

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

FACTION CARNIVAL

Once again the students, parents and community members of Greenwood Primary School had a thoroughly enjoyable carnival. On Wednesday, the students involved in jumps, throws and distance races all participated enthusiastically. On Friday, 6 September, we were lucky enough to have a beautiful, spring day to conduct the athletics and tabloid events for our students. It was pleasing to see the number of supporters who came along to watch these events. Thank you to all who assisted in any way whether it was with the setting up of equipment, helping out with the canteen, cheering loudly for your teams or helping with packing up of equipment. Congratulations to everyone on helping to make this a special day for our students. That of course includes the school staff who worked tirelessly throughout the day. It would be remiss of me not to mention our Physical Education teacher, Mrs Belinda Dunham; thank you Belinda for your expertise, organisation and overseeing of this wonderful event.



Thank you to our team members and staff who represented us all in such a fine manner.

We all wish our team members for today's Interschool Carnival well for an enjoyable and positive experience. I am certain that you will represent our school with pride and do the best you can.

WARWICK SHS TRANSITION

Some of our Year 6 students enjoyed their Transition to Year 7 day at Warwick SHS last Monday, 16 September.

NAPLAN RESULTS

On Tuesday, students from Year 3 and 5 took home their individual reports of the results they achieved for the tests they sat for NAPLAN. Remembering that these results are a snapshot of how children responded on one day for a particular test, I am sure that these would have been received in an encouraging and positive light by parents.



INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS

Students selected to represent our school participated in the jumps, throws and distance races on Tuesday. Not only did our students perform well, it has been reported that they behaved beautifully and displayed good sportsmanship. It is always pleasing to have such positive news of this nature.

BLUE WINS OUR FACTION CARNIVAL!



Dates to Remember

September

- 24** Massed Choir Rehearsal –
Perth Concert Hall 8.30am – 1.30pm
- 25** Massed Choir Performance –
Perth Concert Hall 4.15pm – 9.00pm
- 26** Brass Clarinets Band Workshop –
Ashdale College
- 27** Assembly – TA15

STUDENTS RETURN ON TUESDAY
15 OCTOBER - TERM 4

LAST NEWSLETTER FOR THE TERM

Here we are almost at the end of Week 9 of Term 3! Subsequently, this is our last school newsletter for the term. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all staff, parents and community members for working together for the education and wellbeing of all our students.

On a personal note, I would like to sincerely thank both Mrs Dias (Weeks 1-5), and Miss Vicary, (Weeks 6-10) for the fantastic job they have done in their roles as Associate Principal this term. Your professionalism, concern for all and achievements throughout the term are second to none. Thank you, ladies.

I am sure that the school community will look forward to welcoming Mr Mulcahy back from his leave next term.

Maureen Perry
Principal

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Our photos are being taken Week 2 of Term 4; Tuesday 22 and Wednesday 23 October (so all Kindy classes can be included). This year's orders will all be online. You will need a "shoot key" to place your order, these will be sent home with students next week.



GREENWOOD DENTAL THERAPY – HOLIDAY HOURS

Monday 30/09/19 - Public Holiday - CLOSED

Tuesday 01/10/19 - 04/10/2019 - OPEN

Monday 07/10/19 - OPEN

Tuesday 08/10/19 - CLOSED

(Emergency Clinic is Halidon Dental Therapy Centre on 9409 6362)

Wednesday 09/10/19 - OPEN

Thursday 10/10/19 – CLOSED

(Emergency Clinic is Halidon Dental Therapy Centre on 9409 6362)

Friday 11/10/19 – CLOSED

(Emergency Clinic is Hudson Park Dental Therapy Centre on 9342 4217)



HONOUR CERTIFICATE WINNERS

TA2	Georgia, Maddison
TA3	Indi, Mikayla, Hugo, James
TA4	Bethany, Mason, James, Jaxon
TA5	Phoenix, Dakota, Alex, Connor
TA6	Bayden, Benjamin, Mia, Ivy
TA7	Shane, Matin, Max, Phoenix
TA8	Kees, Samuel, Flynn, Rebecca
TA9	Hannah, Luke, Samuel, Aaron
TA10	Declan, Soffie, Caitlin, Anthony
TA11	James, Denzel, Phoebe, Madeleine
TA12	Tahlia, Mitchell, Aidan, Tasneem
TA13	Jai, Iris, Jake, Jai
TA14	Isaiah, Raphael, Blake, Abbie
TA15	Jack, Clinton, Steven, Levi
SUSTAIN-ABILITY	Amara, Riley, Amelia, Kaelan, Lukas, Ashton
LANGUAGES	TA12, TA10, Kiera

