



# BURTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER



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**Term 2, Week 4**

**Thursday, May 25th, 2017**

Dear Families,

### External Review:

As part of our upcoming school review, on June 5th & 6th, a number of students will be interviewed. A letter explaining this accompanies this newsletter. If you do not want your child to be involved, please indicate on this letter and return to school. Some parents will also be approached to be involved in the interviews.

### Fundraising:

Our recent Mother's Day was a great success with around \$900 raised. Our thanks to the parent volunteers and SSOs who supported this. We are calling for further support on Saturday, June 24th, cooking and serving at a BBQ at Parafield Bunnings. Help is required between 9.00am and 5.00pm. An hour or two of your time would be greatly appreciated. Please fill in the slip in this newsletter and return to the office asap. Money raised will support the purchase of resources for our students.

### School Uniform:

Our Year 7 students are looking great in their new jumpers. Please remember that our dress code policy states that hoodies are NOT to be worn at school and jumpers or jackets are in the school colours of plain burgundy or turquoise / black (Year 5 - 7).

### Before and After School

To ensure the safety of all of our students it is important that any family members or carers report to the front office if on the grounds prior to 8.30am and before pick up time in the afternoon. There should be no-one in the yard prior to 2.50pm at the earliest. Our duty of care for all children is paramount.

DECD insists that any visitors to school grounds outside of normal drop off and pick up times have the necessary DCSI clearance (criminal history), have completed recent Mandatory Notification training and are signed in at the office. Parent helpers in their own child's class at the beginning of the day, with teachers present, or for a one off event ( eg Sports Day) do not need the clearance.

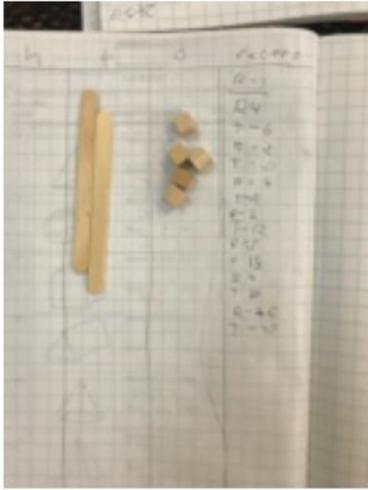
Parents collecting children from preschool at 2.30pm and waiting for older children, are welcome to use the playground area, provided the noise level is kept down so that adjacent classes are not disturbed.

We also ask that parents do not go into classrooms or stand by the classroom windows before the end of the school day as it can be disruptive to their child and the learning of all students. We encourage all students to develop their independence skills by unpacking their bags in the morning and packing them at the end of the day.

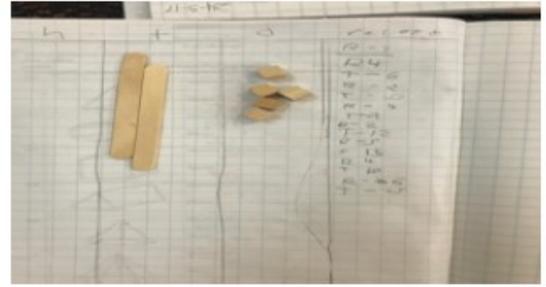
Any students arriving at school before 8.30am should be in to Before School Care. Please contact Carol on 0403425471 to book.

### What's happening?

<b>30th May</b>	SAPSASA Rugby Carnival
<b>31st May</b>	Girls' football clinic
<b>5th June</b>	Governing Council—change of date
<b>June 16th</b>	Disco
<b>June 24th</b>	Bunnings BBQ—Parafield



## maths in Room 11



In partners we had to roll a dice and add the numbers together to get to 50. The first person to 50 was the winner. Jack and Sienna.

We have been learning  
about 3D SHAPES.



Class definitions about 3D shapes: A prism is the same

shape at each end of the shape and a pyramid has a shape at the base and all the other faces come together to make a point (apex).



The value of the week is **Honesty**  
 Congratulations to the following students.

