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TERM 1 WEEK 6 12 MARCH 2021

Dear Parents and Caregivers

AFLW Eagles Game

Our school is lucky enough to have been invited to attend the rescheduled AFLW West Coast Eagles home game on this coming Monday 15th March. We will be taking all students from Years 1 through 6 to the first half of this game arriving back at the school around 3:00pm.

This is a fantastic opportunity for our students to be able to see a female elite sports team in action and learn from their example. I know the students are really looking forward to this exciting opportunity.

NAPLAN 2021

Preparations are well underway for NAPLAN 2021. Our school will be part of the national NAPLAN Readiness test day on Thursday 25th March. This practice test session provides valuable information regarding the capability of the online platform and school infrastructure to cope with the national testing program. There are no results from this practice test.

Business Plan 2021 – 2024

Our Business Plan development is well underway and shortly I will also commence working with the Board on the plan. It is anticipated that the Business Plan 2021-2024 will be officially launched during Term 2. The length of the Business Plan will match in with the current Strategic Plan for the Department of Education.

Parking

I know parking is an issue around the school and this can cause some congestion and/or frustration at pick-up times particularly. Can I ask parents to please not use the carpark at the front of the school (off Howick Street), unless using the ACROD bays, for which you must have a permit. This will avoid students walking into the parking area, which is unsafe.

Bike Racks

Our bike racks will be moving for the start of Term 2, 2021. This is because the area they have moved to is too small and has become quite congested. It is also makes access to the early childhood area difficult at drop-off and pick-up times. The new location of the bike racks will not be undercover and will be advertised by the end of this term. Students will still need to lock their bikes and/or scooters.

IMPORTANT DATES

Week 7

Tuesday 16 March
Senior Assembly

Week 8

Tuesday 23 March
Junior Assembly – Rm 11
(No PP students attending T1)

Wednesday 24 March
Summer Carnival
(selected students)
P&C Meeting, 7pm

Thursday 25 March
NAPLAN Readiness Testing (Yr3&5)
Be You Meeting, 5pm

Friday 26 March
Newsletter

WEEKLY

Uniform Shop OPENING

Monday	8:15-8:45am
Friday	2:45-3:15pm

Canteen OPEN Tues & Fri
Place orders via QuickCliq by 8:30am on the day.

WASTE FREE WEDNESDAYS
Pack a waste free lunch each Wednesday

The school accepts batteries and Nescafe pods for recycling

A container collection point is located between Room 17 and the undercover area.

CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE

School communication app

Seesaw

Download Seesaw and set up a FAMILY login using the QR code,

Election Day Sausage Sizzle and Cake Stall

Don't forget this Saturday our wonderful P&C Association will be running a sausage sizzle and cake stall in the undercover area. Make sure that when you come to vote you pop in and buy a sausage sizzle and some cake to support the fundraising efforts. If you have voted early, still feel free to come along and support your P&C.

Music Rocks

I am pleased to be able to say that Music Rocks have been able to reschedule lessons for a Monday afternoon after school in the Music Room. This program will commence at the start of Term 2, with information on cost and how to enrol your child coming out very soon.

Talking to the Community 2021

Shortly I will commence a series of short surveys going out to parents asking for views, feedback and suggestions on a range of aspects of school operations. I would encourage all to participate in these short surveys as an opportunity to have input into future directions for our school community.

Have a great fortnight everyone!

Kind Regards,

Rick Walters
Principal

ADMINISTRATION NEWS

Medical information

Administering Medication

All medications, including short term medications such as Panadol, Nurofen and antibiotics require an Administration of Medication form to be completed by parents. School staff are not able to administer medication to students without this form. Administration of Medication forms can be collected from the office. Students taking long term medication require a parent and a doctor/specialist to sign the form.

Allergies and Asthma

Please ensure the school is aware of any allergies your child may suffer. This includes bandaids, sticky plasters and creams such as sun cream and soothing cream.

Students who require ventolin, even for virally or exercise induced asthma, require an asthma management form completed before a puffer can be administered at school. If a child has severe asthma or has ever been hospitalised for asthma, a doctor must sign the form.

