

TERM 1, WEEK 10 UPDATE

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our fabulous Pre-primary students in Rooms 5 and 6 hosted the Junior assembly on Friday. The students sang 'Words make the world go around', a powerful song promoting literacy—words tell a story, they ask questions, and books are like movies that play in your head!

The perfect song to help promote the [Premier's Reading Challenge](#) that begins on Monday, 7 April. Further information can be found below.

The Pre-primary students danced, sang and spoke brilliantly into the microphone! It was wonderful to see how confident they all were! Thank you to our outstanding teachers and education assistants who teach our students to be confident public speakers from such a young age!



2025 PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

Students from Kindergarten to Year 12 are invited to participate in this year's [Premier's Reading Challenge](#). Registrations are now open. **The 2025 challenge runs from 7 April to 27 June.**

If you have an account from previous challenges, then select the 'register now' button. If you are new to the reading challenge, sign up and start your reading adventure today!

The challenge is designed to make literacy fun and encourage all West Australian students to explore the joy of reading.

Students who log their reading each week automatically enter the draw to win a prize. There are more than 200 weekly prizes, including tech gadgets, book vouchers, and e-gift cards.

SCHOOL PHOTOS – ADVANCE NOTICE

Next term (Monday, 5 May to Friday, 9 May), [Kapture Photography](#) will visit our school to take school photos.

[To order school photos](#), you will need the school code (**B8EW22**) and your child's unique code, which can be found on the information flyer that went home on Thursday.

If the flyer is misplaced, please email [the front office](#), who will be able to provide you with your child's unique code.

Sibling Photographs

Sibling Photographs will be taken from 7:45 a.m. (to approximately 9:00 a.m.) Monday, May 5, to Friday, May 9.

Orders for Sibling photos (which can **ONLY** be made [online](#)) close at 12 p.m. on Friday, 2 May.

The photo schedule will be sent out in the next parent update.



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Monday 19th May 2025

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MONDAY 7 APRIL

JUNIOR CHOIR (YEAR 2/3) MORNING AND LUNCHTIME REHEARSAL

Junior Choir (Years 2 and 3) is on today. Interested students must meet in the music room and be ready at 7:45 am.

The Junior choir students also have an additional lunchtime rehearsal today, 1:00 – 1:15 p.m., in readiness for their performance at the [Fremantle Eisteddfod](#) on Friday, 2 May.



NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL ANTHEM PRACTICE – ROOM 29

Our New Zealand students are invited to Room 29's rehearsal today from 8:30 am to 8:45 am.

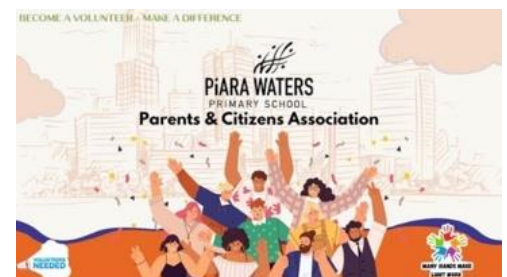
PARENT & CITIZENS (P&C) MEETING

Our next P&C meeting will occur **this evening** in the school library from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

You can join the meeting via WebEx [at this link](#) (Password PWPS)

This meeting will focus on term two events, including the Federal Election Stall, Mother's Day Stall, and Pyjamas Free Dress Day.

Queries: pwpsfamilies@hotmail.com



TUESDAY 8 APRIL

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YEAR 5 AND 6 INTERSCHOOL SUMMER CARNIVAL

We wish our Interschool Summer Carnival team all the best for today's carnival. Students who have been selected to represent our school need to be at school by 8:15 a.m. to collect their interschool t-shirts. Mr Jones and Mr Voloczi will meet the students at the orange and blue tables outside the Undercover Area.

Students will also need a packed lunch and a refillable water bottle. All events will take place at the [Willetton Sports and Community Centre](#), and parents are welcome to attend.

