



TAKARI PRIMARY SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER #11

Week 1

Term 3

Thursday 25 July 2019

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE: We have had a very smooth start to the new term, with all students returning and settling in to their classroom routines quickly. It is fantastic to see so many students wearing correct school uniform, though there are still a small minority wearing non-uniform items of clothing. The school uniform policy is currently being reviewed and changes may be made if there is enough parent support. Please see *Policies Review* below.

It was with great sadness that the school returned from the holidays to the news that Shelley Vanderwiel had passed away after a two year battle with cancer. Shelley was a strong and active school community member and a good friend to many in the junior primary. As a former Takari student, she was passionate about the school, and proud that her daughter, Jasmine, was following in her footsteps. She was a valued member of the school's 50th anniversary planning committee and, as a Takari student in year seven, she was awarded the 1986 City of Stirling Citizenship Award, an award given to students "who, by their attitude towards fellow students and teacher, their general behaviour both within the school and community, and their willingness to participate in activities and programs, have proved to be outstanding young citizens." These are values Shelley continued to follow in her adult life. Shelley will be greatly missed by the Takari Primary School Community.

The school community sends their heart-felt condolences to Anthony and Jasmine

David Tennant



The P&C are deeply saddened by the loss of Shelley and would love to thank all those so far who have supported and rallied around her family. As you grieve, please know that we are remembering and honouring her. Our hearts go out to all the family.

Trisha Burgess, P&C President

DEPUTY PRINCIPALS: Mrs Carpenter has returned to Takari part time this term. Mrs Carpenter will work every Monday, Tuesday and Friday. Mrs Yost will return to her teaching position at North Beach PS on Mondays and Tuesdays, and continue her Deputy Principal role at Takari on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

POLICIES REVIEW: The school has a number of policies that are up for review this year. These policies will be reviewed by the School Council in week three of this term. Parents have the opportunity to provide the School Council with feedback on these policies. The policies can be found on the school website takarips.wa.edu.au or contact the front office and the policies can be emailed to you.

Policies up for review this year are:

Crunch & Sip Policy
School Uniform Policy
Sun Smart Policy
Mobile Phone and Electronic Devices Policy
Before and After School Policy



Feedback is required by Friday 2 August, and should be directed to Mr Tennant or one of the School Council parent representatives.

50th ANNIVERSARY UPDATE: The 50th anniversary planning committee met again on Tuesday and are now finalising plans. Look out for a formal invitation and program of activities, which will be coming soon.



CAN YOU ASSIST?: The 50th anniversary planning committee is planning to revamp the grassed courtyard at the centre of the school. They are looking at some landscaping - removing the old flagpole, reposition drains, turf and lay a small amount of paving. If anyone knows of a good landscaper with competitive rates who might be able to assist, please let the school know ASAP. We hope to move on this project in the next few weeks.

Lost and Found - Have you lost a phone near the Jones Street play area? If you have, please ask Alan Woodward, the cross walk man. A full description for proof will be required to claim the phone.



WEEK THREE PROGRESS INTERVIEWS: The school will be offering parents a Progress Interview in week three, Thursday 8 August. The school will suspend the normal school timetable at 11.45am, which is when students should go home, and interviews will commence at 12.30pm. Parents will be able to book a time to meet with teachers for 15 minutes to discuss their child's academic, social and emotional progress. Interview request forms have been distributed today. Parents must return these request forms by next Tuesday 30 July to guarantee an interview.

We ask that students go home at 11.45am wherever possible. With teachers all engaged in interviews, supervision of students at school is limited.



Positive Behaviour Support



We welcome back the whole school community to Term 3. This term, our behaviour focus is doing your **PERSONAL BEST**. When we do our personal best, we set ourselves a goal we wish to achieve and aim to persevere in order to reach that goal. We look for ways we can do better. Doing your personal best may involve; asking questions, approaching your work with a positive mindset, practising and persevering when faced with a challenge and giving things a go. Challenging yourself to be the best you can be. This term, we would like to see the school community strive to reach their personal best whether it's at work, school or at home and find someone that could help your reach your best. It could be a friend, parent, teacher or relative, but having that support behind you makes the journey a little easier.

Respect

Responsibility

Kindness

Personal Best

MAQLIT MARVELS



Congratulations to Beau, Justine, Rohit and Sibel on completing another section of their MaqLit course. MiniLit and MaqLit are intensive reading programs conducted by Mrs Hill and Mrs Donis to help support our students in their reading and comprehension skills. These programs have helped develop a love of reading for our students, which has been very rewarding to see.

