



Wembley Primary School

Newsletter No. 5 – 14 March 2018

From the Principals

Parent Information Session on the Wembley Learning Cycle

Information regarding all aspects of the Wembley Learning Cycle was shared with parents at an information session yesterday evening. We appreciated the numerous families that attended to learn more about the cutting edge work we are doing with curriculum, instruction and assessment at Wembley Primary School. The Presentation is available on Sentral, under the 'resources' tab.



Last Day of School for the Term

Parents are reminded that school will dismiss on **Thursday 29 March at 1.30pm** for the Term holidays. An assembly will be held 1.00pm and the students will be dismissed at 1.30pm. The Out of School Hour Care Program will be operating from 1.30pm on this day.

Canteen Closed

The canteen will be closed on Thursday 29 March (last day of Term 1) for recess snacks and lunches. The last canteen day for this term will be Wednesday 28 March.

Upcoming dates:

Monday 19 March - Friday 23 March

Year 5 Camp

Thursday 29 March

Canteen Closed

Thursday 29 March

Free Dress Day for Good Friday Appeal-Wear your PJs!
\$2 donation

Thursday 29 March

Last Day Term One
1:00pm - Assembly
1:30pm O Dismissal

Monday 16 April

First Day Term Two

Student Clothing

Please ensure that your child's clothing is clearly labelled with their name and class. This will ensure that, if they accidentally leave a jacket or hat in the playground, it will be returned to them and not end up in the lost property cupboard. Parents are also asked to regularly check the clothing that is brought home, to ensure it does in fact belong to your child and has not been mistakenly taken.

Start of Term 2

Term 2 will commence on **Monday 16 April** with an assembly at 9.00am.

Welcome to our new First Aid Officer

A warm welcome is extended to Loredana Walker, who has joined the staff at Wembley as our First Aid Officer. Many Wembley families will know Loredana from her previous position at Claire Court Kindergarten. The Walker children all attended Wembley Primary School and Loredana's partner, Scott, was the School Council President for several terms. Loredana will be managing the First Aid at Wembley and making contact with parents as required and she has already patched up many of our students and sent them back out into the playground!

Thank you to Suzie Powell who undertook the First Aid Officer role at school from the beginning of the year. We wish Suzie all the best for her future position.

Nominations for School Crossing Supervisor of the Year 2018

Forms are available at the office to nominate our wonderful School Crossing supervisors, Colin and Carlos for the School Crossing Supervisor of the Year Award. As many of you will know Colin Thickens, our Crossing Supervisor celebrated over 20 years in the role last year. Both officers work diligently to ensure that all of our students, parents and teachers arrive and depart from school safely every day. To acknowledge the wonderful role that our officers play serving the local community they can be nominated for an award. If you would like to nominate one of our crossing supervisors please ask for a nomination form from Kathy in the office.

Year 5 Kangarooie Camp

All of the Year 5 students, teachers and wonderful parent volunteers head off to camp at Kangarooie, Great Ocean Road on Monday. We wish everyone a fabulous time and great weather to complete a range of team building and engaging activities. Future camp dates will be included in next week's newsletter so that parents are able to add dates to busy family calendars.

Drop Off and Pick Up Times

Parents are reminded that the playground is supervised from 8.45am in the morning and until 3.30pm in the afternoon. If you are not able to pick your child up by 3.15pm please contact the office and your child will be directed to wait in the foyer area until you arrive for pick up.

Any children who are still in the playground at 3.30pm and not being supervised by their parent must proceed to the foyer area of the office for safety and supervision reasons.

Team Holiday

Team Holiday is excited to be a part of our school community and they can't wait to show you what they have planned for the upcoming autumn holidays. All programs are fully rebatable for Child Care Benefit and Child Care Rebates, which means you could be entitled to a 50% discount – or more!

For more information on the action-packed AWESOME AUTUMN holiday program, visit teamholiday.com.au.