Mild allergy and asthma management forms can be collected from the office.

Student Mobile Phones

Education Department Policy states primary school students are not permitted to have a mobile phone in their possession during the school day.

Students who bring a mobile phone to school must store their phone in the school office, students drop their phone in the office before school and collect it at 3pm.

All communication between parents and students during school hours should be through school administration.

HONOUR CERTIFICATES

Senior Assembly – Tuesday 23 February

Virtue: Excellence		Student of Month	Honour Certificates	
Room 12	Aubrey H	Viet D	Bondi A	Matilda F
Room 13	Teddy B	Ellen W	Patrick M-D	James L
Room 14	Thomas D	Ryan L	Sarina S	Jarvis C
Room 15	Lacey D P	Jonathon W	Declan H	Oliver T
Room 16	Julia K	Tessa S	Willow C	Brody R
Room 17	Anastasia C	Lewis P	Sophie B	Ali A
Room 18	Zain N	Arya C	Violet C	Isabel R
Room 19	Charlie W	Amy D P	Rain H	Zach L
Room 20	Lily D	Ethan M	Oscar C	Caden L

Junior Assembly – Tuesday 9 March

Virtue: Excellence		Student of Month	Honour Certificates	
Room 1	Celine V	Emily S	Max W	Zac G
Room 2	James L	Fergus B	Thomas C	Lucy C
Room 3	Brodie C	Luke F	Sophie Y	Naieh N
Room 4	Zoe P	Sehaj K	Fleur B	Ezra R
Room 5	Erin C	Dilara Y	Madelyn H	Ernie S
Room 6	Ester W	Zoe D G	Carsten V	Charlie M
Room 11	Bryce D	Indiana F	Emmy G	Logan W

WORLD'S GREATEST SHAVE

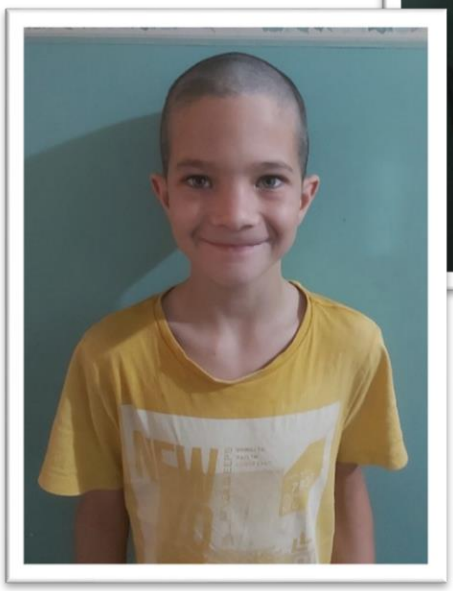
Year 6 student, Blake R raised money for the Leukaemia Foundation as part of the World's Greatest Shave this March.

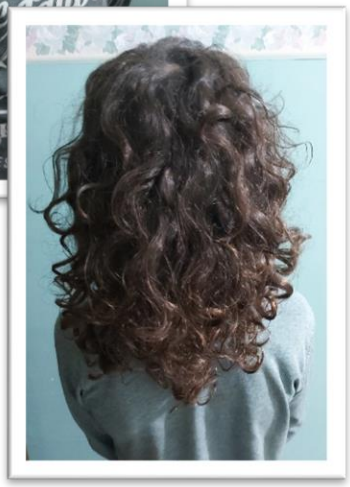
His hair was shaved yesterday in front of the Year 6 classes.

