# **School Chatter**





Preparing today's child for tomorrow's world

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### <u>Administration</u>

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Day Starts - 8:45am - 3:10pm Monday Early Close - 2:40pm

### **School Fees**

Account Name: Brookton DHS BSB: 633-000 Account #: 120402938

Please use your Surname and Initials as reference when making your payment.

Uniform Shop
All Orders to be placed
through Front Office
Please.

### **Dates to Remember**

### October 12th

Pupil Free Day

### October 13th (Tuesday)

 Term 4 Commences for Students

### October 29

School Photo Day

Dear Parents, Carers and Community Members,

Well the end of term is almost upon us and what a wonderful term it has been. We've competed in our own Faction Athletics Carnival, as well as the Interschool Athletics Carnival. Our Primary students won the Shield, and our secondary students competed to a very high standard. We also celebrated RU OK Day, which was well attended. We had Pirate Day raising money for research into childhood cancer. As a school, we raised \$104 which is a fantastic achievement. Our ORACY performances were just outstanding earlier in the term. This gave students a wonderful opportunity to speak and perform in front of their classes. Our 5/6's had a great camp to Dwellingup which was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone who attended. Reading some of the reports from students on their return was exhausting enough! The camps organisation and supervision is a credit to Miss Carlshausen, Mr. McIntyre and Miss Symonds. Our final assembly for the term, saw an item performed from our 2/3's in Room 1, which was absolutely tremendous. I have really enjoyed Term 3 and I'm looking forward to more of the same in Term 4.

### **Junior Cricket**

Cricket Training will be starting the first week of next term. The first training session will be on Thursday the 15<sup>th</sup> of October straight after school. We have our first game that weekend in Quairading on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup>. All training sessions after that will be on Friday Afternoons after school.

### **Pump Track Opening**

The Shire's new Pump Track will be opening on Friday the 16<sup>th</sup> of Oct at 4.00pm. The P&C and the Noongar youth group will be running a sausage sizzle at the opening. We will be announcing in the first week back at school which students have won the donated reconditioned bikes and helmets as well.



### **Student Free Day**

Monday the 12<sup>th</sup> of October is a student free day at Brookton DHS. We will be conducting some professional learning for Staff. Students first day next term is Tuesday the 13<sup>th</sup> of October.

### The Centre for Excellence in the Explicit teaching of Literacy (CEETL)

Miss Carlshausen and myself attended CEETL in Week 3 of this term. The week involved seminars at Curtin University and school visits to Wattle Grove Primary, Ballajura Primary, Calista Primary and Kingston Primary in Bunbury. It provided an opportunity to see best teaching practice in action, and to see how top performing schools use an Explicit Teaching approach. Miss Carlshausen and I have come back to school with great enthusiasm and drive to see that our teaching and learning program is absolutely on the right track at Brookton. We presented our findings to staff and have worked to implement the Reading Warmup in our literacy blocks this term. Miss Carlshausen has taken on a coaching role to support staff with new and engaging ideas to include in their warm-ups. I have presented to staff on the areas we want covered in our reading warm-ups. We have also sent a team of teachers to our partner school Calista Primary. Mr McIntyre, Miss Fiori and Miss Dewson Hall all spent a day in classrooms watching lessons and then having a one-on-one session with Calista's Deputy Principal to talk about teacher planning and tips to getting Explicit Teaching happening in the classroom. The CEETL team will be visiting us in the last week of term to support us with our progress and see teachers work in action. All in all, the start of our participation in this year long program has been very encouraging.

### **Staffing News**

We have completed our 0.33 FTE cleaners process and Miss Tomisha Ware has been appointed as the successful applicant. We wish her well in her new role at Brookton and look forward to her being part of the team.

We have also completed our 0.4 FTE Library Resource Officers position and Ms Charlene Hayden has been appointed as the successful applicant. We now have Charlene three days a week as part of our school team which we are thrilled about.

I'd also like to inform the school community that Jayden Bennell has been appointed the new Brookton Aquatic Centre Manager for the shire starting fulltime in Week 2 next term. This is a wonderful opportunity for Jayden and his family, and I'm sure you will join me in congratulating him on his achievement. Jayden will leave very large shoes to fill at Brookton DHS. His dedication to the role of AIEO in his time here has been outstanding. The families of Brookton thank you for your tireless work in looking after the wellbeing of all of our students, but in particular our Aboriginal Students. Congratulations Jayden again from all of us here at Brookton DHS. We wish you the very best.





