# Baulkham Hills High Newsletter



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**Year 12 Formal** 

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## From the principal's desk:

Well done to Benjamin W Jiang, Shivam Pant, Sayum Rupasinghe, Joshua Seo, Alexander Warne and Terry Gao who represented our school and NSW at the 2023 Australian Schools Teams Chess Championships held over the past weekend in Adelaide. Thank you to Mr Hu for his organisation and coaching of our team. Our team ended up being placed third in the country at the Championships. What a wonderful experience for our students. Thank you to these students' parents in enabling this experience to take place.

Krystal Jessen (Year 10) received two NSW Blues for Swimming this past week in recognition of her outstanding representation. She received a NSW CHS Blue and a Sydney West Blue. Congratulations Krystal. More information on page 4 and 5.

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Calendar 2023

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This calendar is subject to change so please check carefully each week for any alterations. A whole year calendar is on the school website at www.baulkhamhillshighschool.com.au

Term 4

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Monday 4 December
Y7 Ancient History Show
Y10 Urban Challenge Camp 4/12 to 6/12 incl.
Tuesday 5 December
Y9 Christmas Cupcake Incursion
Wednesday 6 December
Musical Ensemble Program – Band Auditions for 2024
Thursday 7 December
Musical Ensemble Program – Band End of Year Concert
Y8 James Adams Medieval Show
Friday 8 December
SRC Planning Day 2024
SRC End of Year Celebration Dinner
Week 10
Monday 11 December
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Term 1, 2024

Week 1 **Monday 29 January** HOLIDA' Tuesday 30 January Staff Dévelopment Day – Pupil Free Day Wednesday 31 January Staff Development Day – Pupil Free Day Thursday 1 February Year 7, 11 and 12 Return to School Y7 Orientation Day Friday 2 February Year 8, 9 and 10 Return to School Week 2 **Monday 5 February** Year 7 Camp 5/2 - 6/2 incl. Year 11 O Day Tuesday 6 February Year 11 O Day Wednesday 7 February Year 7 IT Set Up Thursday 8 February Year 7 O Day Friday 9 February Year 7 O Day Mirai – Futurés with Japan Excursion Y10Acc/Y11/Y12 Week 3 Monday 12 February Tuesday 13 February Y7-10 Elevate Workshops Wednesday 14 February Thursday 15 February Friday 16 February

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The CAPA Showcase is finally here! It is on this Thursday (7 December) at The Concourse, Chatswood, starting at 6:30 pm. Thank you to Ms Kim and her amazing team of staff who have brought this evening together, and for all the students and parents and carers who have worked so hard to bring this evening together. It is going to be a great night!

Year 8 survived their camp at the Great Aussie Bush Camp last week. This week it is Year 10's turn at Urban Challenge. Again, thank you to the amazing BHHS staff for their willingness to attend - their attendance enables these fantastic experiences to be provided for our students.

### **Wayne Humphreys Principal**

### Travel Forms – Extended Leave

Please Note: Holidays/Extended Leave are not to be submitted through the parent portal. An application needs to be completed. Click on link:

https://education.nsw.gov.au/conte nt/dam/main-education/policylibrary/associated-documents/pd-2005-0259-02-2.pdf



## Baulko News

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## **Sport News**

## **Sydney West Blue Award**

Congratulations to Krystal Jessen receiving the 2023 Sydney West Blue award for Swimming and Premier Sporting Challenge award and a \$500 scholarship.

Mr Tran PE Teacher











## **Sport News**

### **NSW CHS Blue Award**

Congratulations to Krystal Jessen receiving the NSW CHS Blue Award – She won three gold medals at the 2023 NSWCHSSA Swimming Championship, represented NSWCHSSA winning one gold, three silver and one bronze medal at the NSW All Schools trial. She won a gold medal, two silver medals and a bronze medal at the 2023 School Sport Australia Championship.

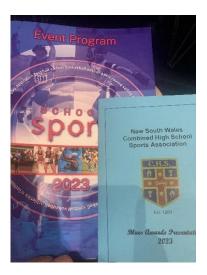
















### **Japanese Speech Contest**

On Saturday November 25th, students who are studying Japanese had the opportunity to participate in the Japanese Speech Contest hosted by Western Sydney University. Despite being on such short notice, Baulko students achieved amazing results, with all four participants being awarded a spot in the top three and received the Best Performing School Prize.

Our students thought it was nerve-wracking at first, but confidently delivered their well-prepared speeches. Within the first words of our speeches, the judges were captivated and fascinated by these fine young students from Baulko who were so fluent and manipulative in the Japanese language. During the cultural immersion dining of delicately selected sushi, our Baulko students took the initiative to welcome other students and create lasting friendships and bonds with



the other contestants. This experience assisted in creating a brighter future for our students.

### **Received - Best Performing School Prize**

### **Advanced Division**

- Melissa Gao, Year 11 First Place
- Yxaak Dino, Year 11 Second Place

### **Novice Division**

- Yining Sun, Year 9 Second Place
- Grace Ge, Year 9 Third Place

スピーチョンテストにさんかして、よかったです!私と同じように日本語を勉強している学生達に会ったり、おすしを食べたり、おりがみをしたりして、いい思い出を作りました。Baulkham Hillsの生とぜんいんがしょうをもらったことは、本当にすばらしいですね。日本語のクラスのみなさん、おうえんしてくれてありがとうございました。とくに、たかむら先生にかんしゃしたいと思います。 I am glad I got to participate in the Japanese Speech Contest! We met and bonded with other highschoolers studying Japanese like us, enjoyed sushi for lunch, tried origami, and overall created fun and lasting memories. Isn't it amazing how all four Baulkham Hills students were able to achieve an award? To my Japanese classmates, thank you for all your support. I would like to particularly express my gratitude to Ms Takamura.

