



TAKARI PRIMARY SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER #18

Week 5 Term 4

Wednesday 9 November 2022

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE: The school community celebrated World Educators' Day recently. Ms Strumpher, one of our School Council representatives, presented all staff with certificates of appreciation at the Pre-primary assembly. It was wonderful to see the staff's efforts acknowledged in this way. The School Council had previously invited parents to submit their own personal acknowledgements of staff, and it was a very pleasant surprise with our wonderful crossing warden, Mr Woodward, also being acknowledged and considered part of the staff by the community.

Thank you to the amazing P&C for organising a special lunch time treat for staff. The P&C also continued the tradition of assisting with playground supervision duty so staff could sit back and enjoy their lunch in peace and quiet.

The staff are very appreciative of the School Council, P&C and parents' support. Thank you!

David Tennant



Mr Woodward (Alan) and the staff receiving their certificates of appreciation.



The delicious lunch time spread.



Parents showing off their very fashionable fluoro duty vests.

PARENT SURVEY: Thank you to all the parents who completed the survey. The data will be collated and used in future planning for the school. A summary of results will also be provided to the School Council and parents very soon.

2023 SCHOOL YEAR: A list of charges and Fees including the voluntary contribution charges, book lists, and uniform price list with instructions on how to order will be provided to parents very soon. We have been very busy compiling all the information for you. Watch this space!

STUDENT ILLNESS: We have had a number of students off school with colds, runny noses, coughs and gastro. It is very important you stay vigilant and test for Covid BEFORE YOU COME TO SCHOOL, if your children are showing any symptoms. We have tests available in the office should you require any. Please see Ann in the office.

Term 4 Events to come!

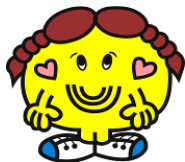


Kindy Assembly
P&C Colour Run
Night of the rising stard Showcase
PP Orientation
Music Assembly
Kindy Orientation
End of Year concert
Yr 6 Graduation Ceremony

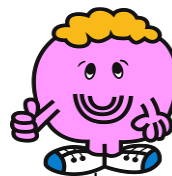
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Thursday 10 November
Friday 11 November
Saturday 19 November
Thursday 24 November
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Tuesday 6 December
Monday 12 December





TEAM TAKARI



This week, our Takari students are focusing on whole body listening skills, so that everyone shows respect to others.

Whole body listening.

Whole body listening means that we use our whole body when we are listening...

- Eyes: We look at the person who is talking
- Ears: Both ears are ready to hear.
- Mouth: We keep our mouth quiet.
- Hands: We keep hands still in our laps.
- Feet: We keep our feet still and quiet.
- Body: We face the speaker with our body.
- Brain: We switch on our brain to think about what is being said.
- Heart: We care about what the speaker is saying.

We use Whole body listening...

- When a teacher is talking to the class
- When a teacher is giving instructions
- When someone else is talking



Kindness

Personal Best

Respect

Responsibility

STUDENTS NOT RETURNING NEXT YEAR: The school is currently planning for 2023 and it is important the school has accurate information. Please contact the school as soon as possible if your child/ren will not be attending Takari PS next year.

JUMP JAM: Takari PS are conducting Jump Jam fitness sessions for students, staff and interested parents on Mondays this term from 8:00am to 8:30am. The sessions are proving to be very popular with students and parents!

DOGS AT TPS: We are more than happy for people to exercise their dogs on the school oval after hours and at weekends, however, not everyone is picking up after their dog. We regularly are having to clean the oval of excrement. If you walk your dog at TPS or know someone who does please make sure to pick up after their dog.

"Want to start yoga? Start by bending over and picking up your dog poo, known as the downward dog position.

"Then put it in a bin."

NEW UNIFORM 2023: The new uniforms will be available through Tudor Uniform very shortly. The online uniform shop has gone live and we will send out details on how to order etc, with the booklists soon. Go to tudorschooluniforms.com.au and register an account with a password to start shopping.

The shop is also open in Wangara, although they do not have all of our items available yet. We advise you to visit, with your child to try on uniform items. This will save any potential issues with incorrect sizing and returns. Items can be purchased at the shop at Tudor Uniform 1/75 Excellence Drive, Wangara.

Semester 2 2023, is when the new uniform becomes compulsory.

New Uniform for 2023



Takari P&C

Dust off the white t-shirts ready for the Colour Run this Friday!! Fingers crossed for a dry sunny day for us.

Thank you so much to all the parents that have committed to running this event. It simply can't go ahead without parent support, so it's fantastic we have so many helpers.

We're still on the lookout for more support, so if you're standing on the sidelines on Friday, we may rope you in for a little help.

Remember to get your sponsorship forms and money to the front office by Friday morning so you can go into the draw to win a family pass to Perth Zoo!

See you Friday!

Jonelle Schultz President, and the P&C Team
takaripc@gmail.com





PARLIAMENT HOUSE LUNCHEON

Last week the student councillors had the privilege of accompanying Mr David Michael, MLA, Member for Balcatta, for Lunch and a tour of the WA Parliament House.

It was an interesting and informative outing, with many thought provoking conversations while they dined at the Parliament House restaurant.

Some of the questions asked of Mr Michael comprised of, 'What his thoughts were on Australia becoming a republic?', 'What did his day to day duties include being a politician?', 'What's your advice to a young person wanting to become a politician... and many more.'

However, the biggest highlight for students was filling their tummies with the delicious delights. The chocolate lava cake was a hit for dessert.

A delightful day was had by all.



