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BWPS WEEKLY NEWS

BANKSTOWN WEST PUBLIC SCHOOL

Messages from Mrs Benson:

SPELLATHON FEEDBACK (MRS HULL)

Over the past few weeks, students from Kindergarten to Year 6 have taken part in our combined Spelling Bee and fundraising Spellathon.

As part of the Premier's Spelling Bee, finalists were selected to represent the school at the upcoming regional competition. Congratulations to Tauseeq (Stage 2) and Sophia (Stage 3), who will be representing our school.

In addition to the Spelling Bee, students participated in a Spellathon to raise funds. Prizes were awarded to the top speller in each grade and to the class in each grade that raised the most funds (minimum S50).

Outstanding Fundraising Contributors:

KC: Penny KE: Leila 1C: Maryam 1H: Yusuf 4/3A: Ayannah 4O: Evelyn 5R: Nathaniel 5V: Sera 6D: Stefanos 65F: Ayana



Grade Spelling Winners: Kindergarten: Henry Year 1: Hayden Year 2: Nixon Year 3: Liam Year 4: Tauseeq Year 5: Cartier

Year 6: Sophia

Total raised is \$4306.00 which will go towards ICT resources and a donation towards the Year 6 Farewell.

Class that fundraised the most: S772.60 from 4/3A Congratulations 4/3A who have won a pizza party for their class next term!!

BOOK PARADE

Following feedback from the P&C we will be running a Book Parade this year during Book Week. This will be held on Tuesday, 19th August. Children are asked to come as a character from their favourite book. While further information will be forthcoming, we thought parents may like the advance notice.



STUDENT SHOUT OUT!

Shout out to Aiden H (5V) and Osman (2C) who recently participated in the National Wrestling Championships!

Through discipline, hard work and commitment both students placed 3rd nationally in their respective divisions - What a wonderful achievement! Congratulations Aiden and Osman!





Welcome to our **WELCOME TO OUR WELCOME TO OUR SCHOOL HOLIDAYS PROGRAM!**

School holidays are coming!

Beat the winter chill with our FREE and low cost activities for kids, including excursions, arts and crafts, sports, swimming lessons, movies and more!

- Belmore Youth Resource Centre
- Active Canterbury-Bankstown
- Morris lemma Indoor Sports Centre
- Leisure & Aquatics
- Bankstown Arts Centre
- Library and Knowledge Centres
 - Bankstown
 - Campsie
 - Chester Hill
 - Earlwood
 - Greenacre
- Lakemba
- Padstow
- Panania
- Riverwood

Bookings essential. Find out more at **cb.city/SchoolHolidays**





Canterbury-Bankstown Children's Festival 2025

Poster Design Competition

Theme:

"Let's create a sustainable world for everyone."



Entry:

 Send your Entries on A4 Landscape papers to:

> Children's Festival Organisation Inc. 14 McEvoy Road, Padstow NSW 2211

 Write your full name, age, postal address, email, telephone number, and school or group on the back of your Artwork

For further information, please contact:

info@childrensfestival.org.au

or visit our website:

www.childrensfestival.org.au Entries close: Friday 29.08.2025

Categories:

- 9 Years old and under
- 10 to 13 years old

Prizes for each category:

- 1st Prize: \$150
- 2nd Prize: \$120
- . 3rd Prize: \$100
- 4rd Prize: \$80
- 5th Prize: \$50

Prizes announced:

Sunday, 21 September 2025 Canterbury - Bankstown Children's Festival 2025 Playford Park, Cahors Rd, Padstow NSW 2211 (5 minute walk from Padstow Railway Station)

CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL ORGANISATION INC.

Web https://www.childrensfestival.org.au | Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/ChildrensFestivalOrganisationInc



Canterbury-Bankstown Children's Festival 2025 Writing Competition

Theme:

"Let's create a sustainable world for everyone"

Entry:

- To Enter, please write no more than 500 words to comment the question above.
- Save the file and attach it to an email with your full name, age, email address, telephone number and send to: <u>info@childrensfestival.org.au</u>

For further information, please contact: info@childrensfestival.org.au

Entries close: Wednesday 03.09.2025

Participants:

Children from 11 to 13 years old

Prizes:

- 1st Prize: \$200
- 2nd Prize: \$150
- 3rd Prize: \$120
- 4rd Prize: \$100
- 5th Prize: \$70

Prizes announced:

Sunday, 21 September 2025 Canterbury-Bankstown Children's Festival 2025 Playford Park, Cahors Rd, Padstow NSW 2211 Close to Padstow Railway Station)



