



Bothwell District School

Newsletter

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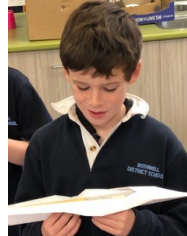
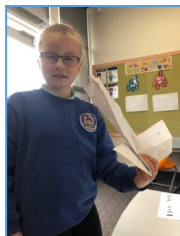
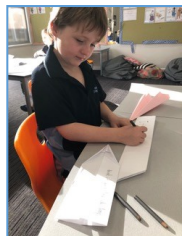
28TH MAY 2020

UPCOMING EVENTS

**BOOK CLUB
FORMS NEED TO
BE RETURNED
TO OFFICE BY
12TH JUNE, 2020**

**STUDENT BANKING
HAS BEEN SUSPENDED
UNTIL FURTHER
NOTICE**

Thank you.



This morning in Class 1 students used paper aeroplanes to develop and understand more about their thinking skills. We explored a number of different shaped planes, observed how they flew and how they didn't! We talked about the size of the wings in comparison to the size of the body of our plane and explored what effect paper size had on our design. We got very good at understanding the difference between thinking, knowing and guessing. It was great to hear students supporting their thinking with explanations:

"That one will go far because it's triangular."

"That one won't work because the body is too big."

"I think you should make a plane that has big wings and half a body and be very pointy."

Some people even started to explore the planes ability to carry a load!



Bothwell District High School Farm Program

This year our focus is to get the school farm up and running.

Since the start of the term until now we have been pulling down fences, marking where the hazelnuts trees are going, moving things, cutting down trees and pulling down the sheep yards.

We have also been soil testing to see how good the soil is so that we know what the soil is going to be like when we plant the hazelnut trees.

This has been a good opportunity for students to get outside on the farm and have a go at doing these particular things. Mr O'Toole runs a 'Farm' option on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for students.

People who are in his group go out on the farm and help out with things, like the list above. We have all worked together and achieved a lot on the farm already. Mr O'Toole always makes sure that we have got a job to do and that we understand that every little thing, this helps with what should be a great farm in the end!