### Ngala Koolangka Kaadadjin Project

I'm very excited to announce the start of the Ngala Koolangka Kaadadjin (Our Children's Learning) Project at Brookton DHS. This pilot project has been presented to our admin team by Ms Donnelle Slater and will also involve working closely with Seabrook Aboriginal Corporation. Donnelle has worked in Aboriginal Education for over 24 years and is long term member of the Student Services Team at Balga Senior High School, and is a parent volunteer with Brookton DHS this year. The project looks at the collection of Aboriginal student data on attendance and academic results, analysing areas of concern and working closely with teachers and families to create individual learning plans (ILPs), monitoring student academic progress. Over the next 2 years we hope to incorporate Aboriginal Culture, Health & Well-Being, Attendance and Extracurricular activity and all of the elements of the Aboriginal Cultural Standards Framework. Donnelle will work closely with our teaching staff, to analyse student data and liaise with Aboriginal families and Seabrook Aboriginal Corporation. We have representatives from most Aboriginal families signed up, and we look forward to working with Donnelle on this very exciting project.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support of Brookton DHS. I hope our students will have a safe and enjoyable holiday break and we will see you all back on **Tuesday the 13th of October** for day 1 next term.

Best Regards
Darren Simpson
Principal

Term 3, 2020 Pupil of the Term Awards

Year	Academic	Endeavour
1	Angus Eva	Ila Craig
2	Kalira Bennell	David Copping
3	Kayley Evans	Zali Smith
4	Courtney McBrearty	Ella Eva
5	Hamish Evans	Hannae Harwood
6	Adam Bassett	Rhys Rushton
Secondary	Cody Hamilton	Khianna Bennell
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	Tahlia Curley	

### **Brookton DHS School Assembly Week 5—20 August 2020—Honour Certificates**

### Congratulations to the following students:

EC1: Anna-May Trott Levi Gault Lakayah Turvey Mason Rossi

EC2: Storm Wenzel Hayley Gisborne Niverah Blurton Audrey Coote

Room 1: Grace Okum Leo Sudholz Lakyn Lawrence Makenzie Slater

Room 3: Bonnie Conway Nevaeh Garlett Benjamin Dorizzi

Room 4: Skylah Harvey Gus Bernhardt Keylee Farley

Secondary Awards:

Room 6: Tahlia Curley Lylly Green Elara Matthews

Room 9: Will Bernhardt Devon Langdon Holly McGuire

<u>Primary Science Award:</u> Adam Bassett Jai Paterson

Macqlit Award: Claire Eva Anton Penny



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### Brookton DHS School Assembly Week 10—24 September 2020—Honour Certificates

### Congratulations to the following students:

EC1: Erin Pepper Stuart Garlett Mieka Bassett Emma Spark Max Richardson

EC2: Blaze Richardson Rowan Williams Anthony Sleep Alysha Sudholz Tyler Brown

Room 1: Bryce Elliott Alyson Davis Eve Craig Nate Allen

Room 3: Anton Penny Lucas Harvey Tyler Rushton Kyreece Wallam

Room 4: Seth Marinos Lily Hickman J oshua Hall

<u>Secondary Awards</u>: Jalaila Harris Elara Matthews

Primary Science Award: Skylah Harvey Keylee Farley Blake Atkins

▲ Angus Eva David Copping Angus Bernhardt

Macglit Award: Bella Allen Tyler Rushton

<u>Library Award:</u> Ella Robertson Lakyn Lawrence



### **Interschool Athletics Wrap**

### **Secondary Carnival 10/9/20**

Despite our small numbers and some illnesses occurring on the day, our students applied themselves well all day. None of our students were able to secure championship medals, but many achieved personal best results. I received a good deal of praise for the efforts and conduct of our secondary students, and they should be proud of themselves for their fantastic attitudes.

Championship Shield	<u>Handicap Shield</u>
York Gold 444	Beverley 1 <sup>st</sup>
Beverley 327	York Gold 2 <sup>nd</sup>
York Blue 271	Brookton 3 <sup>rd</sup>
Brookton 148	York Blue 4 <sup>th</sup>

Portia Hall set a new record in the Girls Year 9 Discus! Well done Portia!

### Primary Carnival 11/9/20

Our Primary students were primed and ready to go when they arrived at Beverley for the Primary Athletics Carnival. All of our students gave their very best efforts and the result was a win for Brookton DHS! Seldom was there an event without a Brookton runner on the podium and our team games were exceptional.

