

Ashburton Drive Primary School

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Principal's Address

Dear Parents/Caregivers

Interschool Sports Carnival

We are very proud of the wonderful effort our Year 5 and 6 students put in today at the Summer Interschool Sport Carnival. It was lovely to see our students participating positively and doing their best in all four teams. A big thank you to Miss Hawkes and our Year 5 and 6 teachers for their efforts in making this happen.

Results:

Boys Cricket: 1st place

Volleyball: 3rd place

Girls Cricket: 4th place

Softball: 4th place



Early close and Parent/ teacher interviews

This year's Parent-Teacher Interviews will be held in the final week of Term One on Wednesday, 31 March. A reminder to all families that school will close at 10:55 on this day. This provides parents the opportunity to find out exactly how their child has settled into the new year and the progress they are making in English and Mathematics as well as Attitude, Behaviour and Effort.

Thank you to all the Parents and Caregivers who have returned the booking form for the Parent/teacher interviews on Wednesday 31 March.

If you require an appointment with any teachers in the school, please return your booking form ASAP or contact the teacher through Connect to secure a time.

Ashburton Drive Primary School

6 Nullagine Way Gosnells Wa 6110

Phone: 9234 6300

www.AshburtonDrive.PSeeducation.wa.edu.au

School Hours

Monday - Friday

8.45am - 2.45pm

Recess: 10.55am - 11.15am

Lunch: 1.15pm - 1.45pm

Final Bell: 2.45pm

Dates To Remember

Office Display - 26th March
Room 10

Assembly - 26th MARCH
Room 8

Personal Best Yr1 - Yr6 - 30th March
Picnic in the park

Parent Interviews - 31st March

Early Close 31st March - 10.55am

Newsletter - 1st April Room 13 & 14

Personal Best Kindy & PP - 1st April

1st April Last day of Term 1

2nd April - Good Friday

Students Resume - Tuesday
20th April - Term 2

NAPLAN

NAPLAN testing for Years 3 and 5 will be taking place next term between Weeks 3 and 5. This year we will be undertaking the online testing for all tests except Year 3 Writing.

If you require an exception form for your child please ask your child's classroom teacher or collect one from the office.

Harmony Week

On Wednesday 17 and Thursday 18 March, all classes participated in Harmony Week celebrations. Harmony Week is a time to celebrate Australian multiculturalism, inclusiveness, respect and belonging for all Australians, regardless of cultural or linguistic background, united by a set of core Australian values. Our students decorated our Harmony Tree in suns and decorated windows. Rooms 13 and 14 celebrated with a delicious multi-cultural luncheon.



Early Arrival

Please ensure all students are on the oval upon arrival before school. No students are to be on site prior to 8:15. Students are released to their classrooms at 8:35. If you are finding it difficult to drop off at 8:15 or collect at 2:45 please consider our on-site service Camp Australia. Pamphlets can be found in the office.

ANZAC SERVICE

There will be a special ANZAC Service held at Ashburton Drive on Friday 23 March at 8:55 in the undercover area. The Student Councillors will conduct the service and the School Choir will also perform. You are welcome to join us for this special commemoration.

Technology

As per school policy all phones brought to school by students must be handed to the classroom teacher at the beginning of the day and then collected at the end of the day. With the growth of technology we are now finding some students have a 'smart watch'. If your child has one of these it is best left at home. Any device with a filming capacity must be treated the same as our phone policy and as such will need to be handed to the classroom teacher for the duration of the school day. This ensures the privacy of all of our students is maintained.

Clean Up Australia Day

All classes had a great time participating in cleaning up our school on Friday 5th March. Following our school value of 'Show care and respect' it will be encouraged for all students to maintain zero tolerance for any rubbish in our community. As a team we can build a sustainable future.



National Day of Action

Ashburton Drive participated in taking action on the National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence (NDA) on Friday 19 March 2021. The NDA gives schools the chance to take action and empower young people to be part of the solution when addressing bullying in their school community. It provides an opportunity to focus on bullying and the big changes we can make to create safer communities for everyone. Parents are encouraged to take some time on Friday afternoon to walk around our school to view the many displays and talk to their children about what they have learned.



