

2018 School Ball

The night began with guys and girls showing up to Kings Park with a beautiful back drop of a setting sun over Perth city. The guys were all looking smart, dressed in their suits which for once didn't look like the only suit their dads owned. The ladies were all looking stunning and elegant in their dresses with their hair and make up beautifully done proving the hours spent preparing were worth it. By the time the sun set, the students all headed inside to their tables which were set up wonderfully, complemented by colours of red, black and white for the night. A lovely three course dinner was served throughout the night giving everyone time in between meals to get up and dance the night away or take photos with the professional photographer. At the end of the night a most important announcement was made... the Bell and Beau of the Ball. With Katie Glover looking as beautiful as ever and Kody Worrell being a very considerate host of course it was no surprise these two amazing people won. Following was the slow dance, where all the amazing couples and partners shared that special moment full of endless smiles - and stood on toes of course. The last song shortly followed with everyone gathering on the dance floor with arms wide, embracing the moment as it was going to be the last time we're all together at such an event as school students. Everyone appeared to have enjoyed the night with laughter, smiles and dozens of photos. It was definitely a night to remember.

Shyla Petricevich and Kody Worrell, Year 12 Students



Katie Glover and Kody Worrell

COLOUR AND HONOURS AWARDS

To acknowledge our students for their outstanding and exceptional achievement in both school and the community, we have a Colour and Honour system. These awards recognise students in areas such as academic, cultural, sporting and service activities. All of our well deserving award recipients will be presented with certificates and badges at our Excellence Assemblies.

Our teaching staff and parents are invited to submit award nominations before the end of each semester to our Learning and Support Team for consideration and further approval.

Nominations for students, Primary or Secondary, can be made by visiting the Colours, Honours and Service page under the Student tab at the Bullsbrook College website at www.bullsbrook-college.wa.edu.au or by obtaining a form at the Main Reception desk.

YEAR 11 WORK PLACEMENT

We are so very proud of the 64 Year 11 students who have recently completed a two week placement at work as part of our Authority Developed Workplace Learning Program (ADWPL) that we offer at Bullsbrook College. This program allows our students to experience the real world of work and earn WACE points for their efforts.



Luke Edwards at Savage Motorcycles



Saili Pomare at Jaycar

Our Year 11 students were very prepared for their placement, as they attend lessons in Work Readiness here at school. These lessons allow us to help our students explore and develop career pathway plans. We

investigate rights and responsibilities in the workplace and hear from a range of guest speakers to further develop our students' understanding of the workplace and life beyond school in general. We have assisted our students in creating a career portfolio, to showcase their skills and present this in an interview. Workplace Learning provides an opportunity for our students to further develop their understanding of the core skills for work that underpin successful participation in work post school. The students record their hours and duties in a log book and reflect on their experience in a Skills Journal on their return to school. This experience in the workplace also allows students to reflect on and refine their career pathway



Adam Hollister at SRS Fabrication in Muchea



Taylor Johnstone and Khloe Kennedy at Pridelands

THE BIGGEST MORNING TEA

On Thursday, 24 May the Primary Campus again hosted the Biggest Morning Tea event to help raise money for the Cancer Council. Parents and family members were invited to enjoy a morning tea picnic with their children. It was a great turn out again this year and thankfully the rain stayed away! We raised an amazing \$658.20 for this great cause.



Isabella Green, Anaya Arthur-Maka, Meg

A big thank you to Mrs Kenchington, Mrs Schmidt and many other staff members for organising the morning.



Mrs Cordery and Daniel Cordery

Also thank you to all the parents and family members who came along to support the Cancer Council. See you all again next year.

*Mrs Kenchington,
Learning & Support*

choice for their future.

All of our students on placement were visited by a member of our school staff. The feedback from staff and employers was overwhelmingly positive, evidenced in the feedback forms we ask our employers to complete.



Jack Collins at DSJ Engineering

Some of our students had to travel great distances, some on public transport, and many did far more hours than their normal school day. They were rewarded with glowing feedback,

invitations to return for the second placement later in the year and some were even offered paid future employment. Well done Year 11s, you have done yourselves and our school proud.

*Mrs Hugo, Work Placement
Coordinator*



Melik Lloyd at Repair IT

Year 10 UWA Science Excursion

On Tuesday of Week 5, some of our Year 10 students got the opportunity to visit the International Centre for Radio Astronomy Research at the University of Western Australia. Our Year 10s have been learning about the origins of the universe and were fortunate enough to have research scientists share their knowledge about our galaxy and our place with them. They competed against one another in a race to build their own telescope that enabled them to look at the sun safely. The take home message was to follow your passion, no matter what may be, and if you don't know what you are passionate about, then give everything a try until you do.

