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Term Dates

2022

Term 4

Mon 10th Oct - Thur 15th Dec

School Development Days

Term 4

Fri 16th Dec

Term Dates

2023

Term 1

Mon 30th Jan – Thur 6th April

Term 2

Mon 24th April – Fri 30th Jun

Term 3

Mon 17th July – Fri 22nd Sep

Term 4

Mon 9th Oct – Thur 14th Dec

School Development Days

2023

Term 1

Mon 30th & Tues 31st Jan

Term 2

Tues 6th Jun

Term 4

Thur 2nd & Fri 3rd Nov

Fri 15th Dec

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Term 4, Week 7

A message from our Principal

Dear Parents & Carers,

It has been a terrific fortnight for everyone at Alkimos Beach. We have been extremely fortunate to have had such great weather on Tuesday for our BeachSafe Carnival. The students had an absolutely fabulous time and really enjoyed the games and the free swims. Their behaviour was exemplary and the staff from SLSWA complimented our students on their involvement and enthusiasm during the program. We are extremely fortunate that Lendlease provides our school with access to this program, as this is not a program that is run by all schools and I would like to thank them for their support in providing our students with this fantastic learning opportunity.

A big thank you to those families who have already paid their school voluntary contributions. During week 10, we will be holding a prize draw and all families who have paid their contributions will be entered into the draw. Four lucky winners will win Campion Education gift vouchers.

Well done again to our awesome P&C for their efforts last Saturday with our disco. Everyone had a great time and the combination of dance, games and climbing on the play equipment was thoroughly enjoyed by all of the children. It was great to see so many parents volunteer and support our P&C in making this happen. Well done everyone!

The colour fun run prizes have arrived and these will be given out this afternoon. There are a few things that are currently missing, so if your child does not get everything that they ordered today, the missing item will be provided as soon as it has been received.

The SLSWA helicopter is coming for a visit and will be landing on our school oval on the 30th November at 9.30am. The SLSWA staff will be providing an information session for our students about the role of the helicopter in surf life saving. Parents are also welcome to attend this event if they wish to.

Just a reminder that if your child is not returning to ABPS, please let the office ladies know, as we are now coming into the time of year where the organization of class structures and the appointment of staff for 2023 is being undertaken.

Have a great fortnight everyone!

Kind regards

Michelle Wellsted

Principal

Up In Lights

Kindy Town

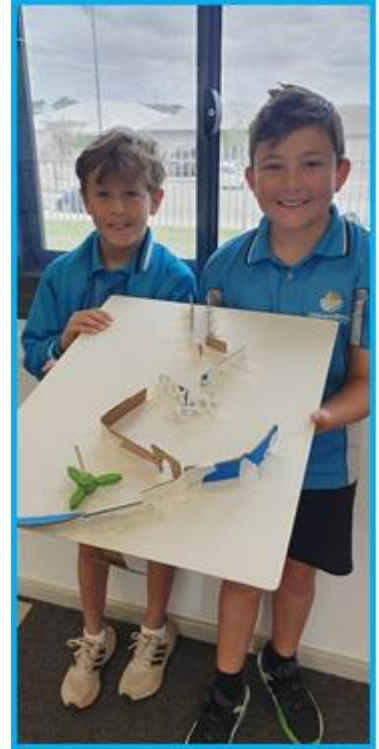
This term, the Kindy students have been learning about community and vehicles. We have had such a great time planning and constructing our own towns in our classrooms. We now know all about the different construction vehicles used on building sites as we used them to dig away the sand from our own construction site and lay the foundation for our town. We discussed all the different services the people in our town would require to live happily and researched what these looked like before making them ourselves. Then we thought about how the people in our town would get from one place to the other and we made our townspeople their own vehicles and public transport. Our town also needs emergency services, so we investigated the different services and vehicles we would need and practised calling 000 and responding to emergency situations. We have had so much fun this term and are so proud of our towns!



STEM-tastic Work

Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths.

