



Important Dates!

17/11 - 27/11	Years 5 & 6 Swimming
5/12	EOY Awards Ceremony
8/12	2026 Class Letters Home
9/12	Year 6 Graduation Ceremony
9/12	Orientation Day
10/12	School Reports Home
11/12	Year 6 Farewell & Final Assembly



Canteen Information



Orders for the canteen can be placed online at <https://quickcliq.com.au/> or by the quickcliq app



Visit the Bakewell Primary School website for the full list of important dates.

Bakewell Bulletin

The Bakewell Bulletin is sent out to families electronically each fortnight. Please check your email and notify the Administration Office on admin1.office@education.nt.gov.au or call 8997 7400 if you do not receive. To view previous editions of the Bakewell Bulletin visit the "News section of the Bakewell School website at www.bakewellprimary.nt.edu.au/news

Office Hours

Bakewell Primary School Office is open 7.30am until 3.30pm Daily.



Week 7

Hello parents and carers,
Last week the school underwent a scheduled School Review, a process which sees a team of trained experts spend four full days in the school interviewing all staff, as well as many students and parents. The process ultimately culminates in the production of a comprehensive report, which identifies the following:

- Findings in relation to nine different domains.
- Commendations – things that the school is doing very well and should be commended for.
- Affirmations – things are promising and provide good foundation to build on from.
- Recommendations – opportunities to focus improvements efforts on over the next few years.

The leadership team and broader staff are positive about the information that we have received from this process and optimistic about how this will help inform the school's direction over the next few years.

On Monday morning we got to hear from 16 highly impressive year five students as they delivered speeches as part of the 2026 Student Leadership Team selection process. These students provided a great example of demonstrating Bakewell school values of Courage – it is always nerve-wracking to get up and speak in front of a group of your peers – as well as Pride – they all exuded a genuine care in helping their school be as good as it can be.

It was terrific to see a large turnout of parents attend Monday evening's Transition information evening, led by Ms Miller and Ms Kambouris. We also have a similar information session for 2026 preschoolers coming up next Tuesday.

I thank all parents / carers for your patience and understanding this week with the disruptions that have occurred for some classes due to the national recall of several coloured sand products. The situation has been evolving day by day since Friday and we have ended up having five classrooms affected. This has meant that we have temporarily isolated these classrooms until we can get them appropriately cleaned. The impacted classes have needed to be moved to other spaces for this week. The students have coped very well with these temporary changes, and I thank the several teachers who have been very positive and flexible about making changes with little to no notice.

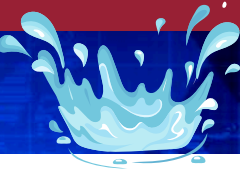
We are hoping to have the impacted classrooms cleaned as soon as possible so that we can return to normal, however the Department of Education and Training is prioritising the cleaning of schools who have a higher number of classrooms impacted than Bakewell.

Have a great week,
Warwick





SWIMMING AT BAKEWELL



Year 5&6

Weeks 7 & 8



\$100 SPORT VOUCHER

The Sport Voucher Scheme is available to every school-enrolled child from Transition to year 12. Parents or carers need to apply for vouchers online each semester. Children living in an urban area are eligible to receive **two \$100 sports vouchers each year**. One in January and one in July, for sport, recreation and cultural activities. To apply for a sports voucher or for more information visit: <https://nt.gov.au/leisure/sport/sport-voucher-scheme-urban/get-sport-vouchers-for-your-child>

FUNDRAISING AT BAKEWELL

Bandanna Day FUNDRAISER



In week 4, Mr Shirley and some of our Year 6 students promoted and sold bandannas in support of a great cause. Mr Shirley and the team at Bakewell managed to raise a whopping **\$2023.00** with total of **289 Bandannas sold!** A BIG thank you to Mr Shirley for organising and also our Bakewell community for getting behind this initiative! This was our first time participating in Bandanna Day, and we look forward to being involved again next year!



