



## TAKARI PRIMARY SCHOOL

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#### **NEWSLETTER #19**

#### Week 8 Term 4

#### Thursday 2 December 2021

**PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:** With just two weeks to go before the end of the school year, staff and students are very busy finishing off work and preparing for the numerous end of year activities. Along with the end of year concert, graduation assembly and parent helpers' morning tea, there is a staff v students basketball match, Takari's Got Talent show, numerous class parties and even a cheeky Elf on the Shelf, appropriately named Elfred, who is popping up in the most unusual places every morning. There is always so much going on at Takari!

The school is currently planning for 2022. The final class structure is dependent on the number of students in each year. While straight year level classes are mostly preferred over composite classes, they are not always possible to create without going over maximum student numbers in classes. Composite classes also allow for greater flexibility when grouping students based on academic and social needs.

With an expected student enrolment of 180 students, the school is planning to operate the following structure: K (20 students) PP (19) Yr 1 (21) Yr 1/2 (22) Yr 2/3 (23) Yr 3/4 (23) Yr 4/5 (26) Yr 5/6 (26)

It is important to note that this structure is based on expected enrolments now. Additional enrolments coming in between now and the start of next year, or students leaving the school, could affect this structure. School staff will be developing class lists based on the above structure. The staff are in the best position to develop the classes and determine which class would most suit students. Academic ability is not a determining factor when staff develop class lists.

Parents may have additional information that could assist staff in determining class lists. If parents have any information or requests regarding their child's class next year, they should provide this in writing to Mr Tennant. All requests will be considered, but can not be guaranteed. Teachers have not yet been allocated to classes.

David Tennant



**MR PATTERSON IS GETTING MARRIED:** Yes, Mr Patterson is getting married! The Takari school community wishes Mr Patterson and Alison all the best on their big day next week. Mr Patterson will be taking a few days' leave from school next week, but will return for week ten and the graduation assembly.

LAST NEWSLETTER: The final newsletter will be produce and distributed early in week 10.

**SCHOOL COUNCIL FINAL MEETING:** The School Council held its sixth and final meeting of the year on Monday. While many of the Councillors are only recent additions, Mr Shin Ching Fu has now completed his third and final year of service. The community is very fortunate to have had Mr Fu represent them over the past three year. As Chairperson this year, Mr Fu brought a very positive and considered approach to meetings, and always put the best interests of the school first. We thank him for his service and hope he will consider re-nominating next year for another term. We thank all the School Councillors on their efforts and commitment this year.

**SEMESTER TWO REPORTS:** Will be emailed to parents/guardians on Monday 13 December. Please look out for these. You will need to print or save a copy as the electronic link is only valid for 4 weeks. If you have changed your email recently please make sure the school has your current email address.

**COLOUR RUN:** Congratulations to the students in the 50 and 100 club for raising over \$50 and \$100 in the recent P&C Colour Run. Certificates were given to students at last week's assembly. Well done!



#### PARENT HEPLERS' AND VOLUNTEERS MORNING TEA

The school sincerely thanks the many parents, grand parents and friends who volunteer to help make Takari such a great school. The helpers' morning tea is Thursday 9 December in the undercover area at 10.50am. You will be entertained by the school bands on the *new stage* and also see the very recently installed swing.

**SCHOOL BANKING CLOSING:** The school banking has been operating for many years. Due to new regulations, School Banking can no longer operate and will finish at the end of this school year. Sincere to the parents have operated the School Banking over the pass years and particularly thank you Meaghan Sykes and Anne-Marie Hagan for coordinating School Banking this year.

# Honour Certificate Recipients



Pre Primary Harper A Jhett H Archie I Madelyn G Hendrix D Year 1 Rm 10 Leon C Noa J Year 1/2 Rm 8 Ruby G Logan M Darcy J Year 2/3 Rm 3 Tahlia S Mila T Year 3/4 Rm 2 Ricky P Dimitrij N Baxter D Kira O Years 4/5 Rm 4 Solomon P Liam L Years 5/6 Rm 5 lan K Artur C Ilija J Líly J Music Beau P Milly B-W Science Charlie B Liam L

Italian Alice H Lorraine A

Kyah H

Mia W Phys Ed Arda A

### **Balcatta Academic Challenge**





Ten Year 5 students from Takari took part an Academic Challenge at Balcatta SHS recently. Prizes were awarded throughout the day for students and teams who demonstrated excellent team work, critical thinking and problem solving skills. Well done to Year 5 students.



#### Congratulations

Isobel, Jacob, Ryder, Billie and Jaxon, who have all finished MacqLit Part B.



#### Takari Elf

Our Takari Elf has arrived. Keeping an eye on all the students, making sure they are all keeping to the Takari Values

Effred xx



# Respect

### TEAM TAKARI

During Weeks 7 and 8, our Team Takari focus was:

### Focussing on all lessons activity Some important tips:

If we participate we can achieve to our potential.

- If we participate we will learn new skills.
- If we participate we can help and learn off others.
  - If we participate we become more confident and weaknesses can become strengths.