As part of the Year 5/6 Design Technology program, we have been focussing on creating multiple solutions to a problem. Our main project this term is designing the slowest marble run that includes a self-designed spinner, printed on our fabulous 3D printers.



BeachSafe Carnival





The staff at Alkimos Beach Primary School would like to thank you and show our appreciation for your ongoing support by inviting you to morning tea.

To be held on:

Friday 9th December 2022

Following the Book Awards Assembly

Approximately 9.45am.

In the Undercover Area



MERIT AWARDS

PRE-PRIMARY MERIT AWARDS



YEAR 1 MERIT AWARDS



YEAR 2 MERIT AWARDS



YEAR 3 MERIT AWARDS



Congratulations!

MERIT AWARDS

YEAR 4 MERIT AWARDS

YEAR 5 MERIT AWARDS

YEAR 6 MERIT AWARDS



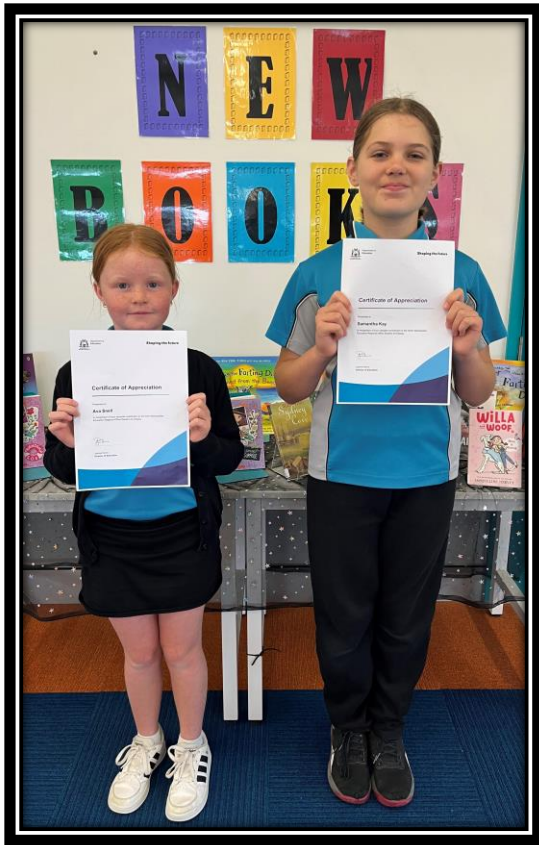
SPECIALIST AWARD



AUSSIE OF THE MONTH



Congratulations!



North Metropolitan Educational Regional Office, Student Art Display Certificate Of Appreciation.



WIN CHAMPION GIFT VOUCHER

A big thank you to those families who have already paid their school voluntary contributions.

During week 10, we will be holding a prize draw and all families who have paid their contributions will be entered into the draw. Four lucky winners will win Champion Education gift vouchers.

Payment can be made directly into the school's bank account or in the office using EFTPOS.

Bank details are as follows:

Account name: Alkimos Beach Primary School

BSB: 306-182

Account Number: 0085426

Please use your child's name as a reference.

Thank you and good luck!



Important Reminders:

WESTPAC HELICOPTER VISIT: On Wednesday 30th November the Westpac Helicopter will be visiting the school oval for all students, kindly to year 6. The helicopter is due to arrive at 9.30am

If your kindy child doesn't attend on a Friday, please feel free to still bring them along to see the helicopter.



The City of Wanneroo is seeking donations of toys and non-perishable food to help locals doing it tough this Christmas.

We have a donation bin in the school front office to assist members of our community who are facing hardship.

The donation bin will be in the front office until Monday 28th November.

Donations can include: age-appropriate toys and non-perishable food items such as: Christmas puddings/cakes, fruit mince pies, cakes, cake mixes and biscuits.

Nuts, crackers, chips, pasta, sauces, tinned foods (sweet and savoury) jams and spreads, tea, coffee, sugar, cereals, rice noodles, chocolates, and muesli bars.

