



ILLAWARRA

Primary School | Caring for People
An Independent Public School

Newsletter

THURSDAY 20 October 2016

TERM 4

NEWSLETTER No.16 Week 2

From the Principal...

ICAS MATHS

Congratulations to all the children on their efforts in the recent ICAS Maths testing.

Special mention to Lily S, who achieved a High Distinction (top 1% of Australia), a super effort! The students mentioned below have stood out for their efforts and will receive their certificates at Week 3's assembly.

YEAR	MERIT	CREDIT	DISTINCTION
2	Amber D	Cassidy J	Lily S (High)
	Sienna R	Jordan S	Charlie J
	Sienna P	Cameron D	Shannon P
	Jacob L	Mitchell B	Zack F
	Jake P		
	Ella G		
	Olivia A		
	Troy L		
3	Hayleigh H	Owen C	Cayden Y
	Suryamayi T	Calian P	
	Emily M	Alora N	
4	Ethan M	Lenah N	
	Harrison W	Lucy B	
	Leighton B	Elena C	
	Lily O	Lydia N	
	Rohan D		
5	Jesse Bach	Harrison d	Riley H
	Kira K	Zach B	
		Tyler H	
		Samar Al	
		Max McC	
6		Shinae B	

CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES 2017

The School Board has reviewed the Contributions and Charges policy for 2017 and approved the items and costs that are part of this policy. A copy of the policy has been sent home with students today. Voluntary contributions remain at \$60 per child for the year. Families can pay \$15 per term if they prefer this option. Payment may also be made via your Booklist through Campion Education.

Thank you to the families who have paid their Voluntary Contributions this year. These funds are used to provide additional resources and learning experiences for your children. If you haven't paid as yet you may still do so before the end of the year.

BOOKLISTS 2017

Thank you to those families who are purchasing their 2017 booklist items through Campion Education. A commission from these sales is given back to the school from Campion. Commission for 2016 was \$3324.

Michael King
Principal

IN TERM SWIMMING 2016 PP – YEAR 6



A note is going home today with all children with information in regards to In Term swimming. Please check that you receive this note from your child.

If your child **will not** be attending In term Swimming, please provide a note. This will assist in the planning.

In term swimming will be held at The Terry Tyzack Aquatic Centre in Inglewood from Monday 21 November to Friday 2 December 2016.

REDGUM DRIVE - VERGE PARKING



The City of Swan has planted five large Illawarra Flame trees (Brachychiton acerifolius) on the verge in Redgum Drive to stop people parking the verge.

ENROLMENT VACANCIES 2017

If your child was born between 1 July 2012 and 30 June 2013 they can start Kindergarten in 2017.

We also have vacancies in Years PP to Year 6.

For further information please contact the school office or call in to collect the enrolment documents.

WASTE WISE NEWS THANK YOU!

We would like to say a big thank you to Mr Vince Randazzo for all the work he has done in the school garden area. We are very appreciative also to the Education Team from Bunnings, Malaga for providing bush tucker shrubs and variety of other plants. Natasha and the team did a great job assisting the children with planting them. A big thanks to Jo Kelly, Barry O'Sullivan and Jaden Cooke for also giving up their time to install the serpent and tiles. The children painted the rocks and tiles during NAIDOC week over the last few years.

Please continue to send in batteries, ring-pulls and old mobile phones and accessories for recycling. The battery bin is located in the car park adjoining the gardener's shed.

I would like to say a sincere thanks to the forty five children who have volunteered to collect food scraps and add the scraps to compost, to reduce landfill.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION



With the warmer weather now upon us, would parents please ensure that your child has a hat and drink bottle for sport.

Students are asked to take drink bottles to class ready for sport.

FREE PARENTS SEMINAR

Building online resilience for children and young people

A free seminar for parents on how to support children and young people develop the skills and understanding to safely navigate online will be held on Monday, 24 October at Churchlands Concert Hall, Churchlands. The seminar is hosted by the Commissioner for Children and Young People and will include presentations from e-mental health expert Professor Jane Burns and the Telethon Kids Institute's Professor Donna Cross.

While this seminar is free, bookings are essential via <http://www.trybooking.com/NEPI> For further information contact Karen Wyatt on 6213 2297 or email karen.wyatt@ccyp.wa.gov.au

From the P&C

SCHOOL DISCO 'UNDERWATER'

The P&C will be hosting Underwater Disco on the 11 November. Cost \$6.

K-Year 2 – 4.30-6pm
Years 3-6 – 6.30-8pm

DON'T FORGET

P&C Meeting on Monday 24 October. 3pm in the Staff Room.
All Welcome

SCHOOL BANKING

Congratulations to **Mia R** (Junior winner) and **Harrison d** (Senior winner) who won the Aussie Outback School Banking Competition last term. Thank you to everyone who participated and Mrs Briggs who judged and presented the competition. I look forward to holding one more competition for 2016.

SCHOOL BANKING CO-ORDINATOR POSITION 2017

We are seeking someone who is interested in becoming a School Banking Co-ordinator for 2017. If you are interested in this position please see Paula on a Tuesday morning at the canteen, advise a P&C member, come along to the P&C Meeting on Monday or leave contact details at the front office. Training will be required. Paula will be able to help assist until the end of the year.



Children's Week WA 2016
22-30 October

Find a Children's Week event near you visit www.childrensweekwa.org.au

FOUND

Scooter found in park. If you know anyone who has lost scooter please contact the school front office.

SCHOOL DIARY TERM FOUR 2016

October

- 24 P&C Meeting 3pm
Staff room
- 26 Yr 6 Graduation Photo's
11am
- 28 K1 & K2 Kindy Assembly

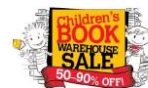
November

- 3 Newsletter
- 9 Music-A-Viva incursion
- 11 School Underwater Disco
- 14 School Board Meeting
- 16 2017 Pre Primary Parents meeting
- 17 Newsletter
- 18 2017 Kindy Parents meeting
- 21 Swimming commences
- 24 Parent Helper morning tea
- 28 P&C Meeting

December

- 1 Newsletter
- 2 Swimming finishes
- 6 Christmas Concert
- 8 Year 6 Orientation to BCC
- 9 2017 Booklist due
- 12 Year 6 Graduation
Last day Canteen
- 13 K-6 Reports go home
- 14 Final Assembly
Class Parties
Newsletter
- 15 Last day for students

END OF TERM



FILL A BOX FOR \$40!

Thousands of fantastic children's books will be 50% off, including paperback novels, picture and chapter books, activity items and much more! PLUS, you can fill a box for \$40 from a selected range of books. **Stock will be replenished daily.**

Open to public: Friday 28 October: 8am-5pm and Saturday 29 October: 8am-2pm
Scholastic Warehouse, Unit 1/70
Beringarra Avenue, Malaga
Payment by cash, EFTPOS and credit card.

UNIFORM SHOP:

Open every MONDAY 8:15 – 9:00am
Order forms are available at the front office or on the school's website. If the hours are not convenient, please leave your order form together with your payment at the office

COSTUME SHOP:

Open on THURSDAYS between 2:30pm-3:15pm.
Lisa: ☎ 0412 950 462 Leave a message and I will return your call ASAP.
Email: illawarracostumes@gmail.com

SCHOOL BANKING:

Tuesday Mornings
8.15 – 8.45am in the Canteen.

CANTEEN: Open Monday, Wednesday and Fridays