

Lesmurdie Primary School Newsletter

Independent Public School



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Our Purpose: To provide the opportunity for all students to develop the skills, knowledge and confidence to achieve their full potential – academically, socially and emotionally. We seek to ensure that all students are able to develop the values and curriculum outcomes as articulated in the Curriculum Framework.

Term 1 Newsletter No.2

15 February 2018

4	19 Feb	20 Feb Book Swap Shop Staff Meeting	21 Feb School Banking	22 Feb	23 Feb
5	26 Feb	27 Feb Book Swap Shop Early Close 12.10 Parent Interviews 12.30 - 7.00	28 Feb Assembly Italian School Banking	1 Mar Newsletter	2 Mar



Congratulations!
Honour Certificates Awarded 14th February 2018



Room 13	Whole Class		Room 15	Ava B	
Room 16	Sophera H	Grier C	Room 1	Harry D	Jessica P
Room 2	Whole Class		Room 3	Charlemayne H	Gabriel R
Room 6	Annabel Z	Ilya P	Room 7	Luke B	Lochie T

The school year is progressing nicely with classes settled into their learning. Teachers are working hard to learn all about the children in their classes and look forward to our teacher:parent meetings in Week 5. The P&C have held their AGM and are working to support our children through fund raising and providing services to families. I encourage all parents to actively support the P&C.

SCHOOL BOARD

The 2018 nomination process for parent and staff members has been completed and as nominations matched the positions available we will not need to progress to an election.

Congratulations to Mrs Erin Baker, Mrs Michelle Dudfield and Mr Chris Griffiths who join the Board for the first time and to

Mrs Pam Rushton who is returning. Congratulations also to Mr Bushby who will be our new staff member.



Sister School

In January, Mrs Mulligan travelled to Cambodia to visit our Sister School, Amphet Phnom Primary School and she shared some of her experience with the students at our first assembly this week. To assist parents and students to learn more about APPS and how they use the money your children raise, we will include information in our newsletters over the year.

Amphet Phnom Primary School – School Uniform

Children in Cambodia are very proud to be attending school. They all wear fresh clean uniforms each day, typically a white shirt, trousers, shorts or skirt and sandals or thongs. They always take their footwear off before going inside.

PARENT INTERVIEWS

These take place in Week 5 on Tuesday February 27th. The school will close early, at 12.10 pm and interviews will commence from 12.30 pm. We will provide supervision for students who cannot leave at 12.10 pm, but appreciate the support of most parents who can arrange alternate supervision for the afternoon. Information for this day will be sent home this week and we ask that Interview Time Requests are returned by Tuesday, February 20th so that we can allocate times and advise families later next week.

FREE DRESS DAY – CARNEVALE



Our first Free Dress Day for 2018 is scheduled for Wednesday 28th February. The Theme for this day is Masks and the Italian Festival 'Carnevale'.

Students are working on their masks in class and they will bring home ideas on suitable clothing to support the theme of their mask.

Free Dress Days cost a Gold Coin which goes towards our Student Councillor's Fund Raising Projects including our Sister School in Cambodia, Amphet Phnom Primary School.



Richie Griffiths
Principal

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

FACTION TOKENS

Congratulations to the following children for demonstrating excellent behaviour in both the classroom and playground. They were awarded their medals at our last assembly.

Bronze – Rory L & Bhavjyot S

Silver – Cooper E & Lachlan L

Gold – Lucca P

This week the **BUG Award** (Being Ultimately Great) went to the Year 3 students in Room 1. Well done! You are wonderful role models to our other students.

2018 LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

The following student representatives were elected by their peers and staff to fill important leadership roles in our school for 2018.



Head Girl

Alisha Reilly



Student Councillor

Emmeline Stirling



Banksia Faction Captain

Emma Marshall



Banksia Vice Captain

Asha Ascoli



Hovea Faction Captain

Serpphire Nash



Hovea Vice Captain

Chloe Oliver



Zamia Faction Captain

Erika Wakefield



Zamia Vice Captain

Erin Collins



Head Boy

Daniel Grassie



Student Councillor

Luka Stevanovski



Banksia Faction Captain

Cameron Long



Banksia Vice Captain

Lucas Davies



Hovea Faction Captain

Lochie Turner



Hovea Vice Captain

Jarron Atterton



Zamia Faction Captain

Wil Ross



Zamia Vice Captain

Will Alliprandi

COLES SPORTS FOR SCHOOL PROGRAM

Families are able to collect Coles Sports for Schools vouchers for their school from Coles stores. When the program ends, we can exchange those vouchers towards sporting equipment to encourage kids to get healthy and active at school. Please put vouchers in the box provided outside the P&C Uniform Shop (Room 4).

