

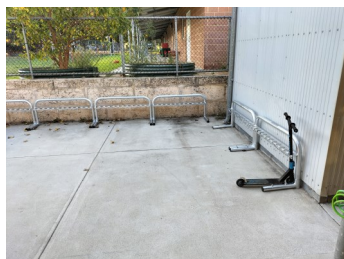
FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Kaya wanjoo, hello and welcome to the first newsletter for Term 2. I especially welcome those who are new to our school community and trust you enjoy your time with us.

BIKE / SCOOTER RACKS

Late last term we were lucky enough to secure funding from the Department of Education to update our bike and scooter racks. We now have significantly more space for bikes and scooters. The scooter rack design means that they can be securely locked in throughout the day using a simple padlock.

It is recommended that if your child rides a bike to school, they carry a bike lock with them. If your child is scootering to school, provide them with a simple padlock that they can use. By doing this we will ensure that bikes and scooters are kept safe from theft.



KINDERGARTEN / PRE-PRIMARY ENROLMENTS

The period for enrolments for Kindergarten, pre-primary and Year 7 has now officially opened. Shortly we will be sending out paperwork to our current kindergarten parents to enrol for pre-primary. Parents of children who meet the age range for kindergarten in 2025 can now

submit applications for enrolment forms. Notification of outcome of enrolment for kindergarten 2025 will be sent out early in Term 3.

Applications for kindergarten, pre-primary or Year 7 should be submitted by the end of Week 1 Term 3 at the latest.

YEAR 6 CAMP

Our Year 6 cohort are currently enjoying their camp at Ern Halliday in Hillarys. We thank the staff that have given up their own time to attend camp to ensure that the students can experience such a great opportunity.

ANZAC COMMEMORATION

Our 2024 ANZAC Commemoration will be held on Wednesday 24th April commencing at 9:30am on the quadrangle.

TERM 2 SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DAY DATE REMINDER

A reminder that the date for our Term 2 School Development Day is Friday 31 May. This is the Friday leading in to the WA Day long weekend. Staff will be participating in professional learning on this day.

IN-TERM-SWIMMING LESSONS

These lessons are scheduled for the last four weeks of this Term. Student will be allocated to a nine-day program in either Weeks 8 & 9 or Weeks 10 & 11. Further details will be distributed closer to this time. This year our lessons will be at Belmont Oasis.

Have a great fortnight everyone!

Rick Walters

UPCOMING EVENTS / IMPORTANT DATES

Fri 19 April	P & C Welcome Picnic 4pm	Tue 30 April	Senior Assembly Room 15
Wed 24 April	ANZAC Service 9.30am	Thur 2 May	School Photos K—6
Thur 25 April	ANZAC Day Public Holiday	Fri 3 May	Newsletter
Mon 29 April— Thur 2 May	Japanese Children's Week	Tue 7 May	School Photos K—6

SCHOOL PHOTO DAY IS COMING!

Dear Parents,

Your school photo day is coming! Every student has received a personalised flyer to bring home from Kapture Photography containing your child's unique codes for ordering school photos online.

KEEP YOUR FLYER SECURE!

The unique codes contained on the flyer will be issued only once.

Order **EARLY** for sibling photography

Sibling photos can **ONLY** be ordered online. Once you receive the personalised flyers for your children, it is imperative that you order your sibling photo early to avoid missing out! There is a physical limit in the school schedule to how many sibling photos can be taken. Once the maximum capacity of sibling orders has been reached, no more sibling orders can be placed.

If maximum capacity is not reached, sibling orders **close 12pm midday sharp, one business day prior** to the first photo day.

The school or the photographers cannot accept late orders for sibling photography. Please do not ask as your request simply cannot be accommodated.

Order **EARLY** for discount photo day prices

Order your photos up to 10 calendar days after photo day to receive discount photo day prices. Late orders are handled separately to the school delivery and incur a \$30 custom service charge.

Other information

Kapture offer a money back guarantee for any parent who is not fully satisfied with their photo package. Should you have any queries before or after photo day, please check the FAQ's on the Kapture website.

We request that students who are displaying signs of respiratory and / or gastrointestinal illnesses do not attend school specifically to be included in their class photo. Having students with communicable illnesses attend the photography venues puts other students, school staff and Kapture staff at risk – especially those that are already immunocompromised. Students who are unable to attend school photo day can book a studio appointment at our Malaga office to be photographed during school holidays. We appreciate your understanding in this matter.

