



26 July 2018

Yanchep Lagoon Primary School website address: www.yanchep.wa.edu.au

To Parents and Community Members

Thank you to all those Parents and Guardians who braved the wild weather on Wednesday to attend the interviews about your child's Semester 1 reports. Hopefully the discussions were fruitful. Research over many years has shown that children who do well at school have engaged and supportive Parents who talk positively about the school and value of education. As the child gets older, conversations around future careers and pathways also add to the value and relevance of education and gives purpose to the child's learning at school. We all want the very best for all our Students and Parents play a vital role in achieving that goal so please keep up the positive talk around schooling. A reminder also of course, that if you wish to discuss your child's progress at any time during the term contact the Class Teacher to make an appointment.

There has been some great developments for the students at recess and lunch break with the P&C providing a range of equipment from balls to ping pong tables. I thank also Mr and Mrs Zamudio and Ms Horsley and Lexi for painting all those games on the floor of the undercover area during the term break for students to use. It is very pleasing to see the pleasure that these things have brought to our students and we look forward to more being provided in the coming months.

In a Yarner last term, we published the progress of payment for Contributions and Charges across the school and this did spark some responses and payments, thank you to those Parents who have paid. We will continue to track and publish the progress of payments as we endeavour to achieve the highest possible rate of contributions. The more payments we receive the more resources we can provide for your children.

Finally a few reminders of upcoming events; we have our next P&C meeting on Monday 30 July at 3.15pm new members are always welcome. Our current Year 6 students have an Orientation day at Yanchep Secondary College on Monday 6 August. On Thursday 9 August we have our NAIDOC day to celebrate and showcase our Country's Indigenous Heritage.

Alan Curtis
Principal

ALLERGIC REACTIONS:

With our raised awareness of Allergies being on the increase, please be aware that our school does have students who have life threatening peanut/nut allergic reactions. We endeavour to provide a safe learning environment to all our students at all times.



To reduce the chance of this occurring, we are asking that you do not send any peanut or nut containing products to school with your child that will be eaten in the classroom. If your child has eaten peanuts or nuts prior to coming to school, please be sure your child's hands have been thoroughly washed prior to entering school grounds.

We appreciate your support.

Book week commences Monday 20 August through to Friday 24 August.
All week the colouring competition will be running for Pre Primary to Year 6 students.

The theme for 2018 is "Find Your Treasure". The Dress-up parade will be held Friday 24 August. Come along dressed in your Favourite Book Character (there will be a prize for each class)

Mrs Van Padua
(Library Lady)



*Looking for volunteers to help in the Library with book covering.
If you have a free hour please contact the school and leave your name.*

ENROLMENT FOR 2019

You need to apply to enrol your children into a public school for 2019 if they are:

- Starting Kindergarten (4 years old by 30 June 2019)
- Starting Pre-primary (first year of compulsory school) (5 years old by 30 June 2019)
- Changing schools



All children from Pre-primary to Year 12 are guaranteed a place at their local public school.

Come and see us to enrol your children today. *(Please ensure that you have Birth Certificate, Immunisation and 2 proof of residency with your current Yanchep address)*

Our website address is: www.yanchep.wa.edu.au

Communication between our School, Parents, Guardians and Students will be sent via electronic media. This means you will receive your Newsletters via Email or you can view it on our Website www.yanchep.wa.edu.au or Facebook page. Important dates and upcoming events may also be sent via Email and will be posted on our Facebook page too.

In-Term Absences for Holidays

The Department of Education has amended the rule governing student vacation absence during the school term and parents will now require the **permission of the school Principal to allow an authorised absence from school.**

Please visit the Front Office for a Holiday Request Form or download from our Website.

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(dates are correct at time of print)

Wk	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3	Jul 30 P&C Meeting 3.15pm	31 Better Beginnings Kindy	August 1	2 Assembly 4.1	3
4	Aug 6 School Council 3.15pm	7 Green Team	8	9 NAIDOC Day	10
5	Aug 13 Smart Start Yr 6 Orientation Day at Yanchep SC	14 Smart Start	15	16 Assembly 5.1	17 One Big Voice
6	Aug 20 Book Week	21 Green Team Book Week	22 Book Week	23 Book Week	24 Book Week
7	Aug 27	28	29	30 Assembly 3.1	31
8	September 3	4 Green Team	5	6	7 Athletics Carnival
9	Sept 10	11	12	13	14 Interschool Athletics Carnival
10	Sept 17	18 Green Team	19	20 Assembly 2.2	21 Pupil Free Day

The P&C ladies are opening our Canteen every Thursday for this Term.

If you haven't already, you can pre-order your Meal Deals which are only \$5 (sorry cash only and money must be received the day before).

- 2 August** Chicken Nuggets (6), Muffin and choice of drink
- 9 August** Sausage sizzle, fruit cup and choice of drink
- 16 August** Party pies (3), fruit cup and choice of drink
- 23 August** Macaroni Cheese, Yogo and choice of drink
- 30 August** Pizza, frozen yogurt and choice of drink

Order forms have been sent home with your child but if you need a new one, we have copies in the Front Office.

If you would like to volunteer to help out in the Canteen, please leave your name and mobile number at the Office.



Pupil Free day
Friday 21 September