



Principal's Address

Dear parents and caregivers,

Welcome to Term 3! With COVID restrictions easing our events calendar is becoming exceptionally full. Please keep an eye out for class and school Connect notices as well as keeping informed via our Facebook page and face-to-face conversations with your child's classroom teacher.

Last Friday, we had 'the best run cross country event' ever. Thank you to Mr Edgelow for his exceptional organisation which enabled our event to take place on a very wet day. Congratulations to all place winners and everyone who crossed the finish line. All points contributed to your total faction score, with Murchison winning the shield for 2022. Interschool cross country is coming up on the 12th August.

Staff

Welcome to Mr Lachlan Clyne who has joined our team as a Year 4 teacher. Mr Clyne is previously known to our students, and whilst Room 16 students will be missing Mrs Morton they are enjoying the learning challenges and sense of fun Mr Clyne is engaging them in.

Welcome to Miss Ginny So who has joined our Early Childhood crew and Year 3 teaching team. On Friday's Miss So is supporting Room 7 whilst Ms Harris is on leave and Tuesday to Thursday she is located in Pre-primary classrooms. Miss So has already established many relationships with our students and is a coveted addition to staffing.

Welcome to Miss Hayley Sherrington who is taking Room 9 whilst Mrs Agnew is taking leave. Miss Sherrington has also joined the Year 3 crew. We are very lucky to have you.

A big welcome to Sasha our littlest staff member. Sasha, the gorgeous puppy, is assisting our Year 2 students to read. Thank you to Ms Smith for bringing your beautiful Sasha to our selected students every Thursday.

Student Voice Committee

As a WA Positive Behaviour School, we have developed a Student Voice Committee, SVC. Year 3 – 6 classes are represented by a selected student who was voted in by the class. (Year 3 has two SVC members per class). We are very excited to have had this amazing group of students begin their journey of training in leadership skills on Monday. SVC members will be using these skills to communicate issues with their class, report back to the SVC and then as a team vote on a resolution. Thank you to Mrs Anderson for planning and guiding this team.

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

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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

12th August

- Interschool Cross Country
- Assembly - Room 11
- Office Display - Room 10
- Newsletter - Technologies

Week 5 - Science Week 15th - 19th August

Week 6 - Book Week - Dreaming with eyes open 22nd - 26th August

25th August

- Book Week Parade 9am
- Open Board Meeting 3.30pm

26th August

- Assembly - Room 14
- Office Display - Room 8
- Newsletter - Science

9th September

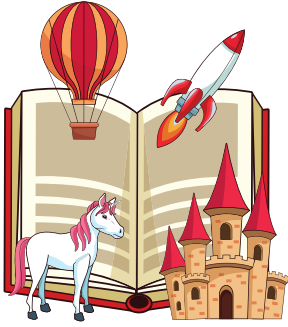
- School Photos
- Assembly - Room 2
- Office Display - Room 11
- Newsletter - Unit 1, Unit 2 & Unit 3

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

Book Week

Every year in August we celebrate book week across Australia. This year's book week theme is 'Dreaming with eyes open'. Ashburton Drive Primary School will be holding a Book Week Parade on Thursday 25th August at 9.00 am for Kindy to Year 6, so now is the time to start thinking about our favourite books/characters. We are all really looking forward to seeing the wonderful Book Week costumes.

We will also be running other activities throughout the week with 'Stop, Drop and Read', a colouring competition and reading some of the wonderful books nominated from the children's Book Awards.



Subway

It is no longer conducive for the school to continue Subway orders on a Friday. The continued downturn in order numbers means that this service will no longer be engaged, some weeks there are zero orders. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

NAPLAN Item Trial

Our school has been selected by the Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) to participate in this year's Item Trial. The purpose of the Item Trial is to evaluate potential NAPLAN test questions ('items') for use in future NAPLAN tests. The Item Trial is about testing the questions, not about testing students' ability. Therefore, these results are not reported. If your child will be participating in the trial, you will receive a note with more information soon.

Fathering Project

We are super, super lucky to have been provided a grant to join the Fathering Project. Our wonderful chaplain Monica will be coordinating this program. At the moment, we are liaising with the appropriate community personnel to ensure this program is implemented productively. Look out Dad's, fun times will be coming your way.

Here is a brief look at what ideas are generated from the newsletter the school received:

Top Tips

1. Take part in activities they enjoy. Engage in things they want to do and do it together. Whether it's gaming, sport, creative arts or going out to their favourite place to eat.
2. Make the most of the time in the car. Drive them to and from friend's houses or outings and spend the travel time catching up.
3. Take an interest in their friends. This will give you valuable insight into how they are coping emotionally and socially, as well as connect you to the young people most important to your child.

