



BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER

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Term 1 – Week 6 – 2021

March

Wednesday 3	School Photo Day (make sure you have placed your order) See further in the newsletter
Thursday 18	Harmony Day
Thursday 25	Kindergarten Eye Sight Screening
Friday 26	Kindergarten Eye Sight Screening

April

Thursday 1	LAST DAY OF TERM 1
Tuesday 20	FIRST DAY OF TERM 2

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Message from the Principal

Dear BPS Community,

Bardia Public School Parents and Citizens Association (BPS P&C):

Most of you have become members of the BPS community within the last three years. Many of you have had little experience with a P&C. Because it is my role to keep the BPS community fully informed about events that effect you and the operation of the school, I provide the following information:

Background:

In December of 2016, 100% of the BPS P&C membership voted to disband the P&C. There were numerous reasons for this decision. The most prominent reason was that the members of the P&C were exhausted, they had given their all in the service of the school.

It was then decided, unanimously, to see if a loose structure of supporting the school was viable. Parents and carers would sign up for individual fundraising events and have complete control over when and for how long they would contribute to fund raising. This loose structure was to be called Friends of Bardia. The school's role was to provide information evenings (Pedagogy for Parents), open days (Harmony Day, Grandparents Day, etc.) and support evenings where teachers could instruct parents in how to teach their children at home. Friends of Bardia was successful in these aims and endeavours. Unfortunately, since the onset of the pandemic at the beginning of 2020 no Friends of Bardia events have been possible.

Recent Events:

Mrs Amy Rankin, a parent at BPS, has announced that she and seven other parents will recommence the BPS P&C. Mrs Rankin has developed a survey which will be emailed to you later today or tomorrow. The purpose of the survey is to find out if you wish to be involved in the P&C and how much involvement you are willing to commit. The meeting that has been organised for **Tuesday 16th March at 6.00pm – 7.00pm** in the library will still take place. Mrs Rankin will chair this meeting. Those people who made the School Stream cut will be emailed their permission to attend the meeting (COVID-19 rules apply).

The School's Role:

P&Cs run separately to schools and are governed by their own rules. In short, the school plays no role in the management of the P&C. From today, all enquiries about the P&C should be directed to Mrs Rankin.

According to P&C rules, unless a teacher has a child attending the school and is a paid-up member of the P&C, he/she may not contribute to the running of the P&C and cannot vote in any P&C elections.

Two half hour periods of administration officer time will be allocated to the P&C each week. Yes, this is an additional burden for our overworked office staff; however, it is necessary that the school forward messages to the community from the P&C via the school's communication systems.

The Principal's Role:

My role is to provide the P&C information about teaching and learning at the school and a timetable of school events. Requests for information should be provided to the school in writing with a minimum of 24 hours' notice prior to any P&C meeting. This will allow for accurate information being provided.

At the meeting held on the 16th March, parents and carers may request that I provide an outline of the problems that affect the operation of P&Cs across NSW and possible solutions to these problems.

My role, not just in relation to the P&C, is to also ensure that the extremely important work of the BPS staff is not impeded or interfered with in any way. The education of the children is paramount.

The Future:

Certainly, re-establishing the P&C is the easy part. The measure of the re-established P&C's success will be in ensuring that the P&C:

- has a positive culture based on democratic principles,
- consults regularly with the whole parent and carer community,
- is inclusive of the diverse cultures that make up our community,
- develops a positive relationship with the school,
- and always places the needs of the school before the needs of the P&C.

It is my sincerest hope that the P&C is successful in every one of these endeavours.

The **swimming carnival** was a great success. The children had a great day and despite 10 minutes of rain, the weather was kind to us – not too hot.

A massive thank you to Miss Care for organising the event. No doubt some of you have organised your children's birthday parties – and gained a few grey hairs in the process. Try to imagine organising a swimming carnival for hundreds of children with layers of complex mandatory bureaucracy attached!

I know that a couple of parents missed the deadline for the payment and the permission note. Unfortunately, their children were not permitted to attend the carnival. Please take any deadline for payment and permission notes seriously. With 815 students we simply do not have the staff or the time to rearrange all the complex logistical procedures associated with such events for individual parents.

