

## Welcome to Week 6 Term 1, 2019 Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019

Thank you to all our families who attended the last P&C meeting. It was encouraging to see many new faces come and listen about the function of a P&C to enrich the lives of the students within Baldivis Gardens.

I sent out nomination and membership forms last week as for the P&C to be successful they need a team of volunteers who can assist on different projects. We already have had nominations come in and new memberships signed up but we need more. Get involved and if you would like to know more please see me.

The next P&C meeting is Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March at 2pm. This will be where we will discuss nominations and whether we have the members to run effectively this year or not. I hope to see you all there.

Regards,

David Paine



## This week...

### Icy Poles

Year 6s are selling icy poles out of the canteen at Recess on every **Wednesday**. Icy poles will be a dollar each with profit going towards the Year 6 Camp.

### 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.

### Swimming Carnival Year 4- 6

Swimming Carnival is on this Friday for our Year 4 -6s. It is great to see so many competitors however there are still many students who have not returned their form. Those who do not return the form to compete or participate will be working with a classroom teacher on an independent work program until their classmates and classroom teacher returns at lunch time.

### Cockatoo 2

Miss Capewell's class have started a new book as part of their Talk 4 Write, Goldilocks and the Three Bears. To engage students into learning the story and to remember it, the students made tasty porridge. I hope all of the porridge was just right!

## Voluntary Contributions

Great to see parents coming in to the office to pay their voluntary contributions. These families are in the running to win a **family pass to Ace Cinemas**, but most importantly they have made a very helpful contribution towards the resources used to support and teach our children. The prize will be drawn at our last assembly for the term, on the 12<sup>th</sup> April (ANZAC assembly) just in time for the term break.

A statement of your child's account will be sent out to families shortly. Payments can be made by Cash or EFTPOS at the front office, QKR App or bank transfer (066040 – 19903864 Ref: Child's name). Payment Plans are also available, please see the front office for more information. All contributions received by Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April will go into the draw.

## Notification of Absences

Thank you for letting us know when your child is absent from school. Please remember to include your child's name, reason for absence and date of absence/s to: **0438 963 241**

## Subway

Thank you to all the families who ordered Subway last week. Not only was it yummy we also raised \$281 that will go towards reducing the costs of excursions by subsidising the costs of buses. Thanks to Subway for their great organisational skills and fundraiser initiative. Our next Subway lunch will be in Week 10.

## Recycling

Do you have old batteries, mobile phones and printer cartridges that you do not want any more? Rather than add it to the landfill bring it to the library where we have collection boxes to ensure that the products can be recycled.



## Front Office

Please note that the front office is closed until 8:30am on Tuesdays due to staff meetings.

## Sport

Our Year 3s have been working on their gross motor skills through learning to play tennis. Looking at their serves they could be playing at the Australian Open one day.



The City of Rockingham presents  
**Ako Children's Choir**

Thursday 28 March 2019

from 5:30pm

Rockingham Shopping Centre, food court

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A group photo of the Ako Children's Choir members, many wearing traditional Japanese kimonos.

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