### **Individual Medal Winners**

Yr 2/U Girls Gold Matildah Dorizzi

Yr 4 Boys Gold Joel Bassett

Yr 4 Boys Silver Anton Penny

Yr 4 Girls Gold Alice Bowring

Boys 800m Champion Charlie Eva

### **Record Breakers**

Girls Yr 2/U 50m Matildah Dorizzi

Girls Yr 5 100m Makayla McBrearty

Girls Yr 4 100m Alice Bowring

Records were also set in

- Tunnelball
- Flag Races
- Team Relays



### Championship Shield Handicap Shield

Brookton 285 Brookton 3.39\*\*\*

Beverley 235 Beverley 2.61

Pingelly 220 Pingelly 2.24

York Gold 209 York Gold 1.78

York Blue 197 York Blue 1.68

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Schools cannot claim both Shields, hence Beverley were awarded the Handicap Shield.









### **Faction Athletics Carnival**

Brookton DHS held our own Faction Jumps and Athletics Carnival over a 2 day period. Thursday 29 August saw the Jumps take place at the school oval, and Friday 30 August, all the students proudly marched to the Town oval to compete fiercely for their factions.

### **Marching Faction Team Winner**

AVON	1 <sup>ST</sup>
DALE	2 <sup>ND</sup>
SEABROOK	3 <sup>RD</sup>

# Overall Faction Athletics Winning Team

AVON	392
DALE	400
SEABROOK	564

Faction Athletics Carnival Championship Trophy Awards 2020

Year		Name	Faction	Points
Year 1 Boys Champion		SETH WILKINSON	DALE	17
	Runner Up	BLAKE ATKINS	AVON	13
	Girls Champion	SHANARLA GARLETT	SEABROOK	15
	Runner Up	IMOGEN GAULT	SEABROOK	12
Year 2	Boys Champion	BRYCE ELLIOTT	SEABROOK	18
	Runner Up	LINCOLN EVA	DALE	12
	Girls Champion	MATILDAH DORIZZI	SEABROOK	20
	Runner Up	KALIRA BENNELL	DALE	12
Year 3	Boys Champion	LAKYN LAWRENCE	AVON	23
	Runner Up	MATTHEW PEPPER	SEABROOK	13
	Girls Champion	MAKENZIE SLATER	SEABROOK	16
	Runner Up	KAYLEY EVANS	DALE	12
Year 4	Boys Champion	ANTON PENNY	AVON	18
	Runner Up	JOEL BASSETT	DALE	14
	Girls Champion	Girls Champion ALICE BOWRING		17
	Runner Up	NEVAEH GARLETT	SEABROOK	11
Year 5	Boys Champion	TYLER RUSHTON	AVON	18
	Runner Up	KYREECE WALLAM	SEABROOK	11
	Girls Champion	MAKAYLA MCBREARTY	DALE	17
	Runner Up	KEYLEE FARLEY	AVON	12
Year 6	Boys Champion	CHARLIE EVA	DALE	17
	Runner Up	DARNELL BLURTON	DALE	8
	Girls Champion	NATAHLIA GARLETT	SEABROOK	20
	Runner Up	DANIKA UGLE	AVON	9

Year		Name	Faction	Points
Year 7	Boys Champion	WILLIAM BERNHARDT	SEABROOK	
	Runner Up	-		
	Girls Champion	MAKAYLA PENNY	AVON	
	Runner Up	JALAILA HARRIS	DALE	
Year 8	Boys Champion	CODY HAMILTON	SEABROOK	
	Runner Up	DEVON HAMILTON	AVON	
	Girls Champion	TALEAH PENNY	AVON	
	Runner Up	DEBORAH TROTT	DALE	
Year 9	Boys Champion	-		
	Runner Up	-		
	Girls Champion	KHIANNA BENNELL	SEABROOK	
	Runner Up	PORTIA HALL	AVON	
Year 10	Boys Champion	OLIVER TSE-STEWART	SEABROOK	
	Runner Up	TYSON McGUIRE	SEABROOK	
	Girls Champion	HOLLY McGUIRE	SEABROOK	
	Runner Up	LAY-LARNIE PANTOU	DALE	

Year		Name	Faction
Primary Girls	800m Champion	ALICE BOWRING	SEABROOK
	Runner Up	NATAHLIA GARLETT	SEABROOK
Primary Boys	800m Champion	CHARLIE EVA	DALE
	Runner Up	ANTON PENNY	AVON
Secondary Girls	1500m Champion	HOLLY McGUIRE	SEABROOK
	Runner Up	LAY-LARNIE PANTOU	DALE
Secondary Boys	1500m Champion	CODY HAMILTON	SEABROOK
	Runner Up	WILLIAM BERNHARDT	SEABROOK

### MS Readathon

Our top 8 participants in the MS Readathon for Brookton District High School were;

Anthony Sleep (45 books)

Makayla McBrearty (27 books)

Courtney McBrearty (22 books)

Kaitlyn McBrearty (19 books)

Audrey Coote (5 books)

Kayley Evans (5 books)

Alice Bowring (5 books)

Hamish Evans (3 books)



And our champion fundraiser was Anthony Sleep from pre-primary who raised a whopping \$201! Anthony you are a kind hearted reading superstar. Congratulations on your fantastic effort, you have won a box of books for your class to read at school.