You can still access the excursion information via Compass, including the fixtures:

- On your Desktop computer, go to the "Organisation" tab and choose Events; or
- On the app on your phone or tablet, select the "More" button, then select Events.

If you have difficulties logging into Compass, please get in touch with the front office.



JUNIOR CHOIR (YEAR 2/3) - LUNCH TIME REHEARSAL

Year 2/3 students in the Junior choir are to attend a lunchtime rehearsal today from 1:00 to 1:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY 9 APRIL

SENIOR CHOIR (YEARS 4 to 6) ON TODAY

Year 4/5/6 (Senior) Choir is on today. Interested students need to meet in the music room and be ready for 7:45 am.

Senior choir students are busy preparing for our upcoming ANZAC service, on Monday, 28 April.

NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL ANTHEM PRACTICE – ROOM 29

Our New Zealand students are invited to Room 29's rehearsal today at 8:30 – 8:45 am.

JUNIOR CHOIR (YEAR 2/3) - LUNCH TIME REHEARSAL

Year 2/3 students who are in the Junior choir are to attend a lunch time rehearsal today, 1:00 – 1:15pm in readiness for their Fremantle Eisteddfod performance on Friday, 2 May.

YEAR 3 EXCURSION TO SPARE PARTS PUPPET THEATRE

Today, the Year 3 students will go on an excursion to see [The Little Prince Puppet Play](#) at Claremont Showgrounds.

Students need to meet their teacher at the classroom no later than 8:10 a.m. They will then travel to the theatre via bus, which will leave at 8:30 a.m.

Parents can still access the excursion information directly in [Compass](#).

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A social story about the Year 3 excursion can be found [here](#).



YEAR 6 CAMP

Year 6 students will attend an overnight camp at Woodman Point Recreational Camp from today (Wednesday) to Friday, 11 April (2:30 p.m.).

Students will participate in a range of hands-on adventure activities, including raft building, flying fox, and abseiling. The students will leave Piara Waters Primary School by bus at 9 a.m. Students must be at school and in their classroom by 8:15 a.m.

The Camp Itinerary can be found [here](#) and the permission note, with the items required for camp can be found [here](#).

A social story about the Year 6 camp can be found [here](#).

Year 6 students who are not attending the camp MUST attend school. They will complete their lessons in room 22 on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.

THURSDAY 10 APRIL

END OF TERM GOLDIE DRAW

If your child has a Goldie award at home for earning 10 tokens (gold or faction), make sure the slip at the bottom of the Award is in the correct yellow bucket (there is a PP-2 bucket and a Year 3-6 bucket) by 2:45 pm today.

The yellow buckets can be found outside the library next to the lost property bins.

Friday morning, before recess, Miss Ramm will draw 40 winners, 20 from each bucket, to come to the office to collect a prize. You must be at school on Friday to collect the prize.



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I am willing to inform you that _____ Yes

displayed evidence in the school values.

Please complete and place into the Goldie Box for the chance to win a prize!

The Goldie Box is outside the main room/undercover area. Please ensure the form is returned to the end of the day/week. Thank you to be eligible for the prize draw.

Room No: _____ Parent Signature: _____

FRIDAY 11 APRIL

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Our New Zealand students are invited to Room 29's rehearsal today at 10:50 – 11:05 am.

FACTION REWARD

Over the term faction points have been awarded to students as part of our whole school reward program. Today, the winning faction will be announced on the PA before lunch. The winning faction will have 10 minutes of extra play at lunchtime!



FREE LUNCHTIME PLAY (Year 1-5)

Year 1 to 5 students are free to play in any area they wish at lunchtime today as a reward for being so fabulous!

ICY POLES FOR SALE

Year 5 students will sell Icy Poles at lunchtime for \$1. All proceeds will now go towards the Year 6 Camp in 2026.

YEAR 6 CAMP

The year 6s will return from camp between 2 pm and 2:30 pm. Parents can collect their children from the flag grass area.

END OF TERM, VACATION AND START OF TERM 2

Today is the last day of term. Students commence holidays on Saturday, 12 April.