スピーチョンテストで楽しい思い出ができて、うれしいです!友達も何人かできました。将来もおたがいに仲間(なかま)として、日本語の勉強をささえ合えることをねがっています。学校でスピーキングを練習(れんしゅう)することよりちがうかんきょうで、思っていた以上(いじょう)に上達(じょうたつ)できました。高村先生、おうえんしてくれて本当にありがとうございました!みなさんもこのようなすばらしいき会があったら、ぜひさんかしてみてくださいね! I'm very happy to have made so many fun memories at the speech contest! While I was there, I even managed to make some friends! I hope that we will all be able to continue to support each other even in the future, especially in our study of Japanese. The environment at the contest was very different from just practicing speaking at school, and I was able to improve a lot more than I expected! Thanks so much to Ms. Takamura, who came to support us all on the day. If you ever get the opportunity to join a contest like this, please give it a shot! イーザック Yxaak Y11 Accel



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日本語のコンテストはおもしろくて、それは私にとってまったく新しいけいけでした。一週間前からじゅんびをはじめるのはむずかしかったですが、たのしくて、友だちをつくりました。プライズをもらうことができて、よかったです。しょうらい、もっとコンテストにさんかしたいです。 ( $\sim$   $^ ^-$ ) $\sim$   $\sim$  ( $^ ^ ^-$ ) $\sim$   $\sim$  ( $^ ^ ^-$ ) $\sim$  ( $^ ^-$ ) $\sim$  ( $^ ^ ^-$ ) $\sim$  ( $^ ^ ^-$ ) $\sim$  ( $^ ^ ^-$ ) $\sim$  ( $^ ^-$ ) $\sim$  ( $^ ^ ^-$ ) $\sim$  ( $^ ^ ^-$ ) $\sim$  ( $^ ^-$ )

日本語でスピーチを話するのはむずかしかったですけど、他のみなさんの日本語のべんきょうについてのけいけんを聞くき会がありました。やくに立つ体けんだと思って、もう一かいさんかしたいです! (● ● o) Making a speech in a mostly unfamiliar second language was difficult. However, It was a very enriching experience, with the opportunity to make many new connections and hear about many different stories to do with Japanese learning.







## update of Personal Details

If there have been any changes to your personal details, please email the school with any changes –

It is important that parents/guardians keep the school informed of any changes.

### baulkham-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au

if your preferred email address is a Hotmail address please check your spam/junk folder for emails from the school.



# 20% Discount on Co-Curricular Group Photos available until 13/12/2023

Dear Parents,

These school co-curricular groups were photographed on 26/10/2023:

Captains and Prefects	School Captains	Leaders 2024	
Captains, Vice Captains and Sports Captains	School Vice Captains		
Prefects	Sports Captains		

You can now view and purchase the group images listed above and if you place your order before 13/12/2023 you will get a 20% early order discount. Just click on the link below. Please note the discount will be automatically applied at checkout.

https://www.advancedimage.com.au/PublicPortal/BrowseGroups.aspx?nbnhmHqqedBw+sOCStJ Yvw==

Images can also be viewed by visiting <u>www.advancedlife.com.au</u> entering the code: M8W XEH MBB and clicking on "Group Photos".

### **Important**

- Sports and co-curricular group photos can only be purchased online, **PLEASE DO NOT** return payment to your school
- If your child's group or team is scheduled to be photographed at a later date, you will receive an additional email notification when the images are ready to be ordered.
- Photos will be returned to your school for distribution approximately six weeks after the discounted **early** order period has closed.
- Past years' photographs including sports, co-curricular and representative groups are also available at your school's **advancedorder** and your child's **advancedyou** photo sites.

**Advancedlife** would like to express our appreciation to Baulkham Hills High School for placing your trust in us. Please remember we offer a 100% money-back guarantee on our products to ensure your peace of mind. We would also love to receive your feedback or resolve any issues you may experience, to ensure your satisfaction. If you have any questions, comments or feedback relating to your **advancedlife** experience, please contact us at <a href="https://www.advancedlife.com.au/contact">www.advancedlife.com.au/contact</a>.





## **MEP Ensemble Program**

# □ 2023 Music and Art Showcase □ □ Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> of December - 6:30pm 函



The 2023 Music and Art Showcase will be bigger and better than ever! This year we are holding the Showcase at The Concourse in Chatswood. Every ensemble will be performing, alongside students from Year 9-10 Elective Music and Year 11-12 Music 2 and Extension classes. All of Year 7 will perform as a massed choir. There will also be a large display of artworks created by BHHS students of all grades.

**TICKETS**: 1 ticket \$30, 3 tickets \$75

To purchase music showcase tickets, please scan the QR code or click the link then press 'add item' to select the ticket type.

Once you have paid for the tickets, you will need to print the receipt and bring it to the CAPA staffroom to Ms Kim to get the tickets. We will be selling tickets from the front row first, so buy your tickets early to get good seats.



### https://portal.schoolbytes.education/other-payment/2100

All Music Ensemble Program students must wear their band uniform for their performances. Year 7 students are to wear full school uniform and change as necessary for ensemble performances. Elective music students are to wear performance blacks.









### Baulkham Hills High School Uniform Shop 2024 Order Guide

OPENING HOURS: Wednesday&Friday 8:00am-11:00am

Option 1: Purchase in person during opening hours.

Option 2: Order online refer to detailed instruction below and pick up at uniform shop. We will notify you through text message when the uniforms are ready.