Kris Dewson Hall Deputy Principal









### **2021 Narrogin Senior High School Enrolments**

For all our Year 10 students entering Narrogin SHS for Year 11, it is important that you return your enrolment packs ASAP. Subject selections cannot be entered onto their system until your enrolment details have been received and your selection may not be guaranteed. If you have any queries, or need additional support in completing these, please contact Narrogin SHS School Office on 9881 9344.

### **Wheatbelt Educational Regional Office**

If a parent or caregiver wishes to make contact the Wheatbelt Education Regional Office, the Public Inbox for the Wheatbelt is Wheatbelt.ERO@education.wa.edu.au

Letters received in this Public Inbox go through a process so that all letters are registered and dealt with, with a response within 10 days.



### **Community News**

Do you have a future event or information you are wanting to share with our school community?

As the State restrictions begin to ease and we resume our lives pre Covid 19, please consider letting us know so we can include in our School Newsletter..

Please forward your contributions to brookton.dhs@education.wa.edu.au

# BROOKTON BIKE TRACK OPENING



SAUSAGE SIZZLE INSTRUCTION

MADE POSSIBLE VIA FUNDING FROM THE **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT & WESTCYCLE** 







#ridetogetherWA

PRESENTED BY BROOKTON P & C, Shire of BROOKTON NYOONGAH YOUTH GROUP & THE BrooktonPRESENTED BY BROOKTON P & C,







### ANNUAL BINGO FUNDRAISER

Wednesday 14th of October at The Aldersyde Ag Hall

11:00AM - 2:00PM \$20.00 per person

RSVP BY 7TH OF OCT.

RSVP to Denise Walters 0428-426-06

Lunch, Tea & Coffee and Dessert

FUN ACTIVITES

Bingo, Chocolate Wheel, & Raffle,

### Online Auction

STARTS 1ST OF OCT-ENDS 14TH OCT AT 1:30PM

Funds Raised in our online auction go towards the McGrath Foundation You can find the items to bid on, on the Aldersyde CWA Facebook Page



### **SAVE THE DATE!!**

SATURDAY 10<sup>TH</sup>OCTOBER 2020 AT 1.30 PM

BROOKTON CHORAL SOCIETY

present a

### KIDS MAGIC & FUN AFTERNOON!

JOIN IN THE FUN OF LEARNING MAGIC TRICKS,

DRESSING UP ON STAGE IN SILLY COSTUMES,

PLAYING CUP GAMES, OBSTACLE COURSE FUN

VENUE – BROOKTON MEMORIAL HALL

MUMS, DADS, FRIENDS, ALL, BRING YOUR KIDS ALONG (all ages), TO ENJOY AN INFORMAL FUN AFTERNOON! Have a cuppa and join in. (carpet and toy area in hall for babies and Mums to watch from)

**Gold Coin Donation** 

Contact: D. Bond 0429 203 441 or J. Eva 96422357



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136 Vincent St. Beverley

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### Hello Everyone,

You may have heard the Garage Sale Trail is once again coming to Brookton on 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2020. You can host a garage sale at your own home, online (virtual), or hold a stall at the Brookton Town Oval.

Registrations will open on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2020 at <a href="https://www.garagesaletrail.com.au/Brookton">https://www.garagesaletrail.com.au/Brookton</a> . I

f you require more information, please contact Sandie – Community Liaison Officer at the Shire of Brookton on 96421106 or visit

The website <a href="https://garagesaletrail.com.au">https://garagesaletrail.com.au</a>

Garage Sale Trail is a free and fun way to raise money for your group, club or charity as well as clear out unused or unwanted items, recruit new members and raise awareness of the good work you do locally.

Last year almost \$1 million was raised for community groups, schools and charities nationally, with the average community group making over \$1,500 in one day.

### WHY GET INVOLVED?

- Fundraise for your group and make over \$1,500 on one day.
- Engage the community in a fun reuse initiative.

Promote your club, group or charity locally.

**WHAT'S INVOLVED?** Host a garage sale on Saturday 21 or Sunday 22 November 2020 online or in your neighbourhood. Set up at your usual meeting point or hire a community space and invite members (and others in the community) to donate unwanted items or set up stall.

We provide you with promotional support, free signage, how to guides and more to help you sell big and stay safe on the Trail.