. Listen Carefully . Positive Attitude . Persistent . Goals

. Focus . Contribute & Cooperate

# Responsibility

**Kindness** 

**Personal Best** 



#### **END OF YEAR CONCERT**

The end of year concert is next Tuesday 7 December. All students are expected to attend, parents grand parents and carers are all welcome to the end of year concert. **Students are to be in their classroom in their costume at 5pm.** Concert starts at 5.30pm and will finish at about 7pm.

#### **Edu-Dance Costumes**

The students from Kindy to Year 6 have been working extremely hard this term rehearsing their dances which will be displayed at the end of year concert, 7 December 2021. Parents should already have these items at home.

#### Please ensure students wear their joggers/sports shoes. Preferably no skirts/dresses please.

#### Kindy (Baby Shark)

Blue T-shirt & school shorts/pants

#### Year 1 (The Venga Bus)

- Bright coloured plain T-shirt
- Denim shorts

#### Year 2/3 (Life is Dynamite)

- Open shirt/jacket any colour
- White T-shirt to go underneath
- School shorts/pants

#### **Year 4/5 Television Rules the Nation)**

- Black Shorts /pants
- Black or white T-shirt as a base
- Dark coloured T-shirt with rips to be worn on top of base colour it can be seen underneath.
- School shorts/pant

#### **Pre-Primary (Chihuahua)**

White T-shirt & school shorts/pants

#### Year 1/2 (Hot Conga)

- Red T-shirt & school shorts/pants
- Black bandana (worn around neck)

#### Year 3/4 (Pump it up)

- Any sport jersey (footy, basketball, soccer etc.)
- Black or school sport shorts

#### Year 5/6 (Purple Hat)

- White T-shirt
- Black shorts/pants
- Long sleeve shirt tied in a knot around waist
- Cap (any colour)

#### Hair to be tied up unless otherwise stated. Thankyou!

**2022 Personal Requirements Lists** (Book lists) have been distributed. You can use any supplier but we strongly recommend Campion, for the convenience of getting the exact requirements, ordering on line, paying contributions and free Home delivery if ordered before 17 December.

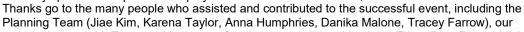
Book list copies are also available on the Takari Primary School website

**School Uniform orders** should be done <u>online</u> through West Wear, preferably by 7 January 2022, to ensure sufficient time for free delivery to Takari, for collection on Friday 28 January 2022.

If you have any queries about requirements for 2022, you are most welcome to come to the office to discuss.

#### The Night of the Rising Stars Showcase - What a night!!!

The Takari Undercover Area was transformed into a glittering auditorium on the night of Saturday 6 November. The Takari Rock Bands, the Stirling Community Youth Band and guest artists Trio Stars and Onyx put on an impressive display of musical talent for families, friends and staff.



technical wizard, Mr Tennant, Ms Jongen for photos and slides, Mrs Anne Trigg, Rina Fu and Michael Ahumada, and the many other family members who helped on the day.







Risina Stars



# Takari's Got Talent Show

Tuesday 14 Dec, 2 pm in Week 10
Families are welcome to enjoy the performances featuring some of our school's talented students.

Auditions are taking place this Friday 3 December

### Takari P&C

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### Help keep our school safe and secure

If you see or hear suspicious behaviour immediately contact School Watch Security or the Police. Thank you for your support. School Watch Security: 1800 177 777



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8	29/11 School Council Meeting Jump Jam 8am	30/11 Nude Food Tuesday Edu dance	1/12 Containers for \$ School Banking	2/12 Newsletter #19 K Orientation 8.50am	3/12
9	6/12 Jump Jam 8am	7/12 Nude Food Tuesday End of Year Concert 5pm	8/12 Containers for \$ School Banking	9/12 Parent Helpers' Morning Tea 10.50am	10/12
10	13/12 Yr 6 Graduation 8.50am Yr 6 Dinner/Dance 6pm Report Distribution	14/12 Nude Food Tuesday Takari's Got Talent 2pm	15/12 Containers for \$ School Banking	16/12 Last Day for Students	17/12 School Development Day



# **School Holidays**

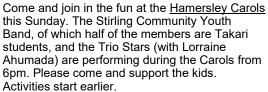
Term 1 Commences for students on Monday 31st January



20	Term 1				
1	31/1 1st Day of Term -	1/2 Kindy Commence	3/2	4/2	5/2

# Community Notices









### Sunday 5 December **Perry Lakes Reserve**

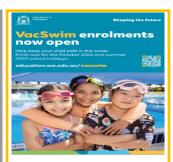
1pm to 3pm Tickets: \$30/child

**Special Guests:** West Oz Wildlife

WA Birds of Prey enquiries: kidsnatureclub@iinet.net.au Register on line

https://

kidsnatureclub.eventbritestudio.com



#### VACSWIM SWIMMING **LESSONS:**

Enrolments are now open for VacSwim swimming lessons during the summer school holidays.

VacSwim offers fun lessons at beach or pool locations across WA. Not only is VacSwim a great school holiday activity, it also teaches valuable safety skills to help keep your child sa<u>fe in the water.</u>

Your children can start as young as five years old.

Don't wait! Enrol your children in VacSwim now at education.wa.edu.au/ vacswim

Further information about fees, locations and how to enrol are on the Vacswim website