

# The Pearsall Post Newsletter

Thursday 3rd September 2020

**Student Absence Line:** 0437 482 159

# **Important** Dates to Remember

- Life Ed Van Incursion— Week 7 (31 Aug—2nd Sept)
- Science Week Week 8 (7th—11th Sept)
- **Pearsall Faction** Carnival—Friday 18th September
- School Photos -Thursday 24th & Friday 25th September
- Last Day of Term 3 Friday 25th September

## From the Principal...

#### 2020 School Photo Day

School Photo day is on Thursday 24th and Friday 25th September. Order forms have been distributed to students this week, please check their bags as the form contains the individual child's **shoot key** that will need to be entered online when you order the photos. It is important that you don't lose this number. If you do misplace the shoot key, you can contact the office to get

#### **Science Week**

Science Week is from the 7th - 11th of September. During this week Scitech will be visiting our school and students will be participating in fun and interesting Science workshops called Party Animals and Lab on Legs.

#### **New Website**

We have just had our website updated with lots of lovely photos of our students. For details on upcoming events, term planner and school newsletter please visit www.pearsallps.wa.edu.au

#### **Pearsall Dental Clinic**

We are closed the first week of holidays but are open 2<sup>nd</sup> week. Our emergency details will be on the phone message and door to clinic.

Contact Landsdale Dental Clinic on 9302 2969 or visit www.dental.wa.gov.au for the closest centre.

#### Families Leaving the School in 2021

As we begin our planning for next year, we would Kaelan—Rm 8 (Science) appreciate hearing from families in Kindergarten to Year 5 who will not be returning to Pearsall Primary School in 2021. Please contact the office.

#### Term 4 2020

A reminder that students return to school on Tuesday 13th October.



## **Merit Certificate Awards** Week 6

#### **Excellence Every Day**

Willow —Rm 3

Aaliyah—Rm 4

Audrey—Rm 5

Kiara—Rm 6 Olivia—Rm 7

Isabelle-Rm 8

Kayden—Rm 9

Nathaniel—Rm 12

Flynn—Rm 13

Blake—Rm 14

Isabella-Rm 15

Leah—Rm 16

Tiana—Dm 1

Jasmine—Dm 2

Ella—Dm 3

Ella-Dm 5



#### Leader in Me

Anthony—Rm 3

Daryl—Rm 4

Ember—Rm 5

Boston-Rm 6

Oscar—Rm 7

Aarti-Rm 8

Jorja—Rm 9

Hailey—Rm 12

Tahlia—Rm 13

Evie-Rm 14

Dev-Rm 15

Opal—Rm 16

Nicolas—Dm 1

Jordan—Dm 2

Logan—Dm 3

Pria—Dm 5

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

Please note:

2.30pm finish on

Wednesdays

Assemblies held
every 2nd
Thursday at
8.45am

#### 2020 Faction Carnival

Our Pearsall sport season is culminating in our Faction Carnival on Friday 18th September. As communicated earlier, due to the current COVID-19 situation restrictions will be in place in regards to spectators (please refer to previous Connect notice for details). Parents are not permitted to enter the school grounds during the day. Students will not be able to be taken by parents after their events. If parents wish to sign out their child, they must do so through the front office.

**Toilets:** Parents and younger siblings are only permitted to use the disabled and student toilets in Block 4. These can only be accessed through the gate near the basketball courts. These toilets will be off limits to Pearsall students during the day.

#### 8.40am

- Students will need to be in classes as per normal
- Parents are not permitted on school grounds but are welcome to make their way to the marked Parent Spectator area on the northern side of the oval.
- Entry from Ashbrook Avenue. All spectators must remain in the allocated area and are not permitted to approach students during the carnival.

#### 9.00am

March out & Welcome

#### 9.15am

- Jump Jam warm up
- Kindy Classes running races—Kindy students will meet at the classroom and then make their way down to the oval. After this they will make their way to the large grassed area outside of the Science room for their tabloid events. After this event Kindy students will return to their classrooms.