Thank you Bakewell Primary School
For your amazing support raising \$2,023 for Canteen's Bandanna Day and young Aussies facing cancer.



A MESSAGE FROM MR SHIRLEY...

I would like to thank Azealia, Megan, Jobi, Serena, Grace and Mackenzie from 6 Hodgson.
Also Ms Krystal for her assistance in promoting this.
Another wonderful time for unity and giving. Young people know how to share and care. Challenges bring unity and strength within people and community.

YEAR 6

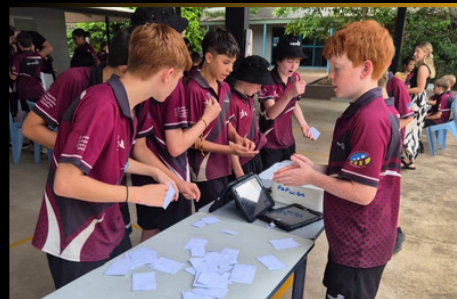
MARKET DAY

SCHOOL EVENTS

Today our Year 6 students put their products to the test, selling their handmade creations to enthusiastic shoppers from Years 3–5. The market was a huge success, with many stalls completely selling out! From creative designs to clever business ideas, our Super Sixes showcased fantastic teamwork, problem-solving and entrepreneurial spirit.



We are incredibly proud of our Year 6 cohort for running such a positive, well-organised and vibrant market experience. A big thank you to our families for their wonderful support—whether through donations, encouragement, or sending students with money to take part. Your support helped make Market Day such a memorable success for our Super Sixes!





SCHOOL EVENTS

🏆 PARRS Netball Carnival 🏆

Our Year 5 and 6 student had an incredible day at the PARRS Netball Carnival last Thursday. They showed fantastic sportsmanship, played fairly and brought fun, positive energy to every game.

With determination, teamwork and enthusiasm, they went undefeated - winning 5 out of 5 games and bringing home the championship!

A huge thank you to Mr Mac for umpiring and Mrs Krystal for supervising and scoring. We are so proud of our students and their amazing effort on and off the court!





ASSEMBLY SCHEDULE

TERM 4

WEEK 1 Friday 10 October

NO ASSEMBLY

WEEK 6 Friday 14 November

Primary Assembly
Performance By: 5 Morrow & 5/6 Cliff

WEEK 2 Friday 17 October

Early Childhood Assembly
Performance By: 1/2 Bingham

WEEK 7 Friday 21 November

Early Childhood Assembly
Performance By: T/1 Caffery & T/1 Rosa

WEEK 3 Friday 24 October

Primary Assembly
Performance By: 5 Clayton & 4 Moore

WEEK 8 Friday 28 November

Primary Assembly
Performance By: 4 Dawes & 5 Young

WEEK 4 Friday 31 October

Whole School Assembly - World Teachers Day
Performance By: 3/4 Mayne & 3 Newell

WEEK 9 Friday 5 December

Whole School Assembly
End of Year Awards Ceremony

WEEK 5 Friday 7 November

Early Childhood Assembly
Performance By: 2 Groves

WEEK 10 Thursday 11 December

Whole School Morning Assembly
Christmas Performance by: Student Leaders
Whole School Afternoon Assembly
Performance by: Year 6 Students



BAKEWELL PRIMARY MERIT AWARDS



WEEK 5 – EARLY CHILDHOOD

Transition	Grade 1	Grade 2	Specialists
<u>T/Dagg</u> Hannah Gasura Sophie Nguyen	<u>1/ Dodt</u> Honey-Jane Shilling Jayden Fraunfelder	<u>2/Gordon</u> Maddison Gabel Sara Manning	<u>Science</u> Edith Trotter
<u>T/1 Rosa</u> Harlan Gerdes-Brennan Mackenzie Boyd	<u>1/Greywolf</u> Alice Bates Jaxon Stocks	<u>1/2 Bingham</u> Sean-Dre Jason Mia Stephens	<u>Chinese</u> Elise *****
<u>T/1 Caffery</u> Maui Herewini Lachlan Buettner	<u>1/2 McDonald</u> Jordan McMasters Athena *****	<u>2/ Groves</u> Olivia Pascoe Amyrah Lal	<u>Technology</u> Dallas Higgins
<u>T/Bijkerk</u> Jordyn Harrison			<u>PE</u> Danielle Quan

