



# BRAEVIEW SCHOOL R-7

27 July 2017

Welcome Back

## TERM 3 DIARY DATES

### Week 2

Tuesday 1 August

JP Assembly 1.50pm

### Week 3

Friday 12 August

R-7 Assembly 2.30pm

### Week 4

Monday 14 August

Governing Council

### Week 5

Monday to Friday

R - 5 Swimming

### Week 6 - Book Week

Tuesday 29 August

JP Assembly 1.50pm

Wednesday 30 August

Father's Day Stall

Thursday 1 September

Father's Day Stall

Friday 2 September

Father's Day Stall

3-7 Assembly 2.30pm

## Important Dates

Week 7

Friday 8th September

School closure Day for the  
Royal Adelaide show.

Please remember that the  
front of the school is a

**KISS AND DROP ZONE**

It is a 2 minute stop ONLY.

**IF YOUR CHILD IS NOT  
THERE PLEASE GO  
AROUND THE BLOCK.**

### *from the Principal's Desk*

Welcome back to term 3. A special welcome to Kaylee and Lily who began at Braeview this week, we trust your time at our school is enjoyable and educationally challenging.

On Monday most staff attended a workshop focussing upon Growth Mindsets. The past 30 years has seen huge advances in cognitive psychology and brain science. We now know that the brain is remarkably plastic, capable of growth and change throughout life. Excellence is not the result of innate, hardwired gifts but the end of a long process of learning and deliberate practice. Practice and effort cause the brain to rewire itself, which we recognise as improvement and learning.

The challenge for teachers is how to take this research and translate it into classroom practice that teaches students to behave more intelligently and become more successful. There are three main related components that assist students and teachers achieve improved outcomes; Growth Mindsets, Habits of Mind and Virtuous Practice.

### Mindsets

Carol Dweck outlines two types of mindsets; fixed and growth. In the fixed mindset people believe qualities like intelligence and talent are fixed quantities that you're born with, and there's nothing much you can do to change them. On the other hand a growth mindset is the belief that people can learn to be more intelligent, improve their abilities, and develop talents.

Messages are passed onto students that reinforce either a fixed or growth mindset; the language we use, what we choose to teach, the behaviours we reward, and even the classroom (or home) environment that is established teaches them to believe in a fixed or growth mindset.

Teachers need to be aware of the way their actions reinforce either a fixed or growth mindset and teach with a growth mindset pedagogy.

In the next newsletter I will outline the Habits of Mind.

### Pastoral Care Worker - Holly Goder

At school on Tuesday & Wednesday 9am - 3pm

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Government of South Australia

Department for Education and  
Child Development

# FUNDRAISING NEWS



IT'S TIME FOR FATHER'S DAY FUNDRAISING,

**Father's Day Stall** stock has been ordered, received and all ready to go!

This year our stall will be held in **WEEK 4**, in the "SAKG Dining Room".

Gifts will be ranging in price from \$2.00 to \$5.50; we have a great range and selection available for both **DAD'S** and **GRANDFATHER'S** with lots of fantastic new items and a few old favourites. So, come along and purchase something from our stall for that someone special in your life, a timetable is listed below as to when your day will be.

## Father's Day Stall Week 4 Term 3 Timetable Dining Room

TIME	Wed 16 Aug	Thursday 17 Aug	Friday 18 Aug
9:35-9:50	Bailey	Somerset/Mattschoss	Open to all parents and students 8:30 - 9:30am
9:50-	Nowakowski/ Butler	Rowett/Rust	
10:05-10:20	Schulze/Richmond	Macleod	
10:20- 10:40	James/Haese	Biar / Parsons	
10:40-11:00	Ruokari/Kelsey	Livingstone/Drivas	

**FATHERS DAY RAFFLE** – raffle books will be coming home in the next few weeks, so keep an eye out for them. Tickets will be \$1.00 per ticket or \$5.00 a book, with some great prizes.

**Please note;** ALL books, **SOLD** or **UNSOLD**, need to be returned and marked off before Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> August as our raffle will be drawn on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2017.

We understand that not everybody is able to sell raffle books but we would appreciate your assistance in returning any un-used books as soon as possible, so these can be re-used and also save on costs. If you require any further books, they will be available from the front office.

Thanking everyone in advance for supporting our fundraising efforts in 2017. All monies raised from this year's event are going towards helping classes with incurred costs to educational excursions and experiences.

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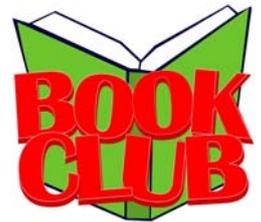
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## Scholastic Book Club

Book Club ordering is back to normal after being suspended in Term 2 due to our highly successful Book Fair. Issue 5 was distributed to families during week 1 and the last day to lodge orders and pay by LOOP or at the cash register is Monday 7<sup>th</sup> August. Please see Jill in the Resource Centre if you have any questions about LOOP or would like additional paper forms.



### Foodie Friday

- Week 1: Classic Tomato Pasta
- Week 2: Pizza (Garlicky Greens and Bacon)
- Week 3: Fried Rice
- Week 4: Roasted potato with Mexican beans, cheese and sour cream.

**SCHOOL FEES WERE DUE  
9 APRIL 2017**

Statements and final notices have gone home to families still owing school fees.

