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2024 Term Dates

Term 1 – 22nd January to 28th
March

Term 2 – 15th April to 21st June

Term 3 – 8th July to 13th
September

Term 4 – 30th September to 13th
December

2024 Public Holidays

Australia Day - 26th January

Easter – 29th March – 1st April

ANZAC Day – 25th April

Labour Day – 6th May

Fraser Coast Show – 24th May

Queen's birthday – 7th October

Student Free Days

Thursday 18th & Friday 19th January

Thursday 11th & Friday 12th April

Friday 30th August



Hello Brooweena Community,

Attendance Rate

75.3%

Thank you for a wonderful term. We always wonder where the term goes, but I think this term we are astounded by how quickly it has gone. The students have all worked fabulously this term and should be very proud of their efforts.

Our end of term Music Concert today was wonderful. Thank you to the parents and carers who came to be the audience for the students. Their efforts at practicing really showed on their smiling faces while performing. Once again, thank you to Mrs Molloy – you are THE BEST music teacher!

We braved the weather for our annual Easter Hat Parade. The students home-made Easter hats were amazing. They were so excited to show them off. Thank you to our neighbours who came out to say hi and allow the kids to hand out some Easter eggs.

Our Cross Country last Friday was a damp one, with some drizzly rain during the event. However, this didn't stop our super runners from putting in their very best effort. Our little Playgroupers joined in for a race and were very proud to receive a ribbon. Congratulations to Jake Bafico for qualifying to represent Brooweena State School at the Small Schools team trials. This event was postponed due to the rain, but will take place early next term.

We will be participating in the Brooweena Historical Society's ANZAC Day service on Thursday 25th April. Each year, our students represent the school by marching from the top of the hill adjacent to the Museum down to the cenotaph. Each student represents a local fallen soldier by being given a badge with the soldier's name on it and a poppy to place in the cenotaph in their honour. We ask all students to participate if they are able to and invite students from other schools that live locally to join us. The meeting time is 8:45am in the undercover area of the Museum.

The school will have its own ANZAC commemoration on Wednesday 24th April at 2:30pm in the undercover eating area at school. Parents and carers are welcome to attend.

I will be on two weeks long service leave until 26th April. For any absences or other matters during the first two weeks of term 2, please phone the school number on 4190 8333.

Have a great Easter break.

Peta Bullen



Gotcha draw winners

Week 9: Lyndy, Stella, Matthew

Week 10: Varnya, Raph, Bobby

Parade Dates – Term 2

Each Tuesday at 9:00am

What's coming up? –

Thursday 28th March: Term 1
Music concert and Easter Hat
Parade

April Birthdays

Happy Birthday!



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4-year-old for kindy**
Talk to us now

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Our State Delivered Kindergarten program is a place where children can explore new environments and have fun learning with friends, take part in play-based learning, expand their physical abilities, build their confidence and enhance their social skills. Kindy also builds lifelong skills that will benefit your child well into their future. Talk to our school about our kindy program and register your child now. Kindy counts for a lifetime.



P & C NEWS



P & C Annual General Meeting



On Tuesday 26th March we held our AGM. This meeting had to be adjourned as the financial audit had not been completed in time for the meeting.

This means that we will hold another AGM on Tuesday 30th April at 3:30pm in the school office.

At this meeting we will appoint the new executive committee for 2024.

As we already have numerous fundraising opportunities for the year in the pipeline, we need parents to join our committee.

Please remember that families are very well supported by the school through the bulk of all school resources being supplied, excursions and fabulous camps are either paid for, or are at very little cost, to families. Show your gratitude to the school by getting involved.

Applications for the positions of President, Secretary, Treasurer and Vice President can be emailed to The Secretary c/o principal@brooweenass.eq.edu.au

As per protocol, if no applications are received, nominations will be taken from the floor.

Like to know more about each position?

Contact the school on 4190 8333

Hope to see you there.

The P & C hosted an egg and bacon burger, sausage sizzle and drinks stall at the election voting booth at Brooweena State School Saturday 16th March. Thank you to all of the people that were able to come and volunteer to help.





Kindy, Prep, 1 and 2

It has been a very busy couple of weeks, but we have found some time for some fun Easter activities and craft. The students should be very proud of themselves with all of our assessments complete – there was some awesome work done too!

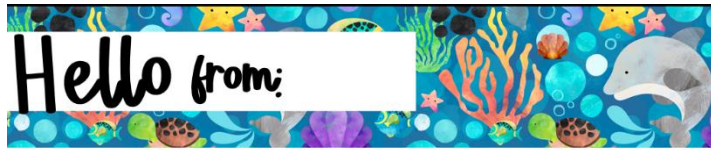
This week we have done some Easter cooking, making cupcakes and decorating them for afternoon tea. This is a great lesson in measuring and pouring. To make things trickier, we decided to double the recipe – so we had to work out how much of each ingredient we had to add. These came up really well and were very yummy!

We also did some craft which represents the theme 'colour my world', with the students choosing what colours they wanted to put onto their artwork – these came up really well and will be on display next term.

Have a great holiday, I'm looking forward to seeing everyone for a fabulous Term 2!

Marita Birch





Year 3 – Year 6 Class

We have had a fantastic term of learning in the 3 – 6 class. From our English assessment task, we have been able to establish our learning goals for the next term.

It is great to see and hear students looking at the Guide to Making Judgements and their assessment grading, and understanding, and being able to create their own future learning goal. This skill forms part of our Annual Improvement Plan for 2024. Being explicit about the nature of learning that students are expected to do and the level of success expected from the assessment task gives students the power to be in control of their learning journey. Having teacher scaffolding and guidance in student learning goals means that some students are able to do this independently and others are still developing this independency. Have a great Easter!

STUDENT OF THE WEEK



Raph and Hunter

Week 9

Student of the Week



Jake and Cohen

Week 10

Student of the Week

Playgroup Fun

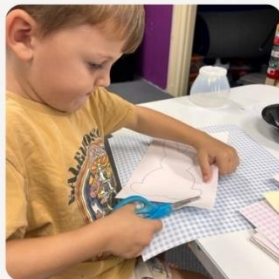
Happy Easter to all of our Playgroup families.

Our last Playgroup for the term was all about Easter fun and the school cross country.

Our first activity was to join in with the big kids and run in the school cross country. We all got a ribbon for participating!

We then enjoyed painting Easter eggs on the easel, creating our own special Easter egg biscuit with icing and sprinkles and making Easter baskets for our chocolate rabbit.

Our sensory rice was very popular the children loved it! Scooping, tipping and pouring the coloured rice with the plastic eggs and picking up small Easter eggs with tongs are all wonderful activities for small fingers and hands.



Happy Easter! :-)

All of our little people were transformed into the very cutest fluffy bunnies that you have ever seen!

We can't wait to see you all in Term 2! Our first day is on Friday 19th April from 9:00am – 11:00am in the Library.

Happy Easter

