



Success Sticks in 2026

Newsletter Edition 26

Brookton District High School

Principals Address

Kaya from Brookton District High School

It has been another busy and exciting couple of weeks at Brookton DHS, with student leadership, community engagement and sporting spirit all on display.

We are proud to announce our newly elected High School Leaders — Ila, Seth, Sophie and Blaze. These students have already demonstrated initiative, responsibility and a genuine commitment to our school community. We look forward to seeing their leadership in action throughout the year.

Our Primary School Councillors — Piper, Jesse, Lachlan and Sonia were elected last year, and they continue to represent their peers with pride. Their ongoing contribution to student voice in our primary school is greatly valued.

We are thrilled to share that Tayla (Year 9/10) and Aaliyah (Year 7/8) have been selected as our Wheatbelt Youth Mentoring representatives. This is a wonderful achievement and recognition of their leadership potential. We know they will represent Brookton DHS with confidence and integrity.

Brookton DHS was proud to host this term's Wheatbelt District High School Network meeting, welcoming colleagues from across the region. Visitors were particularly interested in learning more about our growing Two Way Science program, which adopts an inquiry-based learning approach. This model encourages students to question, investigate and connect learning to real-world contexts, strengthening both engagement and understanding.

At the time of writing, our students are attending the Schools Tennis Classic in Narrogin. We are confident they are demonstrating excellent sportsmanship and representing our school with pride — as is the Brookton way.

Important Dates

- Wed 4 Mar
Yr 2/3 Science Excursion
King Street
- Thu 5 Mar
Assembly Room 4
- Fri 6 Mar
Primary and High School
Faction Swimming Carnival
- Mon 9 Mar
Pupil Free Day - Staff
Development Day
- Mon 9 Mar - Tue 10 Mar
ASET Testing
- Wed 4 Mar
School Board Meeting
- Wed 11 Mar - Mon 23 Mar
NAPLAN
- Fri 13 Mar
Dr Teddy Bear Picnic K-Yr1
- Tue 24 Mar
Harmony Day
- Fri 27 Mar
Primary and High School
Interschool Swimming
- Wed 1 Apr
Assembly HS - Last day of
term for students
- Thu 2 Apr
Parent Teacher Interviews



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We are also very excited about our upcoming Faction Swimming Carnival on Friday 6th March. This is always a highlight of the school year, with students proudly representing Avon, Dale or Seabrook. We warmly invite community members to come along and cheer on our students – your support helps create a fantastic atmosphere.

We are pleased to welcome Mrs Shirley Julie-Wallis, who has commenced working with us two days per week as our School Chaplain. We are delighted to have her join the Brookton team and look forward to the positive support she will provide to our students and families.

A reminder that Monday 9th March is a student free day, as our staff will be engaged in professional learning with the North East Metro Language Development Centre. This session will focus on strengthening and optimising reading comprehension skills and strategies across the school, ensuring we continue to build staff expertise and deliver high-quality literacy instruction for all students.

NAPLAN testing is also coming up for students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. If you have any concerns regarding this testing, please contact your child's classroom teacher. The best preparation students can do is practise the basics; mental maths (times tables, reading clocks, adding and subtracting in their head) and regular reading. Building confidence in these foundational skills makes a significant difference.

Finally, we extend our sincere thanks to our wonderful P&C for their generous donations to the school. Their ongoing support makes a meaningful difference to the opportunities we can provide for our students. We encourage everyone to purchase one of their fantastic community recipe books, available for just \$10, a small investment that supports a great cause and celebrates the flavours of our community.

Brookton DHS continues to thrive thanks to the commitment of our students, staff, families and wider community. Thank you for your continued support.

Kris Dewson Hall
Principal

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