I am often asked by parents for my opinion about the likely trajectory regarding **COVID-19** in NSW and its impact on our school. To be frank, I know as much as anybody else. Although, if you take a look at the rolling seven day average for new cases and deaths worldwide, both are plunging! This is great to see.

Once those in the front line in the fight against COVID-19 and our most vulnerable citizens are inoculated, inoculations will be rolled out across the community. This is a huge logistical undertaking and will probably take the rest of this year. Looking into my crystal ball, I reckon by late spring we will be entering a new phase where school activities will be *somewhat* normal; by the end of summer 2022 we may be as close to the new "covid-normal" as we are likely to get. Fingers crossed!

The **Bardia PS Facebook page** is about to be closed permanently. Should any parents/carers wish to commence a Facebook page for parents/carers at this school, it is their right to do so.

Please note: The school takes no responsibility for anything written or placed on any Facebook page. Information about our school posted on Facebook may or may not be accurate. My advice is to please be careful with anything you write. The NSW laws regarding libel apply to anything written on Facebook and a number of parents in NSW have been successfully sued for making libellous statements.

Soon we will be sending out information about enrolling in **Denham Court Public School** to those who live in this school's catchment area. Denham Court PS will open in Term 3 – the exact date to be verified.

I do encourage those parents to consider transferring their child(ren). It will be of benefit to your children to be going to school with their immediate neighbours. The school will be brand new. There will be lots of room for the foreseeable future. Bardia PS will soon grow beyond its capacity – unfortunately, this will result us having demountables on our lovely oval!

For those of you who decide to remain, that is your choice. You are welcome to do so. No one will be forced to enrol in the new school.

Please note that out-of-area applications for Denham Court PS will only be accepted under *exceptional* circumstances.

The large majority of parents and carers at BPS have been happy to have their children take part in the programs provided by **Dance Fever** for the past eight years. The equipment they provide is excellent and the highly trained staff are very popular with the children. The programs provided by Dance Fever are excellent value. At \$3 per week, programs of this type rarely come any cheaper.

The full PDHPE program is provided by the teachers at BPS. Dance Fever's programs are in addition to the school's PDHPE program and are optional.

While the school does encourage parents and carers to allow their children to take part in these programs, a small number of parents elect not to have their children take part. The school understands and respects this choice. These children are provided alternate educational activities.

The only downside of running these programs is the huge workload they generate for our overworked office staff. We are extremely grateful to all those parents who pay and provide permission for their child to attend *promptly*.

Please note that following the initial communication and often numerous reminders, the language to indicate deadlines will be polite, but blunt and factual. This is necessary when communicating with 1630 parents and carers and helps to ensure clear communication.

If you are having difficulties meeting school costs, please discuss this with Meaghan Gittoes (our super-efficient Acting Business Manager) on 9605 2459.

Mr B. Moseley
Principal

Swimming Carnival 2021

On Tuesday the 16th of February we held our 3-6 Swimming Carnival at Macquarie Fields Leisure Centre. Although the weather wasn't what we had hoped for, the students had a fantastic day either competing in races or having fun at the Splash Park and novelty events. 15 of our students were then selected to represent Bardia at the Zone Swimming Carnival on Friday the 26th of February. It was a successful day for our school with nine of our students selected to attend the Regional Carnival on the 9th of March. Good luck Kelsey, Jack, Talon, Addison, Kalan, Maddy, Shreeya, Evie and Quinn!
Miss Care & Miss Kinder





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Phone: 9605 2459 Email: bardia-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au Website: www.bardia-p.schools.nsw.edu.au



SCHOOL PHOTOS WEDNESDAY 3RD MARCH, 2021

To order photos you can either order online (**PREFERRED METHOD**) or complete the envelope previously sent home with your child. To order sibling photos please see below.

TO ORDER YOUR PHOTOS ONLINE

Go to the Advanced Life website www.advancedlife.com.au

use the unique school code

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YOU THEN DO NOT NEED TO COMPLETE THE ATTACHED ENVELOPE

OR

TO ORDER YOUR PHOTOS AND PAY BY CASH OR CARD

Complete the attached envelope.

