Term Two begins, parents and carers are reminded that school commences at 8:30am, with classroom doors opening at this time. At Boulder Primary School, we encourage our students to arrive on time allowing them to participate in our daily Literacy Block.

For students arriving early, our school gates open at 8:00am with the hall open for supervised activities such as Numero, Chess and Tribes energisers. We ask that you do not arrive prior to this as there will be no supervision and students cannot enter school grounds, as this may be unsafe. If students are supervised by a parent or carer prior to 8:30am we ask that students please remain seated as they are not permitted on the playground and should not be running around in the undercover areas and basketball courts.

We are excited to see our students arrive on time and ready to learn each day. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch with Mrs McMeeken.

### Early Childhood Playground Update

We are excited to announce that Nature Playgrounds have been contracted to complete the redevelopment of the Early Childhood Playground. They are hoping to commence work during the school holiday period between Term Three and Term Four, with work continuing into Term Four. Construction will impact the students play area and we are making plans to ensure there will be minimal disruption to student learning.

We recently received donations from local industry and community groups to contribute towards the playgrounds transformation. Thank you to the following for their generous donations: Variety WA, Lions Club, and Barnicott Plumbing. We feel extremely fortunate to receive their support.

Jennie McMeeken  
Deputy Principal



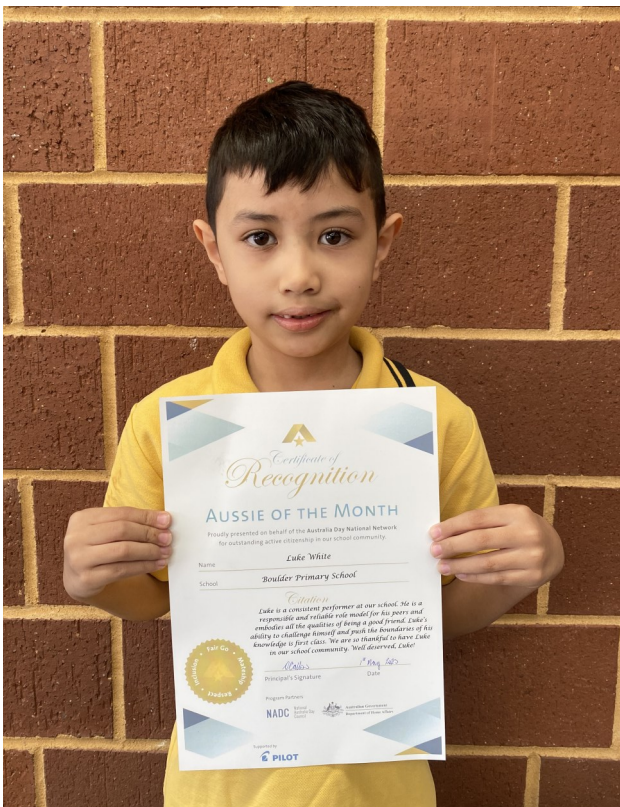


# Awards

Congratulations to the following students who won merit and value awards at the Week 9 Assembly.

Class	Merit Award Winner	Values Award Winner
Bottlebrush	Slade Jones	Skyler Whiteaker
Sandalwood	Wolfe Fraser	Hendrik Holland
Room 6	Aaylah Pilsworth	TJ Axell
Room 7	Aurora Marais	Cohen Belhamine
Room 8	Travis Rossi	Kalaix Clarke
Room 9	Jett Mackie	Zyah Pilsworth
Room 10	Jackson Bull	Deacon Vainerere
Room 13	Harlan Good	Damian Christie
Room 14	Mason McCooke	Alexander Knox

## AUSSIE OF THE MONTH



Congratulations to Luke from Room 6 who has been awarded with our Aussie of the Month for April.

Luke is a consistent performer at our school. He is a responsible and reliable role model for his peers and embodies all the qualities of being a good friend. Luke's ability to challenge himself and push the boundaries of his knowledge is first class. We are so thankful to have Luke in our school community. Well deserved, Luke!

