



## Dear Parents & Carers

Another week has flown by after an extraordinary year interrupted by Covid. We seem to be getting closer to the vacation break far too quickly. Staff are busy working on reports and we are well in to our planning for 2021.

Our funding depends on student numbers so if you know you are leaving or similarly, if your child needs to be enrolled please let the front office know to help with our planning. If you know of a new family in our area, please ask them to drop in to enrol their child.

## Extra Parking

Extra parking is available on Daly Circle. As part of the building program a temporary staff carpark was built on Daly Circle and this is available for parent and visitor use. The gate nearest the Kindergarten room on Daly Circle is open each morning and afternoon for your convenience. This may prove much easier than tussling with other cars on Brookman Avenue.

Please remember that all students who arrive late must enter through the new front office on View Street and take a late note to their teacher. This is to ensure your child arrives to class and their attendance is noted. The school day begins at 8:30, please arrive earlier so your child can be in class to start the day. Remember that every minute and hour of schooling your child misses is education time they can't get back. Help their education by ensuring your child arrives on time.

## Administration Upgrade

We are finally in our new building and most work on restoring our grounds is completed. New grass was planted on Thursday, compost put on garden beds and for the first time in months, our reticulation appears fully operational again. Hopefully our grounds will quickly return to their former healthy state.

## Year 6 Class are Winners

Our very clever Year 6 students in C4 entered into a competition and won! They have won an extraordinary construction kit called a Nudel Kart. This consists of 236 pieces which can build not only a Kart but also a windmill, robot and much, much more to employ their creativity, imagination and teamwork. This will be the first of its kind in the whole of Western Australia and fits beautifully into our STEM program. I can't wait to see student creativity at its best.



All the best for the coming weekend.

*Hans Geers*, Principal

## Dates to Remember

Tuesday – 17<sup>th</sup> November

Uniform Shop OPEN

8:15am – 8:30am

2:00pm – 2:30pm

Techno Kids Yr 3 - 6

Wednesday – 18<sup>th</sup> November

Kindy Echidnas

Massed Choir Excursion

Year 5 & 6 Skate Clinic

Friday – 20<sup>th</sup> November

Uniform Shop OPEN

8:15am – 8:30am

A1 Assembly

Super 7's Soccer

Tuesday – 24<sup>th</sup> November

Uniform Shop OPEN

8:15am – 8:30am

2:00pm – 2:30pm

Techno Kids Yr 3 – 6

Life Education Incursion

Wednesday – 25<sup>th</sup> November

Life Education Incursion

Kindy Wombats

School Board Meeting – Open Meeting

Thursday – 26<sup>th</sup> November

Life Education Incursion

Friday – 27<sup>th</sup> November

Uniform Shop OPEN

8:15am – 8:30am

Lynwood SHS Year 7 2021

Orientation Day

## HONOUR CERTIFICATE RECIPIENTS

EC1 - PRE PRIMARY	Ghifari S
EC2 - PRE PRIMARY	Nathan W
A1 - YEAR 2	Keziah M
A2- YEAR 1	Umel M
A3 – YEAR 1	Lois P
B5 – YEAR 2 & 3	Peyton N & Jacob S
B6 - YEAR 3	Kaylee O
C1 – YEAR 4 & 5	Kaylee G & Shelley D
C2 - YEAR 4	Aida M
C3 - YEAR 3 & 4	Zemeng J
C4 - YEAR 6	Logan S
C6 - YEAR 5 & 6	Farhan H

## PRE PRIMARY ZOO EXCURSION

The Pre-Primary students visited Perth Zoo last Thursday. They explored the zoo and saw many amazing animals. The students worked in groups to complete an animal hunt and we shared information about our favourite animal. A wonderful day was had by all but were all very tired on the way back home, even the teachers!!!!



## SCHOOL BOARD OPEN MEETING

Parents and carers are warmly invited to Brookman Primary School Board Open Public Meeting to learn more about the work of the school board.

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2020 at 4:30pm – 5:30pm in the Staff Room

## REPORTS ON CONNECT INFORMATION SESSION



We will be hosting a Connect information session in the coming weeks to help parents navigate through Connect and access your child's report for Semester 2. Details will be sent via SMS when a date has been established.

