



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

Friday 23 June

- Room 4 Assembly

Monday 26 June

- Uniform Shop
- Reports home

Tuesday 27 June

- BBK's
- Battery collection

Wednesday 28 June

- Year 3/4 Carnival

Thursday 29 June

- Faction Sausage Sizzle

Friday 30 June

- Years 3 & 4 History Village Excursion

**Term 3 begins
Tuesday 18 July**

Enjoy the Break

Dear Parents,

WASTE FREE

Congratulations to Miss Bunter for continuing our Waste Wise focus this year. Her students are thoroughly involved in running the Trash Free Tuesdays, Waste Free Wednesdays, Nude Food Days and managing the Worm Farm. This initiative has seen a definite reduction in the amount of waste in the bins which is fantastic to see. Mrs Keeffe also organised some recycling information sessions through Cleanaway over the last 2 weeks that gave students some great information on reducing, re-using and recycling.

IN TERM SWIMMING

Congratulations to all students for their participation and behaviour during our in-term swimming lessons. Virginia Lanza, the swimming coordinator let me know how much she and her teachers enjoy doing the Falls Road swimming lessons as the students participate actively and their behaviour is excellent. Thank you also to the Falls Road staff for managing the disruptions during swimming lessons so well.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

I would like to ask parents to continue to support our school dress code and send their children to school in full school uniform. I realise that with Swimming Lessons and the onset of winter this can sometimes be a challenge. Black track pants and hooded jackets are not acceptable. As per the Uniform Policy, hair headbands should be plain and flat. They are to hold the hair back and do not need to be a fashion statement with flowers etc sticking out.

Mrs Longa is very flexible in supporting parents to access school uniforms and we will be contacting parents whose children are not in uniform to clarify the situation and provide support to ensure that every student is in full uniform.

INTERSCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

The STIRK Interschool Cross Country was held last Friday at Kalamunda Primary School. Every one of our students tried their best and were wonderful representatives of our school. We had a number of medal winners on the day and these are detailed in Mr Docherty's section. Our school came a very creditable third overall, and were only 17 points behind the winner of the Endeavour Shield.

Congratulations to all those students who represented the school.

NEXT ASSEMBLY

Our last Assembly for the term is on this Friday, 23 June. It is hosted by Pre-Primary Room 4. We look forward to seeing you there.

BRILLIANTLY BEHAVED KIDS

Our BBK students for this term will be recognised at their special morning tea, next Tuesday, 27 June. This is wonderful opportunity to recognise students for consistently doing the right thing and it is always a difficult choice.

As our BBK process can only recognise 2 students a term from each class, we implemented the fortnightly early recess on Fridays to recognise and reward those students who also do the right thing. This works really well and students appreciate this extra play reward on even weeks.

FACTION SAUSAGE SIZZLE

The competition for the Faction Sausage Sizzle is very close. The winning Faction will be announced on Wednesday, 28 June and the Sausage Sizzle is on the next day, Thursday, 29 June.

SEMESTER ONE REPORTS

Reports will be sent home with students on Monday, 26 June or kept in the office until students return.

THANK YOU

A big “**Thank You**” to staff. They have worked really hard this term, managed the interruption of swimming really well and completed student reports. Well done also to the students on your effort throughout the Term, your reports will reflect how well you have been trying to do your best.

Thank you also to all our wonderful parents who have assisted and supported the school throughout the first half of the year. You have been a great help and we couldn't do it without you. I'd like to wish everyone a well-earned, safe and restful term break. School resumes for the students on Tuesday, 18 July as the Monday is a School Development Day and students do not attend.

Regards,

David Ingle
Principal

Friday 21 July is an important date in your child's education

Families need to apply to enrol their children in a public school for 2018 if they are:

- starting Kindergarten – 4 years old by 30 June 2018
- starting Pre-primary (first year of compulsory school) – 5 years old by 30 June 2018
- starting Year 7 (first year of secondary school)
- changing schools.

All children from Pre-primary to Year 12 are guaranteed a place at their local public school.

To apply to enrol your child, visit your local school by Friday 21 July 2017.

For more information or to find your local school visit education.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

Stirk Interschool Cross Country Carnival

Falls Road PS produced a very strong team performance at the Stirk Interschool Cross Country on Friday, 16 June. Conditions on the day were very good, with the sun shining and very little wind. The course had been modified slightly this year, with most students just having the one opportunity to familiarise themselves with the new course on Monday, 12 June.

There were some very strong individual performances by Falls Road students with 8 students placing in the top 4 for their event (see results below) as well as lots of others in the top 10. In the Championship Shield, Falls Road finished a very strong 3rd place and in the Endeavour Shield, we were second by only 17 points (see below).