Ms Kent-Jones, Science Teacher



Story Time at Kindergarten

During Week 2 the Kindergarten students had a visit from Sharon Coppin from the Better Beginnings Program at City of Swan Bullsbrook Library. They were lucky enough to listen to a story and received a goodie bag which included a book and some information for parents. Sharon also went through the special concepts back packs that can be borrowed from the Library. These are based on themes and contain a variety of activities to help parents present various concepts such as 'Giving Directions'.



Jake Merigan



Hannah Gordon

Mrs Mantell, Kindergarten Teacher

SCHOOL DRESS CODE

It is disappointing to see a number of students attending school wearing non dress code items. Our wonderful P&C volunteers and uniform supplier (Tara Uniforms) have provided good quality and fairly priced items to meet the needs of the cooler months.

Please note that it is a requirement to be in dress code at Bullsbrook College. Only items purchased from our uniform shop are permitted at school.

The following are examples of clothing that is **not to be worn to school**.

- Hoodies and other windcheaters with slogans and logos other than Bullsbrook College.
- Black pants or leggings of any description.
- Tracksuit pants of any description other than the product sold at the Uniform Shop.

We focus on maintaining a certain tone of dress code for good reasons. Please support the school by making sure your children are dressed as per our Uniform requirements.

Hours of the Uniform Shop are **Monday and Wednesday 8.30am - 9.30am. Friday 2.15pm - 3.15pm.**

Purchases can also be ordered from the main Reception desk.

Shade

Visitors to the school will see the new addition to our Sports Hall – providing more shelter from the weather – rain, hail or shine. This was funded by Local Projects Funding provided through our local MLA for Swan Hills, Jessica Shaw. We would also like to acknowledge our P&C who were so keen to see shade increased in that part of the school that fundraising was planned. The Local Projects Funding was well timed. We have had two projects of this nature completed by Outdoor World and have been very impressed with the quality of their services.



Workplace Learning Thank You

Bullsbrook College would like to acknowledge and say thank you to the following businesses who hosted a Year 11 Work Place Learning student for two weeks in Term Two.

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| 100.9fm Noongar Radio | Cheveux Creative | Kidz First Childcare | Repair IT |
| 3P Photography | Coles Ellenbrook | Killarney Autos | Rio Tinto |
| Altone Park Leisure Centre | Concrete Unlimited | Landsdale Farm School | Royal Perth Hospital |
| Autospark Bullsbrook | Country Values Real Estate | Little Habitat Family Day Care | Savage Motorcycles |
| Bankwest Perth | Crave Liquid Limestone | Love Ya Locks | Shire of Chittering |
| Bindoon Primary School | Cuddly Animal Farm | Lowes | Shire of Gingin Ranger |
| Bon Electrics | DSY Engineering | Lush Media- The Content Agency | SRS Fabrication |
| Bridgestone Tyre Centre | Flying Start Childcare | Mining and Industrial Electrics | Swan Park Leisure Centre |
| Brightwater Care Group | Force Shutters | National Rugby League Limited | Target Midland |
| Brookleigh Estate | Gingin Early Learning Centre | P&J Frankland Bricklaying | The Cake Factory |
| Brumby's Ellenbrook | Guildford Book Exchange | Pet City Joondalup | The House of Honey |
| Bullsbrook College Gardens | Immaculate Heart College | Prideland Kennels | Tronox |
| Bullsbrook Hardware | Jackson Art Supplies | RAAF Broadspectrum | Upper Swan Primary School |
| Bullsbrook IGA | Jaycar Electronics | Rebel Sport Midland | WA Carpentry Company |
| Bunnings | Jellybeans Childcare | Renaissance Gym | WA Meat Authority |

BREAKFAST CLUB THANK YOU

Every Tuesday and Thursday mornings staff at Bullsbrook College hold a Breakfast Club for our students in the Canteen Cafeteria Area. This would not be possible without some very appreciated assistance and support with obtaining supplies. We would like to say a very BIG thank you to Mindful Homes, Jessica Shaw and Woolworths Ellenbrook for their amazing generosity.

Important Dates

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| 15 June 2018 | Salvation Army Winter Appeal |
| 19 June 2018 | Year 7 to 12 Excellence Assembly |
| 22 June 2018 | MDSA Primary Winter Carnival |
| 25 to 29 June 2018 | Year 10 to 12 Country Week |



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