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Walpole Primary School

Dates to Remember

Monday 8 October	Staff and students start term 4
Friday November 23	Faction Athletics Carnival
Tuesday December 4	End of Year Concert

Classes for 2019

Classes have been organised for next year- K/P/1 with Mrs Teague-Robertson, 2/3 with Mrs Flett and 4/5/6 with either Ms Walker or Ms Burkett. As Ms Burkett is supernumery to the school, she can be transferred at any time.

We have seven kindy enrolments for 2019, which is fantastic! The Daycare children have visited the school twice this term and a couple of Kindy Cafés will be held next term, so that parents/guardians are able to attend.

If you know of anyone new to the area that might have school-aged children, please encourage them to come in to the office to enrol.

If you have plans to leave Walpole and enrol your child/ren elsewhere for 2019, also let us know so we can plan accordingly.

School Uniform

The School Board, after consulting with the students and families, have chosen to change the school shirt from royal and white to royal blue and aqua. The selected shirt is 60% cotton and should keep looking good after a number of washes.

The P&C have agreed to place uniform orders with the wholesaler, as there is a minimum purchase of ten for the shirt.

We thank Manjimup Monograms for their friendly service in meeting our needs so far.

Navy blue bottoms or royal blue jumpers/jackets can be purchased through the P&C, Manjimup Monograms or any retail store. Black or any other colour shirts/pants/shorts/skorts are not part of the school uniform.

Faction Athletics Carnival

We will be holding our Faction Athletics Carnival on November 23, next term. It is always a great day for the family so we hope to see you there, cheering for your child/ren and faction.

With changes to the Interschool held at Pemberton DHS, we have also taken this opportunity to implement a few changes in our program.

In all events, boys and girls will be combined. Looking through the recent records, there is not a lot of difference in times and distances.

There will be a winner and runner-up medallion for the mixed 800m event and a champion and runner-up trophy for the mixed senior and intermediate competitors. Championship points will be collected from all individual events except the 800m.

First ribbons will only be given for team events and first to fourth ribbons for individual events. K/P students will get a participation ribbon for their running race and not for any other event.

Children will be in six to ten events during the day. Jumps and throws will be held on the same day as the track events.

Attendance

Our attendance figures have dropped miserably this term to 88%, from 95%. Many students have been sick while others have taken vacations during the school term. Obviously, this impacts on academic performance and social connections.

Chantelle and Luke Mc attended every day this term and Mae H, Lucy H, Leah H and Matilda H only missed one day. Well done☺



New Uniforms

The P&C will send out order forms next term for clothes to arrive before the start of the 2019 school year.



NAPLAN

Individual NAPLAN results have now been sent home. Please talk to the teacher if you have any queries. For an online brochure go to:
<https://k10outline.scsa.wa.edu.au/home/assessment/testing/naplan/parents/results-reporting>

Merit Certificates

Pre Primary Oliver B
Year 2 Leah H
Year 3 Luke Mc
Year 4 Pia G
Year 5 Keenan N



SCHOOL PHOTOS

By That Girl with the Camera

17 October

If you haven't received an order form please contact the office.

Order forms due back by Friday 12 October.



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KINDY CAFE



Monday 15 October & Monday 12 November
11.00am - 12.00pm

Please come along with your child who will start kindy in 2019.

Join us in a cup of tea and familiarize yourself with the early childhood centre at the school and meet Mrs Teague Robertson.