Thank you to Mrs Dupont, Paul Mansfield and Mhari Wilson (2 of our teaching students) who helped out on the day as well as all the parents who came along to support our team. Thank you also to the students for putting in their best effort on the day.

Team Results

| Championship Shield: | Endeavour Shield: |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| 1 GHPS 983 | 1 KPS 1033 |
| 2 KPS 907 | 2 FRPS 1017 |
| 3 FRPS 804 | 3 GHPS 983 |
| 4 LPS 728 | 4 LPS 904 |
| 5 WPS 690 | 5 WPS 886 |
| 6 MVPS 625 | 6 MVPS 868 |

Individual Results

| Event | Place | Name |
|--------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Year 2 Girls | 3 rd | Scarlet N |
| Year 2 Boys | 2 nd | Hamish S |
| Year 3 Boys | 2 nd | Adam I |
| Year 4 Boys | 2 nd | Joseph N |
| Year 5 Girls | 3 rd | Sienna V |
| Year 5 Boys | 1 st | Jakob P |
| | 2 nd | Matthew D |
| Year 6 Girls | 4 th | Emily N |

Year 3 / 4 Soccer and Netball Carnival

The Year 3 and 4 Soccer and Netball Carnival will take place next Wednesday, 28 June at Maida Vale Reserve in Maida Vale. The carnival is being held at Maida Vale due to the increased number of teams taking part and the larger area available at Maida Vale Reserve. Falls Road will be represented by 2 x Year 3 netball teams, 2 x Year 3 soccer teams, 2 x Year 4 netball teams and 1 x Year 4 soccer team. Teams will be divided up as evenly as possible. This carnival is all about participation and allowing the students to play games of netball and soccer against other schools in the Stirk Association.

We are still looking for parents to help coach/supervise some of the soccer and netball teams. If you can assist in this regard, please contact Simon Docherty at school.

Athletics

During Term 3, we will be practising our athletics skills each Friday in faction groups in the lead-up to the athletics carnival in week 8. Katie and Richard (our gardeners) will mark the track over the holidays and practice will start on Friday of week 1. Can parents please ensure students are wearing appropriate footwear on Friday.

Falls Road Primary Book Swap

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



What's happening in Term 2

Room 4 Assembly – Friday, 23 June

Year 3/4 Soccer and Netball Carnival – Wednesday, 28 June

Faction Sausage Sizzle – Thursday, 29 June

Simon Docherty
Deputy Principal

Junior Reading Room

The last day for borrowing books from the Junior Reading Room will be Tuesday, 27 June. All books will need to be returned by Friday, 30 June. A HUGE thanks to all those parents (and siblings!) who have continued to volunteer their time to run the reading room this term.



Found Item

Have you lost a copy of the book "The Girl Who Brought Mischief" by Katrina Nannestad? If yes, then come into the office to claim it.

Student Success

Congratulations to Scarlett in Year 2 who was shortlisted in the 2017 Shaun Tan Award for Young Artists presented by the City of Subiaco. Scarlett was chosen in the top ten of her age group. The exhibition will be on display at Subiaco Library from Monday 10 July until Sunday 6 August. Visit the library to view the exhibition and vote for your favourite in the People's Choice Award. The People's Choice Award winner will be announced on Thursday 27 July. See the link below where Scarlett is listed in the lower primary category. <http://www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/ShاونTanAward>.

P & C NEWS

Moonlight Markets—Sea Containers

The holidays are a great time for clearing out all those unwanted books, toys (clean and in good working order) and bric-a-brac for the White Elephant stall plus any unwanted gifts for the gift stall.

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

Please note, we have **sold out** of medium slouch hats and flap caps. Reversible hats are available in all sizes.

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

Term 3 dates:

Tuesday 18 July

Monday 31 July, 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 our Treasurer.

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>

On occasion, we have senior students who assist with School Banking. It would be greatly appreciated if all deposit slips could be completed in full with name, amount and bank account number to assist these students.

Did you know Falls Road Primary School P&C is on Facebook - join us at <https://www.facebook.com/fallsroadprimaryschool>



COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Athletics Holiday Program

Choose any 4 Events Per Day: Sprints (will include crouch starts or block starts), Hurdles, Middle Distance, Javelin, Discus, Shot Put, Long Jump, Triple Jump and High Jump.

Date: Monday 3 & Tuesday 4 July 2017.

Venue: WA Athletics Stadium, Perth WA.

Drop Off: 8.30-8.50am / Times: 9am-3pm.

Cost: \$90 for one (1) day. \$160 for two (2) days.

Includes a Sprinting Fast Cap or Shoe bag also other prizes and giveaways.

Webpage: <http://sprintingfast.com/holiday-clinic/> Enrolments close Tuesday 27 June 2017.

