



BRENTWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER # 20

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SCHOOL NEWS

Principal's Message

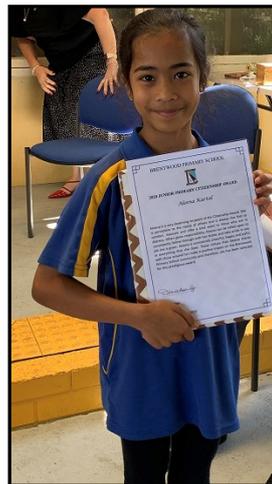
I can hardly believe that the school year is over. I want to acknowledge the tremendous work and dedication of the staff at Brentwood PS. The teachers and support staff have worked tirelessly over the year to ensure that education and learning are the focus in the classrooms and the resulting student achievement is to be celebrated. I would like to thank the Brentwood families for welcoming me and the support you have given to help us to even greater heights. Your ongoing feedback, participation at Captain's Tables and incidental chats have all painted a picture of what makes Brentwood great, and where we need to focus for improvement. As I reflect on Brentwood 2020, it is the positive relationships and the real sense of community that makes Brentwood great. The notion that it takes a whole village to raise a child lives at our school because everyone cares. The effortless way that teachers and parents are able to discuss student needs, concerns and goals is a credit to everyone and keeps us connected. I am excited for 2021 and beyond.

This week we said goodbye to our Year 6 students. A new tradition started with an early evening presentation assembly and awards, followed by dinner, photo booth and a dance were well received by students. There was lots of laughter and memories created. A big shout out to the organising committee of Year 6 parents for your endeavours to make the night special for all, without your contributions the night would not have been possible. The food, the cakes, the decorations, the table settings, everything came together so beautifully. Thank You. A special thank you to Mrs Clarke for organising the photo booth as well. I will miss the class of 2020, but as members of the Brentwood family, we will continue to observe their pathways into the future.

I want to acknowledge the Brentwood students who have responded to change and disruption this year with a smile and a positive attitude. Their approach to learning is always focused and with care. The love of learning radiates in students and I am excited to see their curiosity and creativity fully emerge in the future years.

To everyone in the Brentwood family, I would like to wish you all a safe and happy holiday.

Cheers
Donna Bridge
Principal



Upcoming Events	
Thurs 19 Dec	2:45 Walk of Fame and Last Day for Students
Monday 25 Jan	Ziggies Booklist Collection School Hall (12.30-1.30)
Monday 25 Jan	Office reopens
Mon 1 Feb 2020	Students Return for 2021



Champion Faction for 2020

Congratulations to **GREEN** Faction which won this year's overall shield. Green earned a total of 3,119 virtues and faction points, **BLUE** in second with 3,102 and **RED**, close behind with 3,042 points. A big pat on the back to all students who earned gumnuts. Kooda was very impressed with the final faction totals.

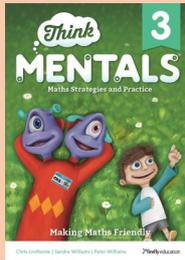
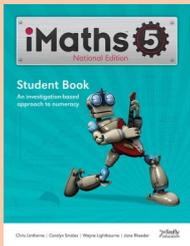


At Brentwood Primary School, we are very proud of the initiative of Carter Pratt, Year 4



Maths books

A reminder to parents that the text book ordered on the Booklist will not arrive with your package when you collect it in late January. Teachers will be gathering student information in early February so as to ensure each child is allocated a level that best suits their achievement in Mathematics. Once these decisions are made Mrs Dawson will place an order with Ziggies and books will be delivered to students shortly after.



Playgroup Fun

Congratulations to the children on their graduation from playgroup. All ready for Kindy next year. Thankyou Santa for calling in and seeing us



Congratulations to: Year 6 Graduation

Award winners

2020 ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARD	Dory
2020 ENDEAVOUR AWARD	Holly
2020 LANGUAGES AWARD	Celine
2020 MUSIC AWARD	Eamon
2020 PHYSICAL EDUCATION AWARD	Daniel Helena
2020 PURSUING PERSONAL BEST & MUTAL RESPECT	Nathan
2020 SCIENCE AWARD	Erin
2020 SCIENCE AWARD	Oliver
2020 VALUES AWARD	Shay
2020 VISUAL ARTS AWARD	Violet

Congratulations to all our badge winners for next year 2021

HEAD BOY	Dash
HEAD GIRL	Charlotte
STUDENT COUNCILLORS	Brooke, Shelby, Eeseose, Casey, Dewi, Apsley
RED Faction CAPTAIN	Will, Richard
BLUE Faction CATAIN	Joel, Amelia
GREEN Faction Captain	Arden, Matthew



Graduation Class 2020



COMMUNITY NOTICES

School Security and Vandalism



Parents and community members play an important role in securing the school from vandalism and other anti-social behaviour. We have had a few incidents in recent weeks. There are a number of ways you can help:

1. Call Education Security/ School Watch on **1800 177 777** (freecall) or **131788**
2. Call Melville City Council Community Safety Services on **1300 653 643**
3. From a distance and anonymously, take photos.
4. Do not approach.

High School

Hi Transperth

Kids going to high school in 2019?

Transperth

Transitioning from primary to secondary school is an exciting time for kids. Learning how to travel independently on public transport is one of many new experiences students will face.

If you have a child heading to high school next year, use the Get on Board website to help get them started using Transperth.

Visit www.getonboard.transperth.wa.gov.au to find out more!