### Online order (strongly recommended)

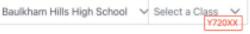
Please order through Munch Monitor at <a href="https://www.munchmonitor.com/">www.munchmonitor.com/</a> https://www.munchmonitor.com/
School ID: baulkhamhhs Password: munch2153

### 1.New Register -> MyAccount

Step 1. Go on the website, use School ID, Password above to register a new Account, then select 'ADD NEW STUDENT PROFILE'



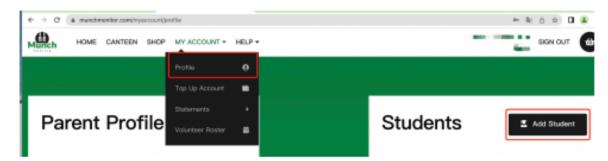
### School Details



Step 2. Create Students:Please select class according to your grade. For year7 new starter, Please select Y72024 for class and save the profile;

Step 3. Go to Home and select School Shop to place orders

### 2.Existing Munch monitor account, MY ACCOUNT -> Profile -> Add Student



### Refund/exchange:

Please refer to school website

BHHS Uniform Shop Team Tel: 02 9639 8699 Email: bhhsuniformshop@gmail.com



## **Baulkham Hills High School Uniform Price List 2023**



### **BAULKHAM HILLS HIGH SCHOOL UNIFORM PRICE LIST 2023**

(Effective from 1st July 2023)

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CATEGORY	ITEMS	(GST inclusive)	SIZE AVAILABLE
Junior Boys	Grey Pants	\$53.00	10-22
(Year 7 - Year 9)	Grey Shorts	\$45.00	8-20
	Short Sleeve Shirt	\$42.00	10-22
	Junior Boys Tie	\$17.00	-
	Long Sleeve Shirt	\$44.00	10-22
Senior Boys	Blazer	\$200.00	28-48
Year 10 - Year 12)	Grey Pants	\$53.00	10-22
	Grey Shorts	\$45.00	8-20
	Short Sleeve Shirt	\$42.00	10-22
	Senior Boys Tie	\$17.00	-
	Long Sleeve Shirt	\$44.00	10-22
Junior Girls		450.00	0.10
	Grey Pants	\$53.00	6-18
(Year 7 - Year 9)	Skirts	\$48.00	6-20
	Short Sleeve Blouse	\$42.00	6-18
	Junior Girls Tie - Green	\$8.00	-
	Long Sleeve Blouse	\$44.00	6-16
Senior Girls	Blazer	\$200.00	6-18
(Year 10 - Year 12)	Grey Pants	\$53.00	6-18
(1041 10 1041 12)	Skirts	\$48.00	6-20
	Short Sleeve Blouse	\$42.00	6-18
	Senior Girls Tie - Orange	\$8.00	-
	Long Sleeve Blouse	\$44.00	6-18
Unisex Items	Bomber Jacket	\$85.00	8-24
	Jumper	\$95.00	8-24
	PE Shirt	\$48.00	10-22
	PE Shorts	\$40.00	10-22
	Sports Jacket	\$75.00	10-22
	Sports Pants	\$53.00	10-22
Mr Harrania		*****	
Miscellaneous	Apron	\$15.00	-
	Baseball Cap	\$16.00	
	Bucket Hat	\$19.00	M, L
	Draw String Bag	\$10.00	Ī
	Grey Socks	\$5.00	6-11, 11-14
	School Bag	\$55.00	-
	Tie	\$18.00	-
	White Cap	\$8.00	-
	White Socks	\$5.00	-

Uniform Shop opens every Wednesday and Friday, 8-11 am during school terms.

Uniforms can be purchased:

School ID: baulkhamhhs Password: munch2153

A text message will be sent as a notification when the order is ready to pickup in the shop. Delivery is not available for uniform orders.



<sup>1 -</sup> Directly at the counter, in person during the uniform shop operating hours

<sup>2 -</sup> Munch Monitor: Order through Munch Monitor at www.munchmonitor.com

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### **Careers News**

### **UAC Info**

First up a reminder that UAC holds frequent online events so that you can understand what they do and you can ask questions directly. Coming up is a webinar explaining how preferences and offers work. If you missed my presentation to the P&C, or would like a refresher, they have this one coming up on Wednesday, Dec 6th, at 6pm: <a href="https://uacdigital.easywebinar.live/rego-preferences-and-offers-2023">https://uacdigital.easywebinar.live/rego-preferences-and-offers-2023</a>

UAC also has a newsletter, and if you're a parent of a new Year 12 student, you should definitely sign up to that. You can choose what you'd like to hear about from them. I would recommend ticking the boxes for 'Parent of a high school student', 'Undergraduate', 'Access schemes' and 'Equity Scholarships' (if you have financial disadvantage). It's also worth noting that UAC changes how it does some things each year so, even if you've had a child finish school previously, it's good to find out what's new or different. I will try to keep you across that via this newsletter as well. Here's the UAC newsletter sign up: https://enews.uac.edu.au/h/r/A04226FFFCE21EA4

### **HSC Stats**

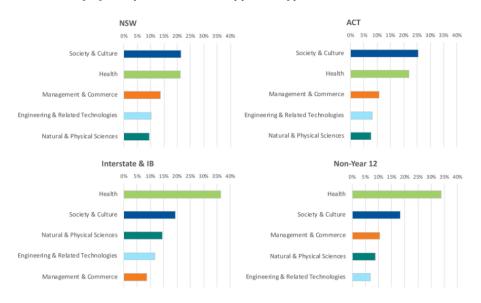
https://www.uac.edu.au/media-centre/statistics/domestic-undergraduate-application-statistics-at-early-bird-closing-2023

On the above page, UAC publishes stats related to students' study preferences. A full list of their publicly available stats are here: <a href="https://www.uac.edu.au/media-centre/statistics">https://www.uac.edu.au/media-centre/statistics</a>

A quick quote from the page: "Overall, Health has again taken the top spot as the favoured field of study, with 25.7% of early bird applicants listing it as their first preference. Society & Culture came second, receiving 20.6% of first preferences across all applicant types."