If families would like to donate or find out more about his cause, please see the following link for his World's Greatest Shave page.
http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/blakeross

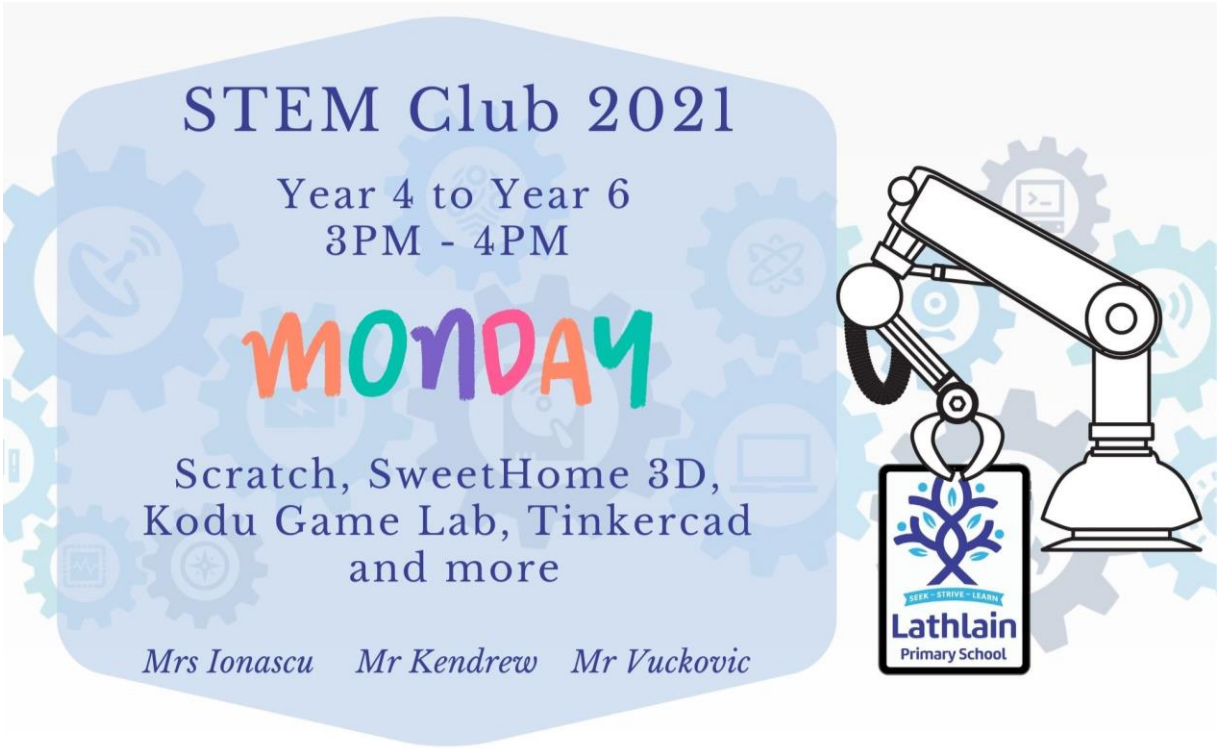
Blake has currently raised $921.93.

A big Thank You to everyone who supported him!





STEM CLUB



STEM Club is a free after-school club run by volunteer teachers offering selected students' opportunities to extend their coding and STEM skills. The club has now been running for 6 years. This year, we have invited over 30 students out of the 60 that applied ranging from Year 4 to Year 6. These students select from a range of software and STEM activities to complete throughout the year.

We encourage those who did not receive a place this time around to apply again next year. Half of our members this year are new to STEM club and the other half have participated previously. Students will need to ensure they are enthusiastic learners, enjoy coding and independent workers.

We would like to welcome the following students:

Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Callum H	
	Albie R	Lucas F
Lucas K	Lewis P	Juliette S
Xavier S	Zain N	Andy H
Madeleine J	Toby B-F	Gabby R
Ji Rui L	Anastasia C	Jake S
Talen W	Adira W	Caden L
Joshua M	Eva S	Josephine G
Jonathan W	Haruki D	Clarissa T
Pepi G	Ben M	Jake A
Lacey D	Axel R	Milla B
Chloe B	Cash A	Angelo B
	Jaxson H	Amelie K
	Ansh T	

The Mentors - Mrs Ionascu, Mr Kendrew, Mr Vuckovic

P&C NEWS AND EVENTS

Hello families,

We hope to see many of you this afternoon at the Welcome Picnic. Don't forget to come and vote at the school tomorrow and buy a bacon and egg roll or sausage sizzle from our volunteer parents. In the last newsletter there was an error in regards to the new committee, please welcome David Crabbe as our new secretary. If you have any enquiries please email him at secretary@lathainps.org.au

Election Day cakes welcome on Saturday too

If you have time to bake tonight you can drop off your cakes on election day to the canteen from 7am. We appreciate your support (and baking!).