Your school will notify you in a few weeks when **team and special group photos** are available to view and purchase on the Kapture website. Please note; class, individual and sibling portraits are not available to view online prior to purchase.

*All students will be photographed individually on photo day for school administration records **AS WELL** as included in their class group presentation available for purchase to all families. Should there be any reason why your child should **NOT** be included in the photo shoot –please contact the school office.*

Sibling Photos:

Sibling photos should be ordered online before photo day. The photos will be taken before school and there may be a wait due to demand so please allow extra time. Refer to the photo form for more information.

There is limited sibling photo availability, so be sure to order promptly to avoid missing out.

ONLINE ORDERING NOW OPEN!



Head to kapture.com.au with your school code & student ID to place your sibling and class orders!

ORDER SIBLINGS NOW

to avoid missing out!



OTHER SCHOOL COMMUNITY NEWS

Enrolment Information:

You need to apply to enrol your children at school for 2025 if they are:

- starting Kindergarten – 4 years old by 30 June 2025
- starting Pre-primary, the first year of compulsory school – 5 years old by 30 June 2025
- starting Year 7, the first year of secondary school
- changing schools.
- New to Western Australia

Enrolments are now open, application forms are available on the [school website](#) or from the school office. Please return your application by Friday 19 July 2024.

Children currently in Kindy:

A letter with information about the enrolment requirements, along with an application form for Pre-Primary 2025, will be sent home to all current Kindy students in Week 2 of this term.

Defibrillators:

The school now has 2 defibrillators; one located at the offsite Kindy & the other outside the main school office, for school and community use in case of an emergency.

Defibrillators are devices that apply an electric charge or current to the heart to restore a normal heartbeat. If the heart rhythm stops due to cardiac arrest, also known as sudden cardiac arrest (SCA), a defibrillator may help it start beating again.



Swimming Lessons:

In term swimming lessons will take place at Belmont Oasis this term in two blocks of 2 weeks. Classes have not yet been allocated to blocks.

Block One: Tuesday 4 June to Friday 14 June (Weeks 8 & 9)

Block two: Monday 17 June to Thursday 27 June (Weeks 10 & 11)

Each two week block will comprise of 9 lessons.

We are awaiting confirmation from the Swimming & Water Safety Branch. Once this has been received, forms will be sent home. Please return the form promptly and make payment by the due date.

Thank you.



WA Student Assistance Payment:

The *WA Student Assistance Payment* helps parents and carers with cost-of-living pressures. Claims are now open. All claims must be received by Friday 28 June 2024.

The WA Student Assistance Payment helps parents and carers with the cost-of-living pressures associated with sending their children to school.

The program is now open, with payments available through the ServiceWA app.

All Western Australian school students in Kindergarten to Year 12, with a valid WA student number, are eligible for this cost-of-living payment.

You can claim \$250 for each secondary student and \$150 for students attending primary school or Kindergarten.

To claim the payments, parents and carers are encouraged to set up a ServiceWA account. More information is available at wa.gov.au/servicewaapp

All claims must be received by Friday 28 June 2024.

Eligibility:

Eligible students must be enrolled in Kindergarten to Year 12 at a Western Australian public school, non-government school or registered for home education and have a valid WA student number (WASN).

How to claim:

Submit your claim through ServiceWA.

For support and general information about ServiceWA, including assistance to download the app and set up your Digital Identity, visit wa.gov.au/servicewaapp

Apple Store: <https://apps.apple.com/au/app/servicewa/id1599181775>

Google Play: <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=au.gov.wa.digital.service.mobile.servicewa.citizen>

Alternatively, you can call the ServiceWA App Support Team 24/7 on 13 33 WA (13 33 92) or email support@digital.wa.gov.au

What you need:

1. The WA student number (WASN) for each student. This 8-digit number is sometimes called a SCSA or student number. This number can be found on school reports, including previous NAPLAN results. It may also be on a secondary student's SmartRider.
2. The name at time of enrolment, date of birth, school name, and year level of each student you are claiming for.
3. The bank account details where the payment will be deposited.

Check all claim information carefully before submitting. Once submitted claims cannot be altered and will be declined if incorrect information is provided. If a claim is declined a new claim will need to be submitted.

Other help:

Read more about [eligibility and claiming](#) or read the [questions and support](#) information. If you would like to speak with someone about your eligibility or how to claim call 1800 882 345 for support between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm, Monday to Friday.