Society & Culture loosely means 'Arts' degrees. Also here in graph form:

### Field of study by first preferences and applicant type: 2023-24



Enjoy,

Chris Buchli Careers Adviser



### **Administration Updates**

### **Absence Explanations**

Parents are required to provide an explanation of absence to the school on the day of absence or within seven (7) days from the first day of any period of absence, otherwise it will remain unjustified. If a student is absent for three (3) days or more a Medical Certificate is required.

### Application for Extended Leave – Travel

Please click on the link below and fill in the form (4 pages) for extended leave – travel and certificate. A copy of flight details or itinerary is also to be included. The student can bring the hard copy form to be signed which is subject to approval before going on leave. **The certificate of extended leave travel will be given back to the student if travel leave is approved.** 

https://education.nsw.gov.au/content/dam/main-education/policy-library/associated-documents/pd-2005-0259-02-2.pdf.

### **Planned Travel**

Planned travel should only be taken during school holidays. Students should be at school every day during school term, from beginning to end. Missing a day here or there may not seem like much, but absences add up. Every day matters and the school is here to support all students in attending and engaging with their learning every day of the term. If your child cannot be at school because they are sick, have a medical appointment, or other reasons, please inform the school of their absence.

Days missed = years lost



### Permission and Payment for Excursions, Sporting Events/ Activities

Baulko is currently using "School Bytes" as a form for permissions and payments for various activities.

You will receive the required permissions and or payment via email. If it is not finalised by the deadline, your child will not be able to attend.

Please check these emails are not going into your spam as they are named school bytes.



### School Bytes Parent App – available now



Dear Parents/Carers,

### Please read below and download as soon as possible.

School Bytes provides a parent portal to help your school communicate with you. This is accessible via a website and an App, available for both Apple and Android devices.

Baulkham Hills High School uses the parent portal for various things, including **online permission notes and payments**, which can be accessed via a secure link. The School Bytes parent portal enables you to view all your children in one portal and process payments for multiple siblings in one transaction, even if they attend different schools (assuming all of the schools use School Bytes!).

**IMPORTANT** – To ensure that the registration process works smoothly and you can link your account to your child(ren), make sure that you use the same email address that you have provided to the school or if using a different email address, an SMS verification code will be sent to the mobile phone number on record for you at the school.

### **Detailed steps**

- 1. Open the parent portal link <a href="https://portal.schoolbytes.education/auth/login">https://portal.schoolbytes.education/auth/login</a>
- 2. Select the create a new account link.
- 3. Enter your first name as it appears on your student's profile at the school.
- 4. Enter your last name as it appears on your student's profile at the school.



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- 5. Enter the email address that you use for school communication.
- 6. Enter a password.
- 7. Confirm the password.
- 8. Select create account.

An email will be sent to the email address nominated so that you can verify your access to the email address.

Once you have created your account, log in to the School Bytes parent portal.

You can now link your account to all students in schools that use the School Bytes platform.

- 1. Select link other student.
- 2. Search for the school's name.
- 3. Enter the student's first name.
- 4. Enter the student's last name.
- 5. Select the student's current grade.
- 6. Enter the student's date of birth.
- 7. Select search.

If all student information matches with parent information according to the student's official enrolment stored at the school, the system will add the student to the parent account automatically.

If you are unable to link a student to your account or if you have any questions relating to this process please contact the school.

### **Activating the Parent App**

1. Access the app store on your phone and search for School Bytes.

If you can't find it, here are the direct links:

Apple: https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=education.schoolbytes

Android: https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=education.schoolbytes

- 2. Download the School Bytes App.
- 3. Use your username and password created previously to log on.
- 4. If prompted, allow notifications.

You are all set to go!





## BHHS Mobile Phone Policy and Implementation Term 4 Trial Procedures

#### **Purpose Statement:**

The "no phones in school" policy is being implemented to increase focus and learning in classrooms, remove distractions and promote positive social interactions. The implementation of this policy is a requirement by the NSW Department of Education under the Students' Use of Mobile Phones in Schools Policy.

#### Rational:

From Term 4, 2023, students are not permitted to use mobile phones whilst on school grounds, including before & after school, recess and lunch. We understand that phones are an integral part of life and that parents/carers provide their children phones for their personal safety and security. However, whilst at school, the school would encourage students to engage in meaningful conversations with each other and physical activity during breaks rather than online activities. In emergency situations, students and parents/carer may contact each other through the Front Office. The school, understands that there are some circumstances where a phone may be required by students. Therefore, exemptions are available for students that may require the use of a mobile phone for wellbeing reasons, learning or medical needs.

The NSW Department of Education provided five options for schools to implement this policy. After surveying the views of teachers, students and parents, there was majority support for the introduction of the option "phones off and away". It has been decided to trial this option during Term 4, with a review in early 2024.

### Roles and Responsibilities:

### Principal, Executive and Teachers:

- Practice consistent with the school behaviour policy
- Staff model appropriate use of mobile phones
- · Organise safe keeping of mobile phones if confiscated

### Office staff:

- Organise safe and secure keeping of confiscated phones
- Keep an accurate record of collected mobile phones
- · Communicate with parents/carers as required

#### Parents and carers:

- Encourage students to follow the school policy
- · Communicate with their child through the front office rather than contacting the student directly
- Understand that the school takes no responsibility for loss or damage to phones
- Encourage their children to engage in social and physical activities during break times
- Work collaboratively with the school and help reinforce the school's procedures and behaviour management policy and use of phones at school to support staff

### Students:

- Turn off the phone and place it in a bag or pocket for the duration of the time on school grounds, this extends
  to excursions, sports activities and other events on or offsite unless otherwise advised
- In some circumstances, students may be requested to place their phone in a secure safe in the staffroom, which will allow the phone to be provided as required
- Engage in learning in the classroom
- · Engage in social and physical activities during break times
- · It is the responsibility of students to follow the guidelines outlined in this document

#### Implementation of policy:

Updated 8th September 2023



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At BHHS, the "no phone" policy will be implemented by requiring students to turn off their phone when entering the school grounds and place them in their bag or pocket for the duration of the day. They will only be allowed to take them out and use them when leaving the school grounds at the end of the day. This means that they are not permitted to be used at recess and lunch, and before/after school on school grounds. It also extends to excursions, sports activities and other events on or offsite unless otherwise advised.

