



Principal's Address

Good afternoon parents/ caregivers,

With COVID impacts easing, school life is becoming more 'normal' with each passing day. Thank you to the many community members who continue to follow safe practices which enables us to maintain a focus on student achievement.

RATs

If you have yet to collect your box of RATs it would be very appreciated if you could do so soon as they are quite cumbersome to store in our limited office space.

Dance 'til you Drop

We have many very excited students in the final stages of practising their dance routines. We hope you are ready for another spectacular show on our open nights, the 15th and 16th of June.

Immediately following the dance concerts, all classrooms will be open for you to share the successes of your children.



2022 Dance Till You Drop Concert Timetable – Term 2

Order	Wednesday 15th June	Thursday 16th June
1	Rm 7 (Y2/3)	Rm 12 (Y2)
2	Unit 1 (K)	Unit 2 (K) & Unit 3 (K)
3	Rm 18 (Y6)	Rm 14 (Y5)
4	Unit 4 (PP) & Rm 2 (PP)	Rm 4 (PP/Y1)
5	Rm 10 (Y1)	Rm 8 (Y3)
6	Rm 13 (Y5)	Rm 16 (Y4)
7	Rm 15 (Y4)	Rm 17 (Y5/6)
8	Rm 6 (Y2)	Rm 11 (Y1)
9	Rm 9 (Y3)	

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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

6th June

- WA DAY

7th June

- Sercul Incursion PP-Yr3

10th June

- Clean Up A.D.P.S. Day
- Water Conservation Incursion
Yr 3-Yr 6
- Sercul Incursion PP-Yr3

15th June

- Dance Concert & Open Night

16th June

- Dance Consert & Open Night

17th June

- Assembly - Room 4
- Office display - Unit 1
- Newsletter - Room 6 & Room 7

During the classroom open sessions, there will be laptops and iPads available for parents/ caregivers to complete our short National School Opinion Survey. You can even scan the QR code on your phone. By having the maximum amount of respondents complete this biannual survey, we gain great insight into where we can develop further. Once you have completed the survey in the classroom, a staff member will hand you an entry which will need to be placed in a box located in the Science room on the 15th and the Music room on the 16th. Many great prizes will be distributed at the assembly on the 17th of June. First prize will be awarded by Terry Healy, who has donated a bike, whilst other prizes include vouchers and uniform items. We would be very appreciative of your time and ask that each parent only completes this survey once. (Please note: this is a survey for each parent not one parent per student)

School Review

If you have not already done so, we very much encourage you to read our review which can be found on our website:

[School Review - Ashburton Drive Primary School \(ashburtondriveps.wa.edu.au\)](https://www.ashburtondriveps.wa.edu.au)

NAPLAN

And that's a wrap for 2022 NAPLAN testing. Thank you to all students and staff involved in coordinating authentic testing conditions and students for 'having a go' and doing their best. This testing forum provides us with valuable information in determining future school priorities.

Reports

Teachers are very busy working on your students' school reports. These will be distributed via Connect and a printed copy will be provided on Thursday 30th of June.

Parking

There have been some major parking issues around the school, particularly at pick-up time. Please be mindful that residents have every right to access their property safely, and student safety can also be jeopardised when illegal parking practices occur. We understand that, like most other schools, parking is at a premium; however, we ask that you respect our neighbours.

Clean Up Australia Day

On Friday 10th of June, we will be recognising Clean Up Australia Day. There will be many, varied classroom activities as well as some exciting incursions provided by our amazing community partner, SERCUL.

2023 Enrolment Applications

ADPS is now accepting enrolment applications for 2023. Enrolment application forms can be collected from the front office or downloaded from our school website. If you know someone who is currently living in our school's intake area please let them know about the option to enrol at our school. If you have any further questions about enrolment processes please contact us on 9234 6300 or ashburtondrive.ps@education.wa.edu.au



Positive Behaviour Support Focus Term 2 Week 7 & 8 is "Show and use Self-Control"

Week seven and eight of Term 2 the focus of our PBS lessons (Positive Behaviour Support) is to "Show and use self-control" and was taken from our focus area of Act Responsibly by Jingee. Please support us by discussing this with your children and encouraging them to 'Show and use self-control' both at home and school'.

Avenues for Information

There are so many school events taking place this term. Please stay up to date with the latest information by ensuring you are connected to Connect. Both the Primary School and P&C are on Facebook, please find us there for updates and notices. The school website can be found at <https://www.ashburtondriveps.wa.edu.au/>

Have a fabulous long weekend

Kind Regards

Heather Fallo

Principal



Newsletter article for schools Premier's Reading Challenge

Primary

Join the adventure!

