News from Baldivis Gardens Primary INDEPENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOL

Welcome to Week 6 Term 4, 2018 Monday 12th November 2018

Well done Mrs Gibson's class for a wonderful assembly about 3D shapes. Thanks to all our families who came down and watched. Next week we have Miss McKay's Year 3/4 class running assembly.

P&C News

Well done to the P&C for the wonderful community movie night. A lot of effort and planning goes into events like this and I know all students and their families who attended had a great time.

Your Move

Last week the Year 5 and Year 6 students participated in a workshop led by students from Baldivis Secondary College from the Green Team. The focus was on learning how to get around the local area safely and how to make new friends and feel that you belong in a bigger environment. Our students found it useful and enjoyable. It was also a pleasure meeting the students and their teacher Mr Hill from Baldivis SC.





Year 5 Fremantle Prison Excursion

The Year 5 students enjoyed a day out at Fremantle Prison last week.

The children learnt all about the history of the prison, life as a convict and how the prison operated, plus a few tales of escapees such as Moondyne Joe.









This week... Sausage sizzle

The P&C will be running a sausage sizzle tomorrow for students' lunch. The cost will be a gold coin donation.

Icy Poles

Icy poles are back to Tuesdays. Still \$1 each.

Colour Run

Our colour run is on this Friday and thanks to all our families who helped raise funds for our new playground. On the day, families are welcome to join us for an early lunch at 12:30pm and then watch our students run the course.

Years 1-6 will do the colour run first from 1:30pm with K -PP running the course at 2:10pm.

Music News - Choir

Both our Senior and Junior Choir have been asked to perform at the Baldivis Lantern's Festival on the 7th December. Students will be asked to make their own way there by 4:30 for a 5pm performance. A note will go home closer to the date.

The 7th of December is also our school's Awards Assembly and our Senior and Junior Choir will also be performing in between awards.

In order for us to gain some much needed extra rehearsal time, I will be holding a weekend workshop at school on Sunday the 2nd of December. The Program for the day would run like this;

- Junior choir 12pm
- Combined choir 12:45 (both Senior and Junior)
- 1:30 break (snack) This gives time for Junior Choir students to be picked up
- Senior Choir 2pm -2:30pm
- Students from Miss McKay's class will then rehearse their percussion group from 2:30 -3:30.

A note will also go home about this shortly

Below are some pictures of our Year One students learning to play some songs on the xylophone.





Green Team

Our school is after donations of old newspapers for our compost and worm farm. If you have old ones please drop them off at the Swallow Block's wet area in the marked box.

SurfSafe Online

We are excited to announce that we have been able to secure Paul Litherland to present to parents regarding online safety.

Paul is highly regarded as one of Australia's leading Key Note Speakers on Internet Awareness. Paul was previously a police officer in the Technology Crime Investigation Unit and left in 2014 to set up Surf Online Safe and promote internet safety to primary and high school students.

Our parent session on **Thursday 29**th **November**, commences at 7pm in our undercover area. Tickets are free of charge and must be obtained online to attend this session as numbers will be limited. Tickets can be obtained

from https://www.trybooking.com/ZFHG

Please note that due to the content of the parent presentation, children under 18 should not attend.

Have a good week and see you at the colour run.

David Paine Principal