On-Entry Testing

On-Entry Testing is finishing up for Pre-Primary and Year 1 Students this week. This testing allows the school to determine students' achievement and progress in Literacy and Numeracy. Well done to all our students for doing their best during these activities. A big thank you to all our Pre Primary and Year 1 teachers and education assistants who spent many many hours completing this process with every student in their class.

Positive Behaviour Support Focus Term 1 Weeks 8 and 9 is "Show and use Self control"

Over the next two weeks the focus of our PBS lessons (Positive Behaviour Support) is to 'Show and use Self Control'. Please support us by discussing this with your children and encouraging positive participation.

Breakfast Club

Mrs Kelly, Ms Downie and Alice our Curtin University Social Worker have been busy on Monday and Tuesday mornings making toast and Milo for students across the school at our re-vamped Breakfast Club. Breakfast Club provides an opportunity to start the day sharing conversation and a light breakfast with friends (even if they have already had something at home!) Students then move to either Running Club on the oval or Reading Club in the Library before going to class at 8.35am.



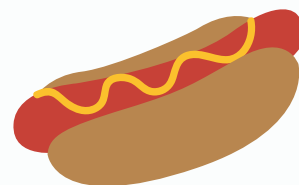
ADPS Breakfast Club

Where: Undercover Area
When: Monday and Tuesday ONLY
Who: Students at ADPS ONLY
Time: 8.00-8.35am
What: Toast (butter, jam/vegemite) & Milo

Wednesday Sausage Sizzle

The Room 14, Year 5's will be running a sausage sizzle each Wednesday to fundraise for the special events held throughout the year. These include, but are not limited to, Harmony Week, NAIDOC Week and Anti-Poverty Day. Should you wish to order a sausage sizzle for your child, please fill out an order form in your child's classroom with students name, room number, number of sausage sizzles and whether sauce and a drink is required.

- Sausage Sizzle without sauce \$2.50
- Sausage Sizzle with sauce \$2.50
- Sausage Sizzle without sauce and fruit box \$3.50
- Sausage Sizzle with sauce and fruit box \$3.50



Return orders with money to the school red money box located in the front office. Orders and money need to be placed in the school red money box before 9.00am each Wednesday.

ORDERS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER 9.00AM ON WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Containers for change

Room 17 and 18 are collecting cans and bottles to fundraise for their Graduation costs through containers for change. Please drop off donations to the bins outside Room 18. You can also hand in containers on our behalf at your local depot using the scheme ID below.

Scheme ID: C10432554



Attendance

We are focusing on student attendance to reduce the number of unexplained/unauthorised absences. When your child is away from school, families are required to provide an explanation that is recorded and becomes a part of the child's school record. If no explanation is given the record will state 'unauthorised absence'. If you receive a letter or notification asking for an explanation, please return/respond to these so your child's absence can be updated and the school can completed their legal obligation. Please note, you are able to advise your child's absence via the following options:

- Absentee SMS 0409 683 415 (please note this is ONLY an SMS service)
- Via Connect Electronic Absentee Note button on your Connect parent account
- email ashburtondrive.ps@education.wa.edu.au
- phone 9234 6300
- written note to your classroom teacher
- in person via the office or classroom teacher

Harmony Week

Harmony week runs from the 15th to the 21st March 2021 and celebrates Australia's cultural diversity. It's about inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone. The theme for this year is "We all live under one sun" and the school has worked hard to create a spectacular display in the quadrangle.

In Unit 4, we have been learning about what it means to be inclusive and how there are many different cultures that make up our classroom community. We have been encouraging a sense of belonging, regardless of our backgrounds and to celebrate our differences. Students have thoroughly enjoyed viewing artwork, listening to music, and even playing games from different cultures.



To celebrate the theme for this year, we have created our own sun catchers to hang in the quadrangle. We have used a sun template, then put yellow and orange cellophane in the centre to catch the light. They are currently hanging on a tree for everyone to see. We think they look beautiful!