We encourage you to join us in unlocking the wonderful world of reading for your children. Help them to join the Premier's Reading Challenge. Will they fly above the clouds, dive into the ocean or jump into a rocket ship? All students from Kindergarten to Year 10 are challenged to read 12 books by 9 September 2022.

You can help your children sign up via the website, choose their own avatar and log all the books they read over the course of the Challenge. Weekly prizes will be awarded to students who log a book that week, with major prizes drawn when the challenge ends.

Books don't have to be in English – children are encouraged to read books in their first language.

There are extraordinary tourism prizes to be won each week.

[Sign up](#) your children on the website to begin their magical journey.



Containers for Change



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Our Year 6 classes will continue to collect donations of cans and bottles to fundraise for their graduation.

All donations can be dropped in the recycling bins outside Room 18 when school resumes. You can also hand in containers on our behalf at your local depot using the Scheme ID: C10432554



Unit 4 Pre Primary

It has been a very busy term of learning in Pre Primary Unit 4! Here is a small glimpse into what the class has been doing...

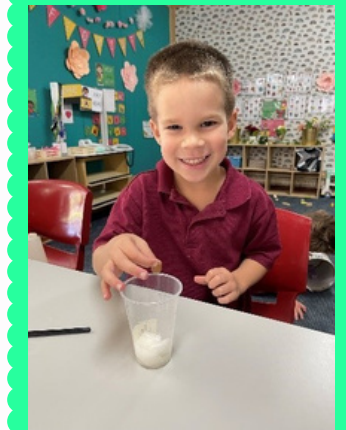
Letters and Sounds:

Our wonderful Unit 4 students have started Phase 2 in Letters and Sounds. This means that students are now learning letter names and sounds, and how to use these letters to read/spell words. This class has demonstrated a keen interest in reading and spelling based games and activities, so to supplement our Letters and Sounds session, we had a CVC Word competition! Students were split into teams and given sound cards. They used the cards to spell a word, make sure it was a real word, and then write it down on their whiteboards. All teams were very competitive and successfully created quite a few words (not bad for 5 weeks of learning!). Here are some photos of the competition below.



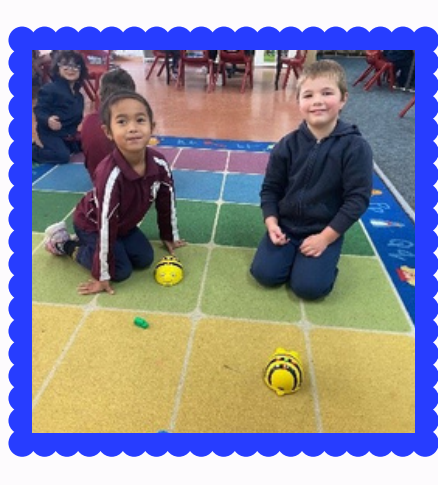
Talk for Writing:

The class could not believe it... someone had left beans on Miss Bilman's table!! There is only one way to find out if they're magic or not – to grow them! At risk of a beanstalk crashing through our classroom roof, students have started the germination process for these beans to start growing them. Each student chose a bean, folded a piece of paper towel to fit it into the bottom of a cup or jar and they watered the bean on the paper towel. All of the beans were left in a sunny spot in our class and we can't wait to watch them grow.



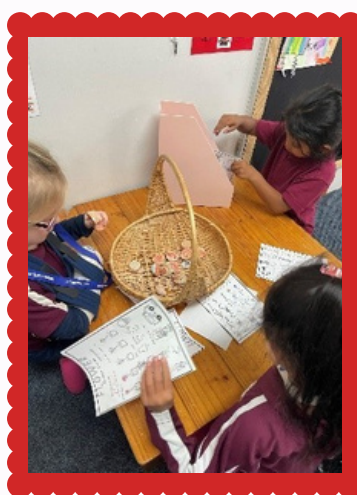
Digital Technologies:

During Digital Technologies with Miss Barron, the students have been learning the basics of coding and creating sequences. They have been practising first by using 'unplugged' activities (non-technology based) to begin creating sequences of instructions. Once they mastered their unplugged sequences, students were able to practice their sequencing with friendly little robots called "Bee Bot's" – navigating their robots to complete a task.



