



BHS BULLETIN

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IMPORTANT MESSAGE REGARDING STUDENT SAFETY

Due to a serious incident involving a parent vehicle and one of the school buses two weeks ago, it is important to remind ALL parents and guardians that the driveway into the school from Steere Street MUST NOT be used at peak times. It is disappointing to know that a parent vehicle was seen reversing down the drive from the school as buses were arriving in the morning. The bus concerned did have children on board and, as the safety of our students is paramount, we would hope that this type of incident does not occur again.

Please remember : both the Steere Street driveway and the staff car park should NOT be accessed by parent vehicles to drop off or pick up students before and after school. Students can be safely dropped off above the school's tennis courts on Blechynden Street, where there is a pull-in lane.

We trust that all parents / guardians will follow these guidelines and avoid the possibility of future incidents.

STEPHANIE SETS THE STAGE ON FIRE!

Year 8 student Stephanie Brockman has wowed the judges at the Bunbury Eisteddfod. The talented violinist has come away with three first place accolades after competing at the Eisteddfod on Wednesday 11 June.

Stephanie entered the Under 13 Violin Solo category and impressed the judges so much that she came away with first place. She won a fantastic trophy for her efforts, as well as the knowledge that she ranked as the best violinist in her age group.

Stephanie also played in two other music groups – the Under 16 Strings, and Open Strings. Both of these groups also won first place in their categories, so Stephanie can feel very proud that she contributed to their success!

As a school community we would like to congratulate Stephanie on her wins and wish her all the best for her future as a violinist. Well done Stephanie!

LEAVERS' JUMPERS STARTING TO ARRIVE

There is an air of excitement around school at the moment as the Year 10s prepare for the arrival of their Leavers' Jumpers. Students could choose between two designs; one, a rugby jumper, and the other, a zip-up windcheater. Some students have even opted to purchase one of each.

Very soon, we will see Year 10s proudly wearing their Leavers' Jumpers around town.

However, some students have still not paid for their jumper/s. Please remember – students will not be given their Leavers' Jumper/s until payment has been received!

STUDENT FORUM NEWS

MUFFIN MONDAY IS COMING!

The Student Forum will be holding a fundraising activity for the school on Monday 23 June. Representatives will be selling a variety of muffins, ranging in price from \$1.00 - \$3.00 during recess.

All students are encouraged to support this yummy fundraising event by bringing a hungry tummy and some money!

CADET CAMP

In Week 9, our adventurous Cadets and Cadet Leaders will be heading to Walpole to spend 3 days in the wilderness. The Cadets are gearing up for a camp that will see them setting up a campsite, cooking on Trangia stoves and trekking through the bush.

The second and third year Cadets will be hiking the Bibbulmun Track, while the first years will be heading out on day hikes.

All Cadets will be provided with more information regarding the camp soon.

DENMARK AG COLLEGE PRESENTATION FOR YEAR 10S

On Thursday 26 June, Denmark Ag College will be coming to Bridgetown High School to talk to all Year 10s. During the presentation, students should learn all about the College and what it can offer our students if they should choose to attend in Year 11 and 12.

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD WHAT'S ON IN OUR COMMUNITY?

★ ACTIVE KIDS HOLIDAY CALENDAR ★

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Looking for fun action packed school holiday activities? Check out the Department of Sport and Recreation's [Active Kids Holiday Calendar](#). The calendar has a whole list of fantastic sport and recreational programs that are offered around WA in the holidays. To get off the couch and get moving, go to www.dsr.wa.gov.au and click on the link Active Kids Holiday Calendar!

RELIEF CLEANERS ARE STILL URGENTLY NEEDED!

Our hard working cleaning staff are *still* in urgent need of help in the form of Relief Cleaners. If you are able to work on an occasional basis, please contact Administration on 9761 0100. Note: you must have a Police Clearance, and apply for a Working with Children Check.

IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES TO REMEMBER THIS FORTNIGHT...

Monday 23 June - Muffin Monday
Thursday 26 June – Denmark Ag College Presentation for all Year 10s
Wednesday 25 to Friday 27 June - Cadet Camp
Monday 30 June – Naughtius & Maximus performance for whole school
Tuesday 1 July – Kite Kinetics Workshop for Year 8s
Friday 4 July – End of Term Assembly @ 1.45pm