Students are not permitted to congregate around the school entrances before entering the school grounds in order to use their phones, especially in the morning. Once arriving at school, students must enter the school grounds where there is teacher supervision.

The exceptions to this policy will include:

- · Exemptions through an application process for wellbeing, medical or students with specific needs
- Required as a learning tool for educational purposes with explicit teacher permission

Applications for exemptions from parents/carers and students is through an application process from the relevant Deputy Principal unless already identified by the wellbeing team.

#### **Phone Protection:**

- Students must take full responsibility for any phone brought to school. The School and staff accepts no
  responsibility for replacing lost, stolen or damaged phones.
- Confiscated phones will be labelled and then stored in a secure place in the front office. Any existing damage will be noted and added to the phone documentation.
- Students are advised to mark their mobile phones clearly with their name.
- BHHS strongly advises the use of passwords and Personal Identification Number (and not to share these
  with others) to protect mobile phones from unauthorised use.

#### Consequences:

- Students who do not meet the expectations in this policy will be subject to consequences consistent with the school behaviour management plan.
- The use of mobile phones <u>without permission</u> during lessons, assemblies, excursions or other school
  events will be managed according to the BHHS Behaviour Management Policy.
  - These include, but are not limited to:
    - Confiscation of the mobile phone for the remainder of the school day.
    - Confiscation of the mobile phone until such time as their parent/carer can attend school to collect the device
    - o Removal of "phones off and away" and replaced by "phones stored in office" for the school day.
    - o Issue of warning of suspension
    - Suspension for continued disobedience due to failure to follow the procedures of this policy and the Behaviour Management Policy.
- Confiscated mobile phones will be stored securely at the Front Office.

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### In the Classroom and/or Playground

Student arrives at school

. Phone is turned off and put away for the duration of the school day

phone out without permission in classroom

- First offence warning issued and noted on Sentral by teacher
- •Repeated offences phone confiscated (teacher records on Sentral and issues lunch/after school detention; phone sent to front office for collection at end of day; parents/carer contacted

phone out without permission in playground

- First offence Student ID confiscated by teacher and student asked to take phone to front office; teacher returns ID card on confirmation from the office; phone collected from DP at the end of the day; office makes entry on Sentral
- •Repeated offences Student ID confiscated by teacher and student asked to take phone to front office; teacher returns ID card on confirmation from the office; lunch/after school detention issued; student/parent/carer collects phone from DP at end of day; parents/carer contacted

refusal to hand over phone

- HT/DP notified by teacher
- Phone confiscated by HT/DP and pre-suspension warning given
- •Reflection on behaviour and behaviour contract implemented
- Parents/carers contacted

repeated phone offences

- Pre-suspension warning or suspension
- Parents/carer contacted
- •Reflection on behaviour and behaviour contract implemented
- •Student may be required to hand in phone for an identified period of time at the commencement of the day and collect before they leave the school grounds

Updated 8th September 2023





### **School Travel Advice**

For trip planning visit www.transportnsw.info or call 131 500.

For current school and route services visit www.cdcbus.com.au or call 02 8889 7000.

Conditions of Carriage: Students must have a valid Opal card and must tap on and off every trip. Further details about the SSTS are available at: www.transportnsw.info

Key: L> Bus turns left; R> Bus turns right

### **BAULKHAM HILLS HS**

Bell Times Effective 21/08/2023

Morning: 08:38 Afternoon: 15:06

		MORNING BUSES						
Route	Time	Bus Route						
3103	07:00	EX CADWELLS via Porters to Kenthurst Rd opp Pitt Town Rd						
(456-96) 2°	Company of the Compan	Transfer to Route 639 due 07:23						
626	07:00	EX PENNANT HILLS STATION via Railway, R>Pennant Hills, R>Boundary, L>Victoria, R>New Line, R>Boundary, L>Francis Greenway, L>Macquarie, R>Kenburn, R>Shepherds, L>Pruchase, L>New Line, R>County, L>John, R>Franklin, R>Bradfield, R>Castle Hill Rd,						
		L>Old Northern Rd to Castle Hill Station (07:41), Transfer to Route 8018 (due 07:47, see below)						
651	07:10	EX EPPING STATION via Beecroft, R>Hannah, R>Wongala (07:16), Copeland, R>York, L>Hannah, L>Cardinal, R>Copeland, R>Pennant Hills, L>Aiken, R>Taylor, Highs, L>Castle Hill, L>Old Northern, R>Castle Hill Station (07:36).  Transfer to Route 8018 (due 07:47, see below)						
639	07:08	EX NEICH RD BEFORE BOUNDARY RD via Pitt Town, R>Kenthurst (07:23), R>Old Northern, Oakhill College (07:40)  Transfer to Route 2033 (due 07:56, see below)						
600	07:14	EX PENNANT HILLS STATION via Railway, R>Pennant Hills Rd, R>Boundary, R>Francis Greenway, R>Macquarie, L>Shepherds, County, R>Castle Hill Rd, L>Old Northern Rd to Castle Hill Station (07:38), then via Old Northern Rd to opposite Baulkham Hills TAFE.						
603	07:12	L>Glenhaven, R>Old Glenhaven, L>Glenhaven R>Evans, L>Grange, R>Greenbank, via Greenbank Loop, R>Linksley, R>Ridgecrop, L>Gilbert, R>Old Northern to Oakhill College (07:55).						
638	07:14	Transfer to Route 8014 (due 08:03, see below)  EX ARCADIA RD AND BLACKS RD via Arcadia, R>Galston, L>Old Northern to Round Corner (07:34).  Transfer to Route 637 (see below)						
601	07:15	EX PARRAMATTA STATION A4 via Station, Smith, Wilde, L>Victoria, R>O'Connell, Barney, L>Church, Windsor Rd to opposite school						
632	07:15	EX PENNANT HILLS STATION via Railway, R>Pennant Hills, R>Castle Hill, R>Edward Bennett, L>Neale, L>Franklin, R>Bradfield, R>Castle Hill, R>County, L>Woodgrove, L>David, R>Anglican Retirement Village, L>Old Northern, R>Castle Hill Station Stand C (07:46).  Transfer to Route 600 to Old Northern Rd opp Baulkham Hills TAFE						
637	07:15	EX GLENORIE via Old Northern, Round Corner (07:34), Oakhill College (07:43).  Transfer to Route 8014 (due 08:03, see below)						
2098	07:19	EX GREEN RD AFTER WRIGHTS RD via Green L>Samantha Riley, R>Foxall, L>Withers, R>Hezlett, R>Samantha Riley, L>Windsor Rd, R>Barina Downs, L>Mackillop, L>Chapel, R>St Michaels, L>Merindah, R>Windsor to Baulkham Hills HS						