The Aussie of the Month program recognises students for their good citizenship, personal endeavour and achievement!

Be sure to check out our Aussie of the Month display next time you are up in the hall.

Hi Everyone

Welcome back to Boulder Primary School for Term 2.

I hope your holidays were as peaceful as they can be with children! Hopefully you could enjoy some special time with the kids.

Just a reminder that I am at school on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays and available to talk with parents and students. All conversations are confidential and non judgmental.

This Term I will be doing a cooking program with the Year 6 students. Each student gets 1 session of cooking with the Chaplain in a small group. They love it and hopefully some of their cooking makes it's way home to be shared with family.

FYI Anglicare is looking for parents of ADHD children who are interested in some information and training on parenting your ADHD child.

Check out the link below for more information.

<https://www.theconfidentadhdparentformula.com.au/confident-adhd-parent-formula-sales-page-1>

They will put on this training if they have enough expressions of interest.

Lastly, Anglicare are running two Autism workshops. The information is in the attached flyer.

I hope to see you around the school. If I can be of assistance in any way please don't hesitate to ask.

Peta Russo  
School Chaplain.



**Autism**  
WESTERN AUSTRALIA

**Parenting Connection**  
Supporting WA parents

Parenting Connection WA is once again proud to be partnering with the Autism Association of Western Australia to offer two FREE online information sessions specifically designed to support WA families and carers of children up to the age of 6 years old.

**Webinar 1:**  
**'Early Signs of Autism'**  
6-8pm Wednesday  
17 May 2023

**Webinar 2:**  
**'Understanding and Supporting my Child's Behaviours'**  
6-8pm Wednesday  
31 May 2023

This is the follow up webinar to 'Early Signs of Autism'.

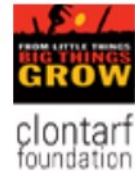
**For more information and to register please contact [seminars@autism.org.au](mailto:seminars@autism.org.au)**

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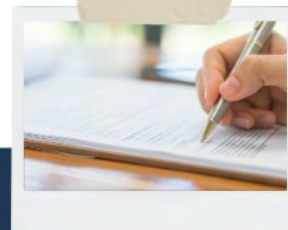
# Year 4-6 Parent Night



KBCHS would like to extend a warm welcome to our Year 4-6 parent information night



Meet our Principal and other staff



Learn about the enrolment process

Monday 15 May

5pm start - 6pm finish

RSVP : 9092 0300

kalgoorlieboulder.chs@det.wa.edu.au

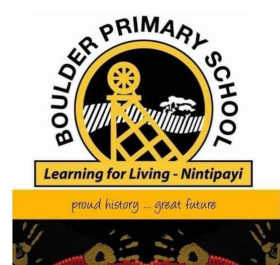
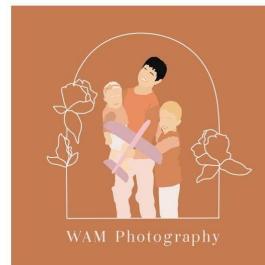


BPS YEAR 6 CAMP FUNDRAISER!

## BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Saturday 6th May and Sunday 7th  
May from 8 am

Sausage Sanga - \$3.50  
Asst. Cool drink cans - \$1.50



## COZY WINTER FAMILY MINIS

Boulder Primary school year 6's are raising money for their year 6 camp. This year WAM Photography is teaming up to help them out. There is 14 sessions available starting time from 1.30pm and last one at 3.30pm.. What's better then getting some snuggly photos with the kids

### PACKAGE;

- 5 edited images delivered via online gallery
  - 10 minute session
  - All For \$100
- (All bookings are limited to 1 household family)



June the 25th  
In the undercover area at Boulder Primary School

For all bookings message Allison Hunter  
0448505204  
allisonod@hotmail.com

Every session booked \$80 goes towards the year 6 camp





## Circle of Security® Parenting™

A FREE 8-week online workshop for fathers only

This parent education programme is designed to enhance attachment security between parents and their children. At times, all parents feel lost or without a clue about what their child might need from them. Imagine what it might feel like if you were able to make sense of what your child was really asking from you.

