

The Pearsall Post Newsletter

Term 3 Issue # 14

Thursday 5th September 2019

Important Dates to Remember

- Wrapper Free Wednesdays
- School Banking Tuesday mornings behind the staff room
- Early Close Every Wednesday at 2.30pm
- Lunch Orders Sushi every 2nd Monday Subway Fridays
- Assembly, Thursday 5th September, 8:45am—Room 11, Year 5 Mrs Burdon
- Assembly, Thursday 12th September, 8:45am—Room 4, PrePrimary, Miss Wills

From the Principal...

School Faction Carnival



Our Pearsall Faction Carnival was unfortunately only able to have the running events on the day due to the wet weather. Students were outstanding with their leadership with the events and their behaviour in getting in and out of the covered assembly area to shelter from the rain. The tabloid events will now take place on Monday 23rd September 2019 from 1pm onwards (students will have an earlier lunch this day) and presentations will happen after events have completed. A big thank you to Mrs Wilson for her organisation of the day with many weeks of preparation in the lead up. Her efforts are certainly appreciated. A big thank you to Dave Hyndman who goes above and beyond to assist, working on weekends and in the early morning to make preparations for the carnival and many other school events.

Tabloid Event Reschedule

The tabloid events will now take place on Monday 23rd September 2019 from 1pm onwards (students will have an earlier lunch this day) and presentations



Merit Certificate Awards Week 7

Leader In Me

Mollie—Rm 3
Andrei—Rm 4
Millie—Rm 5
Tahlia—Rm 6
Levi—Rm 7
William—Rm 8
Caiden—Rm 9
Sarah—Rm 10
Evan—Rm 11
Isabella—Rm 12
Adeline—Rm 13
Aki—Rm 14
Kate—Rm 16
Shyla—Dem 1
Mikayla—Dem 2
Calais—Dem 4



Excellence Every Day

Isaiah—Rm 3
Krishna—Rm 4
Sebastian—Rm 5
Sam—Rm 6
Elodie—Rm 7
Daniel—Rm 8
Cassandra—Rm 9
Nick—Rm 9
Brayden—Rm 10
Yesha—Rm 10
Tylah—Rm 11
Jordan—Rm 12
Noah—Rm 13
Lucas—Rm 14
Ehan—Rm 16
Jonathan—Dem 1
Paige—Dem 2
Ella—Dem 4

8.25am	Classrooms Open
8.40am	Siren for start of day
10.40am	Recess
11.05am	End of Recess
12.45pm	Lunch
1.25pm	End of Lunch
3.00pm	School Day Ends

Please note:

**2.30pm finish on
Wednesdays**

**Assemblies held
every 2nd
Thursday at
8.45am**

**Second Hand
Uniform Shop**

**8:00-8:30am
Fortnightly
Thursday
mornings in the
under covered
area.
Run by the P&C
Committee.**

Fathers Day Breakfast

This years Father's Day Breakfast was a huge success with many dads and carers taking the opportunity to be at school with their children. A BIG thank you to Mrs Schofield who coordinated the catering with Wanneroo Secondary College. The students from college did a superb job with the catering and serving of food during the morning. A big thank you to Mrs Leanne Guard and Mrs Lynn DeGiosa from Wanneroo Secondary College who arranged and supervised the students.



EDU-Dance

EDU-Dance will take place again in Term 4. Information and permission slips have been sent to every student and payment is due to be returned before Wednesday 25th September. EDU-Dance is an element of the Arts curriculum and program. Having previously been enjoyed by the students at Pearsall, it has proven to be a very popular hip-hop dance program for students in PrePrimary through to Year 6.

Year 6 Camp

Early in Term 4, our Year 6 students will be heading off for Camp! This will be an exciting and memorable time as they conclude their primary school years. This is a great opportunity for the students to grow and mature before heading into high school, as well as create lasting memories with their peers.



Business Plan Target

The Pearsall Primary School Business Plan target is to be above the Australian mean in all NAPLAN assessments in Year 3 and Year 5. We also have a target to be above the Australia mean of progress from Year 3 to Year 5.

Attendance

An IMPORTANT reminder that school instruction time starts at 8.40am each day. All classes have a series of procedures and routines that students are expected to follow to help them develop great habits and engage in learning. Students who are late often miss this routine and the first morning lessons and learning that is taking place. It can also create a disruption to class environment. Lets all do our best to ensure that we are at school on time, ready for a great day of learning!



Leaving Pearsall Primary School?