If paying by cash you need to place the correct money inside.

Sibling photos:



- * Siblings must be enrolled at this school.
- * Photos can be ordered and paid for online as above.

OR

ordered and paid for by coming to the office and picking up a 'sibling order envelope'.

Orders need to be received (either online or envelope system to the school office) by **TUESDAY 2ND MARCH**. Any late orders will need to be placed with the company direct and will incur a fee.

Hindu Scripture Volunteers needed

We are looking for some parent volunteers to run our Hindu scripture classes every Friday from 1.10 to 1.40pm. If you are interested, you will be connected to the Hindu organisation who will provide some training for you.

Please contact the school and speak to Miss Kinder so she can organise for the Hindu organisation to contact you.

Thank you

Nutrition Snippet

WHAT IS THE HEALTHY LUNCH BOX?



A one-stop-shop for everything you need to know about packing a healthy lunch box.

Here's what you'll find on the [website](#):

- [Interactive lunch box builder](#) that helps parents and kids plan and pack a healthy lunch with foods they like.
- Lots of quick and easy [recipes](#) and [snack ideas](#).
- Informative [blogs](#) about healthy eating for the family.
- [Sign up](#) to receive the Healthy Lunch Box e-newsletter for ideas, updates and recipes.

healthylunchbox.com.au



Nutrition Snippet

AUTUMN FRUIT AND VEG.



Try these delicious recipes!

- [Beetroot hummus](#)
- [Cauliflower nuggets](#)
- [Healthy apple crumble](#)
- For more autumnal recipes visit healthylunchbox.com.au

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No more paper notes will be sent home

By now all parents should have access to School Stream.

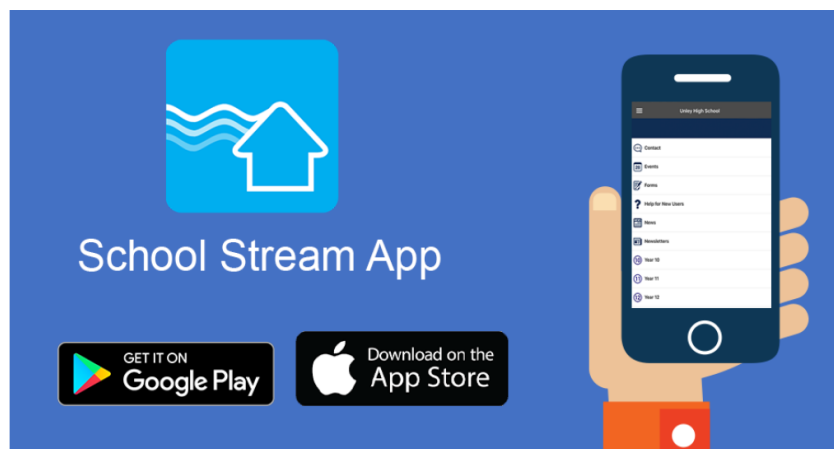
If you have downloaded the app and do not have access it is because your details do not match the details given on your child's enrolment. Mrs Zeeman sent an email to these parents today attaching a change of details form. Once received we will update our computer records and you will receive access automatically.

If you have not downloaded the app do so immediately. You will be missing out on vital information and notes. Detailed instructions on how to download the app are in the last few issues of the newsletter which is emailed to parents who have given their email address. Alternatively the newsletter can be found on our website <https://bardia-p.schools.nsw.gov.au/> (tab top right).

One-to-one messaging between parents and teachers is still a couple of weeks away. We have been in negotiations with School Stream and will advise you as soon as it is available. In the meantime you can send a message to the school's email address bardia-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au (please put the teacher's name in the subject line) and the office staff will forward to your child's teacher.

School Stream in your preferred language is a wonderful feature. You can set your preferred language so all communication will be received in the language of your choice. When you send a message or complete details in your preferred language it will appear to us as English! Details on how to set up this feature are in the instructions as noted above.

