

Ardross Primary

An Independent Public School

Principal's Message



I hope you enjoyed the long weekend and had the opportunity to enjoy some of the festivities of Western Australia Day.

As winter is upon us many of the children are succumbing to viruses which are easily spread within a school environment. Thank you to those parents who keep their children at home to ensure they are better and ready to learn before they return. If your child is sick at school we will ring to advise you to collect your child.

Friday, 25 June was our annual Trivia Night at Thompkins on Swan. The positive impact of so many people coming together to raise funds to go towards the education of our students now and into the future was inspiring. On behalf of our students I would like to thank every single person who contributed in any way to the success of the night. The energy of Charlotte Oliver who drove the event from beginning to end was inspirational. Thank you.

On Tuesday, 26 June from 3.30-6.30pm we will be holding a parent meeting event. You will have the opportunity to meet with classroom and specialist teachers for 10 minutes to discuss your students' progress. Very shortly you will receive notification on how to book online.

Reports will be sent out electronically on Wednesday, 27 June.

Have a great fortnight.

ARDROSS PRIMARY SCHOOL BOARD

At Ardross Primary School we have a very active school board consisting of Chairperson -Mr Geoff Cooper; Angela Tooker, Kelvin Sun, Zoe Zmitkov, Angela Treloar, Larisa Motton, Cath Riley, Denelle Ellery, Denise Moore, Hannah Brown and Sue Mikkelsen-Taylor. Our P&C representative is Aoibhin Tweedie. We meet twice a term on Wednesday evenings.

What is the role of the School Board?

It plays an important role in contributing to good school governance so that school resources are used efficiently and community expectations and the school's priorities reflect the needs of students. The functions of boards are covered by legislation and include both approval and advisory roles. Some of the matters boards may make decisions on include fees and charges, book lists, sponsorship and dress codes. School Boards make these decisions with the principal who ensures the decisions adhere to legislative and policy requirements. Principals also seek the advice of councils/boards so as to understand local community views. The council/board does not intervene in the control or management of the school. This is the role of the Principal.

CHILD AND ADOLESCENT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICE SURVEY

Help the Department of Health to improve school-aged health services Do you have a child aged between three and 18? Child and Adolescent Community Health and WA Country Health Service are reviewing the community health services provided to school-aged children and across Western Australia. You are invited to complete a short survey to help them understand what is important to you, what is working well and what could be made better. For more information and to complete the survey, visit http://healthywa.wa.gov.au/Schoolhealth-services. The survey closes on Friday, 8 June.



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Wednesday 6 June Kindy - Farmyard on Wheels Year 5 - Planting @ Anketell

Thursday 7 June Rooms 4 & 5 - Planting @ Deep Water Point Room 3 - Apple Store

Friday 8 June African Drumming Incursion

Monday 11 June P&C Meeting - 7.15pm

Tuesday 12 June Dental Screening -Pre Primary, Year 3 & 6

Thursday 14 June Uniform Shop Open

Friday 15 June Interschool vs Melville PS

Tuesday 19 June Assembly - Room 19

Sue Mikkelsen-Taylor

Principal

Wednesday 20 June Cross Country Carnival Board Meeting - 7.15pm

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SPORT - UPCOMING INTERSCHOOL SPORT TIMETABLE

Sport	Week 7 Location - 15 June (vs Melville PS)	Week 8 Location - 22 June (vs Palmyra PS)
AFL	Melville	Shirley Strickland
Soccer A	Ardross	Ardross
Soccer B	Ardross	Palmyra
Netball A	Ardross	Ardross
Netball B	Ardross	Ardross
Netball C	Melville	Palmyra
Netball D	Melville	N/A