Please join us in supporting this worthy cause.





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**ALKIMOS BEACH PRIMARY
SCHOOL PRESENTS**

SUMMER CONCERT

FEATURING MUSIC, DANCE
AND DRAMA ITEMS FROM OUR
PERFORMING ART STUDENTS

FRIDAY 5:00 – 6:00PM

OUTDOOR CONCERT
IN FRONT OF THE
SCHOOL LIBRARY

Bring a picnic and
rug!



Tis the Season @ Clarkson Library



Join us at our **free** festive events as we celebrate and connect with our community.

Friday 2 December	<p>12.00 pm Storigami: be captivated by the skills & storytelling of Perth artist Sanny Ang</p> <p>3.30 pm Gnomes - a children's activity</p>
Tuesday 6 December	<p>11.30 am Christmas Carols: Performed by the St Andrews Catholic Primary School Choir</p>
Wednesday 7 December	<p>4.00 pm Christmas Choral Performance: Performed by the Northern Children's Community Choir</p>
Friday 9 December	<p>9.30 am Christmas De-Stress - a gift just for you! Join this short & mindful meditation, prepare for a happy Christmas without all the stress</p> <p>3.30 pm Christmas Jars – an all ages activity Make a selection of charming & festive jars to keep or gift</p>
Friday 16 December	<p>10.30 am Christmas Angels: There's something special about homemade décor. Make a charming & festive ornament</p> <p>11.00 am A Christmas Stamp Collection: A curated festive collection from the Wanneroo Stamp Club</p>
Tuesday 20 December	<p>11.30 am A Virtual Christmas: Experience the world of virtual reality, three 30minute sessions</p> <p>2.00 pm Festive Air Dry Clay Craft: Join us for some festive crafting</p>
Wednesday 21 December	<p>11.00 am Festive Gelli Printing Gift Tags: Make your own gift tags this season with local artist Helen O'Hara</p>
Thursday 22 December	<p>2.00 pm Festive Bon Bons: Feel merry & bright, make your own bon bons</p>

Scan the QR code above to view all events at City of Wanneroo Libraries and book through Eventbrite or contact Clarkson Library on 9407 1600

library.wanneroo.wa.gov.au

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Triple P - Positive Parenting Program®

A FREE program that teaches practical and effective ways to enhance family relationships and manage common child behaviour issues.

Who is this program for?

Parents, carers and/or grandparents of a child aged between 3 and 8 years.

What is involved?

- **Seminar Series** – 90-minute talks on:
 - children's behaviour – the tough part of parenting
 - raising confident children
 - raising emotionally resilient children.



Program details:

"ONLINE SEMINAR SERIES via MS TEAMS"

9.30am - 11.00am

- Tuesday 29th November 2022 - Power of Positive Parenting
- Tuesday 6th December 2022 - Raising Confident Competent Children
- Tuesday 13th December 2022 - Raising Resilient Children

How do I book?

Visit cahs.health.wa.gov.au/ParentingGroups

OT@ECU

Occupational Therapy Clinic for Children

Maximising School Participation and Performance



Are you worried about your child's school performance?

Does your child have any of the following difficulties?

- Poor drawing, colouring and/or cutting skills
- Messy or slow handwriting
- Delayed motor skills
- Doesn't enjoy kindy/school
- Can't keep up with work in class
- Teacher has concerns with child's learning or development

OT @ ECU may be able to help your child

At the beginning of each school year, Occupational Therapy at ECU run groups at the ECU Clinic Space, Level 2, ECU Health Centre in Wanneroo. These student run groups are currently **free of charge** and aim to improve school participation and performance for children who are in the early years of primary school.

PROGRAM STRUCTURE

Your child will be offered a screening assessment in late January 2023. This assessment will be conducted by experienced paediatric occupational therapists and lecturers. If required, your child will be offered intervention in a group setting during term 1 or term 2, 2022.

