

eNEWS

NEWS HIGHLIGHTS TO INFORM OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY



Dear Parents and Community members,

I would like to extend my sincere thanks to all parents who took the opportunity to attend Parent Information evenings over the past two weeks. We are keen for parents to feel informed about classroom practices and routines and establish positive working relationships with the staff. My sincere thanks also to my staff for giving up an evening to meet with parents and sharing about classroom practices and routines.

Public School Review

Today our school hosted Education Department staff to conduct a Public School Review. The review forms part of the processes our Department uses to ensure our schools are effective and striving to make a positive impact on the students in our care. Thank you to the members of the P&C Association and Board who contributed to the review, along with many of our staff. A report about our school will be made available to the Board and the wider school community as soon as it is available. The report will be available through the school website.

Assembly

Tomorrow TA37 will host our first assembly for the year, which is a senior assembly for students in Years Three to Six. Parents are most welcome to join us for this event.

On Entry Pre-Primary Assessment

All of our Pre-Primary Students will sit the On Entry Assessment over the next three weeks which looks at the students' literacy and numeracy skills and supports teachers to plan for the needs of the children. Parents will receive information regarding the children's performance later this term.

School Development Day

Our next School Development Day is on Friday 28th February. The students do not attend school on this day. The staff will be participating in professional learning with a focus on the Aboriginal Cultural Standards framework and Mindfulness.

Year Five and Six Swimming

Year Five and Year Six swimming begins on Tuesday 3rd March and continues through to Friday 13th March. The lessons will be hosted at Mullaloo Beach. My sincere thanks to Mrs Harmer-Watkins on her leadership of this event. Please return permission slips and payment to the front office as soon as possible. These are available at the office or on the website.

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P&C AGM

The P&C AGM will be hosted on Monday 16th March at 7.00pm in the Breakout Room (Staffroom). All office bearer positions are declared vacant and I invite interested parents to consider nominating for the positions, which are;

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Executive Committee (3)
- Uniform Coordinator
- Canteen Coordinator
- Fundraising Coordinator

Should parents wish to chat about the roles they are most welcome to meet with the Principal.

P&C Financial Audit

Our P&C Association is looking for a member of the community with a suitable background in accounting / bookkeeping to conduct audits of the Association's finances, which is a requirement to ensure effective financial management. If you have this suitable background and are able to support the P&C Association please make contact with the Principal.

Parking

I have had a number of our neighbours experiencing concerns regarding the parking by parents on the side streets around the school. This has included blocking driveways, breaking sprinklers and in some case rude and abusive behaviour. Parking is, of course, a challenge for our school but patience by all involved is the secret to moving our students away in a timely and safe manner.

Interschool Athletics

Last Year the two smaller schools in our Interschool Sporting Association left to join groups with other smaller schools. As a result, Currambine and Joondalup Primary School have been seeking to create a new sporting association with other schools that are close by. This year our school will join with Beaumaris Primary School and Joondalup Primary School for Interschool events. We are hoping another school will join us in 2021. The new Association is developing new rules and procedures for the conduct on the Interschool Carnival and the 2020 carnival will have students from Years Three to Six participating in the event and team games will continue with some modification.

Geoff Smith
Principal

CALENDAR SNAPSHOT

20th Feb	ESAT Review – an independent review of the school conducted by the Department of Education
21st Feb	Assembly B (TA37)
28th Feb	School Development Day – children do not attend
3rd - 13th Mar	Yr 5-6 Swimming
6th Mar	Assembly A (TA13)
10th Mar	Positive Partnerships Evening Meeting. Parents that have a child with a diagnosis of autism are invited to attend.
13th Mar	Assembly A (TA24)
13th Mar	P&C Disco
17th - 19th Mar	School Photos
17th Mar	Jumps and Throws
20th Mar	Athletics Carnival
21st Mar	LADDs / Mullaloo Surf Club Beach Safety Day
25th - 26th Mar	Positive Partnership Meeting with teachers and parents during the school day
27th Mar	Assembly B (TA32)
27th Mar	Free Dress Day
27th Mar	Food Truck Evening
1st Apr	Interschool Jumps and Throws
3rd April	Assembly A (TA21)
3rd Apr	Interschool Athletics Carnival
4th Apr	Year Four Joondalup Lantern Parade
6th - 9th Apr	LADDs Dads in the Canteen
8th Apr	ANZAC Service
8th Apr	P&C Easter Raffle Draw
9th Apr	P&C Colour Run