How does it work?



Step 1
For every \$10 spent at Coles, customers will receive one Sports for Schools voucher.

Step 2
Your school's families can then bring vouchers to your school, placing them in the collection bins provided.

Step 3
Every voucher received by your school will go towards your tally to help you order sports equipment.

Kind regards,
Kevin Donetta

GENERAL NEWS

ITALIAN LANGUAGE ASSISTANT

This year at Lesmurdie Primary School we are lucky to have the benefit of an Italian Language Assistant or Maestra (teacher in Italian). Valeria will be helping me with the Italian classes each Thursday and Friday for the year. Please make her feel welcome if you see her around the school.

Signora Barclay



SWIMMING CARNIVAL – YEAR 4 - 6

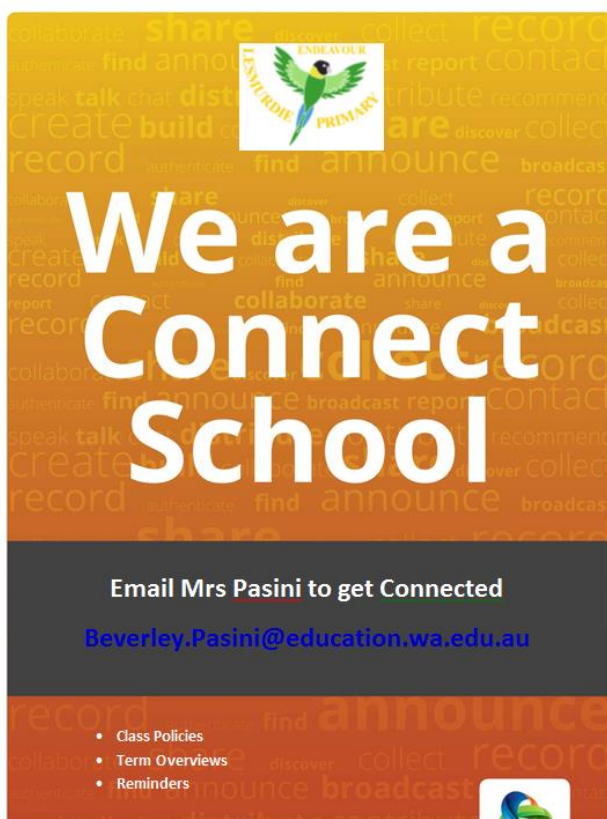
Our Faction Swimming Carnival will be held on Thursday 15th March.

Information about the Carnival has been posted to [Connect](#).

This week students brought home a Permission Note for the carnival.

The Permission Notes and the payment of \$7.50 for pool entry and bus travel should accompany the note and be placed in the Black Box outside the front office.


If you have not sent the money at this point, please ensure it is in a well labelled envelop when placed in the Black Box.



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School**

Email Mrs Pasini to get Connected
Beverley.Pasini@education.wa.edu.au

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P&C NEWS

Office Bearers for 2018

At the P&C AGM on Monday, the following members were elected as office bearers for 2018:

President - Pam Rushton

Vice President - **Vacant**

Treasurer - Cathy Norton

Secretary - **Vacant**

Fundraising Coordinator (Executive) - **Vacant**

Uniform Shop Coordinator (Executive) - Kendra Weeks

Executive - Nikki Reilly, Julia Gallop, Tracey Wakefield

Thank you to the new office bearers for 2018. The P&C would also like to thank all outgoing office bearers for their support and dedication to our school.

Thank you also to the parents who have stepped forward to run our projects for term 1 and 2 so far.

If you are interested in any of the vacant office bearers positions above, please contact us

lesmurdieprimarypc@gmail.com

P&C Class Reps

Class Reps are the communication link between parents in each class, the class teacher, and also the P&C. The class rep creates a class contact list for their room.