The clinic usually offers the following groups:

- 1) **Ready, Steady, School** is a school readiness group for kindy and pre-primary students. Typically these groups run once a week on Mondays from 9:30-10:30am.
- 2) **Ready, Steady, Succeed** is a group that aims to develop essential school skills for children in years 1, 2 and 3. Typically these groups run on Mondays five weeks from 2:30-3:30pm.

Each group runs for **1 hour per week for 5 weeks**.

HELPING ECU STUDENTS TO LEARN

Second-year ECU occupational therapy students work in the clinic with experienced clinicians. Participation in this program not only benefits you and your child, but also contributes to the education and experience of future Occupational Therapists.

IS MY CHILD ELIGIBLE FOR THIS SERVICE?

Your child is eligible if they are attending primary school in Western Australia in 2022 and are NOT registered or eligible to be registered with the NDIS.

HOW CAN I REGISTER MY CHILD?

Please e-mail an expression of interest to ecuhealthcentre@ecu.edu.au, and include the following information in the e-mail:

Parent Information

- Name
- E-mail address
- Contact Number

Child's information:

- Name
- Date of Birth
- School name and year attending in 2023
- Brief outline of difficulties that your child is currently experiencing
- Information regarding any current/previous therapy

WHAT IS THE NEXT STEP?

Once you have sent your expression of interest to clinic staff, you will receive an e-mail receipt. You will be contacted for further information and, if eligible, your child may be offered an Occupational Therapy screening assessment in January (prior to commencing the group program).

Please note: places are limited and therefore not all children will be accepted into the group program. Parents will be contacted in the order that they apply and therefore, you should register your interest today.

MORE INFORMATION

Please contact clinic staff on ecuhealthcentre@ecu.edu.au if you would like further information about these groups.



REGISTER YOUR INTEREST NOW FOR 2023: ecuhealthcentre@ecu.edu.au



ALKIMOS BEACH JULY - DEC BEACHSAFE CALENDAR 2022



HLTAID009

Provide First Aid Course

(Single day full course or refresher)

8am – 5pm

St James Chapel, 2 Graceful Blvd



JULY

SAT 23

AUGUST

SAT 20

SEPT

SAT 17

OCT

SAT 15

NOV

SAT 19

DEC

SAT 3

OCTOBER

**SAT 29 OCT
- SAT 3 DEC**

SurfBabies

& SurfKids



6 x 30 minute sessions

Alkimos Beach, North Beach Access | Saturdays Only



**FREE
PROGRAMS**

for Alkimos Beach &
Alkimos Vista residents

DISCOUNT CODE: Alkimosres

*must have valid Alkimos Beach
or Alkimos Vista address



For further lifesaving, sport and
social opportunities, join the
Alkimos Surf Life Saving Club!

OPEN DAY: 22 OCTOBER

Get in touch via admin@alkimossllsc.com.au

For more information or to join one of Surf Life Saving WA's BeachSAFE Programs (FREE for Alkimos Beach and Alkimos Vista Residents), visit mybeach.com.au or call Surf Life Saving WA on 9207 6666. Registrations are essential. SL5WA RTO: 51104
Dates, times, venues and course codes are subject to change visit facebook.com/AlkimosBeach for regular updates.



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WESTERN
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ALKIMOS SAFETY BEACH

Find the **FUN**
between the flags!



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Free game
download!



This summer's hottest new game is
Safety Beach, helping teach kids essential
beach safety tips.

Play anywhere on a touchscreen device
and level up your lessons about surf safety.

INTERACTIVE

Learn the rules of the beach and become a hero by saving the swimmers on screen. Each rescue puts you higher on the leaderboard.

FUN

Enjoy beach fun even when you're no where near the surf. Great gameplay gives you the experience of what it's like to be a real lifesaver.

FREE

Plus, no towel or bathers needed! Download the app from the App Store or Google Play and play for free, with no in-game purchases.

Each level helps
you learn about
the beach.



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