Staff and students will return on **Monday, 28 April.**

The Year 2 and 3 Junior Choir will recommence on Monday, 28 April, at 7.45 a.m. in the Music Room. We will also commemorate ANZAC Day with our ANZAC Service starting at 9.50 a.m. in the Flag Grass Area.

Running Club commences on Tuesday, 29 April, at 7:45 a.m. on the school oval. Students will receive their QR code during this final week. If they do not receive it, please let their class teacher know.

A term two parent note will be provided over the school holidays.

We hope you and your families have a restful, relaxing holiday break.

Miss Alison Ramm
Principal



POPPY PINS

Crocheted poppy pins are available in the front office ahead of ANZAC Day. They are \$2 each, and all proceeds go directly to the Veterans' Transition Centre, which supports veterans and their families. Each poppy pin was made by a Jarrahdale Unwind Craft Group member by hand.



SCHOOL PHOTOS (Monday, 5 May – Friday, 9 May)

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Parent and Community – Term Planner Term 2 (see [here](#) for full-year calendar)

Term 2	MONDAY Junior Choir 7:45-8:30am	TUESDAY Running Club K-6 7:45am – 8:15am	WEDNESDAY Senior Choir 7:45-8:45am	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Week 1	28/4 ANZAC Service 9:50am	29/4 Running Club K-6 7:45am – 8:15am	30/4 Kindy A	1/5	2/5 Senior assembly 8:30am Yr 4, Rm 28 and 37 Year 2 and 3 Junior Choir Performance - Fremantle Eisteddfod 2025 program
Week 2	5/5 School Photos (Individual and Class)	6/5 Running Club School Photos (Individual and Class)	7/5 Kindy B School Photos (Individual and Class) P&C Mother's Day Stall	8/5 School Photos (Individual and Class)	9/5 School Photos (Individual and Class) Kindy B Mother's Day pamper afternoon 1:30pm
Week 3	12/5 Kindy A Mother's Day pamper afternoon 1:30pm	13/5 Running Club	14/5 Kindy A	15/5	16/5 Senior assembly 8:30am Yr 6, Rm 24 and 26
Week 4	19/5	20/5 Running Club	21/5 Kindy B National Simultaneous Storytime and Wear your PJs to school	22/5	23/5 School Development Day (Students don't attend)
Week 5	26/5 P&C Meeting 6:30 – 8:30pm	27/5 Running Club Year 1 excursion to Armadale History Museum – Room 14 & 15	28/5 Kindy A Year 1 excursion to Armadale History Museum – Room 9 & 13	29/5	30/5 Junior assembly 8:30am Yr 1, Rm 12 and 15
Week 6	2/6 WA Day Public Holiday	3/6 Running Club	4/6 Kindy B	5/6	6/6 AFLW Interschool Carnival (Yr5/6 girls) Year 1 excursion to Armadale History Museum – Room 12 & 55
Week 7	9/6	10/6 Running Club Year 4 WA Shipwrecks Museum Excursion - Room 28 & Room 29	11/6 Kindy A Year 4 WA Shipwrecks Museum Excursion - Room 35 & Room 37	12/6	13/6 Senior assembly 8:30am Yr 3, Rm 34 and 36 Year 4 WA Shipwrecks Museum Excursion - Room 34 & Room 36
Week 8	16/6	17/6 Running Club	18/6 Kindy B IMSS and Choir parent concert 1:30pm	19/6	20/6 Junior assembly 8:30am PP, Rm 4, 7, and 8
Week 9	23/6	24/6 Running Club	25/6 Kindy A	26/6	27/6 Faction Cross Country Carnival (Yr 1-6)
Week 10 NAIDOC WEEK	30/6 Interschool Winter Carnival (Yr 5/6)	1/7 Running Club	2/7 Kindy B	3/7 K-6 Student Reports Home	4/7 Senior assembly 8:30am Yr 4, Rm 27 and 35 Goldie Draw Faction Reward Staff v Students match