



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

School Times

8.40am—3.00pm

Tuesday early close
2.30pm

Recess

10.25am-10.45am

Lunch

12.30pm-1.15pm

Dates to Remember

Wednesday 16 August

- Book Week books arrive

Friday 18 August

- Room 5 Assembly

Monday 21 August

- Book Week begins

Wednesday 23 August

- Science Tabloid Day
- Parent Night Sausage Sizzle
- Book Fair open

Friday 25 August

- Book Week Parade

Monday 28 August

- Year 3 & Year 4
Scitech excursion

Thursday 31 August

- Father's Day Stall

Friday 1 September

- Room 7 Assembly

 **Happy
Father's
Day!** 

Dear Parents,

Parent Night

This is taking place next Wednesday, 23 August from 6.00pm through to 7.30pm. It is a wonderful opportunity for parents to come in and see some of the fantastic work that students have produced during the year. Mrs Dupont is also exhibiting some of the artwork that students have created throughout the year and this will be displayed in the Moonlight Hall. Every student has enjoyed selecting and preparing their artwork for the display.

With the Art Display we ask that parents ensure that everyone looks but doesn't touch, thank you.

Again this year, the science activities which the students will participate in as part of Science Week will be on display in the Art Room. Students will be able to tell you all about their experience and the different activities.

I encourage parents, grandparents and community members to come along and see some of the great things happening at Falls Road Primary across all of the learning areas.

The P&C will be running a Sausage Sizzle on the night outside Room 5. Order forms have been sent home with family representative today.

Science Week

As part of Science Week, Mrs Burns will be running some Science Tabloids over two days on the theme "May the Force be with You". All students from Pre-Primary to Year 5 will be involved and the Year 6 students will be in charge of running the different stations and activities with small groups.

Book Week, Book Week Parade

Next week is "Book Week" and the theme this year is 'Escape to Everywhere'. All classes across the school have been participating in reading activities in the lead-up to Book Week and some of the work from these activities will be displayed in and around the teaching blocks during Book Week. Students will also be participating in Drop Everything and Read (DEAR) time each day.

Our annual Book Week Parade is happening next Friday, 25 August in the Moonlight Hall, starting at 8.45am. This is a great chance for students, teachers and parents to dress up as their favourite book character. Students will parade around to music and there will be some impromptu interviews of students about their character and their favourite book. It's a great idea to bring along a copy of your favourite book.



Students relaxing in the Library's
'Departure Lounge'

Book Fair

Ms Ashman, the school Librarian will also be running the Book Fair. The Book Fair will be open from tomorrow and will be available for the Parent Open Night next Wednesday. There will be a range of books available for sale. If parents would like to, they may also purchase a book and donate it to the Library.

The Book Fair will also be open before school, during lunch time and after school on Friday 18 and Monday 21 August for viewing and purchase.

Students will be able to browse the available books and make out a 'wish list' of their favourites, this Friday, 18 August.

The school also earns reward points from Scholastic Australia on all purchases and this in turn enables the Library to buy even more books.

Assembly

Room 5, Year 3/4 are hosting the assembly this Friday, 18 August. We look forward to seeing you there.

Faction Athletics Carnival

Students have been practising their running, jumping, throwing and team games during PE lessons and each Friday in their factions, in preparation for the Faction Athletics Carnival on Friday, 8 September. During Week 8 (Tuesday 5 – Thursday 7 September), the jumping and throwing events will be held in year groups and then on Friday 8, we will have the running and team game events as part of our carnival day. A schedule for the jumping and throwing events will come out closer to Week 8. The Kindergarten and Pre-Primary students will also have the opportunity to participate in some running and team events on this day as well. We're looking forward to seeing lots of supporters at the carnival to cheer all the competitors on and create a great atmosphere. The P & C will be running a tea, coffee and snack stall throughout the carnival.

A few reminders for parents, particularly those who are on school grounds after 3.00pm.

The school is not a playground, though we do allow the use of the equipment in areas like the Kindy / Pre Primary area for up to 20 minutes after school. One of the reasons we allow this to happen is to facilitate the transition of students from home to school. The reason that we stipulate 20 minutes is that staff are often still at school working in their classrooms. Inherent in this understanding is an expectation that parents will actively supervise the behaviour of their children as per the school rules.

This is necessary to ensure that students understand that there is a consistent level of behaviour whilst they are on school grounds regardless of whether it is during school time or shortly after. Climbing trees or using equipment on school grounds in an unsafe manner is not acceptable.

I trust that parents will understand these requirements and support the school in this.

Regards

David Ingle

Principal

If your child is absent you can:

phone 9291 8200

email fallsroad.ps@education.wa.edu.au

or complete the online form <http://www.fallsroadps.wa.edu.au>.

School Payments

Payments can be made to the school using the Pay Anyone option through your online bank account.

The account details are as follows:

BSB: 633 000

Account: 154 725 592

Falls Road Primary School – School Account

Please clearly state student's surname, initial and reason for payment in the description.

