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Term Dates

2018

Term 1 31st January – 13th April

Term 2 30th April – 29th June

Term 3 16th July – 21st September

> Term 4 8th October – 13th December

School Development Days Friday 1st June Monday 22nd October Friday 14th December



Week 6, Term 2 2018

A message from our Principal

I hope everyone had a fantastic long weekend and enjoyed WA Day. We are really lucky to live in such a great place as Western Australia and WA Day is a great day to celebrate all Western Australians, recognising our Aboriginal history, early European settlers and the many people from all over the world who have made, and continue to make, Western Australia their home.

Winter has certainly arrived this week with some pretty consistent rain and cooler temperatures. It is great to see the majority of our students in the winter school uniform. We do have some lost windcheaters that have come to the office and have not been labelled, which makes it very difficult to return them to their owners. Parents can you please make sure that your child's clothing is labelled so that it can be returned if it is misplaced.

We have had Better Beginnings (Clarkson Library) attend our Kindy classes along with St John's First Aid providing an incursion for our PP- Year 6 students. I would like to thank Miss Hearne and Mr Allbury for organising these events for our students and I know that they certainly got a lot out of these incursions.

We are currently taking enrolments for Kindergarten in 2019. Applications for Kindy close on the 20th July (end of week 1 Term 3). If you wish to enrol your child, please ensure that you have completed the application by this date to avoid disappointment. If you do know of anyone else that lives locally who does not have children at the school, it would be appreciated if you could pass this information on to them.

Staff had a very busy and productive school development day last Friday looking at all elements of literacy with a strong focus on narrative writing. We also were able to have Professor Paul Swan attend and present a session for staff on Mathematics, which proved to be highly informative and provided staff with some great ideas and resources.

Have a great fortnight everyone!

Michelle Wellsteed Principal

WESTERN AUSTRALIA DAY-ENERGY EFFICIENT HOUSES

Western Australia Day is a day to reflect and celebrate all the great things about our people, our lifestyle, our culture and our potential.

Montebello-Room 3 have embraced this notion and made smart houses by incorporating energy-efficient features and recycled materials.

You are welcome to view our display in the library from 8.00am week days.



Understanding, Tolerance and Inclusion

Meaning: Welcome different opinions or behaviours that one does not necessarily agree with.

Synonyms: allow, involve, embrace, patience, resilience

You are practising TOLERANCE AND INCLUSION when you:

- 1. Treat people in a way they wish to be treated.
- 2. Welcome ideas that are different from your own, It can also make work more interesting, engaging, and fun.
- 3. Strive to improve. Be willing to learn, accept feedback, and listen to the concerns of those around you.
- 4. Are culturally aware. Take the time to learn about different cultures, races, religions and backgrounds.

SEMESTER ONE REPORTS

The Semester One reports will be emailed and published directly to you through Connect on Wednesday 27th June 2018. Connect has been implemented in our school as one of our main forms of communication. Connect is an integrated online environment developed by the Department of Education WA for staff, students and parents in public schools.

How will parents access Connect?

You should have received your own secure login to Connect upon enrolment via email. Connect is totally free and, because it is provided by the Department of Education, very safe. As well as being able to login to Connect on any internet-enabled device, you may also receive notices from Connect that will be sent to you as either an email or a notification on your phone.

A free app called Connect Now can be downloaded from Google Play or the Apple App Store and will let you receive Connect notices as push notifications.

What is the benefit of an E Report?

- The ability to easily reprint and forward copies of reports.
- Parents being able to retain a digital record of student achievement.

A link will be emailed to parents, please ensure you save your child's report or access their report through Connect. As the link to access the school reports is only live for four weeks, please ensure you download the report then save it or print out a hardcopy—even better, do both!

If you have not provided the school with an up to date email address or have had issues with logging into Connect, please return the below slip by Wednesday 13th June 2018 to your child's classroom teacher.

Please check your Junk mail box on Wednesday 27th June.

SCHOOL VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

Thank you to those families that have already paid their voluntary contributions this year.

To date we have received **57.46%** of our requested payments.

This "one-off" payment is voluntary however it will be used to supplement expenditure in the following curriculum areas: Reading resources, maths resources and ICT equipment. Over the course of the school year, the contribution of \$30 equates to 0.75c per week.

