

Belmont Primary School News

11 September 2020

Issue # 13

Coming Events

Wednesday 16 September

Ballet Incursion

Friday 18 September

Room 7—Dolphin Watch Excursion

Tuesday 22 September

6pm Dance Performance

Friday 25 September

Sports Awards
Assembly
Newsletter—Term 3
Roundup

Quote of the Fortnight

"Excellence is not being the best, it is doing your best."

Anon

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Two weeks to go and it's a busy two weeks with lots of things planned.

Faction Sports' Carnival: What a great day!! Thanks to so many people—students, staff, parents and other visitors, for making it so. A special thanks to Mrs McDonald for her organisation prior to, and on the day. A big thank you to all parents who donated goodies for the cake stall— and to the parents who assisted manning the stall. A very successful venture with \$381.10 raised. Fantastic Work!

Thanks, too, to all the parents who participated in some of the events—a highlight of the day.

A big congratulations to Red Faction, and to all our winners and runners-up. Well done!

Dance Performance: A reminder that this is set for the 22nd September, starting at 6:00pm. Gates will be open at 5:30pm for students to get ready in their classes and for parents to view students' work which will be on display around the undercover area.

P&C Meeting: We now have our committee to start our new P&C - and it would be great to see some more parents turn up for our next meeting to help plan

and organise future events. Special thanks to the following mums for putting their hands up and take on the different roles:

Tabitha Wynn—President

Laura Perzamanos—Vice President

Tiffany Wendt—Secretary

Laura Perzamanos—Treasurer.

Laura and Olivia Yuen will be running the Uniform Shop and an update from them will happen soon. We will be sending home a survey to see what items we need to purchase for 2021—and our Year 5 students will also receive an order form for their Year 6 leaver polo shirts.

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, 20 October—starting at 2:00pm and meeting in Room 5. We would love to see you there!

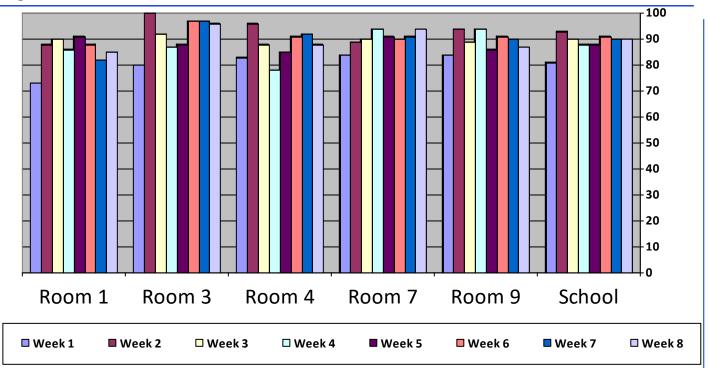
Bike Drawer: Thanks to Ms Cassie Rowe for her generous donation of a bike. Congratulations to Daisy!!

At our next assembly, Friday, 25 September, we will drawing one name from each class to have school fees refunded. Thanks to the 2019 P&C Committee for this generous donation. We have 74 students who have paid their fees to date—thanks!

Talk Like a Pirate Day: 18 September—kids can come dressed as a Pirate, or something related to a pirate!!! (like a giant parrot!)

Perth Ballet Company—will be visiting us next Wednesday to

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present different dance types to our students. This is at no cost to students and we greatly appreciate this wonderful opportunity and donation of this performance by Perth Ballet Company.

Attendance: Great to see this stay consistent over the past fortnight, though I do know that there have been a few kids and staff members who have picked up the "bug" that's going around. I hope you are all feeling better soon!

Arrival / Departure—School Days:

Thanks to all parents for getting your kids to school on time, and picking them up at 3:00pm.

We still have a few kids who are at school till past 3:15pm A reminder that school is finished at 3:00pm, and pickup around that time would be appreciated.

Remember to phone the office if you are delayed due to something beyond your control. Thanks.

Spring is in the air—it's going to be a glorious weekend—enjoy!

Stephanne Dann.....Principal

Congratulations

Merit Certificates

The following students were awarded Merit Certificates at this mornings assembly.

Kindy

Congratulations to;Sophia S

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•	Dilpreet V	Kindy
•	Jayson L	Pre Primary
•	Flynn C	Year 1
•	Briar T	Year 2
•	Liella F	Year 2
•	Zach Z	Year 4
•	Hiba N	Year 4
•	Ffloyd M - S	Year 5
•	Isla N	Year 6



Class News

Kindy/Pre-Primary—Room 1 have loved being a part of the faction carnival. The students trained so hard leading up to the day.