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Route	Time	Bus Route	
601	07:20		
001	07.20	EX ROUSE HILL STATION via R>Rouse Hill Dr, L>Caddies Bld, R>Commercial, R>Withers,	
		R>Hezlett, L>Sam Riley, R>Green, L>Showground, R>DeClambe, L>Doran, R>Carrington,	
608	07:21	L>Victoria, L>Windsor to school  EX WINDSOR STATION via Windsor Rd, McGraths Hill (07:28), L>Tway to Rouse Hill	
000	07.21		
		Station (07:51). Transfer to Sydney Metro to Castle Hill Station	
615X	07:21	EX STRINGER RD AFTER TIMBARRA AVE via Route 615X to Windsor Rd opposite	
0137	07.21	Coronation Rd.	
601	07:30	EX PARRAMATTA STATION A4 via Station, Smith, Wilde, L>Victoria, R>O'Connell, Barney,	
001	07.00	L>Church, Windsor Rd to opposite school	
8009	07:30	EX SEVEN HILLS STATION STAND A via Prospect Hwy, Seven Hills Rd to Merindah Rd,	
0003	07.00	then express to school	
8018	07:30	EX KNIGHTSBRIDGE SHOPS via Ridgecrop (complete circuit), R>Gilbert, L>Tuckwell,	
0010	07.00	R>Old Castle Hill, L>McMullen, R>Old Northern, R>Castle Hill Station Stand C (07:47),	
		L>Crane, R>Terminus, Cecil, L>Old Northern, R>Parsonage, L>Marie, L>Excelsior,	
		R>Roxborough Pk, L>Windsor Rd to school	
2004	07:31	EX MODEL FARMS RD OPPOSITE WLLMOTT AVE via Model Farms Rd, L>Asquith,	
2004	07.01	L>Junction, R>Watkins, R>Cropley, R>Seven Hills Rd, L>Jasper, L>Glanmire, R>Merindah,	
		R>Windsor Rd to school	
2007	07:33	EX CHURCHILL DR AFTER WINDSOR RD via Churchill, Caroline Chisholm, L>Voltaire,	
2001	01.00	R>Lanhams, L>Oakes, L>Barnetts, L>Reillys, Willmott, R>Model Farms, L>Asquith,	
	1	L>Junction, R>Caroline Chisholm, R>Langdon, R>Gooden, R>Baulkham Hills Rd, R>Seven	
	1	Hills Rd, L>Jasper, R>Palace, R>Windsor Rd to school	
		Inilis Ru, L-Jasper, R-Falace, R-Willusor Ru to scribor	
2032	07:35	EXFREEMAN ST AFTER LUCAS RD via Freeman, L>Northcott, L>Turner, R>Garden,	
		R>Vardys, L>Capricorn, L>Parkinson, L>Sutherland, R>Keppel, L>Isaac Smith,	
	1	R>Ravenhill, R>James Cook, L>Whitby, R>Joseph Banks, L>Seven Hills Rd, R>Old	
	1	Windsor Rd, L>Gibbon, L>Langdon, R>Gooden, R>Baulkham Hills Rd, R>Seven Hills Rd,	
		L>Jasper, R>Coronation, L>Windsor Rd to school	
633	07:37	EX PENNANT HILLS STATION via Railway, R>Pennant Hills Rd, R>Boundary, L>Victoria,	
		L>New Line, R>Castle Hill Rd, R>Franklin, L>Bradfield, R>Castle Hill Rd, L>Old Northern Rd	
	1	to Castle Hill Station.	
		Transfer to Route 600 to Old Northern Rd opp Baulkham Hills TAFE	
2012	07:38	EX SEVEN HILLS STATION via Terminus, L>Prospect Hwy, Seven Hills Rd, L>Merindah	
		Rd, R>Windsor Rd to school	
601	07:45	EX PARRAMATTA STATION A4 via Station, Smith, Wilde, L>Victoria, R>O'Connell, Barney,	
		L>Church, Windsor Rd to opposite school	
2101	07:50	EX PARRAMATTA STATION A4 EXPRESS TO SCHOOL	
2033	07:56	EX OAKHILL COLLEGE via L>Old Northern, R>Castle Hill Station Stand C (08:04),	
		L>Crane, R>Terminus, Cecil, L>Old Northern, R>Parsonage, L>Marie, L>Excelsior,	
		R>Roxborough Pk, L>Windsor to school	
2073	07:56	EX NORBRIK T-WAY via T-way, R>Celebration, R>Brighton, R>Edgewater, Westwood,	
		L>Bella Vista, R>Bella Vista, R>Reston, R>Barina Downs, R>Mackillop, L>Chapel,	
	1	L>Merindah, R>Windsor to school	
3014	07:57	EX EPPING STATION BEECROFT RD STAND F express to school	
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1 1		R>Glanmire, R>Jasper to Palace Rd then express to opposite school	
3013	08:02	EX EPPING STATION BEECROFT RD STAND F express to school	
8014	08:03	EX OAKHILL COLLEGE via Old Castle Hill, L>(2nd) First Farm, R>Lynstock, R>Old Castle	
0014	00.03	Hill, L>Tuckwell, L>Britannia, R>Bounty, L>Tuckwell, L>Gilbert, L>Showground,	
		R>Carrington, L>Middleton, L>Parsonage, R>Coolong, L>Kerrs, R>Marie (08:19),	
		L>Excelsior, R>Roxborough Pk, L>Windsor Rd to school	