Happy Streaming

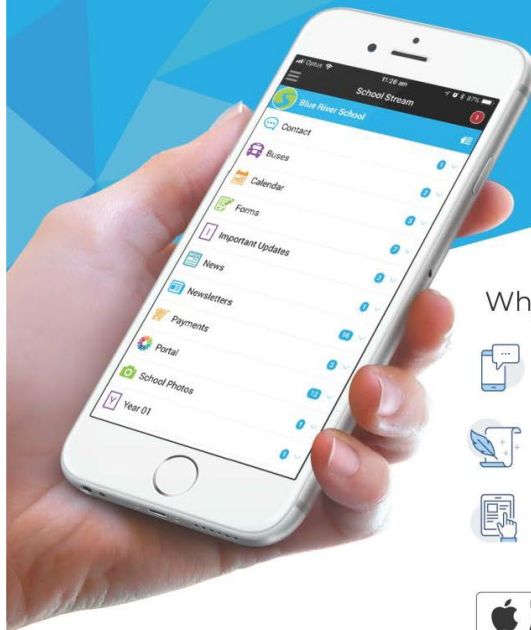







COMING SOON

This is how the school communicates with you. One-to-one messages to the teacher, whole-school communications, forms, permission slips, newsletters etc. Easy school contact details and you can set your preferred language

Download our school app for free!



Why download the app?

-  Receive instant notifications for important news.
-  Easily register absentees and excursions.
-  Keep up to date with events and set reminders.



Download instructions:

1. Go to the App Store and download "School Stream" to your phone.
2. Open the app and type the school's name into the search bar to load the school's profile.
3. Make sure you agree to Push Notifications when prompted.



Icons will only appear if there is information within them

One-to-one messages with your child's teacher

Important Updates - here you will find the most recent updates.

Forms

Current forms:

- * Change of Details
- * Absentee (this is where you report your child's absence)

Future permission slips for excursions/events will be located in Forms

Contact

Easy link to our school.
You can send an email to the office or your teacher. If you want to send an email to your teacher **MAKE SURE YOU SEND IT TO THEIR ATTENTION.** Next year you will be able to send your teacher a message through the app.

Communication – this is where you will see all the messages from your teacher to the entire class.

Published newsletters

Make a payment

This is where you can make an online payment (POP).
* Press here

Remember !
Only mandatory fields need to be completed (*).
You do not need this number - no *.

Make a Payment

Enter your payment details below. Fields marked with an asterisk (*) are mandatory.

Student Details

Student Registration Number

If this 9 digit number is on the Statement issued by the school it will be to the right of the student's name

* Given Name

* Surname

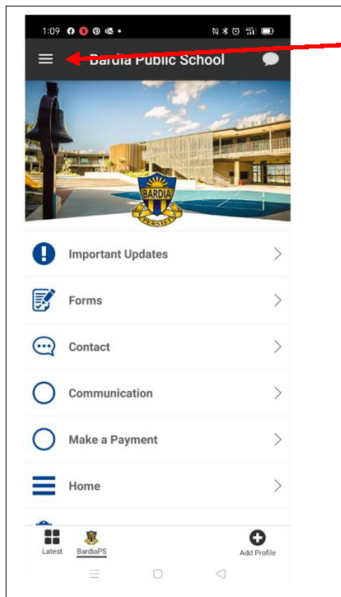
* Enter both Class/Year & Ref Number, or Date of Birth:

Class or Year

You can set your preferred language so that all this information will be shown in another language. See next page to change your settings to your preferred language.

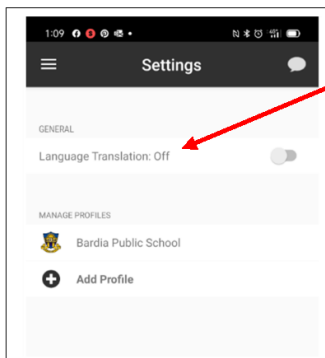
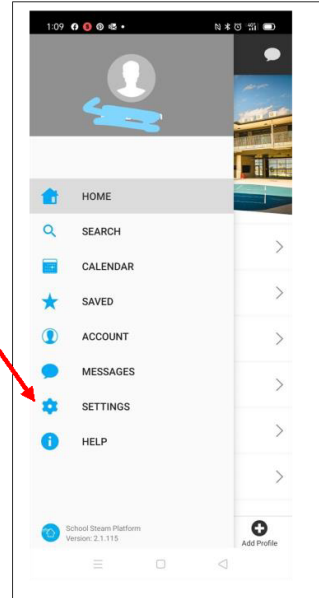
HOW TO SET YOUR PREFERRED LANGUAGE

