

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to the 2020 school year. I hope that your family and child have settled well into a new year and new school routines. I trust you all had a safe and enjoyable holiday break and have returned refreshed and looking forward to another eventful, exciting and engaging year.

It has been great to see parents coming into the school to meet and plan with their children's teacher so we can work together for your child to achieve.

I have been impressed with how the children have quickly settled into new classrooms with their new teachers and new classmates.

We have welcomed quite a few new families to our school this year and hope they are all enjoying being part of Burbridge School. Welcome to Fatamatu, Ali, Jaxon, Seph, Harrison, Liam and Tristyn.

School Board

The School Board is keen for parents to consider nominating and joining our Board. Anyone interested in the role of a School Board Member is welcome to contact me, or to follow this link to the Department of Education's information page:

<https://www.education.wa.edu.au/school-councilsboards>.

Parents who wish to nominate for the School Board, in the first instance, should simply email me kym.crawford@education.wa.edu.au to confirm your interest and receive a Burbridge School Board Member nomination form. We are a multicultural school so encourage all parents to consider nominating.

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IMPORTANT DATES TO DIARISE

Monday 2nd March - Public Holiday - Labour Day

Friday 6th March - Whole school assembly at 9.15am
(Item by Area B)

Friday 3rd April - Whole school assembly at 9.15am
(Item by Area A)

Thursday 9th April - ANZAC Day Assembly and Last day
of Term 1

Our students' numbers have grown and we have started the year with 9 classes.

Area A

Teacher: Michelle Vranjican

Education Assistants: Tanya and Simone

Area B

Teacher: Annabel Lindsay Smith

Education Assistants: Wendy, Johanna and Yesra

Area C

Teacher: Suzette Irvine

Education Assistants: Maryann, Kimo and Juliana

Area C2

Teacher: Hazel Kelly

Education Assistants: Stephanie and Matthew

Area D

Teacher: Naomi McComish

Education Assistants: Vio and Eltoma

Area E

Teacher: Kylie Moffat

Education Assistants: Yolande, Lisa, Maria and Georgie

Area F

Teacher: Shannon White

Education Assistants: Alison, Candice, Crystal and Alfena

Area G

Teachers: Lara Hosking (T-F) and Jenni Doubikin (M)

Education Assistants: Daniela, Blair, Hannah and Muneera

Area H

Teacher: Katherine Sadalva (Relief) and Lauren Blaauw

Education Assistants: Tracy, Yvette

* Some staff are part time and some staff work in multiple classrooms

We have welcomed some new teachers to our school.

- *Lara Hosking completed her teaching degree and has returned as a permanent teacher to our school. Lara worked as an EA for many years at Burbridge School.*
- *Jenny Doubikin has joined us this year and is the class teacher on Mondays in Area G and is one of our specialist teachers across the school.*
- *Katherine Sadalva is relieving as class teacher in Area H whilst Lauren B is on leave.*

This term we have many exciting events planned to add value and loads of fun to your child's school day. We hope you can join us for some of these events as well.

Friday 28th February - Clean Up Australia Day

Wednesday 18th March - Harmony Day

Thursday 26th March - Epilepsy Awareness Day

Wednesday 8th April – The Burbridge School Easter Bonnet Parade

Kym Crawford - Principal

Parent support group- My time

We encourage all families to attend a session hosted by the Ethnic Disability Advisory Group that will talk about the mother's group "My time" that operates to support parents from our local area that have children with disabilities. They will also be talking about services available locally. This session is Friday 13th March 9.00-10.30am. Contact Yesra Mnahi at the school for more information. A Flyer will be sent home with more information.



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Term 1 Parent Planner 2020

Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Weekly Meetings				PD Day	PD Day
	3rd Feb	4th Feb	5th Feb	6th Feb	7th Feb
1	FIRST DAY OF TERM 1				
	10th Feb	11th Feb	12th Feb	13th Feb	14th Feb
2					
	17th Feb	18th Feb	19th Feb	20th Feb	21st Feb
3					Assembly 1 Item by Area C2
	24th Feb	25th Feb	26th Feb	27th Feb	28th Feb
4					Clean Up Australia Day
	2nd Mar	3rd Mar	4th Mar	5th Mar	6th Mar
5	PUBLIC HOLIDAY LABOUR DAY				Assembly 2 Item by Area B
	9th Mar	10th Mar	11th Mar	12th Mar	13th Mar
6					
	16th Mar	17th Mar	18th Mar	19th Mar	20th Mar
7			Harmony Day		BOARD MEETING 9AM
	23rd Mar	24th Mar	25th Mar	26th Mar	27th Mar
8				Epilepsy Awareness Day	
	30th Mar	31st Mar	1st Apr	2nd Apr	3rd Apr
9					Assembly 3 Item by Area A
	6th Apr	7th Apr	8th Apr	9th Apr	10th Apr
10			Easter Hat Parade	ANZAC Day Assembly LAST DAY OF TERM 1	EASTER FRIDAY

- Easter during the break – Friday 10th April – Monday 27th April