(e.g. Smith J- Swimming) **Please DO NOT make Uniform payments in this account.**

DEPUTY NEWS



Pyjama Day

Students had a great time dressing up in their pyjamas as part of the Kindergarten fundraising for the Moonlight Markets. Students were able to dress up in their pyjamas if they brought in a jar filled with lollies, erasers, pencils etc... that would then be used by the Kindergarten classes as part of their Moonlight Market stall. There were some great onesies and pyjamas on show and the cold, wet weather certainly made it easy to stay in your pyjamas for the whole day. The Kindergarten classes thank everyone who donated jars for their Moonlight Market stall.

Woolworths Earn and Learn

We are now collecting stickers for the Woolworths Earn and Learn program. In the past we have been able to purchase some great resources with the points we earned. From now **until September 19 2017**, you can collect stickers at Woolworths that go towards Earn & Learn points. For every \$10 you spend at Woolworths (excluding the purchase of tobacco, liquor and gift cards), you will receive a sticker. These stickers can then be given to your children to collect on a special sticker card. Once it is completed, they can simply bring it back here to school or you can drop them into your local Woolworths collection box. The more points we earn, the more we can redeem from a choice of over 10,000 educational resources including mathematics and English resources, art & crafts materials and much, much more! We are grateful for your support and look forward to a successful program. If you have any questions, please ask at School.

Falls Road Primary Book Swap

The Book Swap Shop is open on a Wednesday afternoon from 3.00pm – 3.15pm.

What's happening in Term 3

Room 5 Assembly – Friday, 18 August

Book Week – 21 – 25 August

Science Tabloid Days – Tuesday 22 & Wednesday 23 August

Parent Open Night & Book Fair – Wednesday, 23 August

Book Week Parade – Friday, 25 August

Father's Day Stall – Thursday, 31 August & Friday, 1 September

Room 7 Assembly & PP Father's Night – Friday, 1 September

Athletics Jumps and Throws – Tuesday, 5 September – Thursday, 7 September

Athletics Carnival - Friday, 8 September

Massed Choir Concert - Thursday, 14 September

Room 3 Assembly & Lesmurdie Le Mans – Friday, 16 September

Year 6 Camp – 17 – 22 September



Simon Docherty
Deputy Principal

MERIT CERTIFICATE AWARD WINNERS

Congratulations to our Merit Certificate Award winners who were presented with their Certificates at the assembly on Friday 4 August 2017

Year	Student	Comment for:
PP	Aaliya	Making a huge improvement in her writing and sounding out. Super star!
PP	Elijah	Focusing more on tasks and getting his work done quickly. Well done!
PP	Lily	Her recall of facts about Ladybugs. Keep working hard Lily!
PP	Cara	Her great sounding out when writing about "What makes her a Grouchy Ladybug".
PP	Easton	Working hard on his letter sounds and numbers to 10. Keep up the good work!
1	Bailey	Using some great strategies to solve mathematical problems. Well done Bailey.
1	Riley D	Showing pleasing development in his fluency and expression in reading.
1	Jake	Working hard to show improvement in the presentation of his work. I'm very proud of you Jake.
1	Cale	Making amounts of money up to a dollar in different combinations.
1	Zoe	A great contribution to class discussions about the features of picture book stories.
1	Max	A big improvement in letter size and formation when writing.
2	Ned	His greatly improved results in Spelling and his attention to producing work to the best of his ability.
2	Cameron	His excellent work in Geography locating the States and Territories of Australia correctly.
2	Lincoln	An excellent effort with his birds-eye-view picture in Geography.
2	Kaia	Approaching her work in a more thoughtful and careful manner.
3	Maggie	Using her reasoning skills to improve the accuracy of her estimations when looking at the weight of different classroom objects.
3	Macee	Her great effort when finding creative coin combinations to make set amounts of money.
3	Adam	Improving his focus and engagement in learning to produce work of a higher standard. An awesome effort, Adam!
4	Eve	Awesome effort in using digital technologies to communicate and for giving her best in challenging learning experiences.
4	Jemma	Being a thoughtful student who enjoys sharing her ideas with others.
4	Joseph	Writing creative and entertaining stories.
5	Brodie	Working hard to improve his results in Mathematics.
5	Oliver	Being a high achieving student who puts 100% effort into all tasks.
5	Siena	Being an enthusiastic student who participates in all activities.
6	Trinity	Making an effort to focus on her learning and explore alternative ways to present her work using the iPad whilst injured.
6	Steven	His efforts to speak confidently when sharing his ideas and presenting to an audience. Well done!



Congratulations

The 'Aussie of the Month' for July was **Rafferty from Room 11** for being friendly and helpful towards others. Rafferty has shown the 'Bounce Back' values of kindness, fairness and friendliness.

The 'Aussie of the Month' for August is **Mikaela from Room 6** for being supportive, kind and friendly to students and teachers. Mikaela has shown the 'Bounce Back' values of support, kindness and friendliness.