## SPECIAL REQUESTS 2021

if you have any special requests in regard to your child's placement, based on educational grounds for 2021 please complete the online form via the link. All requests will be considered. Please submit no later than the 27th of November. <https://form.jotform.com/natashegray/2021-special-request-form->

## READING



Congratulations to the children who have reached 200 nights of home reading. We have 5 more weeks this term so keep reading each night. I look forward to giving out more certificates and book prizes at our last couple of assemblies this term.

## HELPING CHILDREN LEARN AT HOME

Like reading, writing should be an everyday activity at home. Let your child see you writing and reading. Try some of these writing ideas:

A: 34 Brookman Avenue, Langford WA 6147

E: [Brookman.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Brookman.ps@education.wa.edu.au)

P: 08 9458-5542

- Write a shopping list or add items to the list and tick off the items as you buy or unpack them.
- Keep a board to write and read family messages.
- Give your child a pad of sticky notes to write reminders for themselves.
- Plan and write your weekly menu together.
- Write captions for photographs in your family photo albums.
- Make words using magnetic letters and stick them on the fridge.
- Make and write greeting cards, birthday cards, and thank you notes.
- Keep a family calendar on display and write down family events. Talk about upcoming events with your child, for example, where, when, and who will be there. (An example might be a birthday party or when the school holidays start - mark the date and time)

I would also like to encourage any parents who have Speech and Language concerns for their child to take advantage of the Speech and Language Telephone Clinic, with Speech Pathologist Kacie at the Child and Parent Centre. Kacie will be available to chat with parents of children aged 0 - 8 years to discuss any concerns you may have regarding your child's speech and language development: Telephone booking are essential and will be 15 minutes in duration.

Thursday 19th November 2020,

Appointments available between 9 am and 10.30 am

Please note these are telephone appointments only.

For more information, please contact the Child and Parent Centre on:

9235 7032 or email [CPCBrookman@parkerville.org.au](mailto:CPCBrookman@parkerville.org.au)

**Tina Lawrence** - Literacy Teacher

### LYNWOOD SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Please see flyer for [BYOD Parent Evening](#).

**Date:** Tuesday 17th November 2020

**Time:** 5:30pm

**Venue:** Lynwood SHS Library (436 Metcalfe Road, Parkwood)

**What:** Information about our BYOD program for 2021

**Recommended device:** Lenovo L13

**RSVP essential:** [lynwood.shs@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:lynwood.shs@education.wa.edu.au)

Supplier portal: <https://sales.winaust.com.au/shop/lynwoodshs>

### CHILD AND PARENT CENTRE

Triple P - The Power of Positive Parenting Seminar 1 - ONLINE OPTION AVAILABLE

We are offering this both onsite and ONLINE for working and FIFO families (or anyone who prefers this option)

This workshop introduces the core principles of positive parenting, having realistic expectations and taking care of yourself as a parent. To register email [CPCBrookman@parkerville.org.au](mailto:CPCBrookman@parkerville.org.au) or call 9235 7032

#### ONSITE

DATE: Friday 11th December

TIME: 9am to 11am

LOCATION: Child and Parent Centre Brookman

Call or email to Register

#### ONLINE

DATE: Wednesday 9th December

TIME: 6pm to 8pm

LOCATION: ONLINE

Login details will be sent on registration

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## P&C NEWS



## News

### UNIFORM RAFFLE PRIZE WINNERS

Congratulations to the following students on a well-deserved win. Please contact the P&C in relation to your prizes.

1<sup>st</sup> Prize – Prassana R C2

(2021 Booklist Items)

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Aoun EC1

(School Uniform)

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize – Connor W C2

(Lunch Box Bundle)



### CHRISTMAS RAFFLES

Tickets will be sent home with your child in the coming weeks, write your name and child's classroom on the tickets with correct money to the front office.

**More details to come.**



### UNIFORM SHOP

We are in the process of setting up an online uniform shop ordering system. In the meantime, the uniform opening times are as follows,

<b>SAVE TIME   ORDER ONLINE</b>	<b>TUESDAY – 8:15am – 8:30am</b>
	<b>2:00pm-2:30pm</b>
	<b>FRIDAY – 8:15am – 8:30am</b>

**WE ARE UNABLE TO FILL SPECIAL REQUESTS FROM PARENTS TO OPEN OUTSIDE OF THESE HOURS.**

### BOOKCLUB

Book Club orders have now closed for the year. Thank you to all the parents / carers for their support this year.

*Come and Join our Brookman Community Team that benefits the wonderful school our children attend.*

volunteer  
do good, feel good