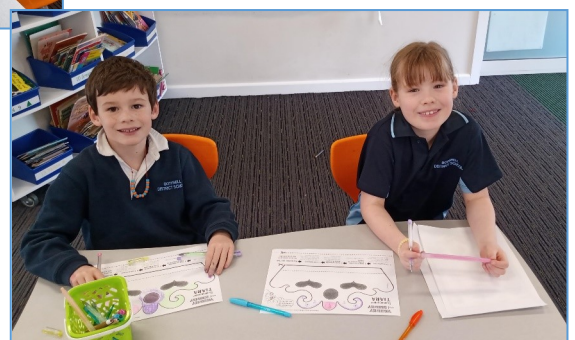
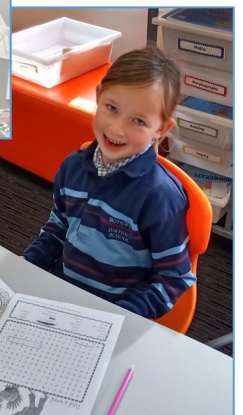
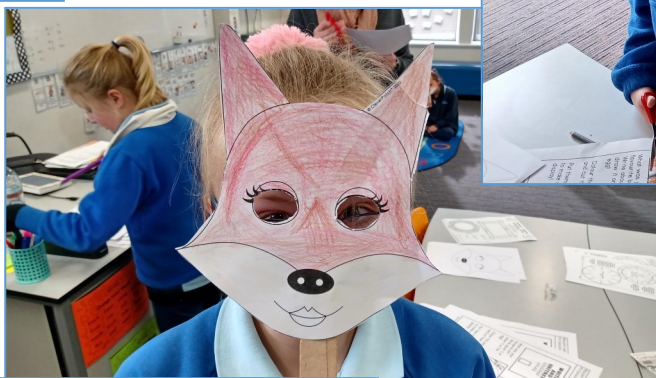
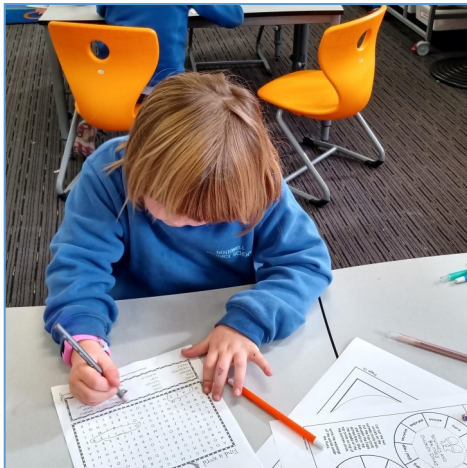
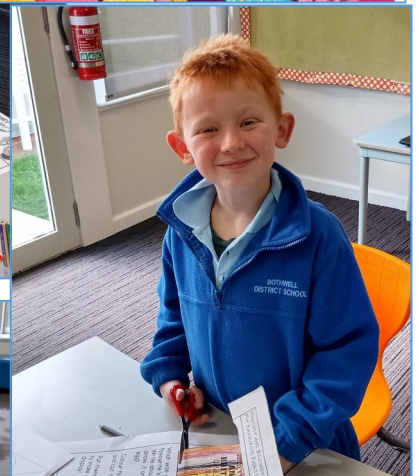
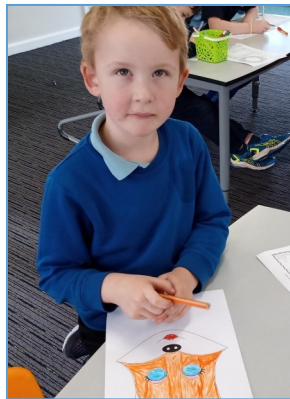
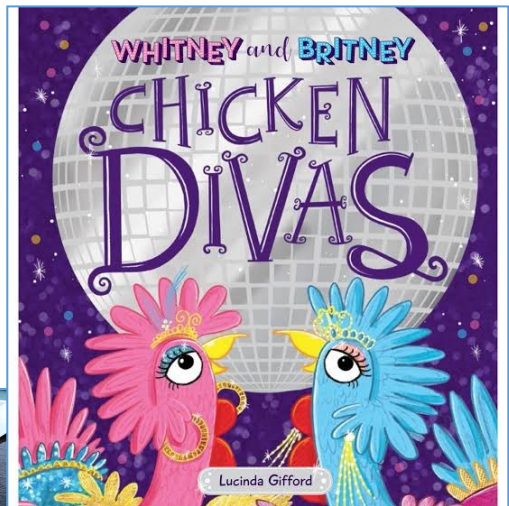
We still have a lot ahead of us. We are all looking forward to seeing how it all turns out.

Written by Haylie Kline and Chloe Devine

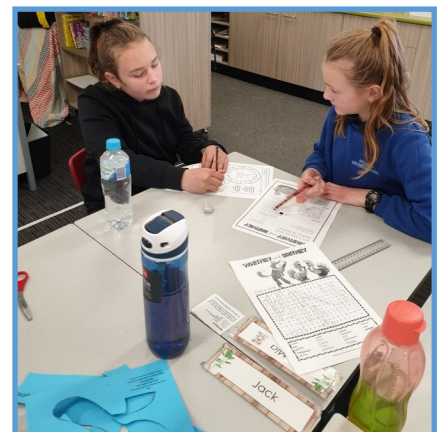
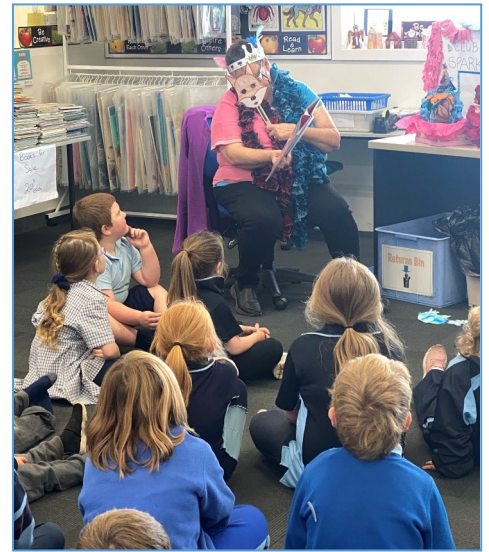


