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Principal's Pen

This is the last newsletter for 2020. Unbelievably it has been a year since we welcomed our students for the start of the year and what an amazing but unusual year it has been. One we will all remember and will I am sure, all look back and say, "Do you remember 2020, the year of Coronavirus?"

The year has ended well with the Year Six students participating in a Graduation Ceremony, a Graduation Dinner and an Excursion to Darklight. They all thoroughly enjoyed these experiences. We held two Book Award Assemblies to enable parents to attend to see their children receive their Book Prizes. We have had Mega Reward for the students who have remained in Good Standing, a Faction Reward for the winning Faction and a Fun Day for all of the students as a reward for their hard work over the whole year.

We have had a Reading Nights Assembly to enable us to acknowledge all our dedicated readers. 65 students who had read 5 or 6 nights consistently received a Silver Certificate and 63 students who read 7 nights consistently received a Gold Certificate. This was live streamed for parents.

Further to our application for a School Crossing Attendant, I have been informed by the Children's Crossing Unit of the WA Police that a team of assessors have conducted an initial assessment of the foot and road traffic and that they will be conducting further assessments presumably in the new school year. A reminder to all parents that we are now in bush fire season. Please ensure that you have your own bushfire plan in case of Emergency (to assist you the DFES web address is below). Our Bushfire plan is on our website for your information. <https://www.dfes.wa.gov.au/bushfire/>

Unfortunately, we do have students and staff that will not be returning to Two Rocks P.S for 2021. I would like to say farewell and thank you to the students and staff who are leaving us for other schools. All of our students are very special and will be thoroughly missed, as will my wonderful staff members. Our loss is another school's gain. I do however want to wish both the students and staff all the very best for their future.

Finally, I would like to take the opportunity to thank all our wonderful students for all of their hard work this year, our fantastic parents for the support and assistance that they have provided this year and of course my amazing staff for their professionalism, knowledge, hard work and dedication to our students. There is no doubt, that it is the staff of Two Rocks Primary School, that make it so special. I wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. A reminder for everyone that school returns on **Monday 1st February 2021.**

Regards
Elizabeth Wildish

To our wonderful
students & families



Dates for your Diary Term 1, 2021

Term One						
Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
1 FEB	1	2	3	4	5	6/7
2	8 Parent Meetings	9	10	11	12 Chinese New Year	13/14
3	15 PHOTOS	16 PHOTOS	17	18	19	20/21
4	22	23	24	25 SDD	26 SDD	27/28

2020 Graduates

We would like to wish our 2020 Year 6 Graduates the best of luck for their future endeavours. *Be bold, be courageous, be your best.*

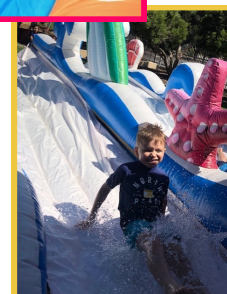
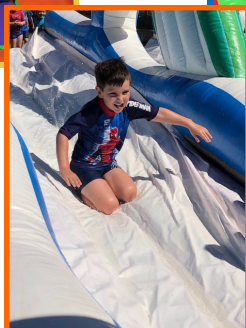


We are currently looking at student numbers for next year. If your child/children will not be returning to Two Rocks Primary School in 2021, please visit Administration to complete a notification form. Alternatively, please email your notification with the following details to twoocks.ps@education.wa.edu.au

- ◆ Student's full name
- ◆ Year level
- ◆ Last date attending Two Rocks Primary School
- ◆ Name of school they will be moving to
- ◆ Reason for leaving

Thank you.

End of Year Fun Day



What's Happening



Pre-Primary

The Pre-Primary students are enjoying ending the term with lots of fun Christmas craft activities. The children were so excited to have the Elf on the Shelf arrive in a special parcel all the way from the North Pole and couldn't wait to see what he gets up to every night! In HASS we have been learning all about Christmas around the world and we were also fascinated in the olden day school boxes we borrowed from the Wanneroo Museum. The children have enjoyed exploring the 'big school' and getting to visit a new play area each week.