Good Friday Appeal Fun-raising

On Thursday 29 March (last day of Term 1) at morning recess, we will have stands that sell cupcakes and donuts and hot cross buns. We are hoping that some of the players from the Bulldogs will be coming to school and playing a game on the oval. There might be some competitions for the students to join in. AND you can wear your PJs. You can wear any PJs you like (even onesies)!

It will be the best day ever and you can donate money for all the doctors and nurses at my sister's hospital - THE ROYAL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL for all the hard work they have done for Sienna.

Thank you for helping the Good Friday Appeal.

We will have a wonderful Fun-Fundraising Day!

Stevie-Grace, Year 3C

Free Dress Day for Good Friday Appeal-Wear your PJs!

Junior School Council's first activity for the year will be a Free Dress Day on Thursday 29 March. 'Wear Your PJs to School' will be the theme for the day and students and teachers are asked to make a \$2 donation to the Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal if they choose to come in PJs on the day. Donations to the appeal can be sent to school from next week and will be collected by the classroom teacher.

There will be class prize for the grade that raises the most money for the Free Dress Day!

Easter Basket Raffle to support the Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal

The Easter Basket Raffle will be held to support the wonderful work of the doctors and nurses from the Oncology Ward at the Royal Children's Hospital. One of our students currently has a little sister, who is receiving treatment in the Kookaburra Ward at the RCH and she has planned for some additional activities to raise money to help the hospital.

Tickets can be purchased for 50cents each or 3 tickets for \$1.00 and they will be sent home this week. Parents are asked to donate items for the baskets and all donations will be gratefully accepted at the office. The raffle will be drawn at the final assembly for the term on Thursday 29 March at 1.30pm.

If you have any spare baskets or containers to put the donated items in they would also be appreciated and can be left at the office.

Student Free Days (Curriculum Days) for 2018

Each year schools receive four student free days (when student instruction does not occur) for professional development, school planning and administration, curriculum development and student assessment and reporting.

School Council has approved the following three student free days:

- Wednesday 23 May 2018
- Wednesday 27 June 2018

School Council has set these dates well in advance to enable you to make appropriate arrangements for childcare. These dates are also published on the school's website. OSHC Program will be operating on these days should you require childcare.

Do you want to play or coach netball?

Wembley Netball Club is looking to form new teams in 2018!

Wembley Netball Club is run by volunteer parents and coaches. Our current teams all train once a week after school, with games played on Saturdays at the Altona Netball Association's centre in Altona Meadows.

The upcoming Winter season starts on 21st April 2018 through to 22nd September 2018. We are registering interest from players to potentially form new teams for the upcoming winter season. Wembley currently has four teams in the competition, all at full capacity. A minimum of 7 players is required to register a team in the competition, along with a volunteer parent coach and a volunteer team manager.

If you're not competition-ready, or are in younger grades, we welcome anyone to join us in forming an after-school training group ahead of the Summer 2018-19 season, which starts in Term 4. To register your interest or get more information, please email wembleynetball@gmail.com - we would love to hear from you.

Thanks,

Erin Milne - President - 0412 853 220

(For general questions & communication with Altona Netball Association)

Michael White - Treasurer - 0490 095 481

(For any finance questions)

Drama Club

Drama Club will once again be operating at school on Friday afternoons. Bookings can be made by contacting Suzanne from Schamozzle. The first session will be held on Friday 16 February.

Wembley's Instrumental Music Program 2018

The Instrumental Music Program resumes this week. We currently have space for a few more students for these instruments:

- Violin
- Keyboard
- Drums

Lessons are once a week during the school day. If your child would like to learn one of these instruments, please fill in the Instrumental Music Program Form, which may be picked up at the front office.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch with Regina Tan.

The Art Room is in need of plain brightly coloured t-shirts for a student lead Art installation. If you can assist please leave your donation at the Office or drop into the Art Room. Thank you in advance, Miss Ruth.

