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Principal's Pen

We have come to the end of Term Three. A term that has been filled with interesting and exciting activities including the Year Five, Four and Three Assemblies, Father's Day Stall, Year Six Transition to High School, Year One to Six Faction Team Day, Year One to Six Faction Race Day and the Interschool Carnival, K/PP Carnival, SciTech Workshops, Year Five overnight camp, Book Week Parade, Cyber Safety Workshops, Tournament of The Minds and Talk Up Finalist assembly. Next term promises to be just as busy with Graduation and Book Award Assemblies to finish the year. I would like to thank Mrs Belinda McLellan and her helpers who undertook a survey of the vehicle and foot traffic on Sovereign Drive/ Lisford Avenue, as this has been recognised as a possible danger area for our students going home. I have discussed the matter with the City of Wanneroo who have agreed to install grab rails and pedestrian walk signs in an effort to reduce any possible hazards. This installation should take place in the near future. The City of Wanneroo have informed me that given the results of the traffic survey a traffic warden is also a possibility, however the application requires us to name a volunteer to take on the role., therefore if anyone is interested in volunteering for this paid position please contact me.

From the beginning of Term Four, due to the increased number of calls to Administration changing pickup arrangements and a mix up with messages, all requests to change arrangements must be made before 2:00pm via email to ensure that there are no mistakes. All pickups must be by someone who is on the contact list. Please therefore ensure that your contacts are up to date. Only in an emergency can a phone request be made after 2:00pm (as a one off) and staff will ring back on the number that we have on record to ensure that it is the parent making the request. This will ensure the safety of our students.

Our Faction Carnival was very different this year due to the COVID 19 pandemic. However, the way that it was set up with the running events in the year level blocks allowing parents to come in and watch their children's races in one session, has received a great deal of positive feedback. We have therefore decided to run a survey to ascertain if this is the format that best appeals to parents in the future. Please take the time to complete the survey so that we can correctly gauge parent opinion. I will ensure that the results of this survey are published in the next newsletter. Each year we survey staff, students and parents to provide feedback for us on their perspective of our school (The Tell Them from Me Survey). This survey assists us with future planning and provides staff, students, parent/carers with the opportunity to provide feedback and express their views. The parent survey will be open from now to 22 October 2020. Please utilise the link below to access the survey <http://tellthemfromme.com/tworocksps2020>

There has been a great deal of attention on cyber safety both in the news and in the community. Cyber safety is something we take very seriously at TRPS, each year including workshops for our Year Five and Six students to warn them of the online risks. Although students under 13 should not legally be on any social media sites, reality tells me that they probably are. As a parent it must be extremely worrying and very difficult for you to try to monitor your children on the internet. I have therefore included details of an APP that is designed to assist parents to understand this changing world we now live in. Further information can be found on the last page of this Newsletter. I would like to also congratulate another of our Year Six students, Kayla Campbell on a successful Scholarship application to St James Anglican School. Finally, I do hope that everyone has a very peaceful, safe break and we look forward to welcoming everyone back for Term Four which commences on 12 October.

Elizabeth Wildish

Mark your
Calendar

**STAFF
DEVELOPMENT
DAYS**

Thursday 12th November
&
Friday 13th November

Around the School

Statements

Last week Administration sent a reminder of unpaid billing items home with students, to follow up on outstanding charges and contributions. Your statement shows payments for Incursions, Excursions (if applicable) and for the School Voluntary Contributions and Library Fund. School Contributions are voluntary, however they are used to supplement expenditure in the following curriculum areas: Reading resources, Maths resources and ICT equipment.

Payment can be made directly into the school's bank account (preferred method of payment). Alternatively, you can pay by cash or EFTPOS in Administration.

Details are as follows:

Account Name: Two Rocks Primary School

BSB: 036 231

Account Number: 263 056



Please use your child's name as a reference.