See all communications, messages, forms etc. in your preferred language



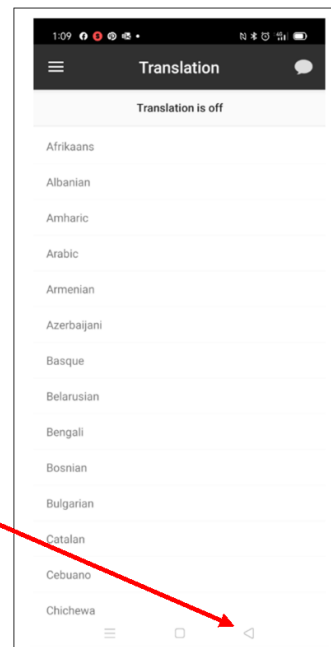
1) Press ☰ (Home)

2) Go to SETTINGS



3) Press Language Translation Off

4) Select your preferred language



5) Press back

All forms, messages, communications etc. will now be in your preferred language



TERM 1 WEEK 6

LIBRARY NEWS

GOLDIE'S LIBRARY BARDIA PS

REMEMBERING LIBRARY DAY!

Written by Mrs. Kathy Wyber

When kids come to school they have to remember so many things, as do the parents. Often the children forget things and need continued guidance to keep organised. It's important that you help them rather than doing it for them. We often have children who leave their library books in their bag because they didn't put them in their bag. Mum or dad did it for them. As a mum to four myself, here are my top tips for remembering library bags and all other things we need to remember.

How to help your child remember their own library bag...

- Have them pack their bag before they go to bed.
- Keep the library bag in one location only, such as by the front door.
- As soon as you read the books put them back in the library bag.
- Set an alarm on your phone the morning of their library day to remind them to look for books and library bag.
- Have tick chart for all the morning or evening things they need to do and include their library bag on the list

Children are made readers on the laps of their parents...

HUB LIBRARY DAYS ARE:

Monday- Waratah, Casuarina, Desert Flame & Banksia

Tuesday- Lilly Pilly, Wattle, Wallabies, Goannas & Dingoes

Wednesday- Grevillea, Bilbies, Possums, Koalas & Wombats

Thursday- Echidnas, Kookaburras & Kangaroos

Friday- Potoroos, Cockatoos & Emus



Premier's Reading Challenge

At Bardia PS we encourage all students to participate in the Premier's Reading Challenge. The challenge begins in February and finishes in late August and requires the children at different age groups to read a certain number of books from the list provided. All children will be participating during library and class time. The children in the K-2 classes will have the books read to them by their class teachers and recorded as a whole group. The 3-6 children will keep their own records during library time. The students will be starting their challenge before the end of the term.

For more information about the challenge please see:

www.schools.nsw.edu.au/premiersreading_challenge/index

Library Bags

Exciting news concerning library bags!

We are purchasing school library bags that will be available at the office and the uniform shop. We will notify you as soon as they are ready for sale.



Some lunch time chilling...



**We desperately need
boxes of tissues for
our classrooms.
All donations are very
much appreciated!**

FROM THE OFFICE



LOST PROPERTY

We have a quite a number of uniform items in lost property with no names. If your child has lost clothing that does not have their name on it but you feel you would recognise it, please go through the lost property (located in front of the office)

Our Eftpos service is available between 8:30am – 12:00pm



UNIFORM INFORMATION



Don't forget to bring your child's hat and jacket purchases to the office for embroidery with their unique initials. We retain a register of all records so we can return any lost items to the students.

Embroidery service is on FRIDAY MORNINGS only



We kindly ask to send tissues which are **urgently** needed

Brooke's CANTEEN



Keep an eye out on the Brooke's Canteen Facebook page for photographs of just some of the healthy counter items that are made daily!