Wanted



Student Learning & Achievement Awards

Prep A	Luka B	For improving his resilience and confidence when coming into the classroom. We love seeing that big smile in the morning!
Prep B	Sadie O	For taking pride in the presentation of her work and her effort to stretch through the sounds in words when writing. Fantastic work, Sadie!
Prep C	Ada S	For showing persistence in her writing, practising her letter formations and never giving up! Well done Ada!
Prep D	Lenny M	For completing all writing tasks with confidence. For stretching out your words and listening for the different sounds. A great effort Lenny! Keep it up.
1A	Evan A	For your fantastic work writing a recount about making an origami fox. Keep up the great work Evan!
1B	Giaan W	For showing a great understanding of place value to complete a 100s chart jigsaw puzzle. Awesome work Giaan!
1C	Stephanie D	For showing great leadership and a helpful attitude with all teachers and fellow students. Well done Stephanie!
1D	Miles D	For his wonderful efforts in writing and publishing a recount with lots of detail on our year one incursion. Well done, Miles!
1E	Spencer L	For being enthusiastic about and open to challenging himself in maths. Well done, Spenny!
2A	Kaylah L	For the enormous effort that Kaylah has put into her work during our memoir writing unit. Well done Kaylah!
2B	Zoe D	For the wonderful effort that Zoe has put into her memoir writing. Well done, Zoe! Keep up the amazing work.
2C	Adrian F	For the outstanding effort that Adrian has put into learning about Place Value this week. Well done, Adrian! Keep up your enthusiastic approach to learning.
2D	Juliet F	For her wonderful efforts in all areas of learning and always being willing to help those that need it. Well done Juliet. We love having you in 2D!
3A	Declan W	For his wonderful work in writing, in particular his 'Colour' poem and his fantastic JSC speech which moved many of your classmates. Well done Declan.
3B	Ella R	For following the writing process to create a well structured and convincing persuasive text about doing more gymnastics. Congratulations Ella!

Student Learning & Achievement Awards

3C		
3D	Avison H	For being such a caring and considerate 'bucket filler' in 3D. Well done Avison, and keep up the wonderful attitude!
3E	Franklin D	For the admirable sportsmanship you showed when applying for Junior School Council and for being a respectful member of 3E, always ready to help your peers. Well done Franklin!
4A	Charlotte C	For taking on the challenge of understanding 'The Zones of Regulation'. You went above and beyond by making cards, sharing your learning at home and applying your skills throughout the day at school.
4B	Ruby R	For your wonderful resilience and understanding. You are an excellent leader within our class, cohort and school and the support you show to your friends and peers is outstanding. Well done, Ruby.
4C	Willow V	For always maintaining a fantastic growth mindset about all aspects of your learning. Your confidence continues to grow as you do and I look forward to seeing all that you accomplish this year! Keep up the outstanding work!
4D	Neve H	For your resilience and persistence in identifying the rules for odd and even numbers. Thanks for all your hard work, you made me so proud! Well done, Neve.
5A	Indi B	For her wonderful attitude towards her learning, outstanding effort and helpful and friendly nature. Indi, you are a superstar!
5B	James T	For his hard work, focus and dedication to his learning and showing persistence when trying to solve difficult mathematical problems.
5C	Zoe P	For her incredible effort with her JSC persuasive speech. You spoke very well, had great reasons and even used humour! Awesome work!
5/6A	Lola F	For her unwavering work effort to date, and her impressive start to both Maths and Writing interventions. Well done!
6A	Kodar E	Kodar demonstrated great focus with his writing task on his camp memoir
6B	Harri G	For demonstrating resilience and perseverance in mathematics. Great job Harri!
6C	Oliver B	For his amazing efforts to break through his fears and put together an incredible JSC speech. Well done Oliver!
6D	Eleni K	For the significant support that she provides others within the classroom, and the contributions she makes every day to making 6D a great place. Well done Eleni!

