

The Newsletter of Hampton Park Primary School

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Dear Parents, Students and Staff,

We most definitely hit the ground running this week with swimming lessons getting underway straight away. All of the students attending swimming lessons can be commended on their behaviour so far. I am sure this standard will continue and they will achieve excellent results.

Important Dates

9th – 20th Oct - Swimming Lessons
27th Oct T & E Day

This will be another jam packed term and it is extremely important that students are well prepared to meet their targets. From the beginning of week 6 we will be making a change to the school attendance processes. Students who are not in class at 8.45am when the first siren goes, will be counted as late and will need to attend the front office *with a parent or carer* to sign them in. The classroom doors open at 8.30am which gives the students the time they need to get settled in and organise their equipment for the day. In accordance with the Departmental Regulations, teaching time commences at 8.45am. Students who arrive after this time are put at a significant disadvantage as they miss vital information and instructions.

Students who regularly arrive late to school miss a notable amount of educational time over the course of a term and the impact on their learning is significant. While we understand that there will be occasions when running late is unavoidable, it is imperative that parents and carers do their utmost to ensure that their children are at school on time. If your particular circumstances impact on your ability to have your children at school by 8.45am please contact the office to discuss the issue and we will do whatever we can to assist.

Nicky Suckling - Principal

Swimming Lessons

Are going "swimmingly" 2 days in!! No lost property yet and only one pair of goggles and a pair of shoes briefly lost. Please endeavour to label all of your child's belongings to assist us to return any misplaced items quickly.

Swimming Carnival

Unfortunately with Bayswater Waves and Terry Tyzack swimming pools undergoing renovations we are running out of options capable of holding a swimming carnival this year. Negotiations are in action with a couple of possible locations, however finding one with suitable facilities is proving difficult. More information to follow.

Interschool Athletics

Bad weather forced the cancellation of the main part of the Interschool carnival. After day one Hampton were in equal second position and had two GOLD MEDALLIST CHAMPS in Jayden Walters and Alissa Lawrence.

Thanks to all our Athletes and Coaches for their efforts and time given in preparing for the carnival.

Unfortunately due to swimming lessons, camps and other activities there is no common time available amongst the eight schools to rerun the carnival.

John Forrest Band

This morning the students were treated to a performance by the John Forrest Senior High School musical students. The music was amazing and our students showed themselves to be a respectful and appreciative audience.

Voluntary Contributions

Can we please remind all families that voluntary contributions are now due. Although voluntary, these funds are a vital part of our school resourcing and allow us to provide additional resources for our students.

Technology and Enterprise Day - Friday 27th October 1pm.

All of our students from Kindergarten to Year 6 have been very busy designing and making items to sell. There will also be fantastic entertainment for you on the big day. Please save the date so you are able to come along. The children are always very excited to share the day with their Parents and Grandparents.



Please see attached flyer

We also have classes still in need of the following:

Cluster 3	Second hand books, Plastic containers (Strawberry/Tomatoes) 2 Litre Milk bottles
Room 1	Small toys for prizes, Foil wrappers (from chips and biscuits), 1 litre Cool Drink bottles
Room 4	Small toy figurines
Room 7	Recycled cardboard boxes
Room 8	Stockings, old Christmas decorations, bird seed, wool yarns.

Scholastic Book Club

Scholastic Book Club orders from Issue #7 must be placed by 25th October. **No** late orders will be accepted.

Fridge Box

Performing Arts are searching for a large cardboard box to make a puppet theatre. Please see Mrs Cunningham or Mrs Firby if you have one. Thanks

Parent Helpers

We have a large number of books that need covering. We would like to get these resources into the classrooms as soon as possible.

If you can spare some time to come in and help cover books in our library any time in the next couple of weeks your help would be much appreciated.

Triple P Parenting Program

FREE PARENTING SEMINARS – for EVERY PARENT

Positive Parenting Program SEMINAR SERIES, Term 4, 2017

Hampton Park Primary School – Please find flyer attached.

NOT RETURNING TO HAMPTON PARK NEXT YEAR

This is the ideal time to notify us if you are moving home/school etc.

If your child/children are not returning to Hampton Park Primary School next year, can you please email us on hamptonpark.ps@education.wa.edu.au, use the app to notify us or return the slip below.

My child/children will not be returning to Hampton Park Primary School next year.

Name Room/Cluster

Name Room/Cluster

They will be attending School

SignedParent/Guardian

Community Notices

Hampton Park Helping



We are so excited to be back after a full on holiday program at Sutherland Dianella. Over the holidays we went on a train ride at Whiteman Park and explored the motor and transport museum. We also visited AQWA and had a fantastic time exploring the deep blue sea and all its wonderful inhabitants. We also had some fantastic activities in service including henna hand painting, metamucil slime, magic card tricks and making a Harry Potter sorting hat which we used to have our own house sorting ceremony. These holidays have been great but we are very happy to be back at our service and are in full swing to make this term the best term of the year.

We are very excited to announce that we will be appearing on Telethon again this year representing our school and sharing our fundraising journey. Thank you again for everyone's support and we look forward to another term of fantastic activities.

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HAMPTON
Senior High School

Enrolments for Year 7 in 2018

All students wishing to attend Hampton Senior High School next year should

Enrol now. You are not automatically enrolled into High School

If you require an enrolment pack, please phone 9270 5700 or

by visiting the Hampton website.

<http://www.hampton.wa.edu.au/admissions/>

You must be enrolled to be invited to our Orientation Day!