# **Two Rocks Primary School**

An Independent Public School





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Friday 27th of August K-2 3pm-4.30pm 3-6 5pm-6.30pm

TRPS Undercover Area \$6.00 per ticket

Tickets on sale Week 6 Mon - Thurs 8am-8.15am in the Undercover Area

# Principal's Pen

Second Semester is now well underway. We had to hit the ground running, as after the lock down at the end of Term Two, we were left to finish the Viva Music workshops and the Life Education Van workshops which were rescheduled for Week One of this term. They were both however a great success with the students. Adam Hall and his band were excellent. Our wonderful Choir performed at the Crown Theatre last week and were absolutely amazing. This was due to the hard work of our fantastic Music teacher Mrs King. We held the rain-delayed Bush Tucker Garden Incursion in Week Three which was a great success. The Bush Tucker Garden is now located near the fitness track and will be an ongoing project that we will be adding to over time.

The Staff of TRPS on our recent school development day, participated in a Zoom meeting with Professor Barrie Bennet (who lives in Canada). We revisited and revised some of the Instructional Strategies that we utilise to ensure that our students are engaged in and are utilising higher order thinking. The staff also participated in a work shop called the Blanket Activity. It was run by two lovely ladies, Renata and Charmaine. It was a very confronting exercise for the staff and myself as we walked through the history of the Aboriginal people, learning about what they had to endure. The purpose of it was to ensure that we all understand the journey that our Aboriginal families have had to get to where we are today. We held our annual Book Week Parade. It was a great day with nearly every student and staff member dressed up and of course, our wonderful Mrs King was at her very best as our compere. Atlantis Before and After School Care are now operating from the Undercover Area under the leadership of Stacey Moltzen. I hope that this will make life easier for parents and our students who will be able to use the various play areas within the school.

As part of our Health program, we have had Constable Care at school. A different health topic was covered for each phase of school. It fits in beautifully with the Health Curriculum and makes it more fun to learn the key concepts. We have also had short workshops on what to do with snake bites, as this is also part of the Health Curriculum and very relevant when living on the edge of suburbia. Last week our Year Five students went on an overnight camp to Fremantle where they visited many interesting places, such as Fremantle Prison and the Ship Wreck Museum. It was a very full, but good two days. A big thank you to Ms Scholte, Mrs Joubert, Ms Murray and Mrs Pinches for giving up their time to accompany them.

We have two Sporting Superstars! One of our Year Six students Grayson, participated in the WA Boys School Sports Cross Country event representing Two Rocks Primary School. He did so well coming 18<sup>th</sup> and only 40 seconds behind the winner out of over 100 competitors. He has now been invited to participate in May 2022 for the state trials for Interstate Cross Country. Ashleigh, one of our Year Four students competed in the WA Girls School Sports Cross Country event and she came 10<sup>th</sup> out of 300 girls! Ashleigh has also been invited to try out for the State Team in

2022. Congratulations to you both. We have our First Aid workshops this week for all students from Kindy to Year Six. These are very valuable workshops which have been of practical use to our students in the past. On Friday, we have a Disco run by our Year Six teachers to raise funds for Graduation. There will be a Junior Disco K-Yr2 at 3:00pm and a Senior Disco Yrs3-6 at 5:00pm.



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# Principal's Pen continued

On Monday 31<sup>st</sup> of August, we will have a Father's Day stall for our students to purchase items for their Fathers, Grandfathers or Carers. A big thankyou to Mrs Mettimano for once again organising this for us.

Our Faction Carnivals will be held over three days commencing on the Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September with our Kindy Pre-Primary Carnival. On Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September we will be holding the Team Games and on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September we will be holding the Races. Parents are welcome to attend all three days if they wish. The Interschool Carnival will take place for selected students on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> September at Splendid Park in Yanchep. All of these carnivals are of course, weather permitting. On 20<sup>th</sup> of September we will be having our Talk Up assembly when the winners from each year level showcase their Talk Up speech.

Finally, I would like to welcome two new members of staff. Mr Watkins, our new Manager Corporate Services. He has replaced Mrs Summers who has gone on leave and Mrs Snyman, who is our new school Psychologist and will be at school on Wednesdays.

Regards, Elizabeth Wildish

# **Bush Tucker Garden**

On the 5th August we were delighted to have an Incursion from the company Tucker Bush to install our Bush Tucker Garden. Our students were taught lots of interesting facts about Bush Tucker and what is safe to eat and how some plants can be used for medicine. The students were thrilled to be involved in the planting of the garden with their bare hands! Some of the amazing plants we planted were Native River Mint, Bush Basil, Native Thyme and Native Leeks.































# Book Week















Dates for your Diary Term 3, 2021								
6	23 First Aid K-6	24	25	26	27	28/29		
7 SEP	30	31	1 Kindy/PP Carnival 9 - 10.30am	2 TRPS Faction Carnival Team Games 9am	3 TRPS Faction Carnival 9am	4/5		
8	6	7	8	9	10	11/12		
9	13	14	15 Yr 1 Assembly	16	17 MDSA Athletics Carnival	18/19		
10	20 Talk Up Assembly	21	22	23	24 WAVE	25/26		



# LIBRARY CLASS TIMES



Monday	Monday Tuesday		Thursday	
Pre Primary DRAGONFLIES	Pre Primary LADYBIRDS	Year Four	Pre Primary BUTTERFLIES	
Year One	Year Three	Year Six	Year Two	
Year Five				

# **HONOUR CERTIFICATES**

Congratulations to each of our recipients

Pre - Primary	Ethan Cale M. Aiden R. Lily R. Mallory					
Year 1	London Jaxon M. Zara Jessica					
Year 2	<b>Sienna B.</b> Leon Skylah India M.					
Year 3	Pimitri Flynn Indiana Bl. Naete Angelisa Faith Noah					
Year 4	Matt Olivia G. Madison Lola					
Year 5	Lachie Brodie Abby Paris					
Year 6	Conly Jessica Sienna Willow					

# MANDARIN MANNERS



Grace H. PP
Saylor PP
Marnie Yr 6
Milli Yr 6

**AUSSIES OF THE MONTH** 



A huge thank you to Yanchep Craft Group for the very generous donation of craft supplies for our school!

