



BUSSELTON SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

R.E.A.L

July 2020





Principals Address

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Community Members,

What a term is has been! First and foremost, I would like to thank the entire Busselton Senior High School community for your compassion, patience, understanding and support throughout what has been a very different Term 2. Most of all thank you for trusting us with your child's education.

As we watch what is going on around the world and even in our own country, it is not lost on me how fortunate we are to live in Western Australia. As advised by the Department of Education, under directive from the State Government, phase 5 will come in to effect on Saturday 18th July. As such, life at school will return to 'almost normal' at Busselton Senior High School, with all incursions, excursions, assemblies, staff meetings etc able to take place without restriction. We ask for your patience once again as we adjust to the new normal, and reinvigorate many events that have been postponed due to COVID19.

I am pleased to announce that the state government will continue their funding to maintain the day time cleaning allocation for

Term 3 to ensure our students and staff are safe.

As the leader of this school, I cannot sign off Term 2 without once again thanking our staff. Their perseverance and dedication to continue to work through this situation has been nothing short of inspiring. I am humbled to work alongside such a devoted team, and appreciate their continued commitment to support each other through this challenging time.

I wish all of you a safe, healthy and happy holiday. I look forward to resetting for Term 3 and all the joy that it will bring to our school.

Students resume on Tuesday 21st July.

Kind regards

Dainon Couzic
Principal



School Board



Introducing one of our new board members, Narelle Hopkins.

I have lived in the South West my whole life. Whilst most of my schooling was in Margaret River, I did attend Busselton Senior High School for two years. I love walking around and seeing the changes in the school and how it has grown.

I have two daughters, one in Year 7 at Busselton Senior High School and another in Year 5 at Busselton Primary School.

We love to get out and enjoy this wonderful region we live in. We also love to experience the different culture and environments that overseas travel provides.

I have been a hair stylist for 25 years. I have worked in many aspects of the this industry including training and sales. This has enabled me to meet a vast number of people from many different backgrounds. I currently work in my own studio and love the creativity of my job.

As a parent representative on the Busselton Senior High School Board, I am not afraid to ask the hard questions. I love the strategic plans involved in running the school, and how the school community can support these plans to help nurture and develop our children into future leaders.

I cannot wait to see how Busselton Senior High School grows in the years to come - it is definitely a great time to be involved.

Coming up in Term 3!

With the relaxation of restrictions, most events, excursions and incursions will be back on the calendar. However we will hold off publishing this until early Term 3 once phase 5 has come in to effect on the 18th July.

In the meantime, one date we know you can put in your diary is *Monday 17th August*. This will be a professional development day for staff and a student free day for students.

STUDENT FREE DAY

MONDAY 17TH AUGUST 2020



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