If you have not contacted Lisa Perry re your outstanding payment further action has commenced.

**There has been an unknown payment made into the schools bank account, between the 11 and 13 July. If you believe this is yours please contact Lisa.**

## OUR NEW SCHOOL BANK DETAILS BELOW:

**Commonwealth Bank  
Braeview School Governing Council Inc  
Consolidated Account  
BSB – 065-157  
Account number 1039 8992**

## OUR NEW OSHC BANK DETAILS BELOW:

**Commonwealth Bank  
Yes, the banking details are different to school and are as follows:  
Braeview School Governing Council Inc – OSHC  
BSB – 065-157  
Account number 1039 9004**



# WAR BETWEEN WORLDS

By Cate



## The Great Dragon Man! Part 1

All hell breaks loose, and not how you would expect. The humans are the ones to blame. Catapulting fire-lit rocks, with arrows flying in all directions. Dragons, big and small fear for their lives. The ear-piercing screech of pain flies around frantically. He runs, runs as fast as his old legs can go. "I mustn't be the one to blame".

Cold, wet, dark and alone, hoping to find something. Weaving through the trees like a needle and thread. He pulls back an almost plastic looking leaf. Light hits him in the face. He cannot believe his eyes, the colourful, magical life that no one ever thought to believe... was real.

His eyes lay on a rather odd looking object, kind of 'egg' looking. Valuable or not, he holds the object as if it's his child.

Once home, the old man lays the mysterious object on a sheet of leather. As sleep beckons him, he quietly creeps into bed, dreaming of not only living in the magical land his eyes encountered but owning a magnificent house. A place where everyone will envy him, want to be him... he will be, FAMOUS.

Crack, crack, CRACK, "REEEEK".

The old man leaps out of his bed, "No, it can't be!"

His brain must be playing a trick on him. They don't exist, well at least he thought they didn't.

Sitting in front of him was the one thing we could never have imagined, A DRAGON! "This could make me millions!" he thinks. "All I need is to find another egg and breed them. Back in the cold, dark forest. Trying to re walk the path he once took. There it is, in all its beauty. He's searching for another egg like a game of hide 'n' seek. "EEEEEEK!" The old man jumps out of his skin, runs over to a bush and is amazed to find another dragon.

Days fly by. The man hides the many dragons he's bred in that time. "This is it, this is the day I show you to my fellow village men, for too long I have been known as 'the weird old village man', but no longer. From now on I will be known as the great dragon man, which sounded better in my head".





Last Sunday a very talented Braeview netball team participated in a netball carnival. They were undefeated and played off in the Grand Final. Unfortunately they lost by two goals. Congratulations to all players and a big thank you to all the parents who supported this event. Students very proudly wore their special jumpers to school on Monday in celebration!



## Head Lice

We have had several cases of head lice at the school. We ask can you please check your child's hair and treat if necessary.

Thank you.



## Head Lice Facts



### Head lice like anybody with hair

- Lice do not jump, hop or fly. People become infected by the lice swinging like trapeze artists from hair on one head to the hair of another head.
- Lice may move onto hats, combs, helmets, hair ties and other surfaces, but must return to a human head to survive within 24 hours.
- Head lice do not live in carpets, sandpits or on animals.
- Not everybody will itch so you must look for lice and eggs (nits).
- Adult head lice are the size of tiny ants and range in colour from skin-tone to dark brown. Each of the six legs of a head louse ends in a claw. These are used to grasp the hair with such strength that head lice are difficult to dislodge.
- Nits are the eggs laid by female lice and are the size and colour of a grain of sugar. Heat generated by the body hatches eggs.
- Eggs are laid very close to the scalp and stick like glue to the hair. They hatch within 7 days. The earlier the lice are identified and treated the less time there is for eggs to hatch.

### Treatment and prevention

- Removal of eggs must be done following application of head lice treatment. Eggs can be removed by combing with a special head lice comb or with the fingernails. If eggs are not removed the problem may recur.
- Conditioner applied to dry hair weakens the grip of the lice and makes it difficult to hang onto the hair. Comb the hair with a special head lice comb and look for the lice by wiping the comb onto a tissue. The eggs are also easily identified this way.
- Lice live on strands of hair but move to the scalp to feed. It is important that all of the hair is completely covered with the head lice treatment and is used according to instructions.
- No head lice treatment will kill 100% of the eggs. You must use the treatment 7 days after the first treatment to kill any lice that may have hatched.
- Wash combs, brushes, hair ties and hats in detergent and hot water.
- There are 4 different types of head lice treatments available. All have different main ingredients, eg pyrethrins, synthetic pyrethrins, malathion and herbal agents. If a head lice problem continues try a treatment with a different main ingredient.
- It is not as essential to wash bed linen as it is to treat the head and comb etc.
- Lice can be weakened by thoroughly brushing hair morning and night. When injured or weakened, lice have difficulty gripping the hair.
- Gel and hair spray applied to the hair can be used as a preventative measure against infestation – these products make the hair sticky thereby making it difficult for them to move around on the head
- Get into the habit of checking the hair every time it is washed. Daily checking is necessary if there is an outbreak as everybody may not itch
- Avoid direct head to head contact with others.
- Don't share hats, combs, hair ties etc.
- Keep long hair tied back or plaited.
- Never use treatments as a preventative.



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