Imaginative Play:

Imaginative play is vital for our early childhood students. It helps to develop social skills, it creates friendships, fosters problem-solving and gives our students an opportunity to practice their speaking and listening skills through conversation and role-play. This term, the students have been running a Florist. Students are in charge of placing and receiving orders, creating flower arrangements, selecting gifts and charging for their services. Students are the ones in charge of maintaining the presentation of the florist, knowing 'a real florist wouldn't have flowers on the floor'. They do a wonderful job of stepping into their roles in the florist to keep it running nicely. The best part is, there is a lot of learning happening in there that they aren't even aware of! Lots of literacy and numeracy opportunities are hidden in this play area.



Merit Certificate Winners -Term 2 Week 6

Nysha

Amarrah

Tathera

Liam

Aahil

Nikau

Sydney

Julie Anne

Zirwa

Hope

Allegra

Michael

Elise

Indee

Sadiie

Jobe

Mehran

Hanis

Taniesia

Jackson

Rebecca

Rodney

Kaycee

Dakoda

Tyler

Toby

Esma

Nate

Adam

Elysha

Callum

Lillian

Strickland Block

Green Block



WELL
DONE

Draffen Block

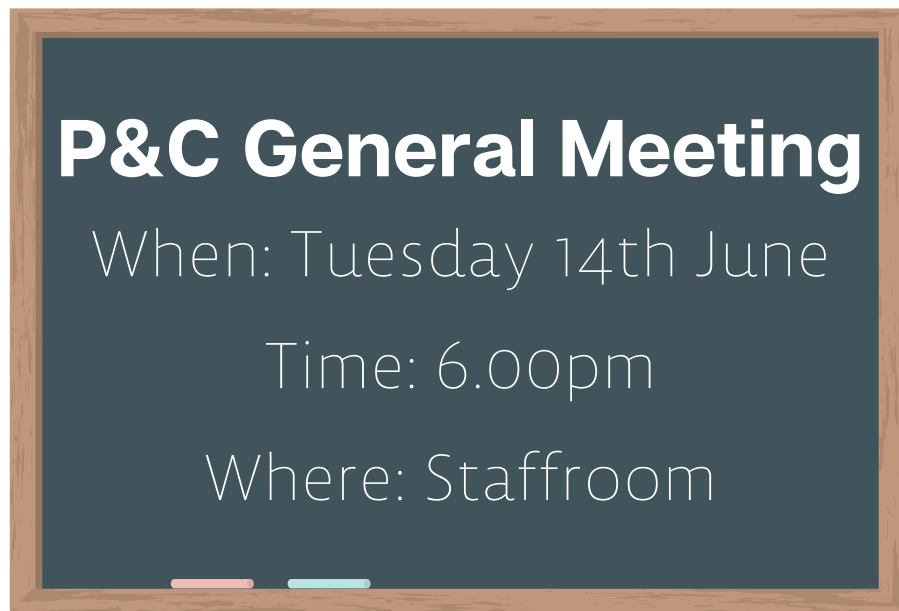
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P&C G General Meeting

Our next P&C meeting is coming up. Come along, bring a friend and have a chat. We will be providing pizza for dinner! Tuesday 14th June @ 6pm in the Staff room.

We look forward to seeing you there, get involved and make a difference.



Free Dress

Free Dress day has been postponed we will update everyone as soon as possible for the new date

Car Bay Raffle

P&C car bay raffle is planned for the end of the term. Keep an eye out, tickets will be going out soon.



Yvonne Pirie

P & C Secretary



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Application Process:

- Complete an application form and return to LSHS
- Receive an invitation to trial
- Trial at LSHS
- Primary School reference check
- May be offered a place in Academy if selected

Teachers and Coaches:

- Mr Tony Campbell – AFC C license coach
- Mrs Gourley – UEFA & AFC A license coach
- Mr Alen Galic

Trial dates for 2022:

4th May, 22nd June,

18th August and 20th October

Contact Lynwood SHS for details 9354 0600

The Program

Overseas Tours

Singapore 04,06,08,10,12,14,16,18

UK 2011, 2019

After school matches

We play in the Glory Cup competition

Education

We offer Coaching and Referee

Licenses from Football West

Curriculum

4 lessons week covering technical,
tactical, physical and personal
development

Scholarships

Two Scholarships awarded worth
\$300

Success

60+ state representatives

4 national team representatives

74/94 South East Zone

Championship wins

State shield champions

2015, 2016, 2017, 2018

State Futsal champions 14/20