Some teachers have organised class reps already.

The following classes still need a rep. If you are interested in the role of class rep for your child's classroom, please email us for information and/or to put your name forward. lesmurdieprimarypc@gmail.com

PP Room 11 -

Room 13 -

Room 14 -

Room 15 -

Room 16 -

Room 1 -

Room 2 -

Room 3 -

Room 5 -

Room 6 -

Room 7 -

Room 8 -

COMMUNITY NEWS



Kids Karate/Self Defence

Kalamunda kids karate classes are structured to provide a balanced mixture of physical activity, self-defence training and fun. These classes instil in the children better confidence, hand-eye coordination skills and discipline as well as being great for fitness.

Kids Karate classes also coincide with school terms to allow for family holiday periods. All classes are run by fully qualified and accredited instructors and beginners may start at any time during the term, as all training is ongoing.

Beginner Kids Karate Class times are:
Monday – Friday 3:45pm – 4:30pm
Saturday: 11.30am – 12.15pm

At Kalamunda Kickboxing & Martial Arts
1/27 Laurence Road,
WALLISTON, WA, 6076.

For further information or to book a place for your child/children please contact the office on:

Ph.: (08) 8293 1633
Email: info@kalamundakickboxing.com.au
Website: www.kalamundakickboxing.com.au

Lesmurdie Saints
Established 1982
JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

Registration Day
25th February 9am - Noon
at the St Brigid's College Gym
200 Lesmurdie Rd, Lesmurdie WA 6076

Pre-Primary - Year 6
ALL PLAYERS FROM ALL SCHOOLS WELCOME
- WE ARE A COMMUNITY BASED FOOTBALL CLUB

**Inspiring boys and girls to build confidence & self worth
and to be active... but most of all "have fun"**

CLUB HIGHLIGHTS:

- Western Australian Football Commission Inc & Swan Districts Champion Club of the Year for 2017
- Auskick Team played last ever game at Domain Stadium (WAFL Grand Final)

CONTACT/ENQUIRIES: Craig Hutchinson, Club President
0407 501 509 lsjfc-president@gmail.com

REGISTRATION QUESTIONS: Kyle, Club Registrar
lsjfc.registrar@gmail.com

KALAMUNDA UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB

Kalamunda United Football Club is looking for Soccer Players aged between 7-18 for coming season. We have a registration day on February 18th, 2018 10am to 2pm. Check out our Facebook page for more information. Please contact the Club email treasurerkufc@gmail.com or For more information about Kalamunda United go to www.KUFC.net.au

FREE FAMILY FUN

The City of Kalamunda's annual Corymbia Multicultural Festival is back again. Come along on Saturday 10 March for a day of free family fun and excitement.

Festival-goers will have the chance to explore the world in a day, enjoying multicultural food, live music, cultural dances and a fireworks finale!

There will be plenty of amusement rides, inflatable fun and special activities for the kids.

The festival runs from 2pm to 8pm at Hartfield Park off Hale Road in Forrestfield.

Head to the City of Kalamunda Facebook page for more information or call 9257 9999.

CORYMBIA festival

Saturday 10 MARCH
2PM - 8PM

CORYMBIA MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL
EXPLORE THE WORLD IN A DAY

CULTURAL MUSIC • DANCE • RIDES • KIDS ACTIVITIES
LIVE CONCERT • FIREWORKS FINALE
Hartfield Park, Morrison Road, Forrestfield

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU ARE PAYING THE CORRECT ACCOUNT

PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL

Payments can be made to the school using the Pay Anyone option through your online banking account.

The account details are as follows:

Lesmurdie Primary School
BSB: 066 112
Account: 00900617

Clearly state the student's full name and reason for payment in the description (e.g. Smith J - Swimming)

PAYMENTS TO THE P&C ASSOCIATION

Any activity organised by the P&C Association should be paid directly into the P&C Account

Lesmurdie Primary P&C
BSB: 036065
Account: 200374

Clearly state the student's full name and reason for payment in the description (e.g. Smith J - Scitech)

PAYMENTS FOR UNIFORM SHOP

Any uniforms purchased through the Uniform Shop need to be paid into

LPS Uniform Shop
BSB: 306075
Account: 4174262

Clearly state full name in the description (e.g. SMITH)