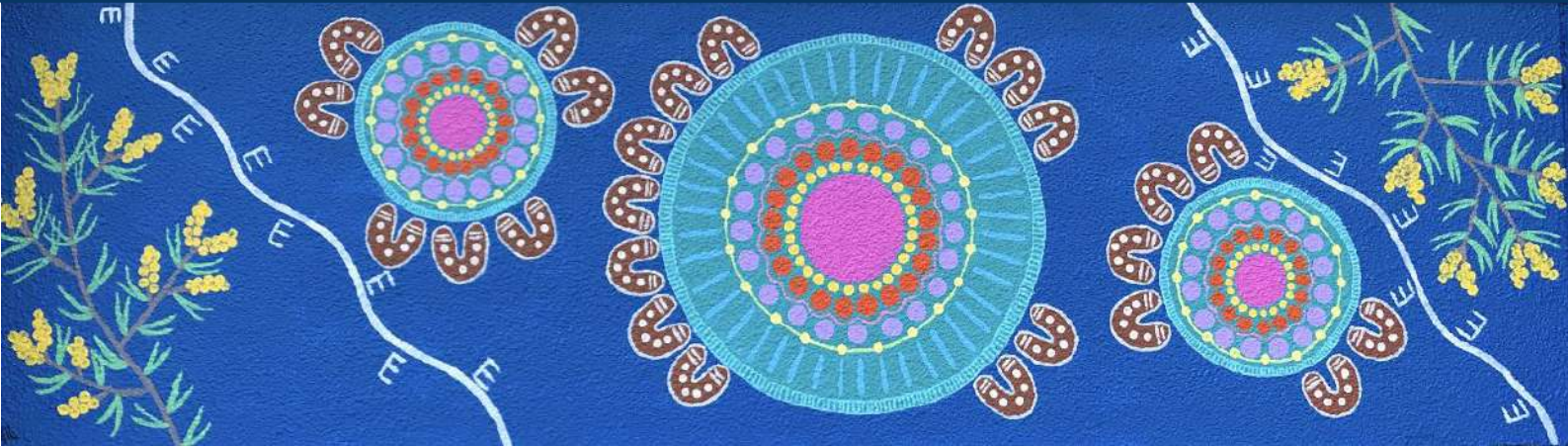




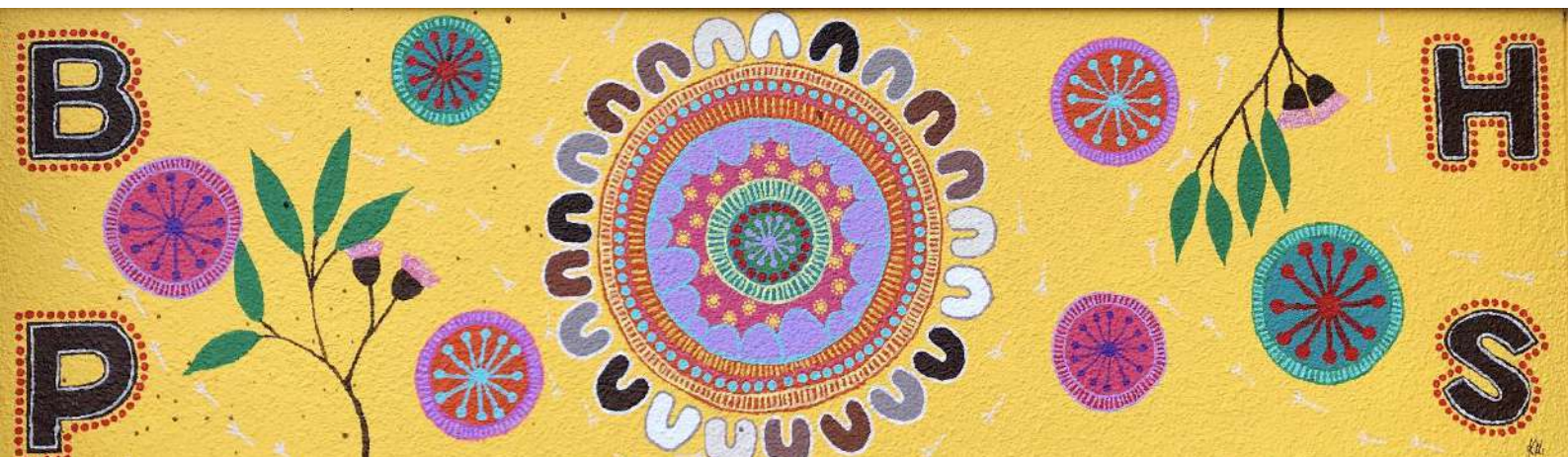
Bass Hill Public School

Term 2 Week 7



We at Bass Hill Public School acknowledge the Dharug People as the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we meet, connect, learn and grow on today.

Together we live, discover and respect the connections to land, water, skies and community. We commit ourselves to nourish and empower future aspirations of all who meet here today with a mutual respect fostering authentic relationships between all, including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians and non-Indigenous Australians.





Bass Hill Public School

Term 2 Week 7

Principal's Message

There has been so much happening at Bass Hill PS, with our students making the most of a number of opportunities such as Zone Cross Country, the Chipping Norton Aboriginal Dance Workshop and our whole school Resilience Show. I am very proud to say that our students have demonstrated outstanding behaviour across all of these events. Well done Bass Hill!

Professional Learning for Staff

Our students and teachers have been very busy inside of our classrooms, with teaching and learning our unwavering focus. Our teachers have been involved in professional learning focused on explicit teaching. This has seen our staff take the time to observe and reflect on the practice of colleagues. A big thank you to all of our teachers for their engagement with professional learning.

The Bass Way

At Bass Hill Public School, our teachers have focussed on implementing the whole school behaviour system known as, 'The Bass Way'. As we near the end of Term Two, our students will engage in opportunities that acknowledge their positive behaviour at school. I look forward to seeing an increasing number of students access these opportunities as the school year progresses. These opportunities include excursions for students who have achieved a high number of 'Green Days' for positive behaviour across the term.

Please attend our Parent Information Session on Thursday 19 June at 2.15pm to find out more about The Bass Way. Please meet us at the school office.



'The Bass Way'
Parent Information Session
Thursday 19 June
2.15pm

Be a Learner
Act Responsibly
Show Respect
Stay Safe



Bass Hill Public School

