



Year 3 & 4 Busselton Camp



Last week the Year 3/4 students had an AMAZING time on our overnight camp to Busselton. The two days were filled with lots of exciting and fun activities, creating great memories together.

On the first day we stopped in Donnybrook for morning tea and a play at the newly updated playground, before travelling on to the Busselton Jetty. We were lucky enough to get the train ride to the underwater observatory, and then Miss Hewitt and some keen students decided to race the train back (and they ended up winning!). After the observatory tour we had a sandcastle competition, where Brax took out the prize for the best sandcastle, according to our judges Alec and Graham. Then we headed to Mackillop Catholic College where we were staying overnight and we set up our beds in their Multi-purpose room. That night the students put on a great talent show filled with lots of acrobatics, joke telling, dancing and game shows, with Charlize and Poppy taking out first place with their acrobatic dance.

On Day 2 some students woke up super early ready for the day ahead! We packed up, had breakfast and a play and then we were off to the Cape Naturalist Lighthouse for a morning stroll. Along the way we came across a snake, but once we scared it off, we made it to the whale watching pier and saw some whales before rushing back in the heat to get on the bus. We then headed off to Monkey Business ropes course in Dunsborough, where everyone had the best time challenging themselves, climbing the different levelled ropes courses for two hours. With everyone tired out it was time to make the journey home, stopping once again in Donnybrook to finish off the yummy slice and fruit our parents had supplied, before arriving back at school.

Thank you to all the students for their amazing behaviour on camp, to Alec and Graham, our parent helpers, and to Mrs Marinoni for driving the bus!



Outdoor Classroom Day



St Bernard's students joined school students around the world to celebrate Outdoor Classroom Day on Thursday. A global initiative designed to promote outdoor activity among children, this is something we do at St Bernard's every day on our wonderful grounds! All classes took some of their learning outside during the day, with activities including Maths, Spelling, Reading, Art, Drama and Religious Education. Thank you to our teachers for embracing outdoor learning at St Bernard's and to our students for being such enthusiastic participants!

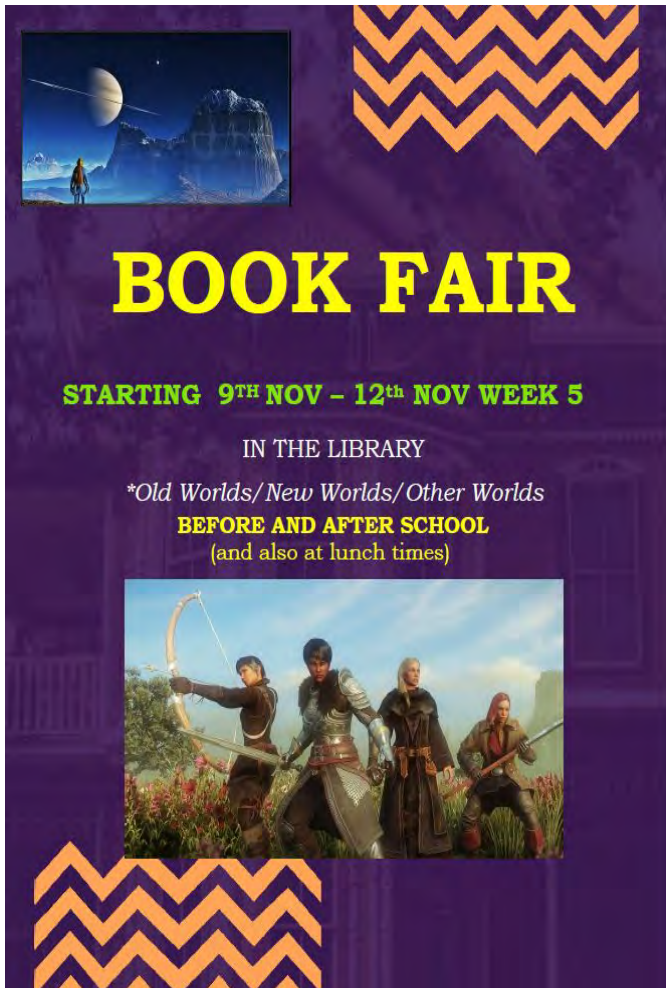


Kindy Library Visit

Our Kindy students headed out on another community adventure on Thursday, this time to visit Mrs Greeuw at the Kojonup Public Library. It was the first time the students got to wear their new pink hi-vis vests, letting everyone know where they were from. They looked fantastic and had a great time exploring the library. Thanks, Mrs Greeuw!



School Events



BOOK FAIR

STARTING 9TH NOV – 12TH NOV WEEK 5

IN THE LIBRARY

*Old Worlds/New Worlds/Other Worlds
BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL
(and also at lunch times)

Wear your pjs and join us for Storytime night in the classrooms on Wednesday 10th November from 5pm. The Book Fair will be open!



Reconciliation

Please join our students

*Marlie Matthews
&
Grace Perry*

*& their families as we
celebrate their Sacrament
of Reconciliation.
Thursday 11th November
4pm*

AWARD WINNERS

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR MERIT AWARD
WINNERS:**

**CHARLIZE SIBLEY, JOSH GARCIA, JAKE PERRY,
ELSIE EYRES & YEAR 3 / 4 CLASS.**



**MJR:
JACK HORNBY, DEEKIN TUNUI,
PADDY EYRES & REEVE NOONAN**

NEWS

Save The Date

Graduation

Tuesday 7th December 2021

Mass at St Bernard's Church at 4:45pm

followed by

Graduation Ceremony at Memorial Hall at 6pm

All families please bring a plate for supper.



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VacSwim enrolments now open

Help keep your child safe in the water.
Enrol now for the October 2021 and summer 2022 school holidays.

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Image of three children smiling in a swimming pool.

VACSWIM

Enrolments are now open for VacSwim swimming lessons during the summer school holidays. VacSwim offers fun lessons at beach or pool locations. They are a great school holiday activity and they teach valuable safety skills to help keep your child safe in the water.

Enrol at education.wa.edu.au/vacswim

Term Planner - Term 4

	8 th Nov	9 th Nov	10 th Nov	11 th Nov	12 th Nov	13/14
5	PUPIL FREE DAY	Book Fair TBC		Sacrament of Reconciliation		
		Reconciliation Family Workshop	Storytime Evening 5pm TBC			
	15 th Nov	16 th Nov	17 th Nov	18 th Nov	19 th Nov	20/21
6				Year 5 - Leadership Speeches 9am	Inflatable Day	
					Merit Assembly - Newsletter	