AFTERNOON BUSES				
Route	Route Time Bus Route			
2594	15:12	EX BUS BAY EXPRESS TO PARRRAMATTA INTERCHANGE		



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Route	Time	Bus Route				
2694	15:12	EX BUS BAY EXPRESS TO PARRRAMATTA INTERCHANGE				
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2606	15:15	EX BUS BAY TO CRESTWOOD AND BELLA VISTA Express to Jasper Rd then via Jasper,				
		L>Glanmire, L>Merindah, R>Peel, L>Chapel, R>Mackillop, L>Barina Downs, L>Reston,				
		L>Bella Vista, L>Bella Vista, R>Westwood, Edgewater, L>Brighton, L>Celebration, L>T-Way				
		to Norbrik				
2531	15:17	EX BUS BAY EXPRESS TO SEVEN HILLS STATION				
2551	15:17	EX BUS BAY TO WINSTON HILLS AND WEST BAULKHAM HILLS via Windsor Rd,				
		R>Churchill, L>Voltaire, R>Lanhams, R>Nestor, L>Caroline Chisholm, R>Langdon,				
		R>Gooden, R>Tamboura North, L>Myallie, L>Cropley, L>Seven Hills, L>Baulkham Hills Rd,				
		R>Marina, L>Seven Hills Rd to Solar Ave				
2653	15:17	EX BUS BAY EXPRESS TO SEVEN HILLS STATION				
2552	15:20	EX BUS BAY EXPRESS TO EPPING STATION				
2568	15:20	EX BUS BAY EXPRESS TO EPPING STATION				
2502	15:22	EX BUS BAY TO KNIGHTSBRIDGE via L>Windsor Rd, L>Chelsea, L>Old Northern Rd,				
2502	15.22	R>Cecil, Terminus, L>Crane, R>Castle Hill Station Stand A, L>Old Northern Rd to Oakhill				
		College (15:42), L>Old Castle Hill Rd, R>Tuckwell, R>Gilbert, L>Ridgecrop to end of loop				
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600	15:24	EX OLD NORTHERN RD via Old Northern, L>Windsor, Church, R>Barney, O'Connell,				
		L>Victoria, R>Wilde, Smith, Station, R>Argyle to Parramatta Station				
601	15:24	EX WINDSOR RD AT CORONATION RD via Windsor, R>Victoria, R>Carrington, L>Doran,				
		R>DeClambe, L>Showground, R>Green, L>Sam Riley, R>Hezlett, L>Withers,				
		L>Commercial, L>Windsor, L>Tway to Rouse Hill Station				
8528	15:27	EX BUS BAY TO ROGANS HILL via Windsor Rd, L>Chelsea, L>Old Northern Rd to Oakhill				
		College (15:44).				
		Transfer to Routes 603 Glenhaven (see below).				
600	15:28	EX OLD NORTHERN RD via Old Northern, R>Cecil, Terminus, L>Crane, R>Castle Hill				
		Station Stand A.				
		Transfer to Route 660 to Castlewood (see below) and Route 651 to West Pennant Hills				
		(see below)				
601	15:29	EX WINDSOR RD TO PARRAMATTA via Windsor, Church, R>Barney, O'Connell,				
		L>Victoria, R>Wilde, Smith, Station, R>Argyle to Parramatta Station				
2532	15:30	EX BUS BAY TO KINGS LANGLEY AND SEVEN HILLS (FIRST STOP SEVEN HILLS RD				
		OPP CHAPEL LN) via Windsor Rd, R>Coronation, L>Jasper, R>Seven Hills Rd, R>Joseph				
		Banks, R>Whitby, R>James Cook, L>Ravenhill, L>Isaac Smith, R>Keppel, L>Sutherland,				
		R>Parkinson, L>Capricorn, R>Whitby, L>Vardys, R>Johnson, R>Prospect Hwy to Seven				
		Hills Station				
651	15:34	EX CASTLE HILL STATION STAND A via L>Old Northern, R>Castle Hill, R>Highs,				
		R>Highs, Taylor, L>Aiken, R>Pennant Hills, L>Copeland, L>Cardinal, R>Hannah,				
		R>Wongala to Beecroft Station, L>Beecroft Rd to Epping Station				
603	15:54	EX OAKHILL COLLEGE WESTERN SIDE TO GLENHAVEN AND ROUSE HILL via Old				
	1	Northern, L>Gilbert, R>2nd Ridgecrop, L>Linksley, L>Greenbank loop, L>Greenbank,				
	1	L>Grange, R>Evans, L>Glenhaven, R>Old Glenhaven, L>Glenhaven, R>Carinda, Mills,				
		L>Glenhaven, R>Sam Riley to Kellyville Station, then L>Sam Riley, Newbury, R>Perfection,				
		R>Merriville, L>Tway to Rouse Hill Station				
660	16:16	EX CASTLE HILL STATION STAND C via Route 660 to Castlewood				
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## **SCHOOL TIMETABLE**