Term 2 Week 7

Principal's Message

Student Attendance

A reminder that student attendance at school is compulsory and vital for academic success and wellbeing. It is important that students arrive at school on time every day.

The importance of arriving at school on time:

- Ensures that students do not miss out on important learning activities scheduled early in the day
- Helps students learn the importance of punctuality and routine
- Give students time to greet their friends before class
- Reduces classroom disruption

Lateness is recorded as a partial absence and must be explained by parents.

Education in New South Wales is compulsory for all children between the ages of six years and below the minimum school leaving age of 17 years. The Education Act 1990 requires that parents ensure their children of compulsory school age are enrolled at, and regularly attend school. Once enrolled, children are required to attend school each day it is open for students.

Mrs Jahshan.





Bass Hill Public School

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From the Assistant Principal Engagement, Mrs Gray

Have students been demonstrating 'The Bass Way' behaviours?

How many green days have students achieved this semester?

Will they have 90% or more green days at the end of the semester?

At Bass Hill Public School, we have clear expectations in regards to behaviour. At the beginning of each school year, all students collaboratively develop a '**Class Vision**' which outlines what we should see, hear, do and feel in our classrooms. Teachers refer to these expectations often.

Expectations for the playground are discussed each week with students at 'The Bass Way' lessons, by Assistant Principals and class teachers. Students are expected to play in assigned areas, wear a hat, be inclusive, keep hands and feet to themselves and use kind words.

When students have demonstrated the expected behaviours.... they are awarded a **green day**. Students who achieve at or above 90% green days for the semester will be acknowledged with a special 'Bass Bonus' - which this term will be an excursion!

Students who have not achieved 90% green days, will remain at school on that day.

Our special 'Bass Bonus Excursions' will be in Week 10. Invitations will be handed out at the end of Week 9.