We are becoming reading and writing stars. We chin walk when segmenting words to write and decode when reading unknowns words.

Year PP/1—Room 3 have designed and made a "Create Corner" in our classroom, which encourages us to use our creative art and writing ideas. There are a variety of materials to use and we are absolutely loving it.

Mrs Rigby has displayed our masterpieces and we are very proud of our effort.

Year 2/3—Room 4 have been busy learning about information reports and researching why we have endangered animals.

In Maths we have been learning about division and measuring using metric units.

We have enjoyed our dance lessons so far and are excited about our performance in a few week's time.

Year 3/4—Room 7 have had lots of fun preparing for our assembly.

We have begun writing information reports on ocean animals.

Next week we are going on a "Junior Dolphin Watch" excursion. We can't wait.

Year 5/6—Room 9 have been researching different kinds of puppets. We have made some paper puppets and are going to write some little short plays for the puppets to help them come to life.

In Maths we have been solving Word Problems and writing them.

Office News

Visitor Sign In / Sign Out

Please remember that all visitors/parents on school premises must sign in when entering and sign out when leaving.

This is also a requirement for all parents who are here for teacher meetings.

School Accounts

All contributions and payments may be paid by Direct Deposit, Eftpos or you may phone the office with credit card details and we can process for you.

Direct Deposit details;

BSB: 066 040

Account #: 19901797

(Please put your child's name in reference)

A HUGE thank you to all the families who have already paid ©

Science Corner

The Young Engineers Club

The Young Engineers' Club is continuing to provide lots of challenges for the students attending.

In week 2 they worked and learnt about levers and constructed a crane. In week 3 the students looked at gear transmission and made a mixer. This session meant they added a motor which provided lots of fun for the students once they got the mixer moving.

There are two more workshops to go until the end of term.

Waste Wise

Over the holidays please keep your used batteries, newspapers and any other materials that could be used at our Recycling Centre. On your return to school please place the items in the containers located outside Room 3. Thank you to everyone for your support this term.

Fact— A modern glass bottle would take 4000 years or more to decompose - and even longer if its in the landfill.

Crunch&Sip®

On Thursday the whole school took part in the Great Vegie Crunch! This event happens every year and we join many schools across WA crunching on fresh vegetables-and having fun doing this activity. Did you know that only 6 per cent of Western Australian school aged children eat the recommended daily intake of vegies? The Great Vegie Crunch aims to change that and educate students on the importance of eating more vegetables. Our school tried to make the biggest crunch in history!







Crunch&Sip*

Simple ways to encourage children to eat more vegetables – Part 1

- Get children involved in meal preparation – they are more likely to eat something they have helped create.
- Make a healthy snack the easy choice at home by keeping a container of cut up vegetables and dip in the fridge and limiting the purchase of treat foods in the weekly shop.
- Include children when making decisions about what the family eats – just make sure all the options are healthy choices.
 For example, at the supermarket ask kids to choose which vegetables will go in the stir fry.



- Make mealtimes a relaxed and sociable occasion. Sit around the table and take it in turns to begin a family discussion.
- Modelling healthy eating behaviours yourself is a better strategy than trying to pressure children to eat certain foods. If children feel pressured at mealtimes they can build up negative associations and reject the very foods you are trying to promote.
- Hide grated vegetables in foods like pasta sauce, patties, casserole, shepherd's pie, quiche, soup and omelettes.

Sunsmart

The Cancer Council Western Australia says: Be SunSmart!

- Slip on a shirt
- Slop on sunscreen
- Slap on a hat



- Seek shade
- Slide on some sunglasses

Use a combination of these sun protection measures outside when the UV Index is 3 or above

Water Wise.

Now is the time to reset your sprinklers ready for the summer months.

Fact—Cucumbers are 96% water.

Tip—



School Sports

Faction Carnival Results

Congratulations to all the students who participated in the Faction Carnival.

Overall scores were **Red 801 points** and **Blue 784 points.** Congratulations **Red**.



