

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Wanjoo / Welcome to the last newsletter for Term 2. Whilst this has been a longer term, it still feels like the school year is flying by.

### IN-TERM SWIMMING

I had the pleasure of spending some time at the second round of swimming lessons. Having spoken with the swimming supervisor, I was pleased to hear how well behaved our students have been.

I congratulate all students for your behaviour over the four weeks and celebrate your efforts, whether or not you passed the stage you were in. The effort and commitment from students was pleasing to see.

### TERM 3 START DATE

A reminder that we have a School Development Day on Monday 15 July and students do not attend on this day. **Students will return for Term 3 on Tuesday 16 July.**

### P&C QUIZ NIGHT

I want to take this opportunity to congratulate the P&C Association for their efforts in bringing together a fabulous Music Mayhem Quiz Night. A huge thank you to all of the volunteers who gave up their time planning and putting on the night. I know from feedback that those who attended on the night really enjoyed the experience.

### PLANNING FOR 2025

We are already at the time where we start to plan for the 2025 school year. I thank all those that have let us know already your child will not be returning to Lathlain PS in 2025. If you know this in advance, it would be helpful for the school to know, as we start the important first step of working through our numbers in each year level. Knowing this allows us to work out the number of classes we will need and thus rooms required and also staffing.

### KINDERGARTEN, PRE-PRIMARY & YEAR 7

If you are yet to enrol your child in any of these three year levels, please do so by the end of Week 1 next term, when the official enrolment period closes.

Currently we only have a handful of places left for Kindergarten in 2025, out of the five planned groups. We would hate to see anyone miss out because they didn't get their application in before the deadline.

### YEAR 6 PASTORAL CARE PROGRAM

Our Year 6 teachers have commenced implementing a pastoral care program to support our students as they come to the end of their primary school years. They have started with looking at the types of speech that are appropriate in formal and informal situations. I can see already the Year 6 students reflecting on this work and modifying how they talk to one another and adults around the school.

It is intended that this program will continue with different topics throughout the remainder of 2024. During Term 4, we also have booked an expert who will come in and talk with the students and parents in regards to effectively transitioning to secondary school.

### STUDENTS AT RISK REVIEW

Currently we are working with staff on a review regarding how we can better cater for students at risk. We already have some great approaches in place, however, this is about ensuring that we have the best evidence based strategies being implemented consistently across the school. Next term, we will be seeking parent feedback to this review through a short questionnaire.

I hope you all enjoy the holiday break with your children and get some quality family time. We will see everyone back on Tuesday 16 July.

Rick Walters

## UPCOMING EVENTS / IMPORTANT DATES

<b>Fri 28 June</b>	Last Day of Term 2	<b>Fri 19 July</b>	NAIDOC Assembly
<b>Mon 15 July</b>	School Development Day— Students do not attend	<b>Fri 19 July</b>	Newsletter
<b>Tue 16 July</b>	Students commence Term 3	<b>Thur 25 July</b>	Interschool Cross Country
<b>Wed 17 July</b>	Edu Dance commences		

## FROM THE DEPUTY PRINCIPALS

### Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability 2024

Every year, all schools in Australia participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD). The NCCD process requires schools to identify information already available in the school about supports provided to students with disability. These relate to legislative requirements under the Disability Discrimination Act 1992 and the Disability Standards for Education 2005.

This year's collection date is Friday August 2.

#### Who is included?

**Disability** includes diagnosed and undiagnosed conditions (imputed). Students included have;

Autism, an intellectual disability, physical disability, hearing loss, ADHD and/or Global developmental delay.

**Specific learning disabilities** like; dyslexia, dyscalculia, dyspraxia, auditory processing, dysgraphia and/or language impairments,

Information provided about students to the Australian Government for the NCCD includes:

- year of schooling
- category of disability: physical, cognitive, sensory or social/emotional
- level of adjustment provided: support provided within quality differentiated teaching practice, supplementary, substantial or extensive supports.

The NCCD provides state and federal governments with the information they need to plan more broadly for the support of students with disability.

The NCCD will have no direct impact on your child and your child will not be involved in any testing process. The school will provide data to the Australian Government in such a way that no individual student will be able to be identified – the privacy and confidentiality of all students is ensured. All information is protected by privacy laws that regulate the collection, storage and disclosure of personal information.

To find out more about these matters, please refer to the Australian Government's Privacy Policy [Privacy - Department of Education, Australian Government](#) Further information about the NCCD can be found on the NCCD Portal <https://www.nccd.edu.au>

If you have any questions about the NCCD, please contact the school office on 9224 9800.

An individual note will be sent to the parents of the students included in the data collection, prior to August 2.



**NCCD**  
NATIONALLY CONSISTENT COLLECTION OF DATA  
ON SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH DISABILITY

**TheirCare School Holiday Program:**

For information regarding TheirCare July School Holiday program, please follow the link [here](#)



**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.**

To check the year your child will commence school, please follow the link below:

[Enrol at a Western Australian school - Department of Education](#)

**Children currently in Kindy:**

Applications for Pre-Primary were **due by Friday 24 May**. If you have not yet returned the Application form, along with proof of address, please do so ASAP.

Thank you.

**Are you leaving Lathlain Primary School?**

To enable us to staff the school effectively, we need to be aware of any students who are not returning to Lathlain Primary School in 2025.

If your child(ren) is not returning for 2025, please complete the following exit form:

<https://lathlainps.wa.edu.au/forms/students-exit-form/>

Thank you.



**NEW**

**TERM 3**

**LATHLAIN PS**

# EDU-SING AFTER SCHOOL

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When

Wednesdays Term 3  
After school till 4:15pm  
Starting week 1 (17/07/2024)

Who

Boys & Girls  
PP to Year 3

Where

Lathlain Music Room  
*Students go to Music Room after school  
Parent/guardian pick up at 4:15pm*

Bring

Water bottle  
(Afternoon tea provided)

Register

[edu-sing.com](http://edu-sing.com)

Limited spaces available - register now!





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