



Forrestfield Primary School Newsletter

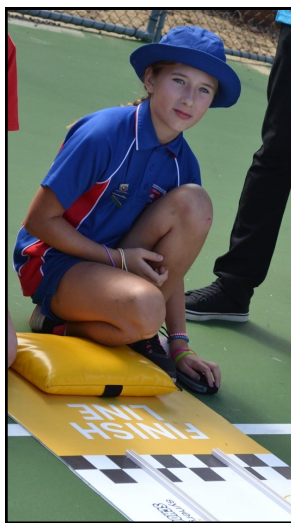


Dear Parents, Students and Community Members,

Our thanks to everyone who joined us this morning for a very touching **ANZAC Ceremony**. Our student leaders spoke beautifully and all classes contributed work, poetry or songs to show our respect to the ANZACS and all service personnel who have lost their lives in wars and peacekeeping missions. Our thanks to Mr Stephen Price MLA for Forrestfield and Mr Geoff Irvin, Kalamunda RSL.



This semester selected Year 6 students have been taking part in the **PACES Program** (Primary Academic Challenge and Enrichment Studies) at Darling Range Sports College. This semester students are studying the cross curricular theme of **Energy, Design and Amazing Architecture**. As a part of the program, teams from our Darling Range Learning Community entered the **Synergy Schools Solar Challenge**. I am very proud to inform you that Year 6 student Zuzanna Murawska's team has reached the final of this competition. This is a significant achievement made possible by our network of schools. Our best wishes for the final.



On Entry student reports were sent home on Monday with all students in **Pre Primary to Year 2**. These assessments were carried out in Weeks 3 to 6 this term. There are lots of great ideas on the back of the assessments. If you have any questions about your child's results, please speak to your child's teacher.

With our focus on improving basic facts knowledge, I am pleased to send home **tables charts** as well as **letter charts**. We thank Mr Price for these great resources. Students from Year 3 are expected to be able to recall their 2, 3, 5 and 10 x

IMPORTANT DATES

APRIL	
13	LAST DAY OF TERM 1
MAY	
1	Students start Term 2
8	12.45pm Protective Behaviours Parent Information Session
9	Parent Newsletter Student Assembly P & C
15 - 17	NAPLAN Testing
23	Parent Newsletter
30	Room 4 TED Assembly and TED's 9th birthday

tables, with students in Years 4 to 6 recalling all tables.

Our thanks to all parents who provided feedback in the **Tell Them From Me** survey. We have started to look at your feedback and in particular that which related to our digital communication. Our **newsletter** will now be placed on the website each Wednesday and the **Year Planner** has been updated. You will be notified of additional school events and changes through our newsletter each fortnight. School Council will workshop your feedback next term.

All staff will be learning about the **Protective Behaviours** curriculum during our School Development Day on Monday 30th April. A **parent session** is being organised with a tentative date of **Tuesday 8th May** and once confirmed, invitations will be sent home.

Diane Greenaway **PRINCIPAL**

*** **Student Assembly and P&C Meeting has been changed to Wednesday 9th May.** ****

SCHOOL SECURITY

We ask parents to ring **School Security on 1800 177 777** if you see suspicious activity after school hours or during the school holidays.

ROOM 3 TED ASSEMBLY

Congratulations to students in Room 3 for teaching us all about the continents of the world. We enjoyed Mr O'Connor's bad jokes as well! Congratulations also to all our award winners. Our next Student Assembly is Wednesday the 9th May at 8.50am. All parents, families and friends are welcome.

Virtues—Responsibility	
Rm 1	Saira Finlay, Imogen Williams
Rm 3	William Kelly, Makaela Finlay
Rm 4	Kayden Luke, Ritika Bist
Rm 12	Taya Luke, Coby Blackman
Rm 13	Sonny-Marie Abraham, Lukah Verrall
Rm 14	Jayshaun Little, Ruby White

Honour Certificates	
Rm 1	Alicia Toleafoa, Zuzanna Murawska
Rm 3	Tanaka Chiwawa, Frangelica Calabro
Rm 4	Bree-Anna Vidich, Milad Juma
Rm 12	Kai Gardiner, Shannon Kirkpatrick
Rm 13	Charlotte Overton, Ace Rose
Rm 14	Ruby Grosser-White, Kayden Wilson
Music	Wellington Chiwawa, Djiva Knight, Jackia Little



2018 Interschool Summer Carnival.

On Friday the 23rd March our Interschool Volleyball, T-Ball and Cricket teams represented our school in the Darling Range Summer Sports Carnival. All of our students competed hard and played fair while having a wonderful day. The behavior of all our students was outstanding and I was extremely proud of you all. I want to congratulate all our students for working so hard throughout the term in preparation for the carnival. Thank you also to all the parents and spectators who made their way down to support our teams on the day. Your encouragement and cheering on the sidelines was much appreciated. We are already looking forward to our Winter Sports Carnival that will be towards the end of Term 2.