If your family is moving and we are not aware, please advise the office in writing (pearsall.ps@education.wa.edu.au) as soon as possible so we can take this into account for our 2020 planning. Thank You!

Payments

Please note that all payments to the school can be made by **EFTPOS** in the front office or **Direct Deposit**:

Acc: Pearsall Primary School
BSB: 066040
Acc: 19904146
 Put your child's initial, surname and reason e.g. J.Smith swimming.

You can combine the amount if you have more than one child.

Please note, Eftpos and Direct Deposit are for school related payment and not for P&C payments.

**THE GREEN TEAM Term 3 Update:**Daffodil Day:

Thank You to everyone for supporting Daffodil Day on Friday 16th August. We raised over \$600 for Cancer Research. We hope to be able to sell more Daffodil Day merchandise again next year.

**Father's Day energy balls!**Father's Day Cooking:

It was wonderful to see the Year 1 and 2 students from Rooms 8,9,14 and 15 cooking healthy Energy Balls for their treat gift for their dads. This is an approved recipe from WASCA (WA School Canteen Association) and shows how easy it is to incorporate healthy and yummy foods into activities. This and other healthy recipes can be found on the WASCA website under recipe tab.

Reinvent Your Rubbish– Plastic Pirate's Ahoy:

Thank you to all participants for your creative entries. It is wonderful to see all your reinventions and how dedicated you are to 'Switching Your Thinking'. This year's theme 'Plastic Pirates Ahoy' was exciting and we saw some amazing entries. A special mention to Darcie, Year 2 for her Herb Garden Fairy Garden and Ashlyn, Year 3 for her stationary storage tree.



Congratulations to our winners: Ava— Rm 16, Akio-Rm 6, & Kaecia- Rm 10.

As always we thank you for your constant support for The

Green Team and our future environment.

The Green Team 2019.

Important Dates coming up in Term 3...

- **Science Week** 9th—13th September
- **Nitro Mike Incursion** 9th & 10th September
- **Science Fair** Wednesday, 11th September
- **RUOK? Day** Thursday 12th September
- **Assembly—Room 4, PrePr Miss Wills** Thursday 12th September
- **Interschool Sports-Jump & Throws, Distance** Wednesday 18th September
- **Interschool Sports—Athletics** Friday 20th September
- **Pearsall Tabloid Sports event** Monday 23rd September
- **Assembly—Dem 4, Yr 5/6 Ms Parker** Thursday 26th September
- **Free Dress Day—Sport theme** Friday 27th September
- **SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 28TH SEPTEMBER—14TH OCTOBER**
- **First day of Term 4** Tuesday 15th October

Healthy Minds

...from the Pastoral Care Team



**Building
BLOCK 5**
Build life skills

- ☑ As children get older keep adding more and more life skills into the kit bag for life, e.g. cooking, gardening, washing clothes.
- ☑ Engage in simple conversations with your children often—avoid talking at them.
- ☑ Remember that children have to do things many times before the neural pathway is established for learning to occur.
- ☑ Connectedness helps build social and emotional comfort and competence.
- ☑ Ensure that you meaningfully engage with each of your children, especially through repeated play and games—including rough and tumble.
- ☑ Allow children to experience failure and disappointment before offering comfort.
- ☑ Try to get pets that have a habit of dying, like guinea pigs, mice and goldfish so children can experience death and loss.
- ☑ A sense of humour needs to be developed over time. Help your children to learn what is appropriate humour.
- ☑ Be careful to avoid confusing bullying with normal unpleasant events of childhood.
- ☑ Whole communities help children build life skills—everyone can help.
- ☑ Childhood is a time of constant learning. Be careful not to shame a child because he or she is unable to master a life skill.
- ☑ Helping around home by doing regular chores is important for later in life.
- ☑ Take the time to teach skills as children get older—cutting with a sharp knife, cooking, mowing the lawn, painting the house, cleaning the car and definitely how to clean up.
- ☑ Avoid comparing siblings and never assume a child knows how to do something you think they should know.
- ☑ Encourage thinking skills from a young age.
- ☑ Avoid rescuing your children and be careful about doing too much for them.

Multi-Cultural Netball Carnival

Congratulations to our Year 5 and 6 netball team who played in their first Multi-Cultural Netball Carnival on Friday 30th August. They all showed wonderful leadership, put in 100% effort and showed excellent sportsmanship throughout the day. Although they didn't come away with medals they should be extremely proud of themselves. Highlights were Pearsall Power winning their last game 27 - 0 and Pearsall Blazers won theirs 16 - 2. Well done Pearsall!