Tummy Warmers

3 Chicken Nuggets H	\$2.00	Lasagne H	\$4.00
6 Chicken Nuggets H	\$4.00	Chicken Penne Napolitana H HM	\$4.00
Spaghetti Bolognese HM	\$4.00	Butter Chicken & Rice H HM	\$5.00
Penne Napolitana H V HM	\$4.00	Hash Brown V	\$1.00
Beef Burrito HM	\$5.00	Sausage Roll H	\$3.50
Beef Pie H	\$4.00	Macaroni & Cheese H V	\$4.00
Beef Burger HM	\$4.00	Beef or Chicken Noodles H	\$3.50
Crumbed Chicken Burger H HM	\$4.00	Bruschetta Roll V HM	\$4.50
Beef Cheeseburger HM	\$4.00	Vegetarian Curry Rice V HM	\$4.00
Beef Nachos HM	\$5.00	Ham & Cheese Toastie HM	\$4.00

Sandwiches And Wraps

Vegemite, Jam or Honey HM	\$1.50
Cheese Sandwich V HM	\$2.00
Cheese & Tomato Sandwich V HM	\$2.50
Ham & Cheese Sandwich HM	\$3.50
Tuna Sandwich HM	\$3.50
Salad Sandwich V HM	\$3.50
Ham & Salad Roll HM	\$4.00
Chicken Caesar Salad Wrap HM	\$5.00
Chicken & Salad Wrap HM	\$5.00
Sweet Chilli Chicken Wrap HM	\$5.00
Salad Wrap V HM	\$5.00

Salad Boxes & Cold Food

Garden Salad Box GF V H HM	\$3.50
Fruit Salad Box GF V H HM	\$4.00
Vermicelli Noodle Salad Box V H HM	\$5.00
Greek Salad V HM	\$4.50
Teriyaki Chicken Rice Paper Rolls HM	\$5.00
Vegetarian Noodle Rice Paper Rolls HM	\$5.00
Teriyaki Chicken Salad HM	\$5.00
Ham or Tuna Salad Box HM	\$5.00
Moroccan Chicken Salad Box HM	\$5.00
Chicken Caesar Salad Bowl HM	\$5.00
Yoghurt Fruit & Muesli Bowl V HM	\$5.00

Pizzas & Quesadillas

Garlic Bread H V HM	\$2.00
Cheese Pizza Roll H V HM	\$2.50
Cheese & Diced Ham Roll HM	\$2.50
Vegetarian Pizza Roll H V HM	\$3.50
Hawaiian Pizza Roll HM	\$3.50
BBQ Chicken Pizza Roll HM	\$3.50
Cheese & Tomato Quesadilla V HM	\$4.00
Spinach & Feta Quesadilla H V HM	\$4.00
Ham & Cheese Quesadilla HM	\$4.50
BBQ Chicken Quesadilla H HM	\$4.50
Vegetarian Quesadilla H V HM	\$4.50
BBQ Chicken Pizza H	\$5.00
Cheese Pizza H V	\$5.00
Meat Pizza H	\$5.00



Snack Food



Frozen Pineapple Ring GF V H HM	50c	Milo Cereal Cup V	\$1.00
Piece of Fruit GF V	\$1.00	Nutrigrain Cereal Cup V	\$1.00
Carrot or Cucumber Sticks GF V HM	\$1.00	2 x Vegemite Saos V HM	\$1.00
Yoghurt Tub V	\$2.00	2 x Cheese & Tomato Saos V HM	\$2.50
Frozen Grapes GF V H	\$2.00	Popcorn GF V H HM	\$1.00
Corn Cobette GF V H HM	\$1.50	Koala Popcorn – BBQ, Chicken + Sweet Chilli	\$2.00
Custard Cup V	\$2.00	Grain Waves Sour Cream & Chives 28g	\$2.00
Watermelon Cup GF V HM	\$2.00	Red Rock Deli Crisps Sea Salt 28g	\$2.00
Honey & Yoghurt Cup V	\$2.50	Mamee Noodle Snacks	\$2.00
Orange Wedges GF V H	\$2.00	Mamee Rice Sticks GF	\$2.00
Fruit Kebab GF H V HM	\$2.50		



Thirst Quenchers

Water 600ml	\$2.00
Fruit Infused Water	\$2.50
Oak Milk Lite	\$2.50
Juice Bomb Cans	\$2.50
Juice Poppers	\$1.50