HONOUR CERTIFICATE WINNERS					
At the assem	nbly held today the winners were:				
Room 20	Tayla B, James W.	Room 6	Sanjana A, Lyla D, Shelby L, Duke R.		
Room 17	River-Jean F, Aiden T, Christopher W.	Room 5	Larissa A, Holly B, Luke K, Amar M.		
Room 16	Rayan A, Jayden L.	Room 4	Elizabeth B, Lincoln O, Miles P, Ruby S, Matty Z.		
Room 15	Imogen F, Justan Y.	Room 3	Sophia C, Jasmine S.		
Room 13	Ava C, Javan L, Noah N.	Room 2	Zack A, Bryn F, Joshua O, Matthew S, Mekhi W.		
Room 10	Daniel H.	Room 1	Laura C, Nate O, Tiana S, Heather S.		
Room 8	Reyenne K, Brodie W, Kristina Y.	Japanese	James P, Bridget S, Mia S, Rose T.		
Room 7	Thomas C, Ivanka L, Shradha S.				

IMPORTANT - KISS AND DRIVE

A reminder to families to familiarise themselves with our Kiss and Drive policy attached to this newsletter. Please ensure you follow the guidelines outlined in this policy as the safety of our students is of utmost importance. The policy is as follows:

Children from Kindergarten and Pre-Primary are too young to use the "Kiss and Drive" and need to be collected from class. **Parents cannot park in the Kiss and Drive Bays and leave the car to collect the children**.

Parents are encouraged to make use of the "Kiss and Drive" bays located on Drumfern Street. Parents should ask their children to wait on the paved area near the bays. The driver can then pull into the bays and collect the children without leaving the car. This enables easy flow of traffic and assists in safe and quick collection of children.

Under no circumstances is anyone permitted to park in the Kiss and Drive Bays between the hours of 8.00am – 9.15am and 2.30pm – 3.30pm. If students are not present, then drivers are requested to continue driving around the block in a clockwise direction. This ensures continual flow of traffic and reduces potential safety risks to our students.

Parents are requested to exercise extreme care and pay close attention to Council Parking By-Laws when dropping off and picking up their children. The staff car park and drive are **only** to be used by employees of the Department of Education. A sign outside the staff car park clearly indicates that entry to the staff car park is for staff only.

CELEBRATING ROOM 3



P&C NEWS

WOW!!! I think we should call May "Fundraising Month" at Ardross Primary School. We have successfully held one Mother's Day Stall, two raffles, Trivia Night and the Entertainment books are selling like hotcakes!

WILDCATS CLINIC

Firstly the 20 children that won a spot in the Wildcats Clinic are:

Leonard L	Joe H	Miles P	Marcus M
Year 1 Room 9	Year 2 Room 7	Year 3 Room 4	Year 4 Room 3
Henry B	Indiana W	Isabella N	Callum B
Year 1 Room 9	Year 3 Room 4	Year 3 Room 4	Year 4 Room 3
Arina P	Eu-Jin C	Ruby S	Matthew F
Year 2 Room 7	Year 3 Room 6	Year 3 Room 4	Year 4 Room 2
Indiana E	Jerome T	Arabella I	Wonsik J
Year 2 Room 8	Year 3 Room 4	Year 4 Room 2	Year 5 Room 17
Matthew P	Jessica T	Cameron B	Nicole M
Year 2 Room 6	Year 3 Room 4	Year 4 Room 2	Year 5 Room 1

The date for the Wildcats clinic is yet to be set – we will notify you all accordingly. Congratulations kids, have an awesome time with the Wildcats!!!!

TRIVIA NIGHT - 25 MAY 2018

What a wonderful night which was well attended by parents, family, friends and teachers. Thank you for all for making the night such a huge success and raising **\$13,870.00** for our children.

A big **THANK YOU** to Charlotte Oliver for taking the lead and organising the night with help from fellow parents, Sherraley and Troy Naylor, securing lots of amazing prizes, help on set up day and also for being instrumental on the night with their help and also making sure everything ran smoothly.

