

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Here we are, already saying goodbye to the first term of our academic year. Although it has been a quick term, it has certainly been a busy term with many events such as the NAPLAN online tests and classroom excursions occurring in the last few weeks. The NAPLAN experience this year has been a smooth one for the school with no technical issues occurring and our students approached the tests with a calm and positive attitude. This is in large part owing to the incredible work the teachers do in preparing students for a national test experience. I would like to extend my gratitude and thanks to all the students and teachers for their hard work during this period.

I would also like to thank parents for the smooth running of the Kiss and Drive in the last few weeks. Whilst there are days when this area is slower than usual, for the most part it is operating much more fluidly than it has in the past.

Lastly, I would like to wish everyone a safe and happy holiday and hope you have a restful break. School will resume for students on Tuesday 16 April.

## BOARD ELECTIONS

I am pleased to announce the winners of the recent election for the two new board positions required. Mr Hamish West and Ms Emma McFarland O'Shea have been chosen in the role of the Parent Representatives for the school board. We thank Mrs Jane Dalin for her extensive contributions to the school during her terms of service.

The next School Board meeting will be held on 15 May.

## STAFFING

We say farewell to Mr Jordan Letcher this term as he leaves us to enjoy a long holiday overseas. Jordan has been with us for three terms and during that time he has displayed a deep love of science which shines through his lessons. The students have thoroughly enjoyed his enthusiastic approach and we know he will be greatly missed. We welcome Mrs Lorena Bengough to the role who we have every confidence will do an amazing job for our students.

Kind regards

**Dean Gill**  
**Principal**



## GREENWOOD DENTAL THERAPY

The Greenwood Dental Therapy Centre holiday hours are:

### Week 1

- **CLOSED** - Monday 1 April - Friday 5 April

Emergency Clinic: Landsdale DTC 9302 2969

### Week 2

- **OPEN** – Monday 8 April – Thursday 11 April, 8:00am – 4:00pm
- **CLOSED** – Friday 12 April

Emergency Clinic: Hudson Park 9342 4217

Kind Regards

Greenwood Dental Therapy  
Centre



## HONOUR CERTIFICATE WINNERS

### 8 March

TA2	Octavia
TA3	Evelyn
TA4	Evelyn
TA5	Charlie
TA6	Gabriel, Jasper
TA7	Jarvis, Nathan
TA8	Albert, Marcus
TA9	Baden, Bethany
TA10	Jackson, Ellie
TA11	Lucette, Michael
TA12	Amelia, Kayla
TA14	Jaxx, Leo
TA15	Daphne, Beau
SUSTAINABILITY	Meg, Kayden, Phoenix

### 22 March

TA2	Wilfred
TA3	Griffin
TA4	Hayes
TA5	Maddy
TA6	Piper, Jordan
TA7	Mila, Scarlett
TA8	Elizabeth, Mackenzie
TA9	Abigail, Jasmine
TA10	Lyla, Eneas
TA11	Charlie, Maddison
TA12	Casey, Dan
TA14	Oliva, Kenny
TA15	Henry, Chloe
SUSTAINABILITY	Lucette, Lola

## VALUES CERTIFICATES

TA2	Evan – Caring
TA3	Amber – Caring
TA4	Katia – Consideration
TA5	Ellie – Consideration
TA6	Lexi - Helpfulness
TA7	Chelsea – Self-discipline
TA8	Mackenzie – Kindness
TA9	Harriet – Respect & Caring
TA10	Leni - Respect
TA11	Indy – Environmental responsibility
TA12	Tayley – Courtesy
TA14	Lachie – Kindness
TA15	Riley - Caring

**Dates to Remember**

**MARCH**

**28** Last Day of School

**Students commence Term 2 on Tuesday 16 April**

**APRIL**

**24** Year 1 Kalamunda History Village

**25** ANZAC DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

**26** ANZAC Day Ceremony



## CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

Hi Greenwood Community,

The school holidays are nearly upon us and I cannot wait to rest and perhaps indulge in some Easter chocolate! Hope you have all enjoyed the term and have a wonderful, safe, and memory-making filled break. If you are having trouble finding some things to do over the holidays, here are some suggestions.

**TO GO:** Andy Warhol ICONS at Wanneroo Regional Gallery.

Wednesday to Sundays for free from 10:00am to 4:00pm.

Some of artist Andy Warhol's most recognisable works including the Campbell's Soup Can Suite, Electric Chairs and the Mick Jagger portrait series are on display. They are perfect to be introduced to the next generation especially those who have a keen interest in art and design.

**TO GO:** Jurassic Kingdom

Dinosaurs return to Burswood Park these holidays and come complete with new interactive night sessions on select days. These night sessions feature illuminated dinosaurs and different experiences with prices for these sessions starting from \$25.00 per child (not including booking fee) and \$45.00 for adults. Day sessions are also available but are separate in terms of cost from the night sessions.

**TO WATCH:** Kung Fu Panda 4

Po is back (again) but this time Master Shifu tells him that he must advance to become the spiritual leader of the Valley of Peace and must find a replacement as the Dragon Warrior. Adventures and troubles ensue as Tai Lung returns and there is a new enemy, the Chameleon who causes chaos to defeat. Will the Chameleon be defeated and who will Po choose as his successor?

**TO DO:** Explore a New Park

Pack a picnic, take your bike and/or your pet and go and check out some of the many different parks that we have in Perth. I am not just talking about

Kings Park – [www.buggybuddys.com.au](http://www.buggybuddys.com.au) has a comprehensive list of parks and playgrounds for you to search and I am sure you will find one that looks like fun!

**TO DO:** Craft and Fold or Fort and Camp

Engage in a craft activity or challenge yourself and your children with some origami creations (easy to follow instructions can be found online, or the kits and books have exploded into stores). Not origami minded... it may be the perfect time to construct a fort or even pitch the tent in the backyard and have a campout.



**Emma Swan**  
**School Chaplain**

## SUSTAINABILITY

### RECYCLING NEWS

Thank you to everyone who has contributed items to our Recycling Station outside the Library and TA2. We have been successful in our application for a Waste Sorted Schools Grant and the middle of April will see the installation of a bigger and more vibrant Recycling Hub. This will be positioned at the rear of the Library.



A huge thank you to the community of Meckering who have collected a large amount of aluminium ring pulls for donation to Wheelchairs for Kids. Well done everyone.



**Thank you from the Sustainability Team**



**TA11 - Sculptures by the Sea**