This workshop will cover:

- Exploring and strengthening secure parent-child relationships
- An awareness of children's needs and behaviour
- The Circle of Security and why recognising and acting on this dynamic promotes strong attachment and healthy mental development

Presented by Stephanie Rea of 360 Family Health

### BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL.

Booking link: [COSP For Dads Online T2](#)

T: 90 681 821

E: [GoldfieldsEsperance.PCWA@anglicarewa.org.au](mailto:GoldfieldsEsperance.PCWA@anglicarewa.org.au)

When: 6pm - 8pm  
Mondays (8 sessions)  
Starting 8 May - 26 June  
Where: Online

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**Juniors - Nicole Stevens 0409 423 321**

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**Junior Registrations - Tuesday 9th March**

**4pm—5.30pm**

**Year 3 and Above.**

# "Does this ring a bell with you?"



If your family has a child with a bedwetting problem please contact:

Nurse Alex  
9080 8200  
for an appointment



For Help & Further information Contact:

- your nearest service

**Population Health**  
36-42 Ware St  
Kalgoorlie WA 6433  
Phone: (08) 9080 8200  
Fax: (08) 9080 8201

- Continence Advisory Service ..... (08) 9386 9777
- Country Toll Free ..... 1800 814 925
- Princess Margaret Hospital for Children ..... (08) 9340 8356
- Continence Resource Centre in your State or Country

**Things Which Do Not Help**

**Punishment**

**Restriction of fluids**

**'Lifting' during the night does not help to achieve bladder control.**



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# "Happiness is a Dry Bed"



## Bedwetting

### A Common Problem

# Parent Calendar

## Term 2, 2023

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Other
<b>Week 1</b> 24 <sup>th</sup> – 28 <sup>th</sup> April	Pyjama Day	Anzac Day Public Holiday	CANTEEN CLOSED	School Photos School Nurse	School Photos	
<b>Week 2</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> – 5 <sup>th</sup> May			CANTEEN CLOSED	School Nurse	Disco Year 6 Fundraiser K-2 4pm-5pm 3-6 5.30-6.30pm	
<b>Week 3</b> 8 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Mother's Day Stall	Mother's Day Stall	CANTEEN CLOSED Mother's Day Stall	School Nurse		
<b>Week 4</b> 15 <sup>th</sup> – 19 <sup>th</sup> May			CANTEEN CLOSED	School Nurse	Eagles Fever Cup	
<b>Week 5</b> 22 <sup>nd</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> May			CANTEEN CLOSED	School Nurse	<b>Assembly Room 7</b> Eagles Fever Cup	
<b>Week 6</b> 29 <sup>th</sup> May – 2 <sup>nd</sup> June			CANTEEN CLOSED Volunteers Morning Tea	School Nurse	Eagles Fever Cup	
<b>Week 7</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> – 9 <sup>th</sup> June	WA Day Public Holiday		CANTEEN CLOSED	School Nurse	Eagles Fever Cup	
<b>Week 8</b> 12 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> June			CANTEEN CLOSED	School Board School Nurse	Eagles Fever Cup	
<b>Week 9</b> 19 <sup>th</sup> – 23 <sup>rd</sup> June			CANTEEN CLOSED Learning Journey	Winter Lightning Carnival School Nurse	Ear Bus <b>Assembly</b> <b>Bottlebrush</b>	
<b>Week 10</b> 26 <sup>th</sup> – 30 <sup>th</sup> June			CANTEEN CLOSED Reports go home BPS Cross Country	School Nurse	<b>NAIDOC Celebration</b>	

