



# Bridport Primary School

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## IMPORTANT DATES 2022

### AUGUST

Thur 18	3/4 Brown Sharing Assembly
Thur 25	3/4 Purdon/S-Hall Sharing Assembly
Fri 26	Book Week Dress Up Day
Mon 29	School Performance Tours Visit
Wed 31	Royal Flying Doctor Simulator Visit

### SEP

Thur 1	Dance Event (Prep - Gr 6)
Fri 2	S.T.E.A.M Family Challenge Due
Thur 8	5/6 Reid Sharing Assembly
Mon 12	NE Athletic Carnival (selected Gr 3-6)
Thur 22 & Fri 23	Country Gold Carnival
Thur 29	1/2 Wheldon/Stewart Sharing Assembly
Fri 30	Last Day of Term 3

### OCT

Mon 17	First Day of Term 4
Mon 24 –	Grade 5/6 Camp
Wed 26	
Thur 27	Prep Sharing Assembly

### TERM DATES 2022

Term 3	26th July - 30th September
Term 4	17th October - 22nd December

## Dear Community, Book Week Parade

To help celebrate Book Week, we are inviting the students to dress up as a book character on **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August**. In the past few years we have had many wonderful characters visit our school on the Book Week dress up day, and it never



ceases to amaze me where all of these characters and costumes come from. Reading is a very important life skill and Book Week is a wonderful way for children to celebrate and make connections with books. Costumes can be created from all sorts of items at home and don't necessarily need to be purchased from a store

If any parents have any costumes that they no longer want, then we welcome their donation to the school for other students to wear.

## Prep – Grade 6 Dance Event

On Thursday 1st September, the Prep – Grade 6 children will participate in the North East Primary Schools Sports Association Dance Event at Ringarooma Primary School. A letter will go home soon with further information including canteen pre-orders.

## Grade 3/4 Brown Sharing Assembly

With the changes in some COVID-19 restrictions we are now able to hold sharing assemblies which parents and families can attend. Entry and exit to the assembly is via the



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school hall main entry foyer. You will be required to sanitise your hands on arrival and social distance whilst in attendance. Masks are encouraged and will be available on entry if you wish to wear one. 3/4 Brown are presenting in the sharing assembly this week starting at 2:20 p.m. Parents are encouraged to arrive at 2:10 p.m.

### Useful COVID-19 Information for families

If you're looking for practical advice and information about COVID-19 in Tasmania, Public Health has released their [COVID-19 winter update](#). A link to this update will be shared via email accompanying your online newsletter delivery for this week.

For more information about COVID-19, please visit the [Tasmanian Government Coronavirus website](#) or contact the Tasmanian Public Health Hotline on 1800 671 738, or the Department of Education COVID-19 Support

Hotline at [COVID19support@education.tas.gov.au](mailto:COVID19support@education.tas.gov.au) or on 1800 816 057.

*If you need support translating or interpreting this information, contact the [Translating and Interpreting Service](#) on 131 450.*

### Notifying the School About COVID

A reminder to please advise the school office on 63 561 226 if your child attending our school has COVID. As part of the reporting and recording of COVID cases for Public Health the office have several questions they must go through with you. Please do not notify via Class Dojo. We appreciate your assistance with this. If you require more RATs please also request these from the school office.

Regards,

Carol Stingel



### Merit Awards

**Prep Catlin: Courage:** Ivy for taking on challenges and demonstrating persistence during reading activity.  
**Kindness:** Tallon for helping others and letting others have a go when playing.

**1/2 Hodgetts: Courage:** Brya for being brave, having a go at public speaking and practising her assembly part in her own time. Denny for sharing fascinating ideas and opinions during small group and whole class discussions.

**1/2 Wheldon/Stewart: Growth:** Koby for his application towards all learning tasks as he continues to

apply all learning assets within the classroom. Indi N for extending her knowledge of money through ordering and adding differing values. Well done Indi!

**3/4 Purdon/Somerville-Hall: Respect:** Maddison B for being an outstanding collaborator in our class. She is always reliable, supportive and inclusive. Merry for absolutely amazing and descriptive sentences in Spelling today. Mabel, WOW!! Such inspiring sentences in spelling; using outstanding language and descriptions.

**3/4 Brown: Aspiration:** Mulisha for participating really well in class discussion and working independently in writing. Mason for participating enthusiastically in class and always endeavouring to do his best.

**5/6 Dowde: Respect:** Jordan for being a conscientious participant at the Gala Day sports carnival. **Courage:** Violet for participating enthusiastically at the Gala Day sports carnival.

**5/6 Reid/Genge: Aspiration:** Adam for working very well with using the inferring strategy in reading. Great thinking! Tom for being very articulate with thinking through ideas in reading groups.

### Reading Awards

**50 Nights:** Olivia H, Maysen H **75 Nights:** Lexie, Franklin **100 Nights:** Franklin, Lexie, Jayden, Sophie O, Georgia, Cecilia, William, Hattie, Harriet M **125 Nights:** Lewis, Sophie O, Harriet M **150 Nights:** Heidi **175 Nights:** Finn K

### Positive Behaviour Draw

Ruby, Maui, Lillian, Indi B, Samuel, Mulisha, Elsie B, Reuben, Oscar B, Lucas, Koby, Elsie H, Georgia

### RFDS VISIT

The Royal Flying Doctor Service Tasmania is visiting our school with their simulator on the 31st August and 1st September. If you do not consent to photographs of your child being used by the RFDS for media and marketing please advise the office by **this Friday**.

### Community News

#### Bridport Seagulls Auskick

The Bridport Football Club are seeking any interested children aged from 5 -12 to participate in an Auskick programme which will be organised by the Bridport Football Club. There will be no cost for participation as all fees will be fully subsidised by the club. The football club are seeking any parents that can assist with delivering the program. At this stage we intend to start in late Term 3 with dates to be advised. Any queries, or if you can assist call Andy Rudling 0411939177 or Steve McKillop 0488091557.



# BECOMING FAMOUS ART EXHIBITION 2022



The Scottsdale Art Gallery are hosting the 14th Annual Becoming Famous Exhibition until the 28th August. Their in house café is also running a student special during this time. For more details about the exhibition please visit their Facebook page.





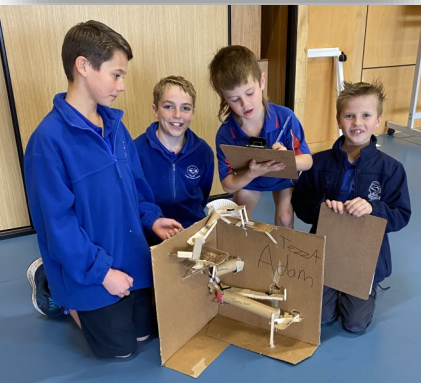
# BUDDY CLASS MARBLE RUN FUN



Grade 5/6 Reid/Genge met with their buddy class, 1/2 Hodgetts to demonstrate our marble run models for Science Week.

Science Week has a focus on glass so 5/6 made their marble run from recyclable materials. The project included a time constraint on how long the marble ran from top to bottom and required a 90 degree turn.

Now let's see what the 1/2 buddies can show their 5/6 buddy.



## LOCKS OF JOY

Recently Ash, Tori and Taj donated their flowing locks to Sustainable Salons to be made into wigs for people who require them due to hair loss from medical reasons.



## NEPSSA FACEBOOK PAGE

Did you know that the North East Primary Schools Sport Association now has a Facebook page? Follow the page to keep up to date with any news about sporting events and trainings for our students, including Country Gold Carnivals, Gala Days and NE sporting carnivals.