Barking Gecko Theatre Company's Junior Gecko Ensemble is the perfect place for participants to have fun and lose themselves in the joy of drama, while also refining social, emotional and creative skills.

Where: Kalamunda Performing Arts Centre

When: Saturday, 22 July – 16 September

Time: 11am – 12.30pm

Our early bird special is open until 8 July for more information please contact our Education Manager on hannah.smith@barkinggecko.com.au or call 6212 9391.

AIM Occupational Therapy
Occupational Therapy for Children

July Holidays Groups Wembley

- Year 1-2 Handwriting**
Letter formation, placement, sizing, spacing, posture
Tues Thurs 11:30am
- Kindy and Pre-Primary Fine and Gross Motor**
Letter formation, cutting, drawing and strength
Tues Thurs 10am
- Social skills & Self Regulation Kindy and Pre Primary**
Friendship skills, conversation skills, attention and concentration
Mon Thurs 11am
- Year 3-4 Handwriting**
Letter formation, placement, sizing, spacing, posture
Mon Wed 2:30pm
- Social skills & Self Regulation Yr 1-3**
Attention and concentration, social skills
Mon Thurs 12:30pm

1B/228 Cambridge Street Wembley
\$90 per session, rebates apply

Call 6150 8339 or email reception@aimot for more information or to book

Private Health FaHCSIA NDIS Medicare

KALAMUNDA & DISTRICTS BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

SCHOOL HOLIDAY SUPER CAMP

RAY OWEN SPORTS CENTRE
JULY 10TH - 14TH 2017
9AM-3PM

AGES 5 - 15
COST: \$35 A DAY
OR \$150 FOR THE WEEK

REGISTER ONLINE @ WWW.KALAMUNDA BASKETBALL.COM.AU

CONTACT:
HOLIDAYCAMP@KALAMUNDA BASKETBALL.COM.AU
OR CHRIS: 0408 969 036

Find us on Facebook @KALAMUNDA BASKETBALL

July School Holiday Programs – Running Clinic

Suitable for children in Years 1-6.

Tuesday, 4 July 2017 & 11 July 2017 - 2 sessions / 3.30 - 4.30pm

Venue: Hartfield Park, Forrestfield

Early-bird fee: \$20/child (if paid by 29 June 17). Late registration fee: \$30/child (if paid after 30 June 17).

Register: <https://goo.gl/forms/LZQEK1qy7k6WzHqf2> E: info@letsrunperth.com or call/text: 0402784225

Are you looking for some fun at Playgroup?



The NEW Lesmurdie Playgroup is located at the Mercy Heritage Cottage on Lesmurdie Road in the grounds of St Brigid's College

Benefits of Playgroup include:

- a safe environment where children can play and learn
- learning social skills
- creating locally based friends and social networks
- a place where parents and caregivers can support each other

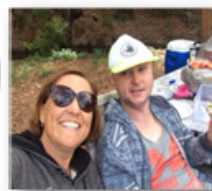
Sessions held on weekdays from 9am to 11am

We'd love you to join us so please send an email or pm via our Facebook page if you are interested in becoming a member of Lesmurdie Playgroup.

 www.facebook.com/LesmurdiePlaygroup
 lesmurdieplaygroup@hotmail.com

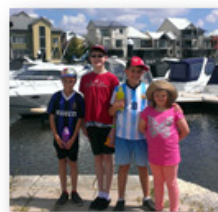


Come and visit us at the old cottage - 200 Lesmurdie Rd, Lesmurdie 6076



HOST FAMILIES NEEDED!

- **Host Families invite an individual to be part of their family and daily lives.**
- **It's like fostering but with someone who has a disability. This can be such a wonderful and fulfilling experience and can create long lasting relationships.**
- **In turn, our special individuals have the chance to meet new people in a safe environment whilst their own family have some well-deserved and needed time out.**



TESTIMONIAL

"It's been another enjoyable year for all of us, including Sam who is now definitely part of the family. Sam stays with us at weekends and in the holidays and joins in all our family activities like Christmas and Birthdays. Sam has progressed so much in his social skills this year. My children have taught him how to fish, and how to ride a bike. Best of all this year Sam was Page Boy at my wedding"...Rosemary

Do you have room in your home to change a life?

The most rewarding thing you will ever do.

Saying 'YES' is all it takes to make a difference.

A safe and supportive home environment to live as part of a family.



FOR MORE INFORMATION

DIRECTIONS DISABILITIES SUPPORT SERVICES

12 Blackburn Street
 Meddington WA 6109
 P: (08) 9262 4900
admin@directions.asn.au
www.directions.asn.au

If your child is absent please phone the school on 9291 8200 or email us at fallsroad.ps@education.wa.edu.au.