Bass Hill Public School

Term 2 Week 7

From the Assistant Principal Engagement, Mrs Gray

Pyjama and Pizza Day



Thursday
19 June



*Keep nice and warm on Thursday 19 June
by wearing your PJs to school.*

*Order lunch as well – 2 slices of pizza + drink
\$7*

Return your order form asap.

A donation will be made to the Pyjama Foundation



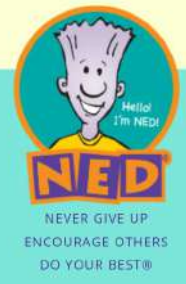
What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

NED'S RESILIENCE RIDE



Students were treated to an inspiring and entertaining visit from NED's Resilience Ride! With the help of yo-yos, humour, engaging stories, and even balloon art, presenter Sean delivered important messages about resilience, encouraging students to **Never** give up, **Encourage** others, and **Do** their best. It was a fun-filled and meaningful experience that left a lasting impression on all!



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ABORIGINAL DANCE



Last Thursday, First Nations students from the Chipping Norton community came together to learn a contemporary dance with traditional Aboriginal dance elements. The students acknowledged they all connected on the traditional lands of the Dharug people and explored how to express a story through dance and what the “intent” was.



Always was
Always will be
Aboriginal land

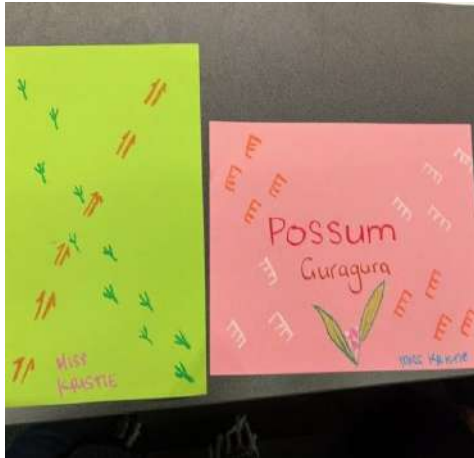




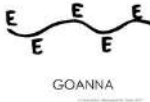
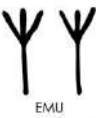
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BASS HILL MOB



The Bass Hill Mob explored Dharug language and traditional symbols for animal tracks through art.



Come see the amazing, educational artworks displayed on the office windows and in the foyer.





What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

ZONE CROSS COUNTRY



Congratulations to all of our students who recently competed in the Bankstown Zone Cross Country Carnival at Flinders Slopes. Our students ran really well and demonstrated good sportsmanship throughout the day. We are very proud of the way they represented Bass Hill Public School.



Special congratulations to Larine (2nd in 12yr girls), Nooh (4th in 11yr boys), Ameena (7th) and Wafa (8th - 11yr girls) who all qualified for the regional cross country.



What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

ZONE CROSS COUNTRY





What's going on at BHPs?

Term 2 Week 7

KS



Patterns, patterns, everywhere!



We build our reading and writing skills every day.





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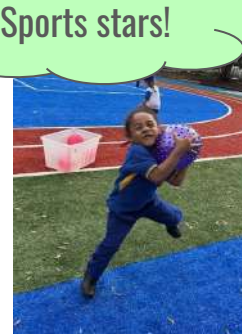
Term 2 Week 7

KS

Exploring
emotions
during
SEL lessons



Sports stars!



Song Room
sessions with
Mr Cesar





What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

KT



KT have been enjoying our weekly Song Room lessons!





What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

KT



Bits & pieces in
KT



KT learnt to never
give up,
encourage others
and do your best
at NED'S yoyo
show!

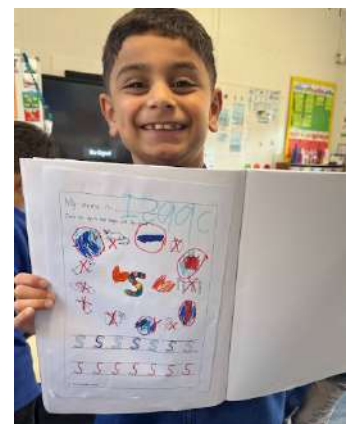


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K/1C

This is what literacy looks like in our classroom.