Interschool Cross Country Carnival

Congratulations to all the students who took part in the cross country carnival last term. The students showed fantastic sportsmanship which contributed to a very successful event. The Most Improved shield was awarded to Osborne PS.

Final Results

Lake Monger	174 points
East Hamersley	140
Takari	130
Osborne	102
Balcatta	62

Top Takari Place Getters

Charli P	3rd place	Yr 4 Girls
Cerise N	1st place	Yr 5 Girls
Holly B	3rd place	Yr 5 Girls
Alex K	4th place	Yr 5 Girls
Faith P	1st place	Yr 6 Girls
Matthew L	3rd place	Yr 6 Boys



Run Club Final Results

Run Club concluded last term. In total, students, parents and staff ran an incredible 7 960 laps, or 2 694 km. This the distance between Pert and Fitzroy Crossing, or nineteen trips to Mandurah and back!

Congratulations to the students who earned awards in the final weeks last term. These awards will be given out at next week's assembly. Well done everyone!



Division	Bronze	Silver	Gold
Junior K to Yr 3	25 Laps Ricky P	50 Laps Baxter D	75 Laps Maia B
Senior Yr 4 to Yr 6	40 Laps Sofija N	80 Laps Ayden H Gabriel S	120 Laps
Staff & Parents	40 Laps Ms Hagan	80 Laps Mrs Patrick	120 Laps Mr Patterson

Top Junior Girls	Layla B (Yr 2) & Olive P (PP) 114 laps
Top Junior Boy	Zayne BW (Yr 3) 232 laps
Top Senior Girl	Faith P (Yr 6) 277 laps
Top Senior Boy	Matthew L (Yr 6) 305 laps

We had fourteen students, one staff member and one parent run enough laps to earn Diamond Awards. Congratulations to:



Juniors

Olive P	PP
Xavier K	Yr 1
Layla B	Yr 2
Kobe T	Yr 3
Oska B	Yr 3
Zayne RB	Yr 3
Rohit S	Yr 3

Seniors

Charli P	Yr 4
Zandyn G	Yr 5
Holly B	Yr 5
Bipran A	Yr 5
Isaiah A	Yr 6
Faith P	Yr 6
Matthew L	Yr 6

Staff & Parents

Mr Patterson
Mrs Patrick



Life Education Visit

The Life Education van visited Takari this week and all students attended sessions designed to empower young people to make safer and healthier choices in their lives.

K	Harold's Healthy Play Day
P	Harold's Friendship
Yr 1	Safety Rules
Yr 2	Growing Good Friends
Yr 3	Mind Your Medicine
Yr 4/5	Be Cyberwise
Yr 5/6	Relate, Respect, Connect

If you look closely to the left you may see Harold the Giraffe sneaking into the Yr 2 class photo. What a cheeky giraffe!

YEAR 6 CAMP UPDATE: Thank you to Mr Rooney who assisted with the final camp sausage sizzle last term. The sizzle was the biggest yet, netting a further \$380 for the camp. The fundraising activities are now over. With the Meet & Greet stall, sausage sizzles, election day stall, raffle, other donations and the very generous subsidy from the P&C, we have been able to raise a staggering \$4 835. This means families only need to pay \$60 each. Thank you to everyone who has supported the camp fundraising activities.

LARGE ROCKS WANTED: The K and PP area now has a great frog pond. We are now looking for large rocks (heavy enough that they can't be moved by the students) to go around the pond. Please contact the school if you can assist with this request. Thank you for your support.

WAGSMS CONCERT: Good luck to the Yr 5 and Yr 6 bands that are performing in the Western Australian Government Schools Music Society concert at the Crown Theatre next Wednesday night. The Yr 5 band will be performing ABC, while the Yr 6 band will be performing Ghost Busters. Thank you to Mrs Campione and Mr Parise for all their dedicated work preparing the bands for this performance. Mrs Campione's Stirling Community Band is also performing on the night, with assistance from former Takari music specialist, Mrs Trigg! It should be a fantastic night!

MINI TALENT SHOWS: In week 3 students will be given an opportunity to perform to their class during Music Lesson time. It is a good way to give students experience in performing to an audience in a low-key, safe and encouraging environment. It is not a competition. The interested students will be returning their 'Mini Talent Show' entry forms over the next week and will be presenting their act on either the Tuesday or Thursday lesson time.