Art Room Assistance required

Sue Dupont would appreciate some helpers to display art work in the Moonlight Hall for Parent Night. If you are available on Monday and/or Tuesday of next week please let the office know.

Head Lice

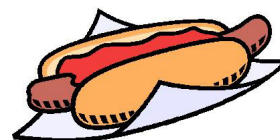
A reminder to families to regularly check your child's hair for head lice. Please see the link for more information - http://healthywa.wa.gov.au/Articles/F_I/Head-lice.



P & C NEWS

Parent Night Sausage Sizzle

Order forms for a Sausage Sizzle have gone home with all families today. To assist with catering please return your completed order form and money by this Friday.



Father's Day

The P & C will be holding its annual Father's Day stall on Thursday 31 August and Friday 1 September. More information will be sent home next week.

Moonlight Markets—Sea Containers

The sea containers will be open on the following days and times during schools days for ease of donations:

Tuesday 8.15am - 8.30am
Thursday 2.30pm - 3.00pm

Entertainment Books are here

Don't forget to order your Entertainment Book.

<https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/9g37388>

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop will be open on the following days from 8.20am until 8.50am.

Term 3 dates:

Monday 14 & 28 August and 11 September.

Don't forget that orders with full payment can be left in the office at any time. You can also pay online to the Falls Road P&C Account (number is on the order form) and leave the order form in the office.

Please use the following bank details for uniform orders paid online:

BSB: 633 000 Account: 155 063 613

Please note that ALL orders take a **minimum** of 3 days to be filled. For online deposits, orders will be filled only after confirmation that funds have been received by our Treasurer.

P & C NEWS

School Banking

School Banking operates every Wednesday morning from 8.15am - 8.40am.

New Bankers always welcome! To open an account online, simply go to

<https://www.commbank.com.au/personal/kids/school-banking.html>.

School Bankers have the chance to win High Tech prizes by demonstrating regular saving behaviour in our Future Games competition. The competition period starts Monday 14 August and end Friday 10 November 2017



Did you know Falls Road Primary School P&C is on Facebook - join us at

<https://www.facebook.com/fallsroadprimaryschool>



Year 5 Moonlight Markets

MONDAY 21st August 2017 from 8:30am
MONDAY 18th September 2017 from 8:30am

The School Canteen in the Moonlight Hall has been booked and we need your help making Preserves for the Moonlight Markets 2017.

If anyone has any ideas or would like to cook their own preserves on either or both days you are most welcome, bring along your ingredients and recipe and we'll give it a go!

Please bring an apron (knives if you want sharp ones) and a sense of humour!
JARS, BASKETS, PINKING SHEARS, STRING ARE ALL STILL NEEDED (bring on the day if you have any)

Thanks Jo and Michelle



Falls Road
NETBALL CLUB

2 x CLUB COORDINATORS
Needed

Jo and Chrissy are stepping down at the end of the season!

MUST HAVE GOOD ADMIN SKILLS
and LOVE NETBALL!

For Further Details PLEASE contact Jo Letts 0409880059 or email the club
fallsrdnetballclub@gmail.com

Happy to help you get started in 2018!

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

VAC SWIM

Enrolments are now open for the October Vac Swim program. Visit the website for more information. <https://www.education.wa.edu.au/web/at-school/swimming/vacswim/enrolling-in-vacswim>.

**Lesmurdie Mazenod Junior Cricket Club (LMJCC)**

Registrations are now open for the 2017/18 junior cricket season. This is a fantastic opportunity for your son/daughter to play Australia's premier summer sport in an enjoyable environment. LMJCC offers an In2cricket program (ages 5-8) for \$85 as well as a Junior Competition for Under 10s to Under 17s (\$160 per player or \$280 per family). The season runs from October through to March, with fixtures yet to be finalised.

Our **Registration Day** is being held on **Saturday 19 August** from **10am - 1pm** at the **Mazenod College Gymnasium**, Gladys Rd, Lesmurdie (back entry off Kershaw Rd). Uniforms for our Junior Competition players will be available to try on and purchase. Alternatively you may register online at playcricket.com.au from now until the 31st of August. Please note that family discounts are not available online.

Further information can be found on our website <http://lmjcc.wa.cricket.com.au> and on our Facebook page @ Lesmurdie Mazenod JCC. Please direct your enquiries to the Registrar, Kristie Ives, at registrar.lmjcc@hotmail.com.

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70% of funds raised will go to programs here in WA in areas like Armadale, Gosnells, Kununurra and the Dampier Peninsula. The remaining funds are distributed across other programs run by Save the Children in Australia and across the World.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

For more information please email booksalevolunteers381@gmail.com

Proud event supporters

Friday 18th August 3pm - 9pm

Saturday 19th August 8am - 5pm

Sunday 20th August 8am - 5pm

Monday 21st August 9am - 6pm

Tuesday 22nd August 9am - 7pm *Half price day*

Wednesday 23rd August 9am - 3pm *Fill a box for \$15*

Location
University of Western Australia
Stirling Highway, Crawley
Under the Clock Tower

Save the Children