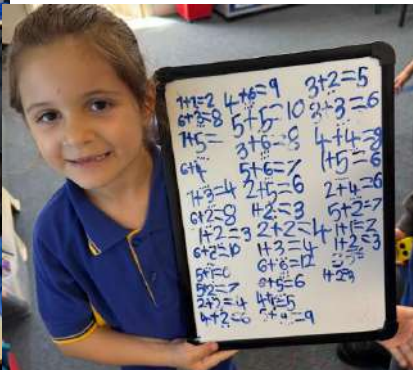
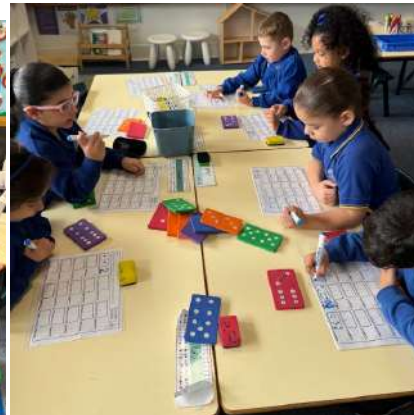
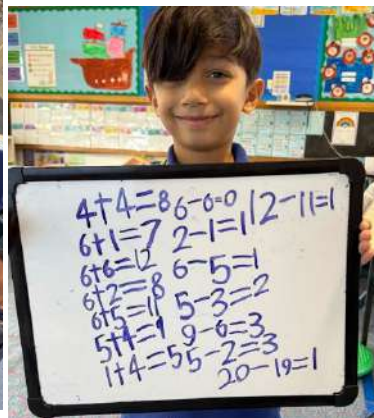


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K/1C

We have been learning how to count on when adding.



Students have been enjoying our Song Room sessions.





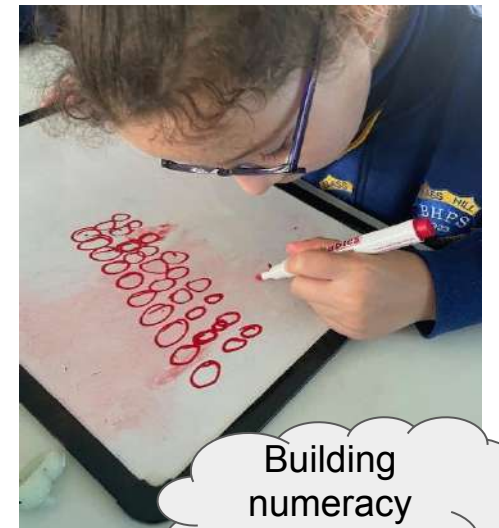
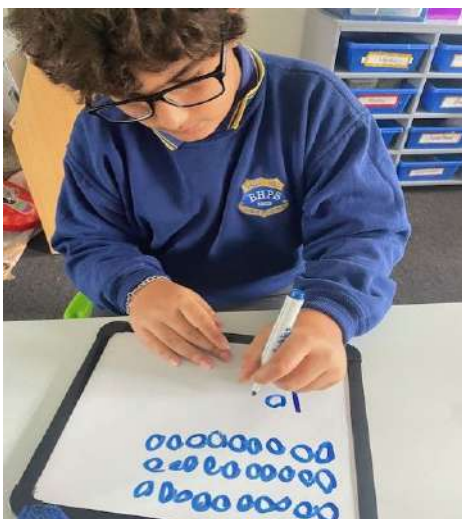
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Term 2 Week 7



