

# News Update

## Term 2 – Week 3

You may recall that last year all of our children worked with David Booth to create an artwork that tells the story of Bridgewater Primary School on Peramangk Country. After a short delay, this painting is now on the wall. You are welcome to come to the Front Office to have a look at this beautiful art piece in situ. Viewings from 8.30 – 9.00 am and 3.00 - 3.30 pm next week. Please wear a mask, sanitise and socially distance. Enter via the front double doors.

David is from the Warumunga people of the Northern Territory and has traditional links to the Yuggera people in Brisbane. David is married to a Peramangk woman and has permission to represent this group. David has certified this painting as an original and authentic work.

This painting shows the sun rising to bring life to the land. The 'U' shapes are people on Country. Tools indicate men and women sharing knowledge. The large green centre circle represents the teachers and students of Bridgewater Primary School, with the lines showing their journey. The Peramangk shield shows protection and strength, and regrowth of plants. The children's handprints represent family, community and connection to Country.



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## Casual catering positions at Arbury Park Outdoor School

Arbury Park Outdoor School at Bridgewater is a Department for Education residential camp facility. Students and teachers from around SA enjoy environmental education programs for 3 to 5 days. Our catering staff provide all meals to resident staff and students, working as part of a small team. On the job training is provided.

We are seeking expressions of interest to join our casual pool of catering assistants to backfill permanent staff on leave, sometimes at short notice. There are two shifts; 7.00am to 3.00pm and 11.15am to 7.15pm.

You can find information about Arbury Park Outdoor School on the school's website [www.arburypark.sa.edu.au](http://www.arburypark.sa.edu.au)

For information regarding this position please contact David Doherty: 8339 3237 or email [dl.1426.info@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:dl.1426.info@schools.sa.edu.au)

## BPS received the following email from a local Bridgewater resident...

*Hello. My name is Sammi.*

*I came across two girls about 10 years old who were standing next to the road near Bridgewater petrol station. They had seen a little female black bird get hit by a car and were trying to find a way to help it without going into traffic.*

*I saw this and stopped the car, got the bird off the road, praised the girls for their concern and safety decision not to go onto the road to pick up the bird, and I took it home for recovery.*

*The little black bird has made a full recovery and I will be releasing it again near where we found it.*

*If there is anyway you could find these two girls, whom I did not get their names, to let them know that they did the right thing and the bird is fine, I would greatly appreciate it.*

*Showing concern and kindness for even the smallest of animals is a true virtue. I am very impressed that one of the girls called a parent for help and that neither of them went into traffic, which was busy at the time.*

*Thankyou so much.*

*Kind regards,  
Sammi*

**Well done to Jordan and Lily (S2) for being responsible, kind and helpful out in our broader community.**

## TERM 2 DIARY DATES

Sat 21/5	Federal Election @ BPS Gym
<b>WEEK 4</b>	
Tue 24/5	District Cross Country Selected students ----- AGM with Governing Council to follow 7pm
<b>WEEK 5</b>	
Tue 31/5	S2 - Zoo Excursion
<b>WEEK 6</b>	
Wed 8/6	S2/S9 - ASO Excursion Adelaide Town Hall
Thurs 9/6	SAPSAS Netball Knockout Competition
<b>WEEK 7</b>	
Mon 13/6	PUBLIC HOLIDAY Queen's Birthday
Wed 15/6	SAPSASA Soccer Knockout competition
<b>WEEK 8</b>	
Tue 21/6	(World Music Day) Governing Council 7pm
Wed 22/6	S6/S7/S8 Excursion Warrawong
Thurs 23/6	Kindy Visiting BPS ----- Principal's Tour 9:15am
<b>WEEK 9</b>	
Fri 1/7	PUPIL FREE DAY - TBC Staff PD - Literacy
<b>WEEK 10</b>	
Thurs 7/7	Daggy Day Help Clean up BPS
Fri 8/7	S6/S7/S8 Incursion ASO ----- 2:15 Early Dismissal