Merit Certificate Winners

Yazmina	Danica	Najla	Harley
Brody	Kaine	Jimmy	Jordynn
Isabella	Dolly	Quentin	Nate
Siena	Amber	Charlotte	Chantelle
Joshua	Liryc	Ryder	Kayli
Natsai	Kyden	Holly	Dakota
Rebecca	Caitlyn	Ariana	Gursheen
Alex	Athena	Lily	



Green Block



Strickland Block



Draffen Block



Medallion Winner



P&C News 19th March 2021

P&C AGM Meeting

Our AGM is coming up on Wednesday 24th March 2021 in the school staff room, all positions are vacant. Can you see yourself as a president? or as a fundraising committee? or just want to see what the P&C is all about? then join us on wednesday night at 6pm and find out all the fun we have.

Canteen

The canteen is now open from 8.30am in the morning until 2.00pm. The canteen relies on volunteers to help prepare and serve lunches alongside Kathy. Volunteers can receive a \$6.00 ADPS canteen voucher for volunteering their time. Your child would love to see you in the canteen! If you are able to spare an hour or two, please contact Kathy or visit the P&C Facebook page and leave a message. A reminder the canteen has EFTPOS for your convenience.. Download our menu from the Parent tab on the school website!

Quickcliq

Quickcliq is our online ordering portal for the Canteen. Signing up is easy and the account is generally ready to go within minutes! Jump onto www.quickcliq.com.au for more information on how to sign up!

School Banking

Banking is Friday morning at the canteen window from 8.15am to 9.00am. Michele is handing out Dollarmites at our popup bank. It is a great way to teach kids how to handle money, plus they get rewarded! Visit Michele at the Canteen on Friday mornings or the Commonwealth Bank online or in branch to find out more.

Communication

Communication with our school community is very important. Have you joined our Facebook group? This is the best place to get up to date and last-minute information such as canteen specials, fundraising events, banking change of dates and other news www.facebook.com/groups/adpspandc/

You can also email us at adpspc@gmail.com Don't forget you can always drop a note in the blue P&C box in the front office

Yours sincerely

Amanda Daintith
President

Community News

Term 1 2021 Child and Parent Centre Calendar

TERM 1 2021 CALENDAR									
	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9
	1 February	8 February	15 February	22 February	1 March	8 March	15 March	22 March	29 March
Monday			9.15am - 11.00am Let's Talk Toileting	9.00am - 11.00am Now You've Started School	Public Holiday	9.00am - 11.00am Life can be tough - bend don't break		12.30pm - 2.30pm Who's the Boss Now?	9.30am - 11.30am Is my child on-track?
Tuesday	2 February	9 February	16 February	23 February	2 March	9 March	16 March	23 March	30 March
	9.15am - 10.00am Rhyme Time	9.15am - 10.00am Rhyme Time	9.15am - 10.00am Rhyme Time	9.15am - 10.00am Rhyme Time	9.15am - 10.00am Rhyme Time	9.15am - 10.00am Rhyme Time	9.15am - 10.00am Rhyme Time	9.15am - 10.00am Rhyme Time	9.15am - 10.00am Rhyme Time
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	9.00am - 10.30am Settle-In PG	9.00am - 10.30am Settle-In PG	9.00am - 10.30am Settle-In PG	9.00am - 10.30am Settle-In PG	9.00am - 10.30am Settle-In PG	9.00am - 10.30am Settle-In PG	9.00am - 10.30am Settle-In PG	9.00am - 10.30am Settle-In PG	9.00am - 10.30am Settle-In PG
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Thursday	4 February	11 February	18 February	25 February	4 March	11 March	18 March	25 March	1 April
	9.00am - 10.30am Multicultural PG	9.00am - 10.30am Multicultural PG	9.00am - 10.30am Multicultural PG	9.00am - 10.30am Multicultural PG	9.00am - 10.30am Multicultural PG	9.00am - 10.30am Multicultural PG	9.00am - 10.30am Multicultural PG	9.00am - 10.30am Multicultural PG	9.00am - 10.30am Multicultural PG
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Friday	5 February	12 February	19 February	26 February	5 March	12 March	19 March	26 March	2 April
	9.30am - 11.30am First Steps PG	9.30am - 11.30am First Steps PG	9.30am - 11.30am First Steps PG	9.30am - 11.30am First Steps PG	9.30am - 11.30am First Steps PG	9.30am - 11.30am First Steps PG	9.30am - 11.30am First Steps PG	9.30am - 11.30am First Steps PG	
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Bookings essential unless stated otherwise

Rhyme Time

Songs, stories and rhymes for families with children 12months to 5 years.