Laura Bezant

Sports Teacher



Easter Hat Parade





Kalamunda Districts Hockey Club

Minkey 2018

Looking For A Team Sport To Engage Your Kids.

2018 Junior Program "KalaMinkey", for Kids **Kindy to Year 4**. This program will teach your children all the necessary skills to play field hockey through fun games & activities. The kids will be put into their different age groups.

When

- Minkey Season Term 2 will start on Saturday 5th May 2018, 9am at the Kalamunda Hockey Club, Hartfield Park, Morrison Road, Forrestfield.
- Term 2, 2018 – 9 weeks, one 1 hour session per week based around building basic skills with fun games at the end of each session.
- Term 3, 2018 – 9 weeks, one 1 hour session per week of basic and advance skills with fun games and 3 x Super Saturday game days!

How to Register:

- You can register at the Kalamunda Hockey Club Tuesday 3rd, 10th April, 1st May or Thursday 5th, 12th April, and 3rd May from 4:45pm to 6pm.
- Or For further information and Registrations contact **Caron Robertson** (0432645556 or minkey@kalahockey.org.au).

Fees and Equipment Costs

\$40 per term (Term 1 and Term 2 options)

Stick packs can be purchased for \$40

We are a registered KidSport club. KidSport vouchers are available from:

<http://www.dsr.wa.gov.au/funding/individuals/kidsport> OR talk to our registrar to arrange a payment plan. Contact BJ at registrar@kalahockey.org.au

If your child requires Equipment or uniforms (uniforms are non-compulsory for Minkey) please email Tracey at uniforms@kalahockey.org.au or order online at Kalahockey.org.au



P & C News

Thank you to everybody who participated in the Easter raffle. We are pleased to announce that we raised \$800 this year. A big thank you also to Grace and Bernadette for your donations.

The winner of our "Guess the Egg" competition was Taya in Room 12. Congratulations Taya!

Congratulations also go to our P & C Raffle Winners: Justine C, Ms Fowler, Sharon Ngai, Mitch Fahy, Grace N, T Smith, Nermine, Kiralee, Zia H Van, Blake Hill, Kasaya W, Tijuana Solan, Rick Minehan, Shannon Kirkpatrick, Charlotte Overton, Ms Sheree and Mr O'Connor.

The P & C wish everyone a safe and happy holidays.

Running Clinic – School Holiday Program



Let our coaches – winners from HBF Run & City to Surf teach your children correct running technique and posture. Suitable for Year 1-7.

Tue & Fri, 24 & 27 April

9 - 10am

Fee: \$25/child

Venue: Kostera Cricket Oval

Corner Cotherstone & Orange Valley Rd, Kalamunda

Register: <https://goo.gl/forms/uK5vJGwGvqNtmOv52>

For more info, contact:

E: info@letsrunperth.com or call: 0402784225

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/letsrunperth/>

Reusable Lunch Wraps

Parents please consider buying a reusable lunch wrap for your children.

We are teaching FPS students about how important it is to recycle – these wraps are made from 100% recycled plastic soft drink bottles.

They are available from the front office for **\$10** – See Mrs Peel or Mrs Squire



VIRTUES AND BEHAVIOUR FOCUS

Our focus virtue is currently

RESPONSIBILITY

and our focus behaviour is

"When we eat we..."

We ask parents to reinforce these behaviours.



When we eat we ...

1. Sit in the correct area.
2. Eat with our mouths closed.
3. Put all rubbish in the bin.
4. Pick up any other rubbish we see lying around.



KSP PRE-SSC CLUB

REGISTER NOW FOR THE APRIL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Enter the KSP newsroom
Thursday 19 April 2018
9.30am to 3.30pm
Facilitated by local author GUY SALVIDGE

**INTERVIEW A SPECIAL GUEST AUTHOR
CREATIVE WRITING SPRINTS
GAMES AND PRIZES
PERSONALISED PRESS PASS
LUNCH & SNACKS INCLUDED**

TICKETS AVAILABLE ONLINE FROM \$55
PH: 08 9294 1872
W: WWW.KSPWRITERSCENTRE.COM

FOR TOMORROW'S MEDIA MOGULS

FOR CADETS 12-16 YRS



Install dual flush toilets

Replacing a standard single flush toilet with a dual flush system could save 80 litres of water a day.

WATER EDUCATION