Father's Day Stall

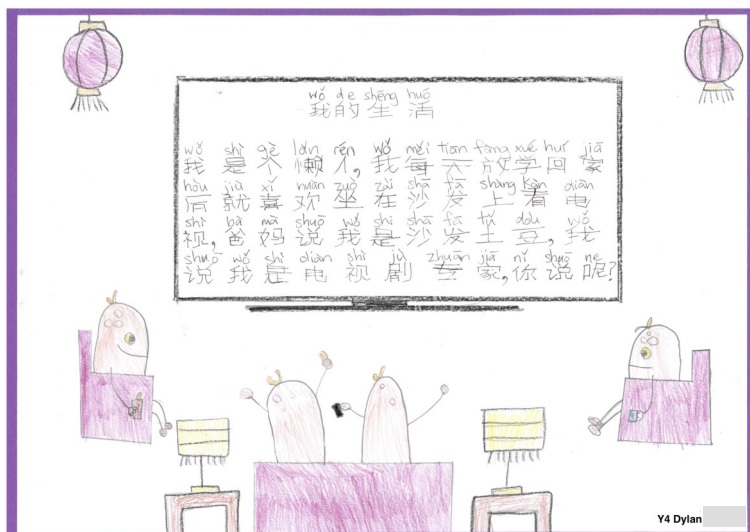
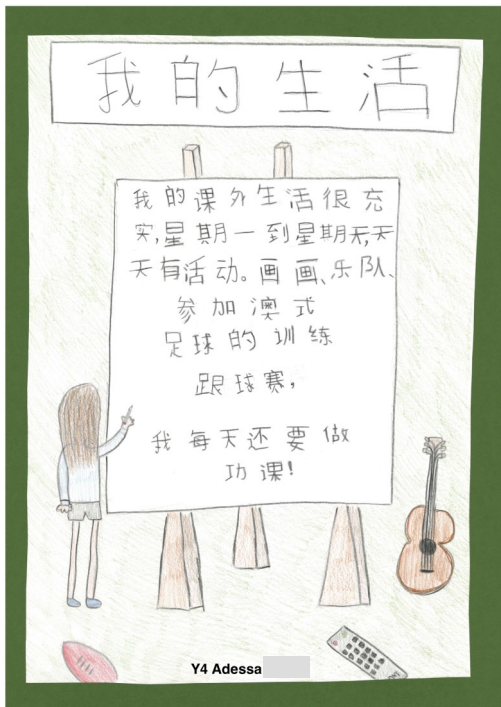


Thank you to our wonderful volunteers for organising and running a very successful Father's Day Stall. A big thank you to our students, parents and carers for supporting this event. Together we raised a total of \$1117.55!



State Chinese Writing Competition

Congratulations to Adessa and Dylan in Year Four. Their submission to the State Chinese Writing Competition held by CLTAWA (Chinese Language Teachers' Association Western Australia) has earned them a Certificate of Excellence.



Around the School

Dates for your Diary Term 4, 2020

1 OCT	12 First day back	13	14	15	16	17/18
2	19	20	21 Yr 2 Assembly	22	23 WAVE	24/25
3	26	27	28	29	30	31/1
4 NOV	2	3	4	5	6	7/8
5	9	10	11 Yr 1 Assembly	12 SDD (students do not attend)	13 SDD (students do not attend)	14/15

NEW LIBRARY CLASSTIMES

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year One	Kindy Comp	Pre Primary	Pre Primary	Year Five
Year Four	Pre Primary	Year Three	Year Two	
	Year Six		Year Five & Six	

A reminder to Parents & Carers to please park in the designated parking areas as City of Wanneroo Rangers patrol all school zones regularly.
Thank you.

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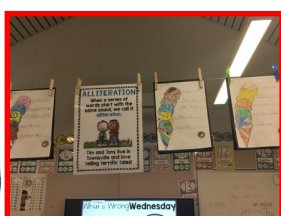


What's Happening

Pre-Primary

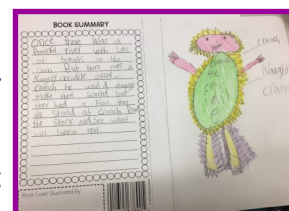


In Science we have spent the term learning all about the weather and our four seasons. We are finishing off the term with a fun STEM activity where we will be making newspaper outfits to suit a particular season, and then parading down a fashion catwalk in our classroom! In HASS we have been concentrating on Geography and learning all about maps and in Design Technologies we have been finding out where our food comes from. We also had a great time at our Sports Carnival last week and enjoyed the races and team games.