Year One

To wind up the year, the Year One students had a great time at Mega Reward where we designed our creations and then used recyclable items to create our masterpieces. This week we all had a great time splashing the term away at our End of Year Reward day with waterslides and bouncy castles. We ended our week with Christmas activities which included our Christmas Assembly where we all sung our hearts out.



Year Two

What a busy few weeks we have had to end Year Two! We participated in an awesome incursion ran by KIDDO, where we practiced fundamental movement skills. We also got to take part in Mega Reward, where our cohort got to create Christmas dioramas using shoe boxes and clay. Our class elves, Alfie and Ralfie got up to lots of mischief and we enjoyed coming in each morning to see what they had been up to overnight! We cannot believe the year is already over and we are all very excited to come back next year as Year Three students!



Year Three

The Year Three cohort went on an excursion to Kaarakin, the Black Cockatoo Conservation Centre to consolidate their study of the conservation of these endangered birds. One of our students Ruby, raised money with her friend Nara, from Yanchep Beach Primary School to help the black cockatoos. Ruby was able to give the money to Sam Clarke, the Educational Officer to help pay for medical costs and the ongoing care for the birds that cannot be released. There was even an article in the Yanchep Online News about it!



Year Four

The Year Four students have been working super hard finishing off in these last few weeks and have been enjoying some Christmas activities and practising for our Christmas Concert as well. Our Mega Reward was a lot of fun, where the students were challenged to see which group could make the highest cup Christmas tree, the strongest marble track and the parachute that could stay up for the longest! The teamwork displayed and the ingenious ideas were amazing to witness. We hope that all of our Year Four students have a safe but fabulous break and we look forward to sharing Year Five with the students.



Year Five

The Year Five students have been fantastic this year and have enjoyed some fun activities in the last two weeks of 2020. Students designed a class flag in Maths for our graduating year and it was very difficult to vote for the most creative design to use in Year Six. In STEM, students designed a Christmas themed diorama and used their creative skills to make fantastic art works. We have all had a great year and are looking forward to 2021 with all the exciting Year Six activities!



Year Six

The Year Six cohort have finalised their programs and wrote Christmas wishes for the residents at Bethanie Nursing Village. The



students had their Graduation on Friday followed by their Graduation Dinner, where staff and students had a blast! On Wednesday we celebrated our end of year excursion at Darklight Laser Tag! We are so proud of you and wish you all the very best for your futures!

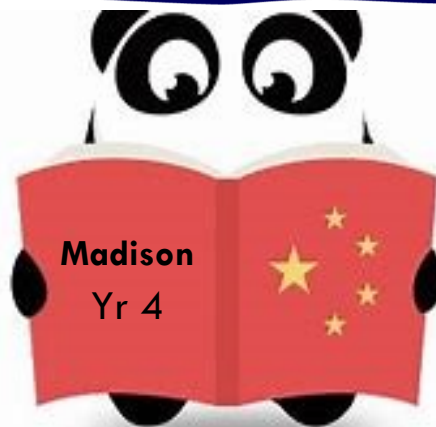
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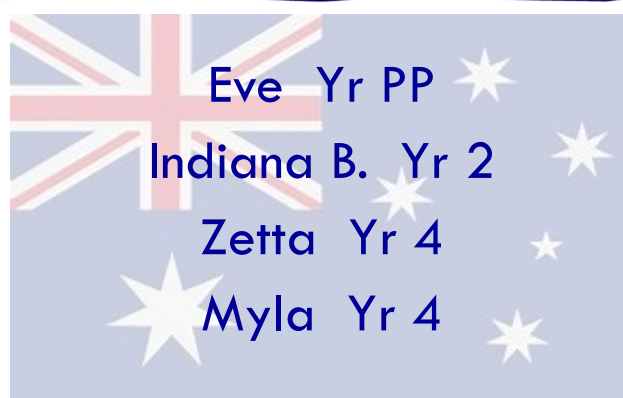
Congratulations to each of our recipients