Results are as follows;

- Junior Champion Girl—Lia O
- Junior Runner Up Girl—Ellie Mc
- Junior Champion Boy—Eric S
- Junior Runner Up Boy—Tyler C
- Inter Champion Girl—Imogen C
- Inter Runner Up Girl—Lian A and
 - —Trisha S
- Inter Champion Boy—Eknoor S
- Inter Runner Up Boy—Shrinand S
- Senior Champion Girl—Isla N
 - —Isabella M
- Senior Runner Up Girl—Khadija S
- Senior Champion Boy—Cooper W
- Senior Runner Up Boy—Marley G















Room 1 News

It has been such a busy term in Room 1. We have welcomed two new friends in Rayden and Platon who have settled in wonderfully with us. We have been busy learning new skills to help us to read and write. All our learning in Room 1 is hands on, where we use a range of objects to help us. We are consistently revising things we have already learned and now we are whizzes at rhyming and syllables. In Maths we are learning to count, read and write numbers to 20 and learning about capacity. One of our favourite days this term was the 100th day of School. We participated in activities based around the number 100 with the whole school. We all had a fabulous time at the Faction Carnival, especially Mrs Tedge because Red WON!!! We are all very excited about our Dance Night and can't wait to show our parents/grandparents our fantastic dance skills.

















Dear Parent/Guardian,

Annual School Photos are coming soon. 3P Photography are excited to be at your school on..

18th + 19th November 2020

Before Photo Day:

- Individual Order Forms will be handed out to each student prior to Photo Day
- Complete the Form and hand to your child's teacher prior to Photo Day
- Photos can also be ordered online at www.3p.net.au
 The Shoot Key is printed on the bottom of your Order Form
- Please return the Form regardless of whether you are ordering prints or not
- · After Photo Day a Late Fee may occur

Photo Day:

- Please ensure your child has returned the Order Form
- Advise your child that 3P will be taking Photos today
- Please ensure correct and neat uniform is worn
- Hair neat and tidy. Preferably no large side/high ponytails, it may be cropped out

Sibling Photos:

- Sibling Photos will be taken at the photography area at your school
- Please note, students will not be collected from class
- Students must present themselves to the photography area
- Order only on eldest child's Form, unless ordering multiple sibling packs
- Photo times are 15min before and after School, unless otherwise indicated

Should you have any queries, please don't hesitate to contact 3P directly on (08) 9250 6244.







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Send your kids to UWA these school holidays!

Spring Program: Tuesday 29 September– Friday October

The UWA Kids Holiday Programs are fun and exciting, multi-sport day camps for children aged 4–12 that run during the school holidays.



Click here to view the NEW activity schedule!

With a focus on participation and having a good time, this program is excellent for introducing kids to new sports in a friendly, non-competitive environment and for keeping them active and happy during the school holidays

Book your kids before 5pm Wednesday 2 September and claim the early bird special of 5 days for the price of 4 (per child).

BOOK NOW!

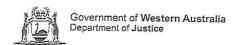




Cloverdale Comets Diamond Sports Association (Inc) ABN: 54 801 468 487
PO BOX 3082 BELMONT EAST WA - Home Ground: Redcliffe Park, 33 Morgan Road, REDCLIFFE
ONLINE REGISTRATION http://tinyurl.com/CometsTeeballRegistration2020









GET HELP WITH IDENTIFICATION, FINES AND DRIVERS LICENCE BUSINESS

Aboriginal Justice is holding an **OPEN DAY "one-stop shop"** where you can get services to help you with identification, fines and drivers licence business.

Rivervale Community Centre – Main Hall, Cnr Francisco Street and Surrey Road, Rivervale

<u>Thursday</u> 17 September 2020 <u>9.00am - 3.00pm</u>

What you can do at the Open Day

- Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages Need identification? Want to check if you and your children's births are registered? Register births! *Birth Registrations FREE*
 - *Apply for Birth, Death and Marriage Certificates \$50.00*Change of Name \$176.00
- Sheriff For queries on fines and make arrangements for time-to-pay.
- Licence Checking & General Information Find out if you have lost your license or are under suspension and other information about licensing services.
- Community Support Services Legal Aid WA and Job Search Providers.

To enable us to help you, please bring along as much of the following as you can:

- Birth Certificate
- Medicare card
- Centrelink card
- Key card
- Bank statement or official letter or bill from a Government agency or employer that has your address and is no more than 6 months old
- · Either cash or credit card/debit card for payment

Contactless payment via cred card/debit card is preferred, however, if this is not possible, agencies will also accept cash.

Community safety is our priority and the following measures will be in place at our Open Days to help stop the spread of COVID-19:

- Good hygiene with use of personal protective equipment (PPE) where appropriate;
- Physical distancing (1.5) metres away from others);
- Regular cleaning and disinfecting of venue surfaces and "high touchpoints";
- Separate single entry and exit points; and
- Ready availability of hand sanitiser for attendees.

Please note, in line with the State Government's decision to relax COVID-19 restrictions and move to Phase 4 of the WA Roadmap, there will be no gathering limits.

For further information or enquiries please ring our free call number

1800 671 866



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