Principal’s Patter:

Staffing
The NEiTA (National Excellence in Teaching) Foundation has congratulated our school on having a teacher nominated for an ASG Inspirational Teaching Award. Mrs Kellie Shaw was nominated by members of our community and last week was presented with a NEiTA Certificate of Nomination at the assembly. Congratulations Kellie and well done to all our teachers for doing a great job.

Australian Curriculum 2
In the Australian Curriculum, English is built around the three interrelated strands of Language, Literature and Literacy. Teaching and learning programs from Pre Primary to Year 10 will balance and integrate all three strands. Together the strands focus on developing students’ knowledge, understanding and skills in listening, reading, viewing, speaking, writing and creating. Learning in English builds on concepts, skills and processes developed in earlier years, and teachers will revisit and strengthen these as needed.

The range of literary texts for Pre Primary to Year 10 comprises Australian literature, including the oral narrative traditions of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, as well as the contemporary literature of these two cultural groups, and classic and contemporary world literature, including texts from and about Asia.

Please contact your class teacher for further information on where your child’s understanding is currently at with respect to the Australian Curriculum.

Urban Crew
Today saw a marvellous incursion for most of our students involving strenuous exercise called Hip Hop! The four member group Urban Crew, introduced to the school by Lyn Kaye, performed and led instruction sessions for most of the day. A high degree of involvement and enjoyment in the children was evident across all groups. They are performing at the Beverley Show next weekend and may return to the school later this term.

Office Display
Thank you to Mrs Thomas and the Year 5 class for their presentation of Linear Perspective art, Knotty Numbers and Chocolate Boxes. These very creative class pieces are certainly an interesting addition to our front office and well worth time to peruse.

Values
The value over the past two weeks has been Flexibility. Children need to develop the ability to adapt to change their approach to situations as the circumstances surrounding these situations change.

Dowerin Field day
A reminder to all our families that school will be closed on Wednesday 28th August to give families an opportunity to attend the Dowerin Field Day.

Norm Ireland
Principal
The Deputy’s Dialect

One joy scatters a hundred griefs.
Chinese Proverb

Faction Carnival
The Faction Carnival is on Friday 30th of August and is fast approaching. If you are available and can assist on the day then please fill in the slip below and return to the front office. This year we are focusing on providing our students with many chances to practise and prepare for the carnival. Today we start lunch time practice focused on getting each faction prepared and organised.

School Arrival
Parents and carers are reminded that students are not to arrive at school earlier than 8.20am. Students arriving prior to this time are not supervised by teaching staff or administration. I will seek the assistance of parents and carers in ensuring students arrive at school between 8.20-8.30am.

WAMSE
Congratulations to all Year 5, 7 and 9 students who survived four WAMSE tests last week on Science and Society & Environment.

ICAS Testing
Nominated students completed the ICAS Maths test on Tuesday and we should receive both our English and Maths results in the next few weeks.

Attendance
It is important for students to attend school every day that they are fit and well. One of the key factors for a child to achieve their best possible results at school is high attendance. Please contact the school to let us know if your child is sick or unable to attend school. I thank all parents for their support in maintaining the high attendance of students at our school.

Active After School Sports
Active After School students will be walking to the Beverley Golf Course on Tuesday 20th and 27th of August, 3rd and 10th of September for four golf sessions. If you are interested in your children being involved then you will need to fill out a permission slip from the front office and return to Lyn Kay.

Peter Hall
Deputy Principal

FACTION CARNIVAL HELPERS WANTED FRIDAY 30TH AUGUST
WE NEED YOU

Please contact the office on 9646 1165 or return this slip with your name and contact details.

Name ___________________________ Contact number ______________________________
Merit Certificates - 8 August 2013

Year 1/2: Matthew Bowden, Grace McLean
Year 2: Sophie Kilpatrick, Robby Speedy
Nathaniel Quartermaine
Year 3: Stevie Grossmith, Ethan Quartermaine
Mackenzie Thomas
Year 4: Declan Kilpatrick, Samuel McLean
Year 5: Joe Byworth, Caitlen Karkeek-Elliot,
Isabelle Ochtman
Year 6: Thomas McLean, Evie Wilkinson,
Year 7: Millie Byworth, Macadam Doughty-Munro
Year 8-10: Jess Appelbee, Travis Hayman, Jesse Worster

Dowerin Field Day Holiday

Beverley DHS will be closed on Wednesday 28th August
for the Dowerin Field Days.
If families from our school community are going to
the Field Days, it would be advisable to plan to go
on this day.

BEVERLEY DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL P&C
SHEEP POO DRIVE - ORDERS DUE TOMORROW

Spring is around the corner …. so what better time for the
Beverley District High School P&C to be conducting a Sheep Poo Drive!!!

- Sheep Poo delivery in town on Saturday 31 August - time to be advised.
- In town delivery for a gold coin donation
- Out of town to pick up from town.

Sheep Poo $8 each 40 litre bag

How to place your order...........
Please return the order form to Anne Cleland by TOMORROW

Fax 96472047
Email clelandb@agn.net.au
Post PO Box 50, Beverley WA 6304
School Drop off at the Office - Beverley District High School

Please call Anne Cleland with any enquiries 9647 2054

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BDHS Sheep Poo Order Form

Please return by Friday 16th August

Name
Phone
Address
Email
Bags @ $8 each

No of Bags
Active After School

Students participating in golf activities are required to complete the permission slip that has been sent home. This will enable students to walk to the golf course after school on the following dates:

- Tues 20.08.13
- Tues 27.08.13
- Tues 10.09.13

If you require a permission slip, please contact the school office on 9646 1165.

BOOK WEEK!!

We will be holding a book week dress up day next Wednesday 21st August. The parade in commence at 8:40am in the Undercover area.

Please encourage your child to dress up and help them to choose a character FROM A BOOK rather than from a movie.

BOOK WEEK COMPETITION

This year students will be able to participate in a “Match the Person to their Favourite Book” competition in the weeks leading up to Book Week. Entry is free and the prize will be a voucher to spend in a book store.

SCHOOL PHOTO DAY

Our school photo day this year will be on Thursday 26th September. Order envelopes will be sent out soon.

Please keep your envelope at home and give it to your child to BRING ON PHOTO DAY. Please do not send the envelope in prior to the day.

UNIFORM SHOP

Term 3 Dates
Thursday 29th August
After assembly
For enquiries please ring Roslyn Moulton 0409 732 658

The Canteen will be closed next Friday 23rd August due to Show Day commitments
Footwear recommendations

When choosing a shoe for children we need to consider the foot in respect of support, growth and development.

Support
Shoes need to have a firm support at the heel, many shoes are available that do not have adequate reinforcement in this area. If it is possible to fold the back of the shoe down to the sole when it is new, the shoe is not adequate to provide the required amount of support.

Growth
Children’s shoes need to be carefully fitted to ensure that there is enough room to allow for growth, without wearing shoes that are too large, to allow proper function of the foot. “Handed down” shoes may exacerbate foot problems, so this practice is not advised. An appropriate shoe will hold the heel at the back of the shoe with either lacing or a strap while allowing adequate room for the toes to move.

Recommended shoes
Leather lace up with firm heel support and flexible soles;
Leather sandal with closed heel;
Sports shoes with leather and nylon upper and non-plasticised leather upper
Desert boots with firm heel support to prevent side movement

For more information contact the Avon & Central Wheatbelt Primary Health Service on 9690 1320.
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