Pre-Primary	London, Lacey, Isabelle Alexandra, Caeden, Isaac W.
Year 1	Aurora, Josh Lyla, Ebony
Year 2	Aralea, Ivy, Skyler Joel, Ava, Zane
Year 3	Emily D. Keanoe, Stacey Jessica, Roman, Reeve
Year 4	Aiden, Alex Thomas, Katie
Year 5	Aaliah, Grayson, Alex Katie, Tamati
Year 6	Reuben, Lucas Naishon, Leith

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AUSSIES OF THE MONTH

Book Award & Student Leadership

Congratulations to all our 2020 Book Award recipients from Transition to Year Five. We would also like to introduce our Year Six Student Leadership Team for 2021. A big congratulations to our new Head Girl, Ohemaa and Head Boy, Jackson.



School and Community Information



HOURS OF OPERATION



Administration:

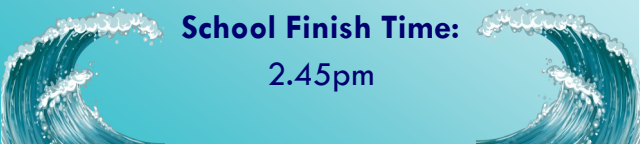
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School Start Time:

8.30am

School Finish Time:

2.45pm



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Two Rocks Primary School - Menu 2020

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3x Party Pies & Drink (Bottled Water 600ml or Orange / Apple Popper Juice) \$5.50

Cheese Sandwich & Drink (Bottled Water 600ml or Orange / Apple Popper Juice) \$5.00

Ham & Cheese Sandwich & Drink (Bottled Water 600ml or Orange / Apple Popper Juice) \$5.50

Hot Dog (with sauce) & Frozen Yoghurt \$6.00

Hot Dog (no sauce) & Frozen Yoghurt \$6.00

Hot Dog & Drink (Bottled Water 600ml or Orange / Apple Popper Juice) \$6.00

Hot Dog (no sauce) & Drink (Bottled Water 600ml or Orange / Apple Popper Juice) \$6.00

Mrs Macs Sausage Roll & Drink (Bottled Water 600ml or Orange / Apple Popper Juice) \$6.00

Mrs Macs Sausage Roll & Frozen Yoghurt (Bottled Water 600ml or Orange / Apple Popper Juice) \$6.00

Toasted Cheese Sandwich & Drink (Bottled Water 600ml or Orange / Apple Popper Juice) \$5.50

Toasted Ham & Cheese Sandwich & Drink (Bottled Water 600ml or Orange / Apple Popper Juice) \$5.50

DRINKS

Water 600ml \$2.00

Strawberry Chill \$2.50

Choc Chill \$2.50

Harvey Fresh 100% Apple & Blackcurrant Juice 450ml \$3.50

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HOT FOOD

Butter Chicken & Rice \$6.00

Cheese Toastie \$3.00

Chicken Cheese Burger \$6.00

Chicken Cheese Mayonnaise Toasted Sandwich \$5.50

Chicken Fried Rice \$5.00

Ham & Cheese Toastie \$4.50

Homestyle Burger with Salad \$6.00

Macaroni Cheese \$4.50

Spaghetti \$5.00

Sweet Chilli Chicken Wrap \$6.00

Three Party Pies \$3.50

Veggie Burger & Salad \$5.50

SALADS & COLD FOOD

Egg & Salad Box with Mayonnaise \$5.50

SANDWICHES

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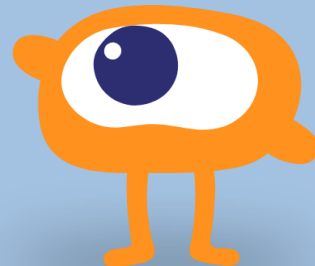
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