Come along to our next P&C meeting Wednesday 24 March

Join us at the next P&C meeting on Wednesday 24 March in the library. Come from 6.30pm for a cuppa and chat with your new committee. Official proceedings will commence at 7pm.

Fathering Project dads and kids event Saturday 27 March

Welcome Class Representatives for 2021

Thank you to all those parents who put their hand up to be Class Rep this year. Your child's class representatives are listed below. Each year group has a Facebook cohort group as well so please ask your rep for the link to be part of the group. Class reps will share information with you through email, Facebook and handouts as necessary.

Class	Teacher	Class Rep
Kindy 1 Rm 21	Mrs Purdy	Amelia De Groot
Kindy 2 Rm 21	Mrs Purdy	Gemma Dangerfield
Kindy 3 Rm 22	Mrs Rose	Amy Brown
Kindy 4 Rm 22	Mrs Rose	Kimberly McSweeney
Pre Primary Rm 7	Miss Neil & Mrs De Klerk	Clare Gageler
Pre Primary Rm 9	Mrs Stowers & Mrs Sharma	Elena McFall
Pre Primary Rm 10	Mrs Moncrieff & Mrs Liyanage	Jacqui Clinton
Pre Primary Rm 23	Miss Hinge	Janie Blomfield
Yr 1/2 Rm 3	Mrs Buchanan	Seonaid Clough
Year 1 Rm 4	Mrs Holbrook & Ms McKenna	Swapan Kahlon
Yr 1 Rm 5	Mrs Van Trigt	Kimberley McSweeney
Yr 1 Rm 6	Mrs Trinh & Mrs Sharma	Amelia De Groot
Yr 2 Rm 1	Mrs Pilmoor	Nicole Ireland-Naughton
Yr 2 Rm 2	Miss Richards	Gaylene Trethewey
Yr 2/3 Rm 11	Mrs Khanna	Kate Schendzeilorz
Yr 3 Rm 12	Mr Courtland	Clare Bryant
Yr 3 Rm 13	Mrs Mittal	Clare Brown
Year 3/4 Rm 14	Mrs Messerschmidt & Mrs Seotis	Debbie Stride
Yr 4 Rm 15	Mr Lane & Mrs Melouney	Shandelle Barrett
Yr 4 Rm 16	Mrs Yavuz & Mrs Saito	Jade Wallace
Yr 5 Rm 17	Mrs Dellaposta & Mrs Vodanovich	Beatriz Alija
Yr 5 Rm 18	Mrs Rockley	Ruth Chamberlain
Yr 6 Rm 19	Mr Vuckovic	Diane Davies
Yr 6 Rm 19	Mr Kendrew	Jen Varnavides

Any questions about anything P&C contact me at President@lathlainps.org.au

Jenny Beer
President
Lathlain Primary P&C

Easter Raffle

Please keep the Easter donations coming in. Thank you to all the families who have already donated.

Donations can now be placed in the basket, which is located in the front office.

Look out for Easter Raffle tickets, every family should receive them by the end of Week 7.

UNIFORM SHOP

Size 8 Polo Shirts Stock

We are currently out of stock of size 8 polo shirts. We will let you know when we have them back in stock.

Thank you,

Uniform Shop Coordinators

Uniform Shop Open

Monday: 8:15am – 8:45am

Friday: 2:45pm – 3:15pm

COMMUNITY NEWS

UWA PERTH·AUSTRALIA | SPORT

Send your kids to UWA these school holidays!

Autumn Holidays: Tue 6 April–Fri 16 April

The UWA Kids Holiday Programs are fun and exciting, multi-sport day camps for children aged 4–12 that run during the school holidays.