**Upper Great Southern Tennis Association** 

**Presents** 

# Junior Tennis Coaching Development Day

Calling all keen junior tennis players in our region to a fun morning of coaching with Tennis Australia Accredited Coaches Brad Bassett & Keith O'Brien—WAGIN TENNIS CLUB

Cost \$20 per person payable in cash on day

Ages 6 and up

## Sunday 18th October 9am to 12pm

Morning tea provided





# Brookton District High School Canteen

summer Menu Term 1 & 4



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Cheesies \$1.00		VOLUNTEER
Mini Egg & Bacon Quiches \$0.50	Sandwiches - \$3.50 Wraps/Roll - \$5.00	Sandwiches - \$3.50 Wraps/Rolls - \$5.00
Mini Sausage Roll \$1.00	_	Salad - (Lettuce / Carrot / Tomato)
Pizza Slices \$1.00	hot chicken roll \$5.00	hot chicken roll \$5.00
Muffins or Biscuit \$1.00	Ham & Salad	Ham & Salad
Sorbet \$1.00	Ham / Cheese & Tomato	Ham / Cheese & Tomato
	Ham & Cheese	Ham & Cheese
	Chicken & Salad	Chicken & Salad
<b>DRINKS / SNACKS</b>	Cheese & Salad	Cheese & Salad
(Available recess & lunch)	Chicken and Mayo	Chicken and Mayo
Flav Milk (300ml) \$3.00		
Chocolate or Strawberry	Toasted Sandwiches	Toasted sandwiches
juice box \$2.50	\$2.50 Ham & Cheese \$4.00	\$4.00 Ham & Cheese \$4.00
Billabong ice cream \$2.00	\$2.00 Ham / Cheese & Pineapple \$4.00	\$4.00 Ham / Cheese & Pineapple \$4.00
Bottled Water \$2.00	\$2.00 Cheese \$3.00	\$3.00 Cheese \$3.00
	Ham / Cheese & Tomato \$4.00	\$4.00 Ham / Cheese & Tomato \$4.00
	Chicken & Cheese \$4.00	\$4.00 Chicken & Cheese \$4.00
	Turkish Roll: Chicken, cheese,	Turkish Roll: Chicken, cheese,
Please use correct change.	tomato, baby spinach & Aioli \$7.00	\$7.00 tomato, baby spinach & Aioli \$7.00
Change not received is not our	Chicken and salad box \$7.00	\$7.00 Chicken and salad box \$7.00
responsibility, money bags are	Crispy Chicken Wrap with salad \$6.50	\$6.50 Crispy Chicken Wrap with salad \$6.50
available from your local bank.	Homemade pizza \$5.50	\$5.50 Homemade pizza \$5.50
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Pre-paid canteen vouchers		
are available from	Good Eating large beef pie \$4.00	\$4.00 Good Eating large beef pie \$4.00
the school canteen.	Patties Party Pies \$1.00	\$1.00 Patties Party Pies \$1.00
3	Good Eating Sausage Roll \$3.00	\$3.00 Good Eating Sausage Roll \$3.00
	Chick Drummies \$1.00	\$1.00 Chick Drummies \$1.00
Contact: Keira 0408818513	Sauce \$0.30	\$0.30 Sauce \$0.30



# Brookton DHS Term 4 Planner



WK	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat	Sun
1	OCTOBER 12 Pupil Free Day	13 Students Commence Term 4	14	15 Junior Cricket Training	16 Pump Bike Track opening at 4pm	17	18
2	19	20	21	T-20 Cricket Blast Yr 4-6	23	24	25
3	26	27	28	29 School Photo Day	30	31	1
4	2	3	4	5	6 Kindy 2021 Orientation 9-10am	7	8
5	9	School Board Meeting	11	PP/1 Assembly	13 Kindy 2021 Orientation 9-10am	14	15
6	16	17	18	19	20 Kindy 2021 Orientation 9-10am Interschool Swimming Carnival	21	22
7	Van arrives at Brookton	24	25	26	Kindy 2021 Orientation 9-10am	28	29
8	IN TERM SWIMMING	IN TERM SWIMMING	IN TERM SWIMMING	3 IN TERM SWIMMING	IN TERM SWIMMING	5	6
9	7 IN TERM SWIMMING	8 School Board Meeting IN TERM SWIMMING	IN TERM SWIMMING	IN TERM SWIMMING	IN TERM SWIMMING	12	13
10	14	Annual Presentation Evening – 6pm	16	17 Term 4 Concludes MBER – 31 <sup>ST</sup> JANU	18 Staff Development Day	19	20

STUDENTS RETURN TO SCHOOL MONDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> FEBRUARY 2021