Baby Rhyme Time

Songs, stories and rhymes for families with babies under 12 months.

Playtime Playgroup (Playtime PG)

Playgroup for children aged 0-4yrs. Please bring a water bottle and pre-cut piece of fruit in a container for your child.

Multicultural Playgroup (Multicultural PG)

Playgroup for children aged 0-4yrs. Please bring a water bottle and pre-cut piece of fruit in a container for your child.

Settle-In Playgroup (Settle-In PG)

For newly arrived families with children aged 0-5years on a Humanitarian visa. Offered in partnership with Communicare & Save the Children. Phone: 9251 5777.

First Steps Playgroup (First Steps PG)

Autism Association of WA are offering a free playgroup for families with a child under 6yrs who may experience delays in communication, difficulty engaging with others, or have delayed play skills. Register your interest by contacting Stacey Cole on 6380 5500 or Stacey.Cole@autism.org.au

Now You've Started School (crèche available)

This workshop is for parents of children who have started Kindy and may need help to manage separation stress and establish routines. Facilitated by Department of Education.

Circle of Security (crèche available)

Learn how to strengthen your parent-child relationship and explore new ways to understand and respond to your children's behaviour. Facilitated by Department of Health

Let's Talk Toileting (crèche available)

This workshop will outline the best approach to toileting training and the skills needed from both you and your child. Facilitated by Communicare.

Who's the Boss Now (crèche available)

Building on the Who's the Boss workshop, learn more about parenting styles and how best to deal with challenging behavior. Facilitated by Department of Education.

Life can be tough - Bend don't break (crèche available)

Learn how resilience can contribute to your health & wellbeing and how to build your resilience. Facilitated by Anglicare WA

Preparing Your Child for the New Baby

Soon to have a baby but not sure how your child is going to cope? Come along to this workshop to get some tips to help. Facilitated by Department of Education

Is My Child On-track? (crèche available)

This workshop will help guide you in understanding if your child is on-track with their development. Facilitated by Department of Education, Department of Health - Child Health, Allied Health and Communicare

Fear-Less - Helping your Children Learn to Manage Anxiety

This seminar will provide parents with anxiety management skills to teach your child, an understanding of anxiety and how to help your child develop coping skills to face feared situations. Facilitated by the Department of Education.

CHN (Child Health) Drop-In

Thursdays 12.30pm - 2.00pm

Immunisation Clinics

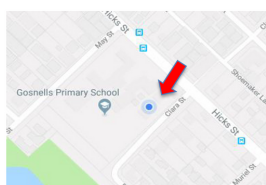
Immunisation Clinics are offered Wednesday fortnight. Call 6151 1308 to book your appointment.

Park Play (PP)

The CPC team join the City of Gosnells for a fun session of games in the Park.

City of Gosnells Bellies, Births and Babies Expo

Parents will be provided with information and support on services and activities that are available in the community.



Child and Parent Centre - Gosnells

173 Hicks Street (enter via Clara Street)
GOSNELLS WA 6109
T 08 9398 8720
E CPCGosnells@centrecare.com.au

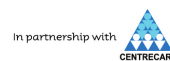
Child and Parent Centres are a State Government initiative.

Your Child and Parent Centre - Gosnells is run by Centrecare in partnership with Gosnells Primary School.



Child and Parent Centre - Gosnells Term 1, 2021

For parents, carers and young children





Understanding Anxiety and Depression in Youth Family and Relationship Services

For Parents of children aged 12-18 years

1-session

Workshop Overview

Do you have a young person in your life that may be experiencing anxiety or depression?

This online workshop covers the challenges experienced by anxious and/or depressed adolescents and provides practical ideas and tips for parents and carers to assist their child and themselves.

Please provide your full name, contact number and postcode when registering via e-mail. Bookings are essential as places are limited.



BOOKINGS

9251 5777
parenting@communicare.org.au
<https://uadinyouth.eventbrite.com.au/>



DATES

Monday
22 March 2021



TIME

6.30pm - 8.30pm



LOCATION

Lynwood Youth and Family Centre
11 Edgeware Street
Lynwood



COST

Free



CRECHE

Not available

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CREATING FUTURES

Family and Relationship Services is funded by the Australian Government Department of Social Services



Who's the Boss Now?



