

The Pearsall Post Newsletter

Term 3 Issue # 15

Thursday 19th 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 Mon
- Subway Fridays
- **Tabloid Sports Events, Monday 23rd September 1pm**
- **Assembly, 8.45am Thursday 26th September, Dem 4—Ms Parker**
- **LAST DAY of Term 3—Sporty Dress Up Day (gold coin donation) - Friday 27th September**

From the Principal...

Term 3

The end of Term 3 is quickly approaching with one more week to go before school holidays. It has been a long term, filled with many events and activities. Thank you to parents and friends of the school for your attendance at the many school based activities that have taken place including the P & C Quiz night, Father's events, Science Fair, Book Week parades, Faction Carnival and Year 5 Girls high tea, just to name a few! Please stay safe and we will see you in Term 4!

First day of Term 4

The first day of Term Four for students will be **Tuesday, 15th October**. Term 4 is set to be a fantastic term, with lots of events and learning taking place.

Holiday Homework

All students should be involved with some reading and maths work that will keep them academically engaged during the break. Research clearly shows that students go backwards during the holiday breaks if they are not involved with any form of reading or numeracy work. For more info ask your classroom teachers...

Faction Carnival Tabloid Events

This event will take place on Monday 23rd September. There will be an early lunch at 12.00pm. Students will return to classrooms to collect bags and then walk to their faction area starting points. At the completion of events students will assemble in the covered assembly area under teacher direction where the winning faction will be announced. Students can be released but must be signed out via their classroom teacher.

Interschool Athletics

This week a team of Pearsall students will represent the school at two carnivals—Jumps, Throws and Long Distance carnival and Interschool Athletics carnival. Students from Year 1 to Year 6 will be competing at Hocking and Carramar Primary Schools. We wish them the best of luck in their events.



Merit Certificate Awards Week 8

Excellence Every Day

Charlotte — Rm 3
Lucas — Rm 4
Indi — Rm 5
Cruze—Rm 6
Indie—Rm 7
Riley—Rm 8
Krystal—Rm 9
Melita—Rm 10
Brianna—Rm 11
Mitchell—Rm 12
Harrison—Rm 13
Nicholas—Rm15
Kioka— D2
Asha—D3
Mitchell - D4



Leader In Me

Oliver —Rm 3
Charlotte — Rm 4
Lila—Rm 5
Lucas—Rm 6
Alexis—Rm 7
Shanaya—Rm 8
Phoebe—Rm 10
Michael— Rm 11
Joel—Rm 12
Ruby—Rm 13
Katie—Rm 14
Maksim—Rm 14
Isis—Rm 15
Ajany— D2
Lincoln—D3
James—D4

**Science Week at Pearsall Primary School—
9th to 13th September 2019**



There was a real science buzz around the school during Week 8!



NITRO MIKE INCURSION

Our Nitro-Mike incursion on Monday and Tuesday really was 'super-cool'! Mike demonstrated some amazing tricks with his liquid nitrogen, including turning a banana into a hammer and creating a self-inflating balloon! Best of all, the ice cream he made with the help of some of the teachers was delicious!

At lunchtimes we got to explore 'Magic Milk' and the effect that detergent has on food colouring that had been dropped into a bowl of milk. We also had a go at separating the different coloured inks in felt-tip pens using a method called chromatography; played with magnets; and looked at a variety of different objects using the microscopes. A big thank you to some of our year 6 students for leading these activities.

SCIENCE FAIR

Our science fair on Wednesday was awe-inspiring and we were blown away with the variety and quality of the entries on display. Parents, teachers and students alike enjoyed having a look at the amazing work on show. Some are now on display in the library. A big thankyou to the judges including Ms Sharee, Ms Froud, Miss Lee, and Mrs Kaur (from Wanneroo Senior College) who helped Mrs Warden make some very difficult decisions!

Congratulations to all our winners and a very well done to everyone who participated!



Throughout the week we were also treated to extra science fun in our classrooms. This included PP and Year 5 buddies joining together to create some beautiful dragonfly art-work, inspired by information they discovered about the life-cycle of this beautiful insect; a nature walk with Mrs Cannon; explorations into how maths and science combine with Fibonacci's sequence found in nature with Mrs Kitin; Chemical Science fun in the year 1 classrooms; silk worms and stick insects in Kindy; and Year 2 students investigating the galaxy and moon phases with pin-wheels and Oreo cookies with Miss D!

We ended the week with a fantastic science themed assembly item by Room 4! Pearsall Primary really does LOVE science!! A big thank you and well done to all involved in making this week such a success!

Mrs Warden, Science Specialist



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.

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.

2020 Year 7 MATER DEI COLLEGE ORIENTATION DAY

A number of current Year 6 students will be attending Mater Dei College in 2020. Orientation Day for students commencing Year 7, 2020 will be on Wednesday, 30th October 2019

Time: 8:30am – 2:30pm (Students to arrive from 8:15am)



MATER DEI
COLLEGE

**SCHOOL PHOTO DAY INFORMATION**

**Our School Photos will be taken on:
Thursday 31st of October 2019, Friday 1st of November 2019**

Class Photos/Portraits:

- Every Student will have their photo taken, whether they are purchasing photos or not.
- The school has chosen to use the online ordering system. Your child will be given an online ordering instruction slip and a unique student shootkey. Log onto www.msp.com.au and follow the prompts to place your order.
- If you lose your shootkey the school admin office will have a copy to quote back to you.
- The expiry date for online ordering is the **07.11.2019**. Any orders received after this date will incur a \$30.00 fee. You can email your order request through to reorders.perth@msp.com.au or call the MSP office on 08 9240 8000

**Family Photos:**

- Envelopes can be obtained from Administration office.
- Family photos will be taken on Friday 1st November at 8am in the Undercover assembly area.
- Please ensure that your family envelope and payment are handed to the Photographers on photo day—not at the office.
- Please try to have correct money to give to the Photographer.
- Family photos **cannot** be ordered online.

SPORTY DRESS UP DAY—FRIDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER 2019

The last day of Term 3, Friday 27th September will be a Sport themed free dress day. Come wearing your team jersey or team colours. As always, closed in shoes and attire suitable for learning is required. A gold coin donation to the P & C would be appreciated.

**Pearsall Dental Therapy Centre—School Holiday Closures**

The Pearsall Dental Therapy Centre will be closed during the October School Holidays as follows:

- Monday 30th Sept (Public Holiday) - Emergencies call **1800 098 818**
- Tuesday 1st October, Monday 7th & Tuesday 8th October—Emergencies call **9302 2969**
- Friday 4th & Friday 11th October—Emergencies call **9405 3178**

**RUOK? Day**

RUOK? Day was acknowledged at Pearsall PS on Thursday 12th September 2019. This was an opportunity to highlight the strategies associated to encourage positive mental health. Our fantastic staff dressed up in black and yellow to represent the RUOK? Message.



