



**Newsletter No 4**  
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Walpole Primary School



### Dates to Remember

March 27 Tuesday	Swimming Carnival in Albany for Yr 3-6
March 28 Wednesday	P&C Meeting at Walpole Hotel, 5pm, all welcome
March 29 Thursday	Assembly- item Y 4/5/6, run by Yr 2/3
Mar 30- Apr 3	Easter break (inc Tuesday) <b>No Rollerblading</b>
April 6 Friday	Interschool Athletics Carnival in Pemby for Yr 1-6

Everyone is exhausted after a week of swimming lessons but we have been lucky to have some glorious weather. Hopefully, we can make term 1 a regular time for swimming lessons.



### Swimming Carnival

The Year 3-6 students will now have a chance to put their new skills to the test in our Faction Swimming Carnival.

Students compete against students in similar stages, not ages. The events are selected according to what strokes and distance they can swim. Those below stage 6 have fun activities in the middle depth pool. Please come along on March 27 to help out.

### Interschool Athletics Carnival

The Interschool Athletics is on in a fortnight for the Year 1-6s. The school will compete against Pemberton DHD, Nannup DHS, Northcliffe DHS and St Joseph's.

The students get a chance to test their athletic prowess against a much larger cohort. Track and team games will be included on the day. Jumps and throws will have been completed at school prior to the carnival.

It is the first time that Year 1 and 2 students have been included.

### Long Table Lunch- Room 4

Ms Walker organised a fantastic long table lunch for the Room 4 students and some community members. They collected produce from the garden and whipped up a variety of dishes including zucchini, corn and beetroot salad. The home-made pitta bread seemed to be the winner.



### YuMi Math

The teaching staff received a visit from the YuMi Math team from the Queensland University of Technology last week. We're half way through a two year project to lift the understanding and attainment of Math at Walpole PS.

The students have been busy using their bodies and minds to connect the many aspects of Math. Some of the students don't even realise they are doing Math as they are having so much fun.

## Date for your Diary

**Year 4/5/6 Camp**  
**Tuesday 5 June – Friday 8 June**

Travelling to Perth and staying at Ern Halliday Recreation Camp.

Visiting various locations relating to the UR Walpole theme "Great Migrations".

More details to come shortly.

## P&C President – Gary Hunter



Gary has lived in Walpole for the past 19 years and is currently our P&C President and School Board Member. You will also see Gary driving the Walpole and Denmark school buses.

## Interschool Athletics Carnival

Permission forms were due yesterday 22 March, please return ASAP.

Pemberton Canteen Lunch Orders have now closed. If you haven't ordered, your child will need to bring their own lunch on the day.

## P&C Meeting

**Wednesday 28 March**

Held at the Walpole Hotel @ 5pm

All Welcome

## VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

K – Yr 6      \$60.00 per student

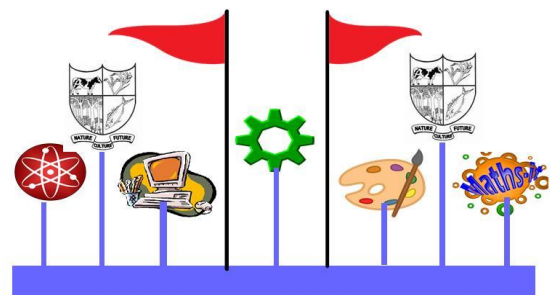
P&C Levy      \$20.00 per family

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## Hatching of our Monarch Butterflies



## STEAM

science technology engineering art mathematics

## Family Night

**10th April 2018**

**5:30–7:00pm**

Come along and join in the exciting challenges with your family. A light meal will be provided. RSVP 6th April 98401020