

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

### BOOK WEEK

Thank you to our community for your support of the activities held last week. The weather was kind and the children's participation was fantastic. Unfortunately sickness prevented me from being at the open night and picnic, but I have heard wonderful reports. Thank you to the parents who took the time to contact the office and congratulate the school and staff on the immense amount of hard work that was required to prepare for the week. Well done to Mrs Marsland and her Special Events committee.



### ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Communication has already been sent home to parents via the app and through email about the weather issues. Due to the severe weather warnings issued for tomorrow the carnival will now be held on the back up day of **Monday 4 September**.

### OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE SURVEY

Please ensure that you have your say on this issue. The School Board will be addressing the contract during next week's meeting. The survey sheet, which was emailed to all families last week, is again attached to this newsletter or a hard copy can be filled out at the office.

[Surveys are due tomorrow afternoon.](#)



#### Dates to Remember

##### September

- 4 Faction Carnival
- 6 School Board Open Meeting 7.00pm
- 8 Assembly – TA14
- 12 Interschool Jumps and Throws
- 13 P&C Meeting 7.00pm
- 14 Interschool Carnival

### NAPLAN

Results are now out with schools. Individual student reports will be sent home next Tuesday 5 September. We remind parents that these results represent an assessment in curriculum areas that took place at the start of Term 2 and are from **one test on one day**. The results do provide a guide, but do not define your child.



### LOCKED GATES

We have had some questions around this from community. The gates will be locked from 9.00am until 2.50pm. We apologise for the inconvenience, but the safety of our students is extremely important and at the present time this situation is necessary.

### WA EDUCATION AWARDS – THE PEOPLE'S PICK

#### *Do you have a favourite teacher or support staff member?*

Now is your chance to shine a spotlight on our incredible teachers and school staff members and tell the world what makes them shine. As part of the WA Education Awards, The People's Pick is an opportunity for parents, students and our community to get involved and recognise the dedicated and talented staff in our school. Details on how to nominate are contained in the attachment with this newsletter.

**BECAUSE OF**

*you...*

**Peter Mulcahy**  
**Principal**

## SUARA INDONESIA CULTURE AND LANGUAGE WHOLE SCHOOL INCURSION

On Tuesday 22 August students at Greenwood PS participated in an Indonesian culture and language incursion.

During the incursion children watched a variety of traditional and contemporary dances including some mask dances. In the 35 minute workshop students were actively engaged in body percussion movements, music, dance and learning that consolidated their Indonesian language skills and learnt some new vocabulary.

Thank you Suara Indonesia for a wonderful school performance and workshop. Our students really enjoyed the sessions.

**Mrs Clifton**  
**LOTE Teacher**



## STARS OF THE FORTNIGHT

TA2	Flynn
TA3	Tim, Doltan
TA4	Xander, Saliha
TA5	Maddison, Bethlehem
TA6	Marcus, Phoebe
TA7	David, Ben
TA8	Patrick, Madeleine
TA9	Evie, Tellesha
TA10	Emily, Makayla
TA11	Phoenix, Riley
TA12	Keiahlee, Ella
TA13	Tom, James
TA14	Aidan, Chloe
TA15	India-Rose, Zach
SUSTAINABILITY	Chloe, Joshua, Riley
MUSIC	Emily, Sally
LOTE	Year 6 TA12, TA10

## Self Acceptance and Respect of Self

TA2	Abbie, Mia
TA3	Elijah, Kyen
TA4	Maddie, Oliver
TA5	Ashton, Ruby
TA6	James, Yujin
TA7	Fletcher, Jessicah
TA8	Chelsea, Dylan
TA9	Tyler, Lily
TA10	Matilda, Callaghan
TA11	Miah, Riley
TA12	Charlotte, Shiralee
TA13	Savannah, MacKenzie
TA14	Zachary, Tyler
TA15	Prachi, Sophie

## VALUES NEWS

Congratulations to the students who gained certificates for displaying self-acceptance and respect of self. Our next value is for social and civic responsibility. Each student is encouraged to value diversity of cultural expression, to respect legitimate authority, to promote social justice and to support the use of research for the improvement of quality of life.

This award will be given out at the assembly on 22 September.