Payment can be made directly into the school's bank account (this is our preferred method of payment). Details as follows:

Account Name:Alkimos Beach Primary SchoolBSB:306-182Account Number:0085426Please use your child's name as a reference.

Alternatively, you can pay by cash or EFTPOS in the office between 8am and 4pm daily. If you would like to set up a payment plan for 2018 at any time, for any of the fees requested, including incursions/excursions, please call into the office and see me.

Voluntary Contributions Prize Draw

In term 3 everyone that has paid their voluntary contributions will be entered into a draw and given the chance to win \$50 vouchers from Ziggies to put towards their 2019 booklist.

Kim Dark Manager of Corporate Services













KINDERGARTEN APPLICATIONS 2019

To submit an application for enrolment you will need to attend our office to complete an application form and provide us with a copy of: -

- Birth Certificate
- Immunisation History Statement
- Proof of residential address (Gas/Electricity Bill)
- Visa documentation (if applicable)

Please note that applications close on the 20th July 2018 so get your applications in as soon as possible.

STUDENTS RECORDS



Have you moved house recently, changed your mobile phone, updated your email address or need to change emergency contacts (other than yourself)? Please complete a change of details form available from the office.

ALKIMOS BEACH PRIMARY SCHOOL P&C

Thank you to our P&C for organising a mammoth Pizza Day for all our students. The day raised \$662 for the school. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped to make it such a success. Please see below for the next great fundraiser.



Alkimos Beach Primary School



5th June - 15th June





An EMPTY JAR will be given to each class to decorate with their own class label

The CHALLENGE is to see whose class has the most loose change donations in 2 weeks

Every Student in the Winning Class will receive an award from the P&C

2017 ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS HAVE EXPIRED – ORDER YOUR 2018 COPY NOW AND RAISE FUNDS FOR ALKIMOS BEACH PRIMARY SCHOOL



Alkimos Beach Primary School is raising funds! Here's how you can help...

Your 2017 | 2018 Entertainment Membership is expiring on 1 June 2018. Please continue to support School by buying the NEW 2018 | 2019 Entertainment Membership from us today. You'll receive hundreds of valuable offers for everything you love to do, and help our fundraising at the same time! Hurry, the new Memberships are great value and are selling fast.



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Contact: Kirsty Brooks Phone: 0408358649 Email: <u>kirstybrooks88@gmail.com</u> To order your Book or your Digital Membership securely online visit:

www.entbook.com.au/938j198

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Government of Western Australia Department of Health Child and Adolescent Health Service



Free Triple P - Discussion Groups

You are invited to attend a Triple P Discussion Group/s. This is a short 2 hour session that will focus on some of the commonly experienced behaviours that parents can struggle with eg: disobedience, fighting and aggression.

The next **FREE** Discussion Groups are being held at: West Stirling Neighbourhood House 228 Hancock Street Doubleview

Торіс	Date
Dealing with challenging behaviour	31 July 2018
Managing challenging behaviour	14 August 2018
Dealing with challenging behaviour (Repeat)	28 August 2018

Time: 9.30am - 11.30am (all sessions)

RSVP: Bookings are essential and places are limited.

Please register via: <u>healthywa.wa.gov.au/parentgroups</u> or phone 1300 749 869 for more information.

Please contact West Stirling Neighbourhood House direct to reserve a crèche spot - 9446 2757.

To find other available programs please visit our website www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/Triple_P



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Triple P Positive Parenting Program



Triple P Positive Parenting helps you:

- raise happy, confident kids
- manage kids' behaviour so everyone enjoys life more
- set family rules and routines that everyone follows
- get along well with your kids and argue less
- balance work and family without stress

FREE programs offered by the Department of Health

- Seminar Series
- Group Triple P

All parents, carers and grandparents are welcome to attend.

Next program: Group Triple P commencing Thursday 26th July 2018 5 group sessions on Thursday's – 26th July, 2nd, 9th, 16th August and 13th September 3 phone calls – 23rd, 30th August and 6th September

Warwick 9:30am - 11:30am Bookings essential - <u>healthywa.wa.gov.au/parentgroups</u> Crèche is available via Warwick Stadium and bookings are essential – Ph: 9247 2266.