TRIPLE V AWARDS

TA2	Aubree
TA3	Mikayla
TA4	Kaeley
TA5	Sophie
TA6	Paige
TA7	Max
TA8	Maylee
TA9	Hayden
TA10	Louis
TA11	Lucy
TA12	Joshua
TA13	Phoebe
TA14	Lara
TA15	Fletcher



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CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

It's hard to believe that the school holidays are just around the corner and that Spring is in the air, apart from today's gusty and wet weather. It has been another busy Term, so I hope that you and your family have some resting time planned amongst the school break. Here are a few activities that you can expect to see these holidays.

1. School Holiday Workshops

Perth City will have a marquee in Forrest Place hosting children's workshops! There will be a range of activities including flower crowns, sprout heads, mini terrariums, insect hotels, learning about the Noongar six season and more! **28th September – 4th October, 10am - 2.30pm** Tickets will be available from **12pm, Friday 13th September**.



2. Pixar Putt

Pixar Putt arrives at The Plaza at RAC Arena, Perth on Friday 27th September for a limited run until Sunday 3rd November. Putt your way around 9 or 18 holes including Toy Story, The Incredibles, Inside Out and more. Tickets are available from www.pixarputt.com.au or at the Pixar Putt ticket booth, located at the RAC Arena.

3. Queen's Birthday at Mindarie Quay

Mindarie Marina has a line-up of free events on the Sunday of the long weekend with live music from 1pm – 6pm. They also have bubble soccer on the sand court, free kids face painting, bouncy castles and much more Sunday 25th September - Mindarie Marina

4. Perth Royal Show

Don't miss out on WA's biggest annual community event, celebrating everything that is great about our State:

When: **28th September – 5th October**

Where: **Claremont Showgrounds.**

Have a wonderful and safe school break and I look forward to seeing you refreshed and ready for another fantastic term.

Kelly Collins
Chaplain

MCF WA MASSED CHOIR FESTIVAL

The school choir will be performing in this Festival in Week 10 of Term 3 at Perth Concert Hall.

The choir performance details are as follows:
Wednesday, 25 September – Concert 7

ALL Tickets are \$27.00

(NB: Students performing in the festival do not require a ticket)

Bookings open 10.00am Monday 19 August –
Follow on the link below to book your tickets

<http://bit.ly/MCFtickets2019>

SUSTAINABILITY NEWS

Thank you to everyone who has participated in the "Lids For Kids" collection. We already have a sizeable box ready to deliver to the Envision Hands collection point in Wanneroo. Please take a moment to have a look at the poster outside the Library, if you're not sure which lids can be recycled.



Writing Implements:

During the past week we have placed boxes in the common areas of each Block and at the Library station. These are for the students and staff to deposit old used up marker pens, whiteboard and permanent, along with highlighters and biros. These will be recycled and melted down to make plastic benches etc. This is also a fundraiser for our school, so please bring along your old writing implements from home and workplaces.



TENNIS COACHING

Wednesday groups commence on
23rd October

4 -6 years – 3.30-4.30pm

7-9 years – 4.30-5.30pm

10-14 years – 5.30-6.30pm

Bookings via email at
reneeminnock3@gmail.com or
alangooch@outlook.com

or sms Renee on 0433 241 745

Please see flyer attached to newsletter

TA 4 and TA 5



In Term 1 TA 4 and TA 5 went on an excursion to Penistone Park to discover the local geography. We observed built, natural and managed features of the reserve. Despite a little rainy weather we had a wonderful morning together.



In Term 2 we had a visit from Captain Cash. She informed us to “spend to our needs and wait for our wants”.



TA 4 and TA 5 went to the Maritime Museum and visited a classroom from the past. We dressed up and Mr Brown, the teacher, was very harsh.



In Term 3 we celebrated Book Week with a character parade. It was fun to dress up.