### **WESTERN SUBURBS REGION**

### **Baulkham Hills High School**

Timetable effective from Monday 15 May 2023

Amended 28/04/2023

(R) Bus Turns Right - (L) Bus Turns Left

MORNING				
Bus Number	Route Number	Time	Locations Serviced	Route Description
6002	•	7:28 AM	Quakers Hill Acacia Gardens Glenwood Parklea	LAST PICK UP OLD WINDSOR RD/NORWEST BLVD Departs Quakers Hill Station via Lalor Rd (L)Hambledon Rd (R)Barnier Dr (L)Farnham Rd (L)Quakers Hill Pkwy to Sentry Dr (7:41am), continues Quakers Hill Pkwy (L)T-Way (R)Sorrento Dr (R)Glenwood Park Dr (L)Meurants Ln (L)Glenwood Park Dr to Peak St (7:50am), continues Glenwood Park Dr (R)Tarwin Av (R)Miami St (R)Old Windsor Rd to Norwest Blvd, then to School.

AFTERN	AFTERNOON				
Bus Number	Route Number	Time	Locations Serviced	Route Description	
6531	•	3:21 PM	Acacia Gardens Glenwood Parklea Quakers Hill	FIRST SET DOWN NORWEST BLVD & GREENHILL DR Departs School via Windsor Rd, then to Norwest Blvd & Greenhill Dr, continues (R)Greenhill Dr (L)Meurants Ln (R)Glenwood Park Dr to Peak St (3:39pm), continues Glenwood Park Dr (L)Forman Av (R)Glenwood Park Dr (L)Sorrento Dr (L)Sunnyholt Rd (R)Quakers Hill Pkwy (R)Farnham Rd (R)Barnier Dr (L)Hambledon Rd (R)Lalor Rd, Pearce Rd to roundabout, turns around & returns to Quakers Hill Station (3:59pm), continues Pearce Rd, Lalor Rd (L)Hambledon Rd (L)Quakers Hill Pkwy (R)Richmond Rd (L)Golding Dr (R)Armitage Dr (L)Adrienne St to Lamb St (4:13pm).	

### **Procedure for Early Leavers**

If a student needs to leave school early, they must provide a note from their parent/guardian giving reasons for their partial absence. The student needs to get the note signed by a Deputy Principal before school and hand into the office by 8.30am where they will be issued an early leave pass. The student can then present the pass to their teacher and leave school at the time advised on their early leave pass.

Senior Students with Early Study Leave permission should sign out at the office before leaving School.

Early Flexible Study Leave for Senior students – Sign out is at <u>lunchtime</u> at the Front Office



4 December 2023



## **PWDA Disability Advocacy Futures Program**

Are you a student living with disability?

Do you live in southeast, southwest or central Sydney?

Do you study in one of the public schools or are a parent/guardian of a student with disability from the above regions of NSW?

Do you need help to access or navigate the NSW public education system or access NSW Government-funded services?

Our advocates are here to help you!













### We can help you with

### Information & Referrals

- Your rights as a student with disability,
- What specific help the school should provide to students with disability while in the school,
- Connecting you to other services that can help.

### Advocacy

- Help access and talk to the school system,
- Help prepare letters and applications to the schools,
- · Assist you raise concerns with schools and the Department of Education where appropriate.

### Contact us



Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm 1800 422 015



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### **PWDA Information** Request Form





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Free and confidential help















If you live in southeast, southwest, or central Sydney, we can help provide:

- free, confidential, and personalised support to students with disability and their families,
- assistance to access and navigate the public-school education system and other services
- explore options that facilitate the studies of students with disability in public schools.





## **Support From Reachout**

The challenges of supporting students as parents and carers is always present. The issues around COVID-19 have made this an even more difficult and uncertain path to tread. I will be giving students short ideas via assemblies over the next few weeks in which they can proactively support themselves.

The website Reachout.com also provides advice for parent and carers over arrange of areas. It is worth having a look at <a href="https://parents.au.reachout.com/">https://parents.au.reachout.com/</a> as a starting point.

For students, have a look at <a href="https://au.reachout.com/articles/how-to-handle-fear-about-the-future-a-guide-for-year-12-students">https://au.reachout.com/articles/how-to-handle-fear-about-the-future-a-guide-for-year-12-students</a> (Dr Amy Burton, Clinical Psychologist)

### **TAFE Use**

Students are reminded that the use of the adjacent TAFE facility to walk to and from Old Northern Rd is a privilege and not a right. Students are reminded to walk safely, quietly and quickly thorough the facility. Parents and carers are **not** permitted to enter, drive into, or park in the TAFE to pick up or drop off students.

### **Bus Travel**

The **bus stop on Old Northern Rd in front of Baulkham Hills TAFE** is used each afternoon by approximately 100 students. Students have the privilege and responsibility of accessing this bus stop through the TAFE. I would remind students to be very careful and considerate when using and accessing this bus stop, waiting for a bus, and moving to the kerb to get on a bus. Buses sometimes approach the stop very quickly, with the front of the bus coming over the edge of the kerb. Please always demonstrate courtesy and safety, and remember that there is always another bus.

## Student pickup after school

A reminder about parking and picking up around our school in the afternoons, especially in the school bus bay, Carver Crescent, Christopher Street, Coronation Road, and Baulkham Hills TAFE areas.

Please ensure you follow all traffic rules (especially traffic lights and not parking across driveways) when you are in these areas. You could even have your student walk a little but further away from the school gate – to assist their physical health, and alleviate the heavy traffic at the end of the school day.

The Hills Shire Council will have compliance officers at various times in these locations to ensure all drivers are following required traffic rules.

