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Walpole Primary School



Dates to Remember

Tuesday 10 April	STEAM Family Night
Friday 13 April	ANZAC Ceremony, 2pm. Last day of term
Tuesday May 1	Term 2 starts for students

I hope you enjoyed the long Easter break and the beautiful weather. I know I did.

Swimming Carnival

The Year 3-6 students had a fantastic time at the Albany pool. Most competed in a number of competitive events and everyone participated in some fun games. We even got to have a few turns on the water slide.



Thanks to the parents and staff for helping to make the day successful.

Blue were the winning faction with 125 points compared to 67 for Green.

Congratulations to Lara H for winning the Champion Swimmer award and Jorja K, for coming Runner-Up.

ANZAC Ceremony

The school will hold an ANZAC Ceremony on the last day of term, Friday, April 13. You are more than welcome to join us near the undercover area at 2pm.

The choir has also been asked to join in the town ceremony on April 25. As this is during the holidays, we are aware that not all children can attend. If they

can, please dress your child in school uniform.

School Logo

Claudia Simpson met with the students last Friday and discussed what a logo is, why you have one, what it does and some examples of famous logos they knew. She talked about simplicity and having strong ideas. The students were then asked to think of images which would represent Walpole Primary School. Each child had a turn coming up with a concept idea and the long list was narrowed down to five, after some discussion.

Claudia will draft up some logo designs and the final choice will be made by the School Board.



Police Visits

The K/P/1 class visited the local police station last week and were intrigued by the cells and equipment used.

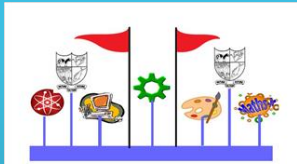
Sergeant Wall visited the school this week and spoke to the Yr 4/5/6 class about graffiti. Luckily, this is not an issue for Walpole or the school. The students took the opportunity to ask lots of questions about the rights of children.

Deposit Required

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

Please return your expression of interest for your Yr 4-6 student to attend the URWalpole Camp in Perth.

A \$100 deposit is required by April 13.



STEAM Family Night

10th April 2018

5.30 – 7.00pm

RSVP 6th April, ph:98401020

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

K – Yr 6 \$60.00 per student

P&C Levy \$20.00 per family

Walpole Primary School
BSB 306 009
Account No. 419 756 0



WANTED ALIVE!!

“Knitters”

Are you able to knit?

We're looking for skilled and talented artisans willing to share their time in knitting KYAL (Know You're Always Loved) Bears, for YouthCARE Chaplains to use in Critical Incidents, such as bushfires, to give to children.

Pattern for KYAL and Information where to send completed KYAL and labelling

Contact YouthCARE
(08)9376 5000

info@youthcare.org.au

or contact Susan Moore, Manjimup
susanm@youthcare.org.au

A question you can ask your child about school instead of how was your day,

“What examples of kindness did you see today?”



Merit Certificates

Kindy	Lucas V
Year 1	Jack S, Ryan O
Year 2	Vallee D
Year 3	Tristan K, Robin S,
Year 4	Stella H, Bella S
Year 5	Dylan, H, Reilyn SM
Year 6	Chantelle M, Logan T
Aussie of the Month	Jorja K

Hale 21

This year, four Year Six students are participating in Hale 21. Lara H, Chantelle M, Luluca B and Maddie G are enjoying studying interesting units along with students from Munglinup and Darkan and Mr Valentine, from Hale School.

Their personal favourite unit was the M&M challenge. The girls had to count how many M&M's were in a packet. In their packet they had 194 which was a good number. After they counted them they did a tally for how many of each colour there were. For brown there were 41 M&Ms, for yellow 24, for red 49, for orange 24, for blue 38 and green was 19.

The students were testing whether the M&M company's claim for the percentage of colours was correct. They discovered that the claim was incorrect.

The best part was that the girls got to eat all 194 M&Ms once they were done!

By Luluca and Chantelle