"Whitney and Britney, Chicken Diva's

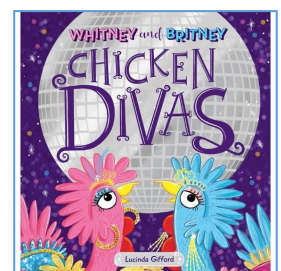
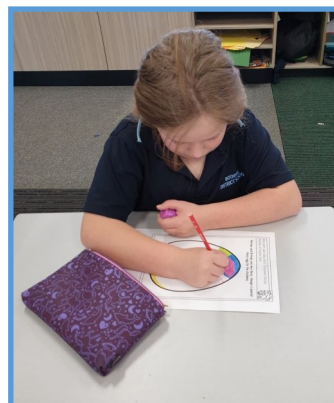
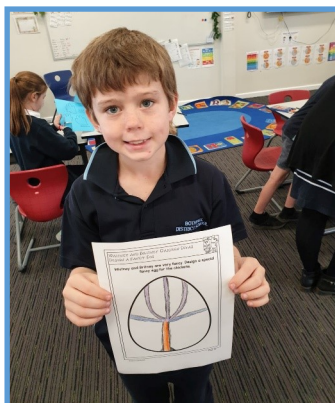
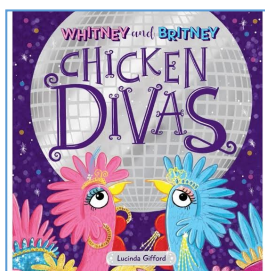
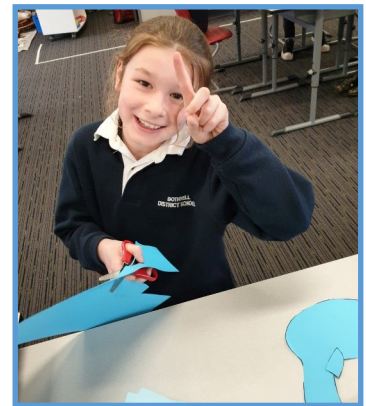
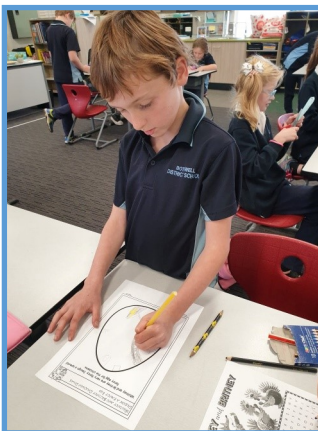
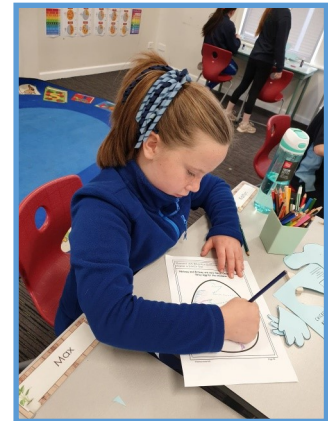
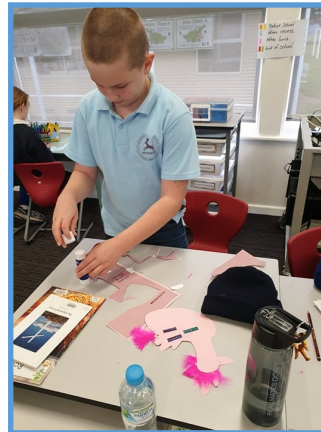
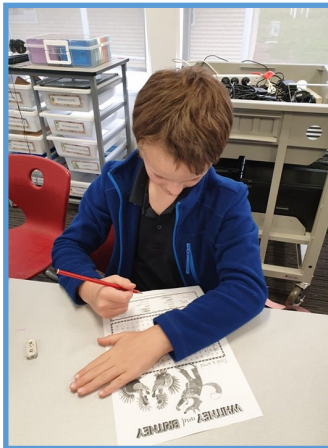
At 11 am on Wednesday, all students across Australia read "Whitney and Britney, Chicken Diva's for the National Simultaneous Story time. Class One had a wonderful time being involved and participating in a range of different activities related to the book.