Click here to view the NEW activity schedule!

With a focus on participation and having a good time, this program is excellent for introducing kids to new sports in a friendly, non-competitive environment and for keeping them active and happy during the school holidays!

Enrol now

APPLY NOW

ROSSMOYNE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL SPECIALIST PROGRAMS

Applications for selective entry into our Approved Specialist Programs for Year 7s commencing in 2022 are open now until March 31, 2021.

MATHEMATICS | CLASSICAL MUSIC | VOLLEYBALL

APPLY AT WWW.ROSSMOYNE.WA.EDU.AU

PANTHERS

NEW TO HOCKEY?

OR ALREADY PLAYING?

Our family friendly club
located at Fletcher Park, Carlisle

Registrations now open

Visit: www.vicparkpanthers.com.au/registration/

Membership Drive - We are recruiting young Panther Cubs

Playing Junior Hockey has never been so affordable, our entry Minkey age (Kindy to Year 2) costs just $25 and Grads (school Year 3-4) is just $50 so ther has never been a better time learn to play!

juniors@vicparkpanthers.com.au or John on 0408765223

facebook.com/vpxhc

TOWN OF VICTORIA PARK

School holiday fun at the library

Quail egg hatching by Meet the Animals
Tue 6 – Thu 10 Apr

See a miracle in the making at the library! Watch as our eggs in an incubator hatch into gorgeous baby quails. Free event, no bookings required.

Creating Awesome Stories with HM Waugh
10–11am Thu 8 Apr | Ages 6–12 years

Help your imagination thrive and your story worlds buzz. Learn how to create exciting stories and use science and history to make them feel real. Design your own story world with HM Waugh, author of *The Lost Stone of SkyCity*.

Making fun Characters with Aśka
10–11am Thu 15 Apr | Ages 6–12 years

Learn how to kick start your imagination and generate ideas for weird and wonderful creatures of your own. Aśka is an energetic visual storyteller, creator and a science communicator, with more than 10 years of experience in children's illustration, graphic design, comics, animation and children's science education.

Youth Games Night
6–8pm Fri 16 Apr | Ages 10+

We're celebrating young people by bringing them together for an awesome night of arcade games, board games, and pizza! Bring your own phone or other device to join a digital scavenger hunt.

$3 per child, per workshop (non-refundable). Bookings are essential for children, adults do not need to book. All children under 12 years must be accompanied by an adult.

Bookings can be made online at **victoriapark.wa.gov.au/schoolholiday** or by calling **9373 5500**.

VictoriaParkLibrary vicparklibrary
27 Sussex St, East Victoria Park | 9373 5500

victoriaparklibrary.wa.gov.au

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BOOK ONLINE AT
victoriapark.wa.gov.au/youthgames
or see library staff.

WE'RE OPEN VIC PARK

community,
strength,
character.

Vic Park Raiders Junior Football Club

Girls ONLY teams!

Year 3 – Year 12

Registrations Open Now

www.vicparkraidersjfc.com.au/registration/

Email Tarnya: femalefooty@vicparkraidersjfc.com.au

Or email Todd: cc-girls@vicparkraidersjfc.com.au

Come down and try it out.

Fun ✸ Friends ✸ Fitness

Higgins Park - between Hillview Tce & Playfield St, East Vic Park

Facebook: Vic Park Raiders Junior Football Club

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WEST AUSTRALIAN FEMALE FOOTBALL ACADEMY

Future Stars Super Clinic

April School Holidays

Ages from 8 -15yo

- Coaching from AFLW coaches & players
- Learn AFL skills and techniques
- Drills preparing girls for games
- Brief info & learning sessions

Program Details

- Dates: April 8th & 9th
- Location: MRP Eagles training ovals
- Time:10am -2pm

Cost: $155

waffa.com.au

Room 3 (Year 1/2) STEAM Lesson.

This semester Year 1 / 2 students in Room 3 will be designing, producing and evaluating projects in their STEAM lessons (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Maths). Last week we made boats that had to float on water. Next week our focus will be on shelters for different animals.