#### 9.30am

- Year group running races—PP and Year 1 students will return to classrooms after their races and return for the Grand Relay.
- Shuttle Relays
- Grand Relay
- Lunch—Students are able to sit with parents during lunchtime)
- Tabloid Events
- Presentations

#### Phase 4 of the WA COVID-19 roadmap continues

Based on the latest health advice, Phase 4 of the WA COVID-19 roadmap has been extended until Friday 23rd October. The new tentative start date for Phase 5 will now be Saturday 24th October. A final decision on whether Phase 5 can proceed on this date, or if it can be brought forward, will be made in October. Schools are to continue to follow the Phase 4 Operating Guidelines until further notice.

So while we are in Phase 4 it is important we are ready for any new wave of COVID-19 by maintaining our hygiene, physical and social distancing measures. This will put us in the best position to combat a second wave, should one eventuate. Re-introducing these measures after the commencement of a second wave would be too late to prevent it widely spreading, so maintenance is vital. So we ask everyone, while on the school grounds to:

- Maintain hand hygiene
- Ensure 1.5m social distancing
- Use the 2 square metres rule to calculate how many people can fit in a space
- Get a COVID-9 test if you have any symptom's and then self-isolate until you get the all clear

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#### **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.

#### **Multicultural Netball Carnival**

Pearsall students took part in the annual Multicultural Netball carnival held last week. Two teams of Year 5s and 6s played in the round robin style competition. Both teams showed wonderful leadership and tried their hardest throughout the day. Pearsall Power won their division and came away with the trophy, after scoring over 130 goals and only conceding 1 goal overall! Pearsall Puma's also played skilfully and came away with 3 wins and a draw. Well done everyone!





# Assembly Week 6 - "After Every Storm Comes A Rainbow"

The last class assembly was held by PP Room 3—Mrs Zepeda.



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#### **SCHOOL PHOTO DAY INFORMATION**

Our School Photos will be taken on: Thursday 24th September 2020 & Friday 25th September 2020.

#### **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 shoot key. Log onto
  www.msp.com.au and follow the prompts to place your order.
- If you lose your shoot key the school admin office will have a copy to quote back to you. Please do not ring MSP asking for your shoot key.
- The expiry date for online ordering is the **1st October 2020.** Any orders received after this date will incur a \$30.00 fee. Late orders can be placed by calling 9240 8000 or emailing: reorders.perth@msp.com.au (You will need to provide your child's shoot key for security reason).

#### **Family Photos:**

- Envelopes can be obtained from the Administration office.
- Family photos will be taken on **THURSDAY 24th September** 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.



# REINVENT YOUR RUBBISH 2020: FUTURE FOOD!



Enter the Green Team's annual Reinvent Your Rubbish Competition!
This year we challenge you to....

Re-invent or create something which reflects what sustainable food might look like now and in the future.

#### Some ideas:

- Create a new recipe using vegetable scraps or leftovers
- Make an upcycled worm farm
- Grow a food garden with homemade compost
- Create an ingenious way of storing food.

Use waste from home or school to be resourceful and creative!

This year you will submit your entry **electronically**, meaning you can utilise your own home and garden for this project. This could be photos, a slideshow, pic collage or an imovie.

Entry forms are available on Connect or at the office. Please email your entry to Miss Benjamin at stephanie.benjamin@education.wa.edu.au Please attach the entry form with your final project. Entries will be judged and winners announced at an assembly. A connect post will go out showcasing all the wonderful entries that we have had. Prizes include Bunnings vouchers, reusable food packages and more!

Entries DUE: Monday 12th October (Week 1, Term 4)- to give you enough time to get planting, growing, creating so if you want to enter, plan your time wisely!

Follow the link for more ideas and information <a href="https://www.switchyourthinking.com/our-projects/young-reinventor-of-the-year/">https://www.switchyourthinking.com/our-projects/young-reinventor-of-the-year/</a>