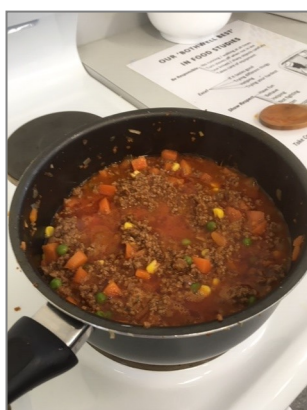
This event was fun!



Students from Class Two enjoying the activities from
National Simultaneous Storytime.



Cooking with Brigitte this week.
We made Cottage Pies.



COTTAGE PIE

500 gm Mince

1 small Onion

4Lrg Potatoes

2tbls Tomato paste

2tbls Butter

2tbls Plain Flour

2 Carrots peeled & diced

2 Celery sticks diced

1/2 cup Peas & Corn

1 cup Beef stock liquid

1/2 cup Milk



METHOD

Oven to 180c fan forced.

Peel potatoes & cut up place into a pot of salted water cook until tender drain water off, mash add butter & milk season with salt & pepper.

Meanwhile heat a large pan with a little oil add beef mince & onion cook making sure to mash all the lumps out until mince changes colour.

Add carrots, celery, peas & corn cook until softened, stir in tomato paste season with salt & pepper to your liking.

Add flour & stir for a minute, add stock & simmer until all the vegetables are cooked 10 minutes & mixture slightly thickens.

Transfer to casserole dish, spread potato on top of the mince mixture with a fork. Place in oven until top turns golden colour for 15 to 20 minutes.

Class Three have been working on creating free verse poetry.

We would love to share some examples of our work.

When I'm red
by Brock Watkins

When I'm red
I'm as hot as fire
Stress about the things I desire
I keep on trying
Until the sound of the siren
You stand there freezing cold
But you always go back for more

Wolf
by Katelyn Nichols

Howling, hunting, massive beast, clawing and prowling with its white shiny teeth.

Prancing while hunting for meat, howling at the moon for no good reason.

One in a group with a whole lot more hunting together.

Get in the woods and lights go out red glowing eyes like a red rose in moonlight.

Running fast and you can't breathe coming at you running with speed.

Faster and faster when you slow down and hide in a log it lurks around.

Your scared and upset but don't let it smell your fear.

Run back to the village and hide away.

"pew I'm safe for now!"

Darkness

By Nathan Pearce

The darkness came over me
like a blanket

As the light got brighter

As the gate swung open

Then I felt something

Grab my arm

And now I'm alive

Pen

by Haylie Kline

I have a heart that's burning quickly.
I awake when people start to use me.
I only work when I want to.
Sometimes I have a sleep.
I feel great all the time,
But when I run out I don't.
I like to be used by everyone
Because that makes me feel useful.
People get angry with me.



