

### Welcome to Week 7 Term 3 2019

# Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2019

Just a reminder that copies of all of our Newsletters and an events calendar are also available on our website at www.baldivisgardensps.wa.edu.au.

## Sports Carnivals

We held our 400m races and jumps and throws events for the Year 1-6 students and also the Early Childhood carnival last week. Congratulations to all those who took part and many thanks to the parents who supported the students in their endeavours.

Unfortunately, we had to postpone our Year 1-6 carnival last Friday due to the storm forecast. This is rescheduled for this Wednesday.

## Damage to School Property

Unfortunately, we have suffered some damage over the weekend. This has resulted in us having to close the basketball courts until the damage can be fixed. Just a reminder, if you see any suspicious activity around the school, you can call the Police on 131 444.

#### Early Arrivals

Please remember that students in Years 1-6 that arrive between 8:10am and 8:25am are to go straight to the Covered Assembly Area where a member of staff will be on duty. Students should not arrive at school before 8:10am, but we are currently having instances of students regularly arriving before 8am.

# Good Standing and Golden Time

We are starting our good standing policy with effect from today. This was outlined in a previous newsletter and is part of our student behaviour policy. Students were briefed about this at a faction assembly last Friday. The first golden time will be held this Friday and only students that have maintained good standing will be able to take part in this reward time. Some classes practised golden time last Friday and it was great to see students move from class to class and teacher to teacher trying the activities.

### Students Leaving in 2020

We are in full swing for planning for 2020. Can you please let us know as soon as possible if your family will not be returning to The Garden in 2020.

### **This Week**

This week we have a few events ...

Footy Focus is cancelled this week due to the storm forecast for tomorrow.

The Year 6 students will not be holding 'Cheesy Wednesday' this week due to the rescheduled sports carnival. The sandwich day scheduled for Wednesday has also be cancelled.

Choir is on this week, with the Junior Choir at 7:45am on Wednesday and the Senior Choir at 7:45am on Thursday. The Senior Choir are busily preparing for the Massed Choir performance at Perth Concert Hall later this term.

On Wednesday, we will be holding our Sports Carnival for Years 1-6. Events will commence from 9am with the 200m races, followed by the sprints and team games. The arranged Subway lunch for the students in Years 1-6 has also been moved to this day.

Netball is on Thursday after school. Many thanks to Mrs Raphael and Mrs Bruce for running this.

Ms Connor's Year 3 class will be entertaining us with their assembly this Friday. See you at 8:40am.

# Looking further ahead...

School Photos will be held in Week 8 on the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> of September. Photo envelopes went home last week.

Our Book Week assembly will be held on the last day of the term, Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September. Most teachers have already contacted parents via Connect to notify them of the chosen author for their class.

On Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September, we will be holding our annual open night. Further details will be sent out shortly.

## **STEM Supplies**

As part of our Junior STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) program, students will be creating design projects which will involve repurposing recyclable items to give students the opportunity to consider sustainability, while developing their ability to design, create and problemsolve. To enable students to create their projects, it would be greatly appreciated if you could assist us by donating any clean recyclable items.

The types of recycled materials could include; various sized cardboard boxes, plastic bottles, containers, yoghurt containers, shoe boxes, cardboard tubes, foil, fabric, egg cartons, bottle tops, cans, string, paper, card, buttons, felt and old CD's.

If you could please place the recyclable items in the boxes located in the covered assembly area.

Thank you for your support. Laura Pridmore

### A message from your P & C



Please remember to contact us if you wish to nominate for the vacant role of Treasurer. If you would like to nominate yourself for this position, please either complete the nomination form at the front desk or express your interest by sending the P&C an email to Baldivisgardens.pandc@gmail.com

Also, if you would like email updates from the P&C please email us so we can add you to our mailing list.

Thank you to everyone who supported the Father's Day fundraiser.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Anita Lakic P&C President

I thank you for your continued support,

Davíd David Batt Principal