We are all looking forward to discovering the many and varied talents of our students.



Mrs Campione – Music Teacher



NATIONAL TREE DAY: Takari students will be celebrating National Tree Day tomorrow. The day gives all of us an opportunity to reflect on the importance of trees and the need to protect our environment. Big Rock Toyota have kindly sponsored this special day by purchasing trees which classes will plant around the school.

Big Rock Toyota are also providing a free sausage sizzle for all students at lunch time on Friday, so students do not need to bring their lunch. There is no need to order.

This is a day that Takari students enjoy supporting and realise the impact their actions have on our local environment.

SCHOOL PHOTO DAY IS COMING - Thursday 15 August

Our school photo day is coming! Approximately two weeks prior to the photo day every student will receive a Kapture Photography order envelope to bring home. The recommended method of ordering your photos is online through Kapture's website as your payment is secure and can be easily verified at any time. If you pay online, there is no need to return the order envelope to school.

Alternatively you can pay by cash and return the provided envelope to the school on the photography day. Please note the photographers cannot open sealed envelopes and cannot provide change.

Late payment envelopes cannot be accepted by the school office or by Kapture. You can place an order online at any time for the remainder of the current school year however a \$15 fee will apply if you order more than 10 days after photography.

If your child is in a sports or special group photo, you can use the same school code on your order envelope to view and order these photos on Kapture's website, around the time that school photos are ready to be delivered. Please note; Class group, individual and sibling portraits are not available to view online.

Kapture offer a money back guarantee for any parent who is not fully satisfied with their photo package. Should you have any queries before or after photo day, please direct them to the Kapture office on 9240 1714 or email enquiries@kapture.com.au.

*All students will be photographed individually on photo day for school administration records AS WELL as included in their class group photo available for purchase to all families. Should there be any reason why your child should **NOT** be included in the photo shoot –please contact the school office.*

2019 Term Planner

Term 3

1	22/7 Students and Staff return for Term 3	23/7 Life Education Van 7.00pm meeting for 50th Anniversary	24/7 Uniform Shop School Banking Life Education Van	25/7 Newsletter #11 Life Education Van	26/7 National Tree Day Free Sausage Sizzle
2	29/7	30/7	31/7 Uniform Shop School Banking WAGSMS Concert and Rehearsals	1/8 Assembly #7 Yr 2	2/8
3	5/8	6/8	7/8 Uniform Shop School Banking 3.15pm School Council meeting	8/8 Newsletter #12 Progress Interviews Students finish 11.45am.	9/8
4	12/8 Science Week	13/8 7.00pm P&C Meeting	14/8 Uniform Shop School Banking	15/8 School Photos	16/8
5	19/8	20/8	21/8 Uniform Shop School Banking	22/8 Newsletter #13 Assembly #8 Yr 3 Book Week	23/8
6	26/8 Going for Gold	27/8	28/8 Uniform Shop School Banking	29/8 Little Scientists K & PP	30/8
7	2/9	3/9	4/9 Uniform Shop School Banking	5/9 Newsletter #14	6/9 Faction Athletics carnival
8	9/9	10/9	11/9 Uniform Shop School Banking	12/9 Assembly #9 - Music	13/9

Community Notices



WOLVES
JUNIOR REGISTRATION DAY
SUMMER 2019/20

WANNEEROO BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION
SATURDAY 7 SEPTEMBER
HBF ARENA CLUBROOMS / 9-11:30AM

OR PRE REGISTER WITH ONE OF OUR JUNIOR DOMESTIC CLUBS
DIRECTLY VIA THE WOLFPACK BASKETBALL WEBSITE

FOR AGES 6-17 AND ALL LEVELS OF ABILITY
CLUB DETAILS CAN BE FOUND AT
WOLFPACKBASKETBALL.COM.AU

RUSSELL HOOPS
INTRODUCTORY
PROGRAMME ALSO
AVAILABLE

Creative Kids Art Club

Doubleview Term 3 Art
Class for Kids

Creative kids art classes
5-8yrs wed 3.45pm

Art Club
9-14yrs Wed 4.45pm

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and craft!
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and to book.

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SUN 4 AUG 2019 | 3.15PM TO 5.15PM
SUN 18 AUG 2019 | 3.15PM TO 5.15PM
WEST STIRLING BASEBALL CLUB,
MILLINGTON RESERVE, JEANES RD, KARRINYUP

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