

Welcome to Week 2 Term 1, 2019 Monday 18th February 2019

Firstly, I would like to congratulate our wonderful Year One Teacher Miss Vujovic on her wedding on the weekend. Miss V (Vujovic) will now be Mrs B (Borkovic).

An important issue that has arisen is the need for a children's crossing on Linaker Street. I am completing an application and have undertaken two traffic surveys as part of the process. I will be speaking about the application at the School Board meeting and at the P&C AGM so if you are interested to have your say about the Children's Crossing application please come along to the meeting on Wednesday night at 7pm.

Over the holidays, I spent some of my time reading new literature on education and child development. As we take our first few weeks into a new school year, your child may be feeling confident about their year or the opposite. What the research tells us is, if you approach life with confidence your resiliency to succeed when facing hardship is stronger. How can we establish confident mindsets in children?

1. Model positive mindsets – speak aloud when you are taking sensible risks and speak positively about yourself and others.
2. Use phrases for a mindset of confidence and persistence – look for proverbs and quotes on self-acceptance, taking risks and being independent.
3. Catch them in the act – praise your child when they demonstrate a confident mindset
4. Reframe negative mindsets -example: 'I don't get multiplication' reframe to 'I don't get multiplication **yet but I will**'.

Kind regards,
David Paine

This week...

Class Parent Meetings

Class meetings are occurring this week.

	Mon 18th	Tues 19th	Wed 20th	21 st
2:00		Kindy (T/Th)		Kindy (M/W)
2:30				
3:00	Pre-primary		Year One	
3:30	Year 2/3			
4:00	Year 4/5		Year 4/5 split	
4:30				
5:00			Year 6	

If you are bringing your children to the parent meetings please ensure you provide supervision or clear boundaries for them to adhere to. This ensures all students will play nicely and safely.

Choir

Junior Choir (Years 1 -3) is on Wednesday at 7:45am in the Music Room. Senior Choir (Years 4-6) will be at the same time on a Thursday in the music room.

P&C AGM

This Wednesday @ 7pm is our P&C AGM in the staffroom. The P&C are a wonderful support for the school and are always keen for more families to be involved. I encourage your participation.

School Board

Our first School Board meeting is this Thursday at 6pm in the staffroom. I look forward to seeing our board members there.

Year 5 Assembly

Miss Addison's Year 5 class will be hosting our first assembly on Friday 22nd straight after the morning siren.

This week...

Netball

Netball Clinic for Years 1 -3 starts this Wednesday. A note has been emailed out. Students start at 3pm and finish at 4pm. This is a great opportunity for anyone to become skilled in Netball

Change of date

Due to double booking at the swimming pool the Faction Swimming Carnival will now be held on the 15th March in the morning. A note will be coming out shortly.

Other news...

YMCA

Please ensure that you notify YMCA if your child is absent or if you will be collecting them from school.

School Uniforms

Whilst the front administration have a small collection of uniforms for emergency purposes. We encourage you to purchase through Willetton Uniforms website

<https://www.willettonuniforms.com.au/>

Deliveries come on Tuesday afternoon for Wednesday morning collection. If you require assistance with your order the ladies at the front office are able to assist you.

School Uniforms

If you pay your voluntary contributions by the end of Term One your family will go into the draw to win a Family Movie Pass (G rated) to Ace Cinemas located in Rockingham. Winner announced at 1st assembly in Term Two.

Playground Expectations

At Baldvis Gardens we pride ourselves on creating caring and achieving students. A core part of this is ensuring we provide a calm and orderly learning environment. This includes our outdoor spaces. In the afternoons when staying for a play and a catch up, can you please remind your children of our expectations on how we behave in the playground. In the Early Childhood area this is through keeping sand and mulch out of the cubby and in our new playground keeping sand off our boat would be appreciated. We don't mind you using the equipment provided but can we ensure that holes in the sand are refilled and sand toys and barrels placed back along the wall of Goshawk Block. We feel that your children deserves the best environment for them to thrive. We thank you for your understanding.

Year 6 Camp Expression of Interest Form

Year 6 camp expressions of interest are due this Friday 22nd February 2019. Please contact front administration if you require more time to pay deposit.

Lost property

Lost property can be located in the wet area of each classroom block. There is no lost property stored at the front administration office. Please ensure your child's items are labelled so reduce loss of items

Baldivis Soccer de Brazil Futsal Club

Are now taking registration for trials to represent our club at the WA Junior State Futsal League commencing April.

Cost - \$5

📅 26th Feb - Tuesday

@ Baldivis Recreation Centre

4-5pm - U8/U9

5-6 pm - U10/U11

6-7pm - U12/U13

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