Also a big thank you to Anna Belton, Sherraley Naylor, Alice Brennan, Amanda Kayser, Marnie Langford, Kim McIsaac, Sarah Brown, Cindy Webster, Samantha Hickman and Claire Deeks for clearing their day to help with the setup of the Trivia Night. These ladies ran around to get balloons, trays of food, bottle of wine, massive oak wine barrels, prizes, art easels and the list goes on and on! Such a wonderful group of ladies to come together and help Charlotte's vision for the night become a reality.

The night was a huge success also due to the many parents who donated amazing prizes for the night – including Okky Leung, Vijay Chatrath, Ozghur Ozturk, Margaret Ruane, Thompson Family, Rachel Ling, Simone and Dan Palmer, Anna Belton, Troy and Sherraley Naylor, Sharon and Cam Bartram, Jennifer and Pierre Leroy, Marika Hart and Sally Foster. Thank you for your support.

I would also like to thank Mrs Klaver who as MC, ran the night beautifully. She had people up doing singing competitions, randomly gave prizes away and with her cheeky smile she won our hearts.

Mrs Warren, Ms Brown, Ms Cooper, Mrs Downey and Mrs Counsel, a big thank you to you all for organising the children's beautiful artwork for the night. It was auctioned off with friendly competition between the parents and I know that these special pieces of art will be forever cherished.

I would also like to thank a past Ardross Primary family, Nathan and Samantha Hickman. Even though they are sadly no longer at the school this did not stop them from helping set up the Trivia night, sell raffle tickets for the diamond earrings, raffle wine and being the best Quiz Master ever. What a wonderful family and we thank you from the bottoms of our hearts.

Congratulations to Dawn Burrows, a Grandma at the school, who won the Diamond Earrings. Dawn was called on the Trivia Night to notify her of her amazing win and she was delighted. [A standard Lottery permit Number:LS211580818 in accordance with the Gaming and Wagering Commission Act of 1987 was conducted for the raffle of Diamond Earrings on 25 May 2018 at the Ardross Primary School Trivia Night – winner Dawn Burrows]

Lastly I would again like to say thank you to Charlotte Oliver for organising such an amazing night. The preparations and planning for a night like this started many months ago and Charlotte rose to the challenge brilliantly. She bought the community together and we had a night to be proud of. Thank you Charlotte you are one in a million.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

Entertainment Books have expired and the new one is for sale now. For every book sold Ardross Primary School receives \$14.00 so please order your book now and if you know someone who normally purchases the book encourage them to buy through our school. <u>http://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/833r95</u> Please visit the link to place your order today! You can also order through me so call Marie Ainsworth on 0421 000 506 or email mariefjainsworth@gmail.com or Paul Crawshaw who is also fundraising and can be emailed on <u>carwash@y7mail.com</u>.

See you at the next P&C Meeting on 11 June 2018.

Marie Ainsworth P&C President



OSHCLUB NEWS

Enrolling your child in OSHClub is easy and free. All you need to do is complete an enrolment form online at <u>www.oshclub.com.au</u> where you will have the option of booking as either a permanent or casual user. Once your child is enrolled you then have the comfort and reassurance of knowing that your child/children will be cared for in a safe, fun and friendly environment.

Val Maiorana Program Coordinator





Perth Goju Karate teaches karate classes in your local area. A special offer for the school's students - 4 WEEKS FREE beginners karate lessons!

Classes are held after school and are a great way for children of all ages to learn self-defense in a fun and safe environment. We also teach classes for teens and adults in the local area at night and they are fantastic for fitness, wellbeing and of course, self-defense.

Classes continue over the school holidays (with a short break over the Christmas period) which makes it perfect for the kids who are looking to try something on the holidays. Karate has many benefits which include confidence, respect, discipline and fitness.

Call now to take advantage of this 4 week trial. Sensei Johnny Moran - 0402 830 402.

Ardross Primary School would like to thank our sponsors for their support of the school. We encourage all parents to use their services where feasible.





Thankyou to Woolworths Garden City for their ongoing support