PARKING AND TRAFFIC AROUND THE SCHOOL: The city of Stirling has received complaints from residents close to the school in regards to unsafe parking practices occurring around the school and surrounding streets and of drivers not observing general road rules. The City of Stirling will be sending out a Ranger to patrol at drop off and pick up times.



STAFF CAR PARK: A number of parents are using the staff car park to drop off or collect children. This is a very dangerous practice. The school has had serious accidents in the past involving parents reversing their cars in the staff car park. **Please do not use the staff car park to drop off or collect students.** There is ample parking available in the car parks across Jones Street. Why not park there and walk across with the assistance of our crossing warden? If you have a reason why you need to use the staff car park please make an enquiry at the front office. The disabled bays under the shelter are for ACROD parking permit holders only.

KISS AND DRIVE: The 'Kiss and Drive' bays are situated at the front of the school on Rickman Street, outside the library. This is so your children can wait in the shade, on benches outside of the library. Please ensure these bays are used correctly. The last four bays on Rickman Street should only be used to drop off and pick up children while you are still in the car. There is also a one minute limit with these bays. Parents parking and leaving their cars for more than one minute risk a fine. The other bays along Rickman Street have a 15 minute time limit between the hours of 7.30 - 9.00am and 2.30 - 4.15pm.



USING THE CROSSING WARDEN: The school is fortunate to have the services of a crossing warden. Unfortunately, it has been reported many children (and parents) are not utilising this service and crossing at the roundabout or near the oval, both less than 40 metres from the official crossing. Please use the services of the Cross Walk man to ensure the safety of your children.

Thank you for keeping our students safe!



You are welcome to the NIGHT OF THE RISING STARS SHOWCASE 2022

Saturday 19 November, 7pm - Takari Undercover Area



Come support our bands and guest artists (including former Takari student Nicholas Sia, and the Trio Stars). It will be fun and entertaining night out.

Tickets – Use the Eventbrite link to book your free tickets. Band members don't require a ticket. Friends and family and the Takari Community are welcome, but booking is essential. **Book soon** as seating is limited.

[Night of the Rising Stars Showcase Tickets, Sat 19/11/2022 at 7:00 pm | Eventbrite](#)

Cash – Remember to bring cash for your **gold coin donation** and to purchase refreshments. A coffee van will be selling hot and cold drinks, and some snacks. Other treats will be for sale from the canteen window. Proceeds go to cover showcase costs.

Raffle – This year's prize is a Cajon (Box Drum). Come prepared with cash for tickets - \$2 each or 3 for \$5

Term 4

5	7/11 Jump Jam 8.00-8.30am Swimming PP-Yr 3	8/11 Edu Dance	9/11 Second-hand Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.00am	10/11 Assembly - Kindy	11/11 P&C Colour Run
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6	14/11 Jump Jam 8.00-8.30am Swimming PP-Yr 3	15/11 Edu Dance	16/11 Second-hand Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.00am	17/11	18/11 19/11 Night of the Rising Stars
7	21/11 Jump Jam 8.00-8.30am	22/11 Edu Dance	23/11 Second-hand Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.00am Newsletter #19	24/11 PP Orientation 9.00am	25/11
8	28/11 Jump Jam 8.00-8.30am	29/11 Edu Dance School Council Meeting	30/11 Second-hand Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.00am	1/12 Assembly - Music K Orientation after Assembly	2/12
9	5/12 Jump Jam 8.00-8.30am	6/12 Edu Dance EOY Concert	7/12 Second-hand Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.00am Newsletter #20	8/12	9/12
10	12/12 Year 6 Graduation Ceremony	13/12	14/12 Second-hand Uniform Shop open 8.30-9.00am Takari's Got Talent	15/12 Last day for Students	16/12 School Development Day

Happy Holidays!
Students return for 2023 on Wednesday 1 February

Community Notices



Want \$500 to help you with school costs?

Saver Plus is a financial education program for families and individuals on a tight budget to develop life-long savings habits.

To join Saver Plus, you must have **all** of the following:

- ✓ Have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card **AND** an eligible Centrelink payment*
- ✓ Be studying yourself **OR** have a child in school (can be starting school next year)
- ✓ Have regular income from work (either yourself or your partner)*
- ✓ Be 18+ years old

*Many types of income and Centrelink payments are eligible

Here are some of the school costs the \$500 can be used for:

		
laptops & tablets	uniforms & shoes	books & supplies
		
sports balls & gear	lessons & activities	camps & excursion

For more information, please contact your local Saver Plus coordinator:

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Find out more
 at saverplus.org.au

Saver Plus is an initiative of the Brotherhood of St Laurence and ANZ and delivered in partnership with local community organisations. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government Department of Social Services.

NIGHT OF THE
Rising Stars
SHOWCASE

TAKARI ROCK BANDS
&
STIRLING COMMUNITY
YOUTH BAND

**Saturday 19
November
(Next Week!)**

**Takari Primary School
Undercover Area
More details on page 3**

UNDER THE GUM TREES

Hamersley Carols

Sunday 4th December 2022

Aintree-Eglinton Reserve
20 Belvedere Road, Hamersley

3:30-6:00pm | 6:00-7:00pm
Carnival Games | Christmas Carols with
Food and Drinks | Salvation Army Band and Choirs

Free Event

For more information
 Hamersley Carols
 Email: thebridgehamersley@gmail.com
 Phone: 0400 832 025 Jason

Stay home if you are unwell,
practise physical distancing
and good hand hygiene.

Fun | Family Event | Alcohol Free

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