Buck fever

by James Brazendale

When the sun rises to the top of the sky
The deer used to come out of the bush
He jumped out of no where
It was a big stag the biggest stag of 2020.
And I started to get buck fever so bad
I want to shoot it but I missed it.
In 15 minutes it came back out of the bush
I hit it this time and I hit him again.
Then we got him
It took us forever to put him on the car but we finally we got it on.
And then all the does were following us back to the house
to hang him up on the rack.

The Science class would like about 10 small spray bottles to be used in for science. If you have **any** old empty **lens cleaner bottles** like the one pictured below, the students would really appreciate them donated to science for some science experiments.



Positions Vacant

Administrative Support and Project Coordination

We are looking for people that can provide part time administrative support and project coordination to the Highlands Healthy Connect Project. The purpose of the Highlands Healthy Connect Project is to create a healthier community that is more active, makes better food choices, participates in community life, and has developed new skills & positive social connections.

The Highlands Healthy Connect Project is a partnership between the Health Action Team Central Highlands (HATCH), Central Highlands Council, Tasmanian Health Service, Volunteer Tasmania and Corumbene Rural Primary Health Services Program. It was funded by the Healthy Tasmania Fund through the Tasmanian Government until December 2021.

Applications close on 30th June 2020.

For information contact Tracey on 0429 433 664 or tracey.turale@ths.tas.gov.au



Bothwell Library

Opening Hours

Tuesday 3.30 p.m.—6.00 p.m.

Wednesday 10.00a.m.—3.00 p.m.

Wi Fi access 8.45 a.m. till 7.15p.m



You can try E-books via the

Libby app,

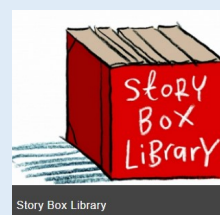
Look up family history using

Ancestry, Beamafilms, Storybox,

Rock and Rhyme

and RB Digital just to name a few.

Try something new for fun.



**The Bothwell Library has now been closed
until further notice due to Co-vic 19.**

**Watch this space for further
Updates, we maybe back soon with Click and Collect.**





How is everyone going with your reading?
Keep going and see how many books you guys can get read
before we get to
the finish line.
Give yourselves a challenge.

What can I read?

You are free to choose which fiction or non-fiction books to read for the Challenge.

Larger chapter books can be counted as more than one book - please talk to your teacher about how many chapters or pages can be counted as "one book".

These places may help you choose a book:

- [Reading Time](#) - children's book reviews and news
- [Libraries Tasmania - Kids Reading page](#)
- [Good Reading Magazine - For kids](#)
- If you can't read a physical book, Libraries Tasmania have [eBooks available](#) to members.

Libraries Tasmania members can read the following eBooks for free:

- [Prep-Year 2 list of Overdrive items](#)
- [Years 3-4 list of Overdrive items](#)
- [Years 5-6 list of Overdrive items](#)

The Premier's Reading Challenge started 27th April, 2020 and it finishes on Friday 3rd July, 2020, **So everyone start Reading now!** If you are learning from home call into the School Office and collect your Reading Log book.

We hope the information above assists you on ways to get access to a good book if you need more than you have at home.

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Launching into Learning

Check out ideas for home
fun on School's
Facebook page.



School Office Opening Times **2019**

8.00 am—4.00 p.m.

**Keep an eye on Facebook as any
changes to the above will be
posted on there.**

Chris & Tanya

2020

Term Two finishes

3rd July, 2020.

School resumes

On 20th July, 2020

Students resume

21st July, 2020.



School Banking

**Has been suspended
until further notice.**

Commonwealth bank

**Has instructed us to
cancel banking.**



ARE YOU SHOWING RESPECT?

R	Responsibility
E	Engaged
S	Safe
P	Positive
E	Effort
C	Community
T	Teamwork

Bothwell District High Values

Our students are working hard on the schools
values in class, if they have done well they are
given raffle tickets.

The raffle is drawn at an assembly.

Two students names are drawn and they
receive a prize as their reward.

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