WEEK 6 – PRIMARY ASSEMBLY

Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6	Specialists
<u>3/Newell</u> Paisley Carey Georgia ****	<u>4/ Dawes</u> Aiden Chan Chloe Moss	<u>5/Young</u> Yash Panchal Aryan Pathak	<u>6/Hodgson</u> Jed Marshall Tane Hancock	<u>PE</u> Wendall Franklin
<u>3/ Grunwald</u> Lucas Bostock Mark Te'o	<u>4 Moore</u> Ethan *** Charlie Alvaraz	<u>5/ Clayton</u> Samuel Romaine-Stacey Zurakai Tyers	<u>6 West</u> Magnus *** Addison Millar	<u>Science</u> Riley Rich
<u>3/ Peel</u> Teancum Flores Owen Prosper	<u>4/ Holmes</u> Mia Sheppard Zoe Reid	<u>5/Morrow</u> Johnathan McCluskey Matthew Langdon	<u>6/ MInerney</u> Mia Mugford Yevjana Arohan	<u>Ms Kemp</u> Colton Graham
<u>3/4 Mayne</u> Isabella Hutton Colton Graham		<u>5/6 Cliff</u> Shanen Sacramento Julian Franklin	<u>6/ Griffith</u> Patrick Wilson Matilda Hewitt	





COMMUNITY NOTICES

SPORT VOUCHERS

Apply now

NORTHERN TERRITORY GOVERNMENT

JUNIORS

UNDER 9s, 11s, 13s, 15s and 17.5s
BOYS AND GIRLS COMPETITIONS

----- PALMERSTON and RURAL CLUBS -----

NOW TAKING REGISTRATIONS

VISIT PLAY.AFL

CONTACT: NICOLE.HYLAND@AFL.COM.AU

Everyone can play!

2026 enrolments now open!

JOIN US FOR IN-SCHOOL LESSONS FOR YEARS 4-12

CHOOSE FROM CHOIR, VOICE, VIOLIN, VIOLA, CELLO, FLUTE, SAXOPHONE, CLARINET, GUITAR, BASS GUITAR, TRUMPET, TROMBONE and PERCUSSION

INSTRUMENT HIRE AVAILABLE

NT MUSIC SCHOOL

For more info, call us on 8963 5550
or visit www.ntms.net.au

Scan here for enrolment to check, raise and the instrumental program

Become a Foster or Kinship Carer in Greater Darwin Region

Open your hearts, open your home

Carers are urgently needed to provide a safe and nurturing home for children.

Learn about how to become a Foster or Kinship Carer by contacting Foster and Kinship Carers Association NT.
Call 1300 352 268 or email info@fkca.org.au



COMMUNITY NOTICES

DARWIN SCHOOL OF BALLET
PRESENTS

Cinderella

A Magical Night Awaits



Join Cinderella, her fairy godmother and a cast of delightful characters as they dance this beloved fairytale of kindness, courage and dreams coming true.

CDU Theatre
Saturday 29 November 2025
Two shows: 10.30am and 6.30pm
Adults: \$30.00
Children: \$20.00

Tickets available so book now!



CDC NORTHERN TERRITORY

BUSSY'S CORNER

How do you show respect to bus drivers?

Showing respect to bus drivers is just like how you'd treat anyone helping you—be kind, polite, and appreciate what they do.

- Say hi and greet the driver.
- Listen to their instructions while on the bus.
- Keep noise down and don't be loud.
- Sit down and buckle up.
- Follow the school bus rules for a safe trip.

Smile, say hello, thank you, and goodbye to the bus driver—these small things can really make their day nicer!



RIDE WITH RESPECT

Our blood pressure drops when we pet a dog.