Room	School Value Certificate	Classroom Certificate
1	Kohan Monopoli	Siev-Heng You
2	Zoe Hancock	Ashton Parry
3	Mia Dujmovic	Stefania Devizio
4	Lachlan Norris	Jazmyn Turner
5	Sarreni Sathish	Shayla Brewer
6	Caleb Smith	Amelia Hansford
7	Simran Kaur	Riley Simpson
8	Lilee Hancock	Connor Couzner
9	Kayhun Beydag	Archie Atwell
10	Feroza Sadiqi	Connie Newman
11	Trinity Kirby	Dimita Julez
12	Curtis Pitt	Dylan Coates
14	Krisna Uk	Amelia Baker
15	Kenan Sahinovic	Picky Sopharra
16	Kiya Young	Casey Ruf
17	Sandra-Lee Pon	Luke Coates
18	Phoranon Bo	Duy Nguyen
19	Seth Jennings	Ryan Ellis
20	Nawed Bakhshayeshi	Tiana Sawyer

Thank You.



### Volunteer Award

Shirleen King was presented with a Volunteer Recognition award by Mark Butler (MP) in recognition of the tireless work she does and has been doing for many years at Burton Primary. Shirleen supports a number of students in classes and the Khmer community in general.

Kylie Warren was also nominated for this award for her amazing work at our school.

### Free Game Makers Workshop Program—in the local area

Game Makers is a FREE and fun series of five workshop for kids and their dads.

Game Makers does not involve technology or video games. Guided by theatre makers, professional writers and visual artists from ActNow Theatre, participants will use elements of both theatre (characters, narratives, imaginary settings) and sport (teamwork, strategy, competition and physical challenges) in games that are played face-to-face between people, bringing the adventures and challenges of video games into the real world.

Grab your dad and join in!

Suitable for kids aged 5-12 years and their dads (or other caregivers)

**Grenville Community Connections Hub, Elizabeth**

10–12 noon Sundays, 28 May–25 June

**Stretton Centre, Munno Para**

2-4pm Sundays, 28 May–25 June

For more information:

[www.carclew.com.au](http://www.carclew.com.au)

### Bunnings BBQ—June 24th

I am able to help:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 9.00am–11.00am | <input type="checkbox"/> 11.00am–1.00pm |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1.00pm–3.00pm  | <input type="checkbox"/> 3.00pm–5.00pm  |

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

## Encouraging your child.....

In a world where saying "no" is usually a lot easier than saying "yes," it is important to bring up children who don't feel that negativity has a higher value than positivity. Encouraging words can have a truly lasting effect on your child, years after you've said them, so we should choose to use phrases that will make them feel good about themselves inside and out, things that will stick with them as words that got them through tough times.

Whether you want to tell them how great they were at their soccer game, or how much you love spending time with them, here are 60 positive and encouraging things to say to your child on a daily basis.

1. I'm grateful for you.
2. I trust you.
3. That was a really good choice.
4. Seeing you happy makes me happy.
5. Being your parent is my favourite job.
6. I learn new things from you every day.
7. You make me better.
8. Thank you for being you.
9. I'm so glad you're here.
10. I understand you.
11. Watching you grow up is the best.
12. That was really brave.
13. I forgive you.
14. I appreciate you.
15. We all make mistakes.
16. You are very good at that!
17. You can try again tomorrow.
18. Nobody is perfect.
19. I love how you said that.
20. Not everyone will like you, and that's OK.
21. You did that so well.
22. I'm listening.
23. That's a very fair point.
24. You are beautiful inside and out.
25. I love you.
26. I could never stop loving you.
27. You are enough.
28. You make my heart full.
29. What will you say to your child today?
30. You make me proud.
31. You have great ideas.
32. You don't have to be perfect to be great.
33. Your opinions matter.
34. You are important.
35. You are loved.
36. I believe in you.
37. This family wouldn't be the same without you.
38. You can say no.
39. You can say yes.
40. I know you did your best.
41. You were right.
42. I accept who you are.
43. We can try your way.
44. You are helpful.
45. You are worth it.
46. You make me happy.
47. I love your creativity.
48. Being around you is fun.
49. I can't wait to hear about it.
50. Don't be afraid to be you.
51. You're making a difference.
52. I'm excited to spend time with you.
53. You are interesting.
54. I love seeing the world your way.
55. It's good to be curious.
56. What you did was awesome.
57. I admire you.
58. That's a great question.
59. Your friends are lucky to have you.
60. I love being your parent.