Updated workshop on Who's the Boss

In this workshop we take a look at how to take back control through positive parenting. Explore:

- Parenting through generations.
- Parenting styles.
- How to apply warmth and boundaries.
- Using assertive discipline.

Date: Monday 22 March 2021

Time: 12.30pm – 2.30pm

Venue: Child and Parent Centre – Gosnells,
173 Hicks Street Gosnells (access from Clara St)

To register: Call 9398 8720 or **Email:** CPCGosnells@centrecare.com.au

Crèche available.
Bookings Essential

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WEST AUSTRALIAN FEMALE FOOTBALL ACADEMY

Future Stars Super Clinic

April School Holidays

Ages from 8 -15yo



- Coaching from AFLW coaches & players
- Learn AFL skills and techniques
- Drills preparing girls for games
- Brief info & learning sessions

Program Details

- Dates: April 8th & 9th
- Location: MRP Eagles training ovals
- Time: 10am -2pm

Cost: \$155

waffa.com.au



Is My Child On-Track?



For parents of children
12 months – 2 years

The following specialists
all in one place to answer
your questions:

- Child Health Nurse
- Parent Support Worker
- School Psychologist
- Speech Pathologist

Do you question if your child is doing what they are supposed to for their age?

We invite you to come along to this session to explore age appropriate milestones and have your concerns and questions answered about your child's development. We will cover topics such as sleep, meal times, behaviour, social and emotional development, fine and gross motor skills and speech and language.

Date: Monday 29 March 2021

Time: 9.30am to 11.30am

Venue: Child and Parent Centre – Gosnells,
173 Hicks Street Gosnells (access from Clara St)

To register: Call 9398 8720 or **Email:** CPCGosnells@centrecare.com.au

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Year 5 & 6

Zone Extension Arts Program 2021

Every Monday from 3rd May 2021 – 21st June 2021

ZEAP is an after school program held at Southern River College for Years 5 and 6 students from local primary schools interested in developing their skills in The Arts.

The focus of ZEAP is to provide academic extensions for students in The Arts across a variety of studio areas (subject focuses change annually). The program will support students in learning about the skills they will need for success in the Year 7 Visual Arts course.

ZEAP will also help support the transition between primary and high school environments by providing an opportunity to make friends, become familiar with the learning environment and The Arts teachers.

In this course, students will have an opportunity to create a colourful artwork by using the technique of past great painters such as Renoir and Monet. The details for the courses are as follows:

COURSE:	Visual Art - Mixed techniques
DATE:	Every Monday from 3 rd May 2021 until 21 st June 2021
TIME:	3.15pm – 4.15pm
LOCATION:	Southern River College – Meet at the Admin Office
COST:	\$20
HOW DO I ENROL?	Complete the permission form on the back of this page and pay at The Administration Office of Southern River College.



YEAR 5 & 6 PROGRAMS 2021

If you have any queries regarding the programs, please contact the College on 9391 6500.
You will receive confirmation of acceptance once enrolment process has been completed.

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ISAAC Club (Inspire STEM Ability and Creativity Club)

This is a STEM Club for Year 5 and 6 where our local primary school students delve into the exciting world of science themes. Last year we engaged in programming and robotics through the use of Edison robots.

DATE:	Every Wednesday starting 10 th March 2021
TIME:	3.15pm – 4.15pm
LOCATION:	Southern River College – Meet at the Admin Office
COST:	Free
HOW DO I ENROL?	Complete a permission form below: Click Here to register for ISAAC Club Limited places available so be sure to get in quickly!



The CoderDojo Club

A Community Coding Club for Students and Parents from Southern River College and surrounding schools. CoderDojo is a world-wide social education movement oriented around running free computer coding clubs (Dojos) for young people aged 7-17 (Ninjas) to improve digital literacy. Participants work their own code-related projects such as websites, apps, game development and more.

DATE:	Every second Thursday starting 11 th March 2021
TIME:	3.15pm – 4.15pm
LOCATION:	Southern River College – Meet at the Admin Office
COST:	Free
HOW DO I ENROL?	Visit www.coderdojo.com and search for "Gosnells, Perth @ SRC"

