



Bridport Primary School

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IMPORTANT DATES 2021

SEPTEMBER

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| Thur 9 | Prep Sharing Assembly |
| Thur 16 – Fri 17 | Country Gold Carnival (Football, Netball, Soccer and Hockey) |
| Mon 20 | Country Gold Cricket Tryouts |
| Tues 21 – Fri 24 | Grade 5/6 Camp |
| Wed 22 | Terrapin Puppet Theatre Performance (Prep – Gr 4) |
| Thur 23 | 3/4 Brown Sharing Assembly |
| Fri 24 | Last Day of Term 3 |

OCTOBER

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| Mon 11 | First Day Term 4 |
| Tues 12 | Pre-Kinder Sessions Start |
| Thur 21 | 5/6 Reid/Butler Sharing Assembly |
| Wed 27 | Jump Rope "Jump Off Day", MAST Boat Safety |
| Thur 28 | 1/2 Beard Sharing Assembly |
| Fri 29 | Student Free Day |

NOVEMBER

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| Mon 15 - Fri 19 | Swimming and Water Safety Program (Gr 3-6) |
| Tues 16 | Beach to Bush Lifesaving Program Grade 1-2 |
| Mon 22-23 | Country Gold Cricket Carnival |
| Fri 26th | Swimming Carnival (Gr 3-6) TBC |

SCHOOL TERM DATES

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| Term 3 | Tue 20th Jul - Fri 24th Sep |
| Term 4 | Mon 11th Oct - Thu 16th Dec |

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| Reminders | Please check your receipt on the Qkr! app after you have ordered to ensure you have put it through for the <i>correct</i> day |
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Dear Community, Parent School Satisfaction Survey

We encourage you to complete the parent survey about Bridport Primary School. Your feedback is very important to help us inform our school planning and decision-making. Only 13 parents have completed it so far.

You can complete the online survey at any time until Friday 17 September 2021. The Survey link is: <https://ncv.microsoft.com/fzWvjXuZUE>

All responses are anonymous and confidential with the survey carried out on a secure website.

We thank you for taking the time to fill in this survey, which only takes a few minutes to complete.

Sharing Assembly – Prep

This Thursday 9th September is the Prep Catlin Sharing Assembly in the school hall starting at 2:20 p.m. We ask that only 2 family members per student attend. **Please arrive at the hall between 2:05 - 2:15 p.m. at the South Street crossing entrance only**, where you will need to check in using the Check in TAS app. A manual check-in list will also be required to be completed by all attendees. Doors will not open until 2:05 p.m. **Please do not enter via the student entry.** Please follow all directions from staff members whilst attending. Do not attend if you are unwell.

Planning 2022

It's time for us to be thinking about next year and planning for our 2022 school arrangements. Please contact our office if you know of a neighbour or someone who has moved into our home area who may have children to enrol next year. If you know that your children will not be attending our school



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in 2022, then please notify the office. Accurate student numbers are important for our forward planning so it is essential that our information is as up to date as possible. Thank you for your assistance.

Kind Regards
Carol Stingel



Merit Awards

Prep: Courage: Jace for having courage to participate in the Dance Event. Finn for having courage and confidence to take on challenge.

1/2 Hodgetts: Courage: Isla for embracing all learning challenges and always being open to try new things.

Growth: Imajen for showing improvement in her reading and writing skills by always demonstrating a growth mindset.

1/2 Beard: Growth: Archer and Indi N for amazing progress in reading, jumping 7 levels.

3/4 Purdon/Somerville-Hall: Growth: Traigo for showing excellent improvement in independent writing. **Respect:** Harry Mu and Lotti for being outstanding computer monitors. **Kindness:** Edmund for showing initiative and thoughtfulness; helping others to maintain class routines (computer monitor).

3/4 Brown: Growth: Alexis P for sharing a new prefix for the class to consider and use during spelling.

Aspiration: Mason R for aspiring to improve his spelling knowledge and accuracy, as well as making kind gestures to help his peers. James S for aspiring to improve his written work by replacing overused words with more interesting ones, and being aware of the need to use other conjunctions besides 'and'.

5/6 Dowde: Growth: Tyler for challenging himself to improve in spelling High Frequency Words. **Respect:** Kobie H for being an excellent helper and role-model to younger students.

5/6 Reid/Butler/Hall: Respect: Emily for being a kind, quiet and respectful learner! **Aspiration:** Indi H for taking a creative approach when selecting a topic for her information report.

Reading Awards

100 Nights: Arden R **125 Nights:** Elsie H, Heidi **150 Nights:** Elsie **175 Nights:** Lewis M



Positive Behaviour

James S, Traigo, Violet, Maddy L, Bianca, Carter, Oscar M, Alexis N, Sophie K, Luka, Max R, Charlie, Lewie

Jump Rope for Heart

Prep – Grade 6 students have now begun their skipping for the Program. This is a fantastic fundraising and physical activity program by the Heart Foundation.

Students have received a brochure on how to register online to contribute to the school fundraising target of \$1000.



Grade 5/6 Camp Student Medication

If your child takes any medication you must complete an Administration of Medication Authorisation form before they attend camp. Dependent on the type of medication, this form may need to be completed by your child's doctor or pharmacist. **All medication is required to be given to the school office by next Wednesday 15th September.** A final information letter and packing list was sent home recently

Class Dojo

Please regularly check your children's Class Dojo for any messages from their class teacher. This is a good way to see what your child is learning in class. If your child is going to be absent please notify the school office on 63 561 226 NOT through Class Dojo.

Community News

MUSSELROE
WIND FARM

Bridport 10+
Run or Walk
5+ or 10+
October 17 2021

Cash and spot prizes
Individual and team categories

Bridport SLSC
Est. 2010

10+ km 10:00 am
5+km 10:05 am
2 km (ages 5-13) 9:30am
Free (register on the day)

Online Registration:
webscorer.com/bridport10
Adults \$20
Under 16 \$10

More info:
facebook.com/bridport10

SURF LIFE SAVING

Flinders Island Running Festival

On the weekend several of our current students and a past student formed a Bridport "Seagulls" junior relay team to run the 26km pub to pub run on Flinders Island. The team consisted of Catherine, Thomas, Adam, Ava, Zeke and Alex (from SHS). The junior team finished first in the team category, and James C ran the whole distance individually and won the under 16 years category. Congratulations to you all, what an amazing effort!



KINDERGARTEN 2022

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Does your child turn 4 this year? If so, they are eligible to attend Kindergarten in 2022



Bridport Primary School will soon be holding Pre-Kindergarten sessions for children attending Kindergarten in 2022.

Pre-Kinder involves familiarisation for parents and children with the Kindergarten staff and classroom prior to beginning the Kindergarten year.

Pre-Kinder sessions involve parents and carers working with children at activities provided by the teacher. There are also opportunities for children and parents to participate in sharing stories, songs and games led by the teacher.

Where: Kindergarten room

When: 9:00-10:30 a.m. Tuesdays, beginning Tuesday October 12th

What to bring: A hat, water bottle and piece of fruit for a snack

The sessions will be run by Mrs Maree Grace and provide a great opportunity for children to become used to the Kindergarten environment. They also provide an opportunity for children and parents to meet with and get to know each other and the teacher.

If you and your child are interested in attending these sessions, please contact the school office for more information and to register your interest.

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