**Amanda Vicary**  
**Values Coordinator**

12 Merivale Way, Greenwood WA 6024

Telephone: 9243 1143 Facsimile: 9243 3379 Email: [greenwood.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:greenwood.ps@education.wa.edu.au)

Principal: Peter Mulcahy Associate Principal: Maureen Perry Manager Corporate Services: Jai Shadbolt

Website: <http://greenwoodps.wa.edu.au/>

## BOOK WEEK CELEBRATIONS

### Family Picnic



### Parade



### Jeronimo Stilton



## CHOIR

Our School Choir will be performing with the Massed Choir Festival at the Perth Concert Hall on Wednesday 20 September from 7.30pm - 9pm.

Thanks

**Rebecca Wilson-Boyce**

Please come along and support our wonderful students.

## MCF WA MASSED CHOIR FESTIVAL

### Ticket Sales

Dear Parents,

Your child's school choir will be performing in this Festival in week ten of term three at Perth Concert Hall. This exciting choral festival offers students the opportunity to perform in a magnificent venue and before an audience of 1100 parents, friends and invited guests.

The details for your child's choral performance are as follows:

Wednesday, 20 September      Choir 7      7.30 - 9 pm

**ALL Tickets \$25**  
(NB: STUDENTS PERFORMING IN THE FESTIVAL DO NOT REQUIRE A TICKET)

Follow the link below to book your tickets for the Festival – bookings open at 10am on Monday 7 August.

<http://tickets.perthconcerthall.com.au/single/SYOS.aspx?p=9922&promo=2021>

The above link will take you directly to the 'Select Your Own Seat' page for the correct performance of the WA Massed Choir Festival on the Perth Concert Hall website.

**PERTH CONCERT HALL\***  
Website: [www.perthconcerthall.com.au](http://www.perthconcerthall.com.au)  
Phone Bookings:  
Perth Concert Hall Box Office: 9231 9999  
In Person:  
Perth Concert Hall Box Office  
Mon – Fri: 9.00am – 5.00pm

**TICKETMASTER\***  
Website: [www.ticketmaster.com.au](http://www.ticketmaster.com.au)  
Ticketmaster Phone Bookings  
General Events Enquiries: 136 100

- No money is being taken by the school for this concert.
- Seating is **general** for this event.
- There are limited seats available so if you would like to attend, please book early.
- If the session is not sold out, there will be tickets sold at the venue on the night of your child's performance.
- If you have any problems booking your tickets online, please contact the relevant ticketing agent on the numbers above.

\*Bookings incur \$5.50 fee online, \$6.60 by phone or \$3.85 in person through **Perth Concert Hall**.  
\*Transaction fees vary for tickets sold through **Ticketmaster**.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Massed Choir Festival Committee

## HOLIDAY MATHS: TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE WORLD

Summer is a great time to learn how maths relates to the real world. Maths is everywhere! Below are a few ideas to get you started:

- Cooking can involve weighing, measuring, ordering, estimating, adding, multiplying....
- Restaurants and shopping can involve money, number identification, estimating, adding, subtracting, division.....
- Parties can involve matching numbers of people to plates, cutlery, area of tables, estimation, multiplication....
- Trips can involve time, distance, budgeting, speed, evaluating various routes, license plate games (e.g. adding or multiplying the numbers on the plate)...

12 Merivale Way, Greenwood WA 6024

Telephone: 9243 1143 Facsimile: 9243 3379 Email: [greenwood.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:greenwood.ps@education.wa.edu.au)

Principal: Peter Mulcahy Associate Principal: Maureen Perry Manager Corporate Services: Jai Shadbolt

Website: <http://greenwoodps.wa.edu.au/>

## News from T.A. 4



We have prepared our garden bed and planted some vegetables. When they are ready we are going to make some soup to share. During Science Week our class participated in a number of investigations. We made predictions about our volcano and observed it carefully when it erupted. Our Science topic for this term is Biology and we have been making observations about the features of worms. This was very challenging as some students had never handled a worm before.



The Pre-primary students in our class made gingerbread. We have enjoyed being creative with the "Loose Parts" play items and with our construction sticks.



We hosted the School Assembly during book week. We performed 2 items and there were lots of characters. We had great fun.



## We are an awesome class!