Frozen Treats

Ice Mony Triangle	\$1.00
Juicies Ice Treat	\$1.00
Quelch Stick	\$1.00
Frozen Juice Cup	\$1.00
Moosies	\$2.00
Frozen Yoghurt	\$2.50

To order online please go to www.myschoolconnect.com.au. All online orders must be placed by 8am. If you miss this cut off time orders can be placed at the canteen by 9:00am. We accept cash & EFTPOS payments also. Sauces + Salad dressings are available for 50c each. Sandwiches can be toasted for an extra 50c and can also be changed to a wrap or bread roll for \$1. You can add cheese and other extras for 50c each. Extra spoons and forks are 10c each. All ice blocks, watermelon cups, yoghurt cups, noodle cups and custard cups need to be collected from the canteen by the student as these will not be sent to their classroom to avoid any spillage. Healthy over the counter items are available daily and range from 50c to \$2.50, these will be displayed on the counter at lunch and recess.

If making a halal or gluten free order or if student has any allergies please write dietary requirements clearly on the lunch bag.

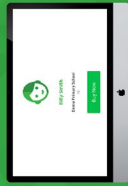
H = Halal, GF = Gluten Free, V = Vegetarian, HM = Homemade



OUR SCHOOL TUCKSHOP IS NOW ONLINE!

Download the free app or access www.myschoolconnect.com.au/bardiaps

STEP 4 To start ordering lunches, simply select your Student and click "Buy Now", and you can order for the day, week, it's that simple!



STEP 4a



STEP 4b



STEP 4c

STEP 5 Once you have completed your order, view your order summary in the "cart" and proceed to "checkout". Select your preferred form of payment and submit, all orders are confirmed via email.



STEP 5a



STEP 5b

Note: only paid orders will be sent to your canteen, not those still sitting in your cart. To start ordering lunches simply select your Student and click "Buy Now", and you can order for the day, week. It's that simple!

www.myschoolconnect.com.au/bardiaps



My School Connect has a 7 day a week Support Line, contact (03) 8669 1869



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STEP 1

Register your account on any device, simply login to www.myschoolconnect.com.au/bardiaps and click on "Create Account", follow the prompts to add your email and password.



STEP 1

STEP 2

Add your Child as a "Student", and make sure that you select your school and classroom details.



STEP 2a



STEP 2b

STEP 3

Select "Top Up" to add money to your account via Credit Card or Paypal, you can choose Direct Deposit but allow 3-5 working days to process prior to ordering. You can also pay as you go, simply skip the pop up screen for adding funds and start ordering.



STEP 3a



STEP 3b

(Please note Merchant Fees applies to Credit Card or Paypal Transactions)

BARDIA PUBLIC SCHOOL - UNIFORM PRICE LIST.

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 Bardia, NSW, 2565 Phone : 9605 2459
Email : bardia-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au
Website : www.bardia-p.schools.nsw.edu.au

Available from our retail shop at 45A Oxford Road in Ingleburn.

Proudly supplied by :
SKOOL UNIFORMS PTY LTD
 Shop 45A Oxford Road, Ingleburn, 2565
Phone : 9829-1027
Email : skooluniforms168@gmail.com

Prices effective 1/1/2021 inclusive of GST.

GIRLS UNIFORM	SIZES	PRICE
Dress	1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14	\$62.00
Polo Shirt with Logo	5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and M	\$31.00
Jazz Pants	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16	\$27.00
Skort	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16	\$25.00
Navy Tights	4 to 6, 6 to 8, 8 to 10, 10 to 12, Ladies 2 to 8	\$11.00
BOYS UNIFORM		
Polo Shirt with Logo	5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and M	\$31.00
Microfibre Shorts	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and M	\$22.00
UNISEX UNIFORM		
Polar Fleecy Jumper with Logo	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, M and L	\$36.00
Bomber Jacket with Logo	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 and M	\$46.00
Fleecy T/Pants with Cuffs	4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16	\$24.00
Bucket Hat with Logo	XS (53cm), S (55cm), M (57cm), L (59cm)	\$15.00
Sport Socks	S (9 to 2), M (2 to 7), L (7 to 12)	\$11.00
White Socks	9 to 12, 13 to 3, 2 to 8	\$4.00
PAYMENT BY CASH, EFTPOS, CREDIT CARD (VISA / MASTERCARD) AND INTERNET (EFT) AVAILABLE.		
Account name : Skool Uniforms	BSB : 012318 Account number : 498172378	
Reference is BPS plus childs name and surname.		V5

Shop opening hours : Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm, Saturday 10am to 2pm.