Service WA app



Newsletter



ROOM 15

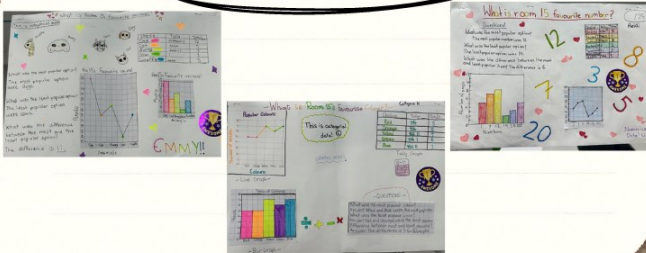
Harmony Day



The artist



Maths Activities



Talk for Writing in Action



Easter Chicks and Senses Poems



Summary Writing

students have been working hard on creating a summary for a specific text. They created a summary of an animated short using 66 words.



WANTED



Nice, Fallen, Gum Nuts

I am planning a whole school art project and am in need of hundreds of nice, smooth fallen gum nuts. If you are out and about and are able to collect some please do!

I will begin placing a large collection tub outside to art room in term 2. I am looking to collect ideally around 850 for the project in week 7.

Art Room News

And.....we're back!

This term in the art room we will be focused on exploring the element of TEXTURE. Texture in visual art is all about how something feels and/or how something looks like it would feel. This is an interesting and fun element to explore.

Lower year levels will also be exploring and building on their skills and understanding of the element of SHAPE and SPACE. By considering where to place lines and shapes on the page and how this can effect the finished product.

Whilst the higher year levels will be learning about VALUE. Learning about mixing colours to create tints and shades of a single colour. Students will then explore the element of FORM when planning and constructing sculptures later in the term.

All year levels will also engage in a whole school collaborative art project as students reflect on their knowledge and understanding of what it means to be Australian and showing respect for Australia's First Nations people and culture. Students will view and respond to Aboriginal Australian Artworks, illustrations and stories. Looking at the use of line, colour and shape to tell a story.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the art program this term, please do not hesitate to contact me via Seesaw. Let's make this term a memorable one filled with creativity and artistic growth. Thank you for your continued support.

Regards,

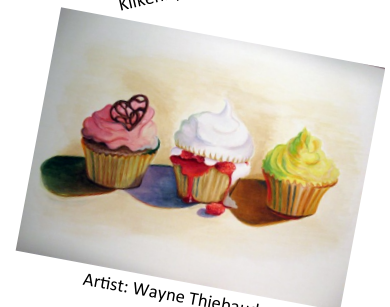
Morgan Davies

Some Term 2 Projects

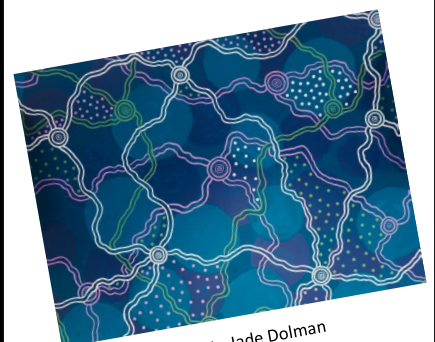
inspired by...



Kilkenny Cat Art, Artist: Ryan Connors



Artist: Wayne Thiebaud



Artist: Jade Dolman

COMMUNITY GROUP NEWS

Code Camp is continuing after school at Lathlain this term, commencing in Week 3—Thursday 2 May. If you wish to enrol your child, please use the following booking link:

www.codecamp.com.au/lathlain



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COMMUNITY GROUP NEWS

Perth Goju Karate teaches karate classes in your local area.

A special offer for school students - 4 WEEKS FREE beginners karate lessons!

Classes are held after school and are a great way for children of all ages to learn self-defense in a fun and safe environment.

We also teach classes for teens and adults and they are fantastic for fitness, wellbeing and of course, self-defense.

Classes continue over the school holidays (with a short break over the Christmas period) which makes it perfect for the kids who are looking to try something on the holidays.

Karate has many benefits, which include confidence, respect, discipline and fitness.

Call now to take advantage of this 4 week trial.

Sensei Johnny Moran - 0402 830 402

Facebook pages – perth goju karate

Instagram – perthgojugarate

Google – www.perthgojugarate.wordpress.com



PERTH GOJU KARATE



The Vic Park Raiders Auskick season is just around the corner.

The first session is at 8am Saturday 27 April at Higgins Park.

Scan the code below for more details or email

auskick@vicparkraidersjfc.com.au