K/6G

Morning stretches - getting ready to learn



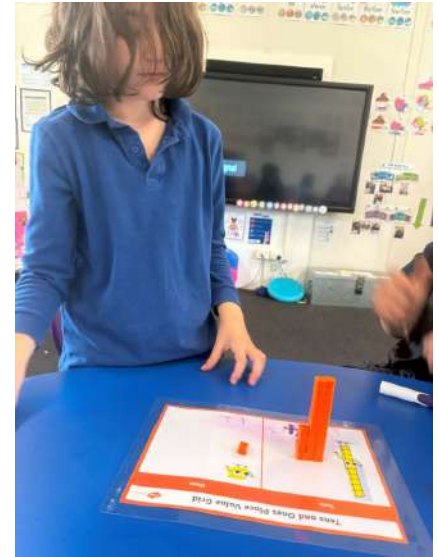
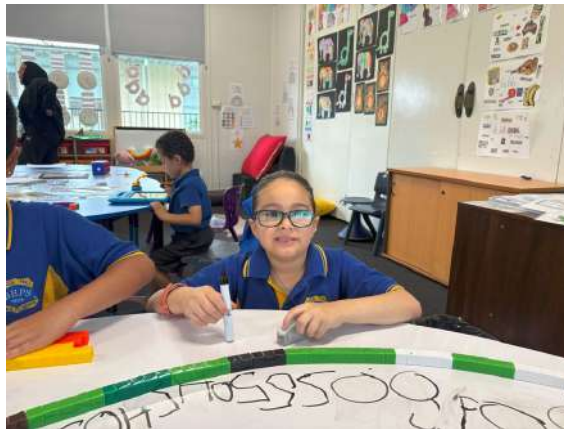
Building numeracy skills



What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

K/6K



This is what numeracy looks like in K/6K!





What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

K/6K



Song Room with Mr Cesar!





What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

K/6Z

In K6Z, we've been exploring how to measure objects using rulers and informal units, making maths hands-on and fun!





What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

K/6Z

Our class had an amazing time learning guitar during the Song Room session, discovering new skills and sparking a love for music together!

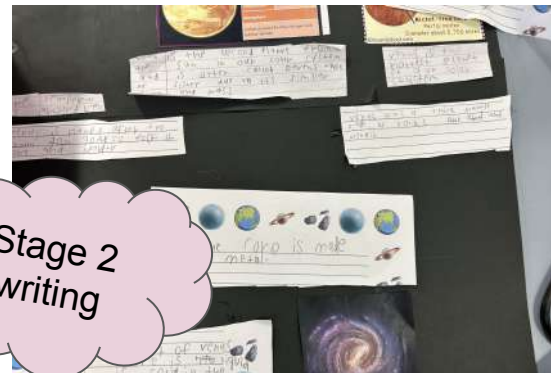
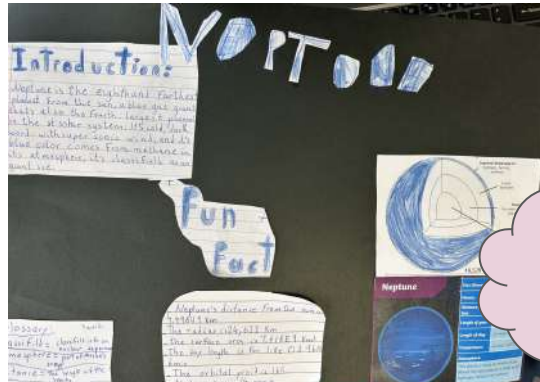




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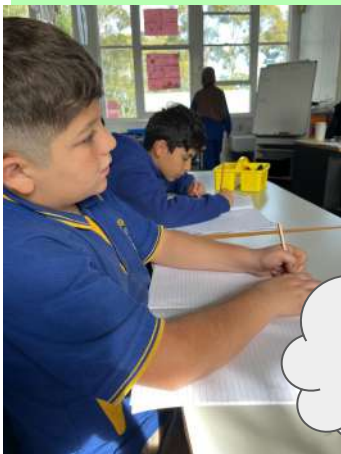
PRIMARY EAL/D - MR NGUYEN & MRS ZEIDAN



Mr Nguyen has been supporting Stage 2 classes during writing as they engage in writing an Informative Report on Planets and imaginative stories. These are some examples of their process and published work.

This term, Mrs Zeidan has been supporting stage 3 classes during writing as they explore animal adaptations that help them survive in their environment.

She has also continued her withdrawal support, where we have been reading a mystery novel and completing activities that support writing and comprehension.



Stage 3
writing



Reading a
mystery
novel!