In the January peak period our opening hours will be extended to Monday to Friday 8.30am to 6pm and Saturday and Sunday 9am to 5pm from 5/1/2021 till the end of February, 2021.

Dear Parents - given the new normal with Covid 19 and the required social distancing we can only accommodate 3 customers in the shop at any time. We recommend for the 2021 back to school period that you plan your purchases earlier in January to avoid the likely long queues in late January, 2021 and throughout February 2021.

Coming this March



Whether your child calls it Handball, Downball or 4-Square – it's the game that they all know and love.



Handball, also known as Downball and 4-Square, is every child's favourite sport. The sound of every recess and lunchtime bell signifies another opportunity to compete with friends.

We wanted to give children a chance to prove themselves on the big stage - so we are excited to introduce the Handball Championships.

Register for Handball now through your Parent Portal

For more information visit www.campaustralia.com.au/handball

Key Dates

8 - 19
March

Official Practice in After School Care at Your OSHC

22 - 26
March

Service Championships in After School Care at Your OSHC

School
Holidays

Rocketeers Championships
*More information on our website

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May

Regional Championships

A message from your Coordinator

It is time for your child to experience a new level of their athletics skills. It is time to get start challenging and compete others.

Handball as is the most popular and loved game among many children. Therefore, we have decided to let our children take this experience to another level of fun through country wide completion.

So, jump in, register your child and let them enjoy the fun.

It's free to register with Camp Australia

To attend our program, you must register your child. You can register an account with us at pp.campaustralia.com.au or by downloading our Camp Australia smartphone app from the Apple App Store or on Google Play. Once registered, it's easy to make bookings and manage your account.



Prizes

Total prize pool of \$12,000 split across all Regional Champions.

Plus, each Your OSHC and Rocketeers Service Champion wins a Trophy!



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What is OSHC and why is it right for your family?

OSHC stands for Outside School Hours Care. Camp Australia's OSHC service provides enrichment and care for primary school-age children outside school hours and during the school holidays. Depending on your school, it can cover Before School Care, After School Care and Vacation Care.

At Camp Australia, our vision is *To support families in achieving their dreams* and our promise is that we will *Guide Your Child's Growth*.

To do that we take a unique approach to OSHC based on over 30 years of experience.

Enriching experiences that children love

Our experienced educators involve your child in designing the experiences that make up our OSHC program. Our industry leading approach to program development ensures that your child is at the heart of what we do each day.

A place for friendships to form

OSHC is a great place for your child to meet new friends and bond over shared interests. We design programs that bring children together so they can connect and grow outside school hours.

Easy, hassle-free care

Our service is available to all families, no matter the need. Our extended hours offer peace of mind so you can manage work, health, study and more stress-free. Plus, our industry leading Parent Portal gives you unrivalled access to make and manage your bookings.



FREE to Register

Once registered, you'll be able to easily make and manage your bookings online via our Parent Portal at pp.campaustralia.com.au

Are you eligible for the Child Care Subsidy?

The Child Care Subsidy can provide up to 85% off your fees. If you're unsure about your eligibility contact Centrelink on 13 61 50.

Introducing our brand-new Parent Portal app for smartphone

Earlier this year, we conducted customer focus groups to get direct feedback from parents regarding their experience with Camp Australia.

This research highlighted the need to have a streamlined way for parents to access their accounts and manage their bookings and enrolments; and informed the design for our brand-new Parent Portal app for smartphone.

- Easy booking features.
- Simple booking calendar overview.
- Track your spend.
- Contact your service Coordinator.
- Update your and your child's details.



Search for **Camp Australia Parent Portal** on the App Store or Google Play, download the app and register free with us now.