

Beckom Public School



Seize the Day

Celebrating World Teachers' Day

We celebrated World Teachers' Day last Friday. I would like to take this opportunity to thank our teachers for the outstanding dedication and the professionalism that they display at Beckom. We have wonderful teachers, including casuals, and we appreciate all the activities and effort they put in both inside and outside the classroom.

Congratulations Mr Osborne

Mr Osborne received an award for his four years of service with Your Dream as part of the National Chaplaincy Program. We congratulate Mr Osborne on his well deserved achievement and we look forward to the continuation of this program in 2021.

Orientation kicks off with a great start

It was very exciting to start our Kindergarten orientation this week. The students enjoyed participating in class activities and playing together in the playground. Orientation will continue next week with more fun and creative learning.

Year 6 transition to high school

Matilda and Chloe began their transition to Year 7 yesterday at Ardlethan Central School. They were very excited to catch up with former Beckom students and friends from the Ardlethan community. Matilda enjoyed drawing 3D objects in Mathematics. In English the focus was on the movie *Cool Running* which tells the story of the Jamaica bobsledding team.

Mrs Emma Speirs

Term 4 Week 4
5th November 2020



Wednesday 11th
November

Remembrance Day
Kindergarten
orientation and Year 6
transition to high school

Friday 13th
November

Life Education van visits
Beckom

STUDENT OF THE WEEK



Alexis Hawkins

For dedication and
improvement in Literacy

SIENNA BEGINS KINDERGARTEN ORIENTATION!



COVID-19 Advice for families

As we progress through Term 4 it is important that we re-visit the COVID-19 safe protocols for our community. The protocols are delivered by the NSW Department of Education based on the best advice from NSW Health.

We would like to remind parents not to send students to school if they are unwell, even if they have mild symptoms. Schools will make appropriate arrangements to send students home if they become unwell at school.

Students should be at school unless:

- they have a medical certificate which states that they are unable to return to school due to an ongoing medical condition and the expected timeframe; or
- they are currently unwell.

For more information in relation to COVID-19 protocols for schools, please follow this link

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/advice-for-families>

We would like to thank you for your ongoing support in following the guidelines and helping to keep everyone healthy and safe.



Please remember to pack a broad brimmed hat for your child to wear during Term 4.



JOKE WEEK

Why did the scarecrow win the Nobel Prize?



He was outstanding in his field.

Wishing all farmers a safe and productive harvest.
You are all outstanding in your field!



Kindergarten Orientation

Orientation for Kindergarten 2021 will take place each Wednesday until the end of Term 4.

Please contact the school for further information.

TRIVIA CORNER

Megan Waters was the winner of the children's trivia from last week and the runners-up were Matilda Osborne and Ryan Waters. Donald Duck's middle name is Fauntleroy. The adult trivia was won by Debbie Andrews. Ray Parker Jr had a hit with the theme song for the original Ghostbusters movie.

Good luck with this week's questions.

Adult question:

How many balls are on the table at the beginning of a game of snooker?

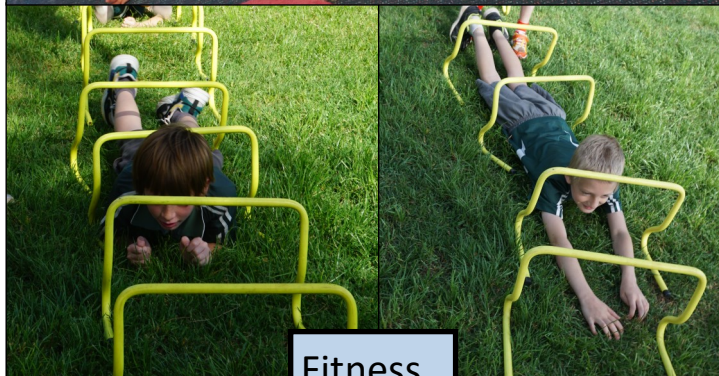


Children's question:

A channel of water surrounding a castle is called what?



Creating shapes



Fitness