Year One

This term the Year One students have been doing lots of fun activities in Literacy. In Grammar we have been working on Alliteration. We got to look at all the different ice-cream flavours Mr Blazer had in his ice-cream shop and then we got to create our own flavours. In Reading Comprehension we have been looking at the book 'Crunch the Crocodile' focusing on making predictions, vocabulary work and retell. The students are now enjoying creating their own book summary and cover page.



What's Happening

Year Two

The Year Two students have been very busy recently! We enjoyed dressing up for Book Week and taking part in the Sports Carnival. In Literacy we have been learning how to recognise and write procedural texts. We then put our knowledge to the test as we followed a recipe to make Milo Balls. In Science we made paper helicopters and we tested them out on the Adventure Playground. We have worked hard all term and are looking forward to the holidays!



Year Three

This term has been a busy one! We have had a lot of exciting incursions as well as Talk Up! Our topic for Talk Up was a country of our choice. We used our ICT skills to research online different facts about the country and used our book knowledge to locate information in non-fiction reference texts from the Library. We used a graphic organiser to sort all of our findings and then designed a presentation on an app called Key Note. Turns were taken to perform in front of the class which was very nerve racking, but we did an awesome job! By the end of all our presentations, the travel bug has kicked in and we are all wanting to see the world.



Year Four

The last few weeks have seen the Year Four students enjoy a variety of activities. Firstly, we are very proud of the way they conducted themselves on the Sports Carnival Days. Their sportsmanship and encouragement of classmates was fantastic to see. The Scitech Incursion saw the Year Four students exhibiting their teamwork skills as they worked through problems involving force and as they explored insulators and conductors of electricity. In HASS the students have been researching ways that we can help save some of our endangered Australian Animals.



Year Five

In Literacy, the Year Five students have been learning about how to write a biography. We have been reading biographies of Australian explorers and learning about appropriate interview questions to collect information to start writing our own biography on a classmate. In Maths, the students have been learning about different time zones around the world and within Australia, as well as how to use a protractor to measure and draw more complex angles. We have really impressed our teachers with our ability to read, write and compare numbers into the hundreds of millions. The Year Five students really enjoyed the SciTech incursion in Week 9. We learnt about Physics and the laws of the universe. In the hands on workshops we learnt about gravity, light, electricity, conductors and insulators. Did you know that Vegemite is a conductor of electricity and that pure H₂O (water) is actually an insulator? We learnt so much!



Year Six

In Literacy, we have been learning how to write play scripts. In Numeracy, we are revising mixed numerals and improper fractions. We have finished our unit on becoming a nation and in Geography, we have learnt that Asia is our nearest neighbour.

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HONOUR CERTIFICATES

Congratulations to each of our recipients

Pre-Primary	Elliott, Sonny, Brody Zara Grace, Sakura
Year 1	Alex, Eva Kobe, Porscha
Year 2	Jonah, Jaxon, Libby Lucas, Levana, Jude
Year 3	Abigail, Aleisha, Connor Kayla, Blake, Kurtis
Year 4	Lachie, Zetta Kahu, Paris
Year 5	Riley, Baylee Kyan, Taj
Year 6	Cody, Zoe Aiva, Alyssa

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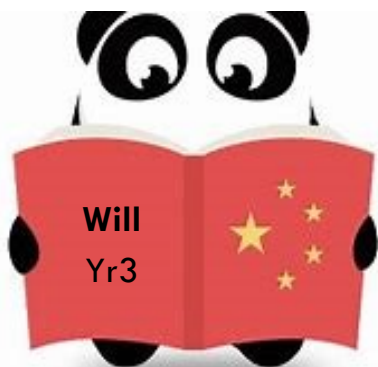
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LEARNING LANGUAGES

Certificate of Merit - Love Learning
Languages poster competition

Year 3	Kayla
Year 4	Maya
Year 5	Jessica
Year 6	Alyssa
	STATE CHINESE WRITING COMPETITION 2020
Year 4	Adessa
Year 4	Dylan

MANDARIN MANNERS



Mayor's Christmas Appeal 2020

Each year the City of Wanneroo conducts the Mayor's Christmas Appeal to assist members of our community facing hardship. In previous years the Appeal has received a remarkable response from the community, with many local schools, businesses and residents donating generously.