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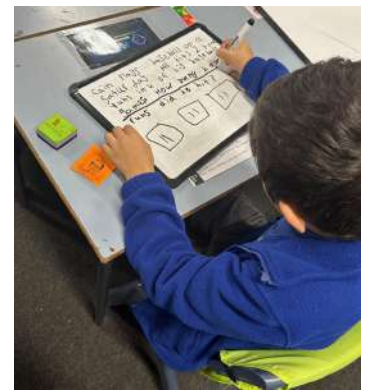
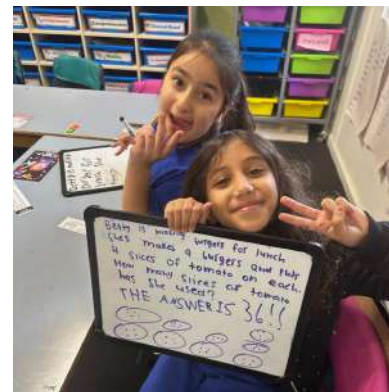
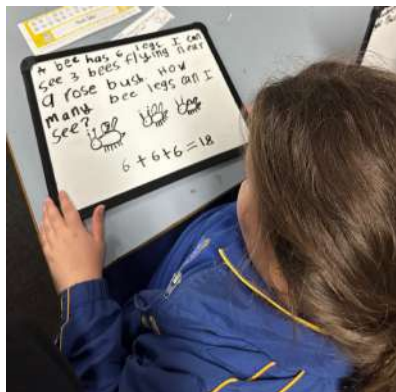
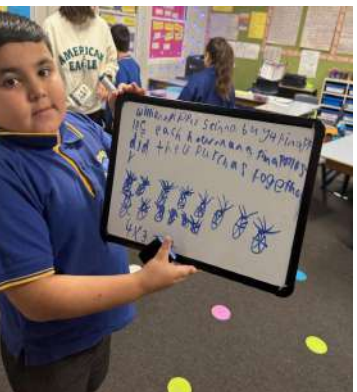
LEARNING SUPPORT - MRS MOSES



Stage 2 and 3 learners are being creative in our reading groups. They are becoming “Reading Artists” as they develop their comprehension skills in Visualising and Making Inferences.



In Stage 2 Maths Groups students are also being creative as they apply “Drawing Pictures” as a part of their maths worded problem solving strategies.





What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 6

COMMUNITY LANGUAGE - MR OBEID

Celebrating Our Arabic Language Learners!

This semester, our students have been diving into the Arabic language with enthusiasm and curiosity! They've been learning to read and write the Arabic alphabet, build basic vocabulary, and engage in simple conversations.

Through interactive games, songs, and hands-on activities, students are not only developing their language skills but also gaining insights into Arabic culture and music. Recently, we explored topics such as neighbourhood, greetings, food, health and colours -all in Arabic! It's been amazing to see how confident the students are becoming when using new words and phrases.



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COMMUNITY HUB

Foundation Skills/ English Classes

A group of our wonderful mums have commenced English classes in the Community Hub. The foundational skills course is designed to support them feel confident using English in real work settings. They will practise speaking, reading and understanding English in preparation for the workplace.





What's going on at BHPS?

Term 2 Week 7

COMMUNITY HUB



You're invited to come along to the exciting Launch of the Project "Building Together" on Wednesday 27th August 2025 at Bass Hill Public School.

In a world where schedules are packed and screens have replaced hands-on creativity, this project aims to bring fathers and children together - to build, create, and connect.

Whether crafting a birdhouse, assembling a model car, or painting a bench, these shared experiences nurture teamwork, patience, and lifelong memories. More than just assembling materials, it's about strengthening relationships—one nail, one laugh, and one lesson at a time.

So come along, enjoy being present with your child and at the end of the day, it's not just about what they build—it's about the memories they create with you, and that's something that lasts forever! |

Launch day is the 27th August, 2025 at 3.30pm at Bass Hill Public School Hall.

To register or find out more details, please contact Mecca Laalaa on 9644 3431 or email her on mecca.laalaa1@det.nsw.edu.au

Alternatively, you can register using the QR code found on the flyer.