# **What's Happening**



# **Pre-Primary**









We were lucky to have Musica Viva come into school where Adam Hall and the Velvet Players gave us an

interactive engaging live music performance. We learnt about the different instruments and how they are used to enable us to hear high and low tones. In Science this term, we are looking at the weather and the different seasons. We created some trees using finger painting showing what happens to the trees and how they change over the seasons. In Writing, we are creating our own monster, then writing a description about it. We have had some very scary monsters but also some friendly ones!



In Year One we have been focusing on learning different vocabulary in a variety of books such as Rapunzel and Stellaluna. In Science we have loved learning about how our landscapes change and had our own class landscape which has been changing through the seasons weekly. This term in HASS, we have focused on natural, managed and

> constructed environments and being able to identify these in pictures and our surroundings.



### Year Two

The Year Two students have had a busy few weeks! We had a fantastic time on our excursion to Kalamunda History Village, where we learned about what life was like in the past! We have been busy planning and practising our Assembly item. In Literacy we have been learning about public speaking and



what autobiographies are, as we write our Talk up speeches. In Maths we have been working on the tricky concept of drawing shapes when they are flipped, turned and slid!



# Year Three

This term, the Year Three students have been working tirelessly on their Talk Up speeches. We began by writing research questions about the country we chose and then researching the answers to these questions. From this information, we took Key Notes and turned them into sentences that made sense and then into a speech for our peers. We rehearsed this several times and then made a Key Note Presentation with some pictures that matched what we were talking about. We then presented these to our peers and teachers. Our teachers were very impressed with how hard we all worked and the confidence we showed when presenting our speeches.



It has been such a busy term already! We have welcomed Mrs Kirwan into our classroom and have had fun teaching her the Year Four way. We have used our HASS lessons to investigate Early European Settlers for our Talk Up presentations and demonstrating our amazing ICT skills. In Literacy, we have focused on creating personal responses and how it is okay to agree or disagree on a topic, as long as we have evidence to support our ideas. In Numeracy, we have been learning to calculate the area of irregular polygons and really

challenging ourselves to master Nine Times Tables.



This Semester has started with a Bang! From learning about the Big Bang Theory and Space in Science, to researching Colonialism in HASS. In Maths we focused on measuring and comparing the length and angles



of triangles and equilateral and equiangular polygons. We can't wait to share our stories from Year Five camp!!!

# **Year Six**

In Literacy, the Year Six students have been busy researching Australian Prime Ministers for their Talk Up competition. We have been writing our speeches and creating a Key Note ready to present in Week Six. In Maths, students have been learning how to calculate the area of a triangle and using a range of division strategies to divide decimal fractions. In Science, we have really enjoyed researching

all about natural disasters and designing a natural disaster model to demonstrate our learning. We are looking forward to building our model natural disasters in Week Six.









# **School Information**



**Administration Office:** 

8.00am - 3.30pm week days

**School Start Time:** 

8.30am

**School Finish Time:** 

2.45pm





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## Two Rocks Primary School - Menu 2021

#### LUNCH PACK DEALS

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) \$6.00

#### DRINK

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

Sausage Roll \$4.00

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

Chicken & Salad Sandwich \$6.00

Ham & Salad Sandwich \$6.00

#### COLD SWEET TREATS

Yogurt (Vanilla & Muesli) \$2.50

Frozen Yoghurts \$3.00 (Rich in Calcium, Protein, Probiotics, Gluten Free & 98% Fat Free) Flavours subject to change—check online



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# Instrumental Music Lessons

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- To find out all about the music lessons please visit our website. You can check which instruments are available, get up to date program details and apply for lessons online
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- · Lessons are held once per week on school campus with lessons outside school hours
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# **School Information & Community Notices**







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# **School Information & Community Notices**

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Kids will make new friends and take part in exciting group activities — camping, bushwalking, water activities, cooking, bushcraft and lots more.

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At our weekly meetings we build up skill levels, play games, try new challenges and plan weekend adventures. We also learn valuable leadership skills and responsibility.

Each Scout has the opportunity to achieve the Australian Scout Medallion before moving to Venturer Scouts.









Want to try Scouting? We meet on Wednesday nights at Two Rocks Fire Station 5 Caraway Loop Two Rocks from 19:00 to 21:00

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The Better Health Program is a **FREE** healthy lifestyle program for 7-13 year olds who are above a healthy weight and their families.

The program is available both online and face-to-face.

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Weekly group based activity sessions

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"With the wonderful help and encouragement from our coach we have made so many positive changes in our diet, in our lifestyle and in our general health and wellbeing." - Better Health Program Parent



**EXCITING NEWS!** 

Atlantis After School
will be commencing
on-site from
Two Rocks Primary School
from Term 3

A big thank you to



For the ongoing donations of seedlings for our Two Rocks Primary School Kitchen Garden.

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# TERM 3 LEARNING TOPICS:

- > INCREASE / DECREASE SPEED
- > MOMUNTUM
- **TOWING & TOWED VEHICLE**
- RAIL ROAD BARRIER- SNAIL TRANSMISSION
- POTENTIAL & KINETIC ENERGY
- THE DIFFERENCIAL & CONE
- SYMMETRIC/ASYMMENTRIC
- DIRECTION AND ROTATION