Non-perishable food items for you to collect include:

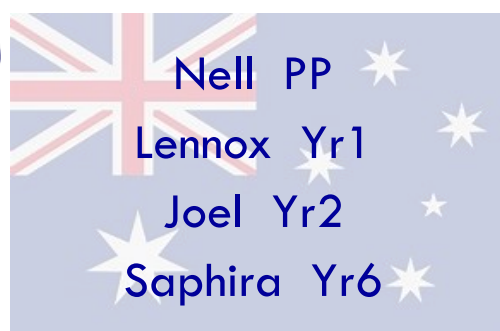
Christmas puddings/cakes, crackers and chips
Cakes, cake mixes and biscuits
Pasta and sauce, tinned foods
Jams, spreads, tea, coffee and sugar
Cereals, rice and noodles
Chocolates and muesli bars



Before you donate please consider the following:

Please wash or sanitise your hands before placing your donation in the donation bin.
Donations should be placed in the donation bin in their original packaging and not within an additional bag.
Second hand or soft toys cannot be accepted.
Food items that are past their 'use by' and 'best before' date cannot be accepted.

The collection bin is located in Administration. Thank you.



AUSSIES OF THE MONTH

Around the School

Talk Up 2020

In Term Three, we held our annual Talk Up competition which encourages students to learn, refine and practise their public speaking skills. This year, all of the work was completed at school and the standard of work was incredibly high. Students covered a range of topics related to their Year Level Curriculum. Well done to all of the participating students for their amazing effort and enthusiasm.



Year One



Year Two



Year Three



Year Four



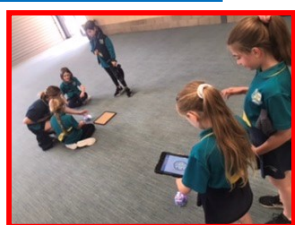
Year Five



Year Six

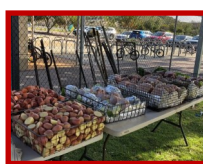
DigiClub

The Year Three students have been at DigiClub this week coding the Blue Bots to complete lots of different obstacles courses.



Hangi

We were all extremely excited to have Joe White and his family come into the school to share their culture and allow us all to enjoy a traditional New Zealand Hangi. Joe kindly gave up his time to speak to each individual year group and then we all had the chance to visit the Hangi as it was cooking in the ground. Many of us enjoyed this fantastic opportunity to taste food from another culture. Thanks Joe!





HOURS OF OPERATION



Administration:
8.00am - 3.30pm
School Start Time:
8.30am
School Finish Time:
2.45pm

Thank you to Benara Nurseries for the generous donations for our school. We value your ongoing support.



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School/ Banking

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- Daily online ordering cut off is 8:45am

Two Rocks Primary School

Every Thursday & Friday



After 8:45am orders can be placed by calling 9562 8022

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Two Rocks Primary School - Menu 2020

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) \$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

Chicken & Salad Sandwich \$6.00

Ham & Salad Sandwich \$6.00

COLD SWEET TREATS

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



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October is a great time to get your children ready for summer and January offers fun lessons at beach or pool locations during the long break. Your children can start as young as five years old.

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Tennis Lessons Spinifex Park, Yanchep

We are taking enrolments for our new venue at Spinifex Park for Term 4! Lessons are on Mondays and will commence on 12th October. All ages and abilities are welcome. To enrol please contact Glen on info@oceanridgetennis.com.au Or phone 0433 340 646.



Prepare Together ROADSHOW

Are you prepared for a bushfire or other major emergency near your home?



Find out how to reduce the impacts of bushfires and other major emergencies. Learn about preparing a bushfire survival plan including how to keep your pets and animals safe, and the steps to follow if you see smoke near your home or property.

Saturday 17 October 2020 / 10.30am-1.30pm

Wanneroo Showgrounds East (near the playground)
Ariti Avenue, Wanneroo
Free sausage sizzle provided

Entry is free. To adhere to COVID-19 regulations, bookings are essential. For more information and to book, visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au/preparingtogether



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