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Holiday Program

Autumn 2018



Yarraville - Wembley Primary
7:00 am - 6:00 pm

Week One

Monday 2nd April	Tuesday 3rd April	Wednesday 4th April	Thursday 5th April	Friday 6th April
PUBLIC HOLIDAY	Sphero Speed Racing and Design a Watch	Comedy Festival and Skateboard Creations	NICA and Sun Prints	Kids Commonwealth Games
	Incursion	Excursion	Excursion	In-house
	Sphero is the incredible robotic ball that's ready to race at your command. Get coding and we'll be racing our Spheros all over the place!	We're heading out for a day of laughs as we take in Attack of the Plastic Time Monsters at La Mama Theatre, a child friendly show at Melbourne's International Comedy Festival.	The circus pros at NICA are going to teach us awesome circus tricks like juggling, hula hoops, plate spinning, static trapeze, aerial rings and so much more.	We're getting into the spirit of the Commonwealth Games with our own awesome sporting activities and events.
	Time flies when you design your own fully functional watch!	Time to roll up our sleeves and design your very own 58cm skateboard deck. These make an awesome decoration to hang in your room!	We're going to use cyanotype technology, and the power of the sun to create some awesome solar works of art.	
	\$75.00 + Experience Fee \$16 Out-of-pocket after rebate* = \$27.23	\$75.00 + Experience Fee \$30 Out-of-pocket after rebate* = \$34.23	\$75.00 + Experience Fee \$34 Out-of-pocket after rebate* = \$36.23	\$75.00 + Experience Fee \$5 Out-of-pocket after rebate* = \$21.73

Week Two

Monday 9th April	Tuesday 10th April	Wednesday 11th April	Thursday 12th April	Friday 13th April
Green Hat Workshop and Emoji Pillows	Australian Open Experience and DIY Table Tennis Bats	Wizards and Potions and The Great Book Exchange	Movies - Peter Rabbit and Bring Peter Rabbit to Life	Hoop Sparx and DIY Bounce Balls
Incursion	Excursion	In-house	Excursion	Incursion
Discover the incredible structures you can build from natural materials. Experiment, create and construct - all it takes is some wooden planks and a whole lot of imagination.	We're stepping behind the scenes at Tennis World Melbourne Park, home of the Australian Open for an awesome day of tennis!	We're turning into wizards for a day of magic. We're making all types of wicked potions, including some slippery slime to take home.	Get set to experience the latest film everyone's talking about. We'll check out the latest adventures of the classic children's character Peter Rabbit.	Exercise has never been more hilarious! Get hooked on hooping and see how long you can keep your hula hoop spinning.
What's your favourite emoji? Today you can turn it into a plush pillow and bring it home for your bed!	Game, set, match! We are making our own table tennis bats, so you can put your tennis skills to the test.	Today is all about sharing our favourite stories as we swap books with our friends.	You've watched the movie now make your very own plush Peter Rabbit.	Get crafty and make your own seriously super bouncy rubber ball!
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Programs also available at:
Hoppers Crossing, Williamstown

* Out-of-pocket rebate will vary depending on your CentreLink entitlement (CCB/CCR)

Book a day or the whole week how many days is up to you!



South Kingsville Pre School
Community Centre &
Occasional Childcare

OPEN DAY

Saturday 17 March 2018
11am - 1pm

- **Jumping Castle** ● **Cake Stall** ●
- **Stalls** ● **Sausage Sizzle** ●
- **Major Raffle & More** ●



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South Kingsville Pre School
43 Paxton Street South Kingsville



OPEN EVENING

THURSDAY 22ND MARCH

Principal's Address 6.00pm
Guided Tours 4.00pm - 7:00pm

4 - 7 PM

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Maribyrnong Community Centre

Midweek Twilight Community Market

Tuesday 27 March
6 – 9pm

Maribyrnong Community
Centre
9 Randall Street
Maribyrnong



There will be face painting for the children, a sausage sizzle and music for everyone to enjoy. Stalls will include:

Artwork by local artists
Clothing (adults and childrens)
Second hand items
Soaps and candles

Plants
Toys/games/books
Jewellery
and lots more.....

Come along and join in the fun!

For further information, please contact the Centre on 9032 4305 or email maricomm@maribyrnong.vic.gov.au

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