Dad joke of the week

What do you call a man with a rubber toe? Ruberto

School Board

On the 25th of August, the School Board will be meeting at 3:30 in the staffroom. All are welcome to join in with this fun group of community and parent representatives as we discuss various aspects of school life at ADPS.

Positive Behaviour Support Focus Term 3 Week 3 & 4 is "Work neatly"

Week three and four of Term 3 the focus of our PBS lessons (Positive Behaviour Support) is to "Work neatly" and was taken from our focus area of Do Your Best by Djiti Djiti. Please support us by discussing this with your children and encouraging them to 'Work neatly' 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/>

Kind Regards

Heather Fallo
Principal

Breakfast Club

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Our Breakfast Club operates on Monday and Tuesday mornings and you can find Monica (our school Chaplain), Alicja and Mrs Kelly in the canteen preparing lots (and we mean LOTS) of toast, fruit, banana bread, milo and fruit juice to get you ready for the days learning! It is a bit chilly in the mornings at the moment, but that hasn't stopped many of our students from coming and enjoying each other's company.

Breakfast Club not only provides a chance for students from all year levels to grab something to eat before school, but also an opportunity to connect with peers, have a chat and build on important social connections. All students are welcome to come to Breakfast Club – even if they have had something to eat at home – there's always room for another milo! We love the casual time we get to spend with students and hear about the weekend, the new pet or how their favourite team played over the weekend.



****It is important students do not arrive at school prior to 8.00 am on these days, as there is no supervision for students prior to this time.**

Term 3 Parent Planner



Ashburton Drive Primary School Term Planner: Staff Term 3, 2022



Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	18 July	19 July	20 July	21 July	22 July
1	Staff PD Day	Students Resume		Kindy	* Kindy * School Cross Country
	25 July	26 July	27 July	28 July	29 July
2			Kindy	Kindy	* Kindy * Assembly – Room 7 * Office Display – Room 15 * Newsletter – Room 15 & 16
	1 August	2 August	3 August	4 August	5 August
3				Kindy	* Kindy * World Principals Day
	8 August	9 August	10 August	11 August	12 August
4			Kindy	Kindy	* Kindy * Interschol Cross Country (Lumen Christi) * Assembly – Room 11 * Office Display – Room 10 * Newsletter – Technologies
	15 August	16 August	17 August	18 August	19 August
5	Science Week			Kindy	Kindy
	22 August	23 August	24 August	25 August	26 August
6	Book Week - Dreaming with eyes open		Kindy	* Kindy * Open Board Meeting 3.30pm * Book Week Parade 9am	* Kindy * Assembly – Room 14 * Office Display – Room 8 * Newsletter – Science * Daffodil Day
	29 August	30 August	31 August	1 September	2 September
7				Kindy	Kindy
	5 September	6 September	7 September	8 September	9 September
8			Kindy	* Kindy * R U OK day?	* Kindy * School Photos * Assembly – Room 2 * Office Display – Room 11 * Newsletter – Unit 1, 2 & 3
	12 September	13 September	14 September	15 September	16 September
9	School Photos			Kindy	* Kindy * Athletics Faction Carnival
	19 September	20 September	21 September	22 September	23 September
10	National Week of Deaf People	* Year 1-4 Auslan author incursion	* Kindy * PB – PP-6 Hey Hoopla & Acro-Fantastico Circus	Kindy * Personal Best – Kindy - Farmyard-on-wheels	* Kindy * Assembly – Unit 4 * Office Display – Room 6 * Newsletter – Room 17 & 18 * Last day of term 3

P&C Prize Draw Winners

PRIZE DRAW

PAY YOUR VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS IN FULL AND
GO IN THE DRAW TO WIN ONE OF TWO WINTER
UNIFORM PACKS*

PACK INCLUDES

1 X LONG SLEEVE POLO SHIRT (VALUE \$25)
1 X POLAR FLEECE JACKET (VALUE \$30)
1 X HAT (VALUE \$10)

PRIZE DRAWN END OF WEEK 8 TERM 2 (17/6/22)

*IF YOU HAVE ALREADY PAID YOU WILL AUTOMATICALLY GO IN THE DRAW

DREAM BELIEVE ACHIEVE

PRIZE DRAW

In Term 2 we ran a competition giving families the chance to win one of two winter uniform packs. Everyone who paid their Voluntary Contributions and Charges by week 8, were entered into the draw. Thank you to everyone that took part. We had 118 entries!

WINNERS

Lyla – Room 16

James – Room 15

Congratulation! Please collect your voucher from the Office.

Uniform Shop

Uniform shop open Fridays 8.30am to 9.00am

The uniform shop is looking for volunteers to help in store, so if you have some spare time and would like to help please come and see Katie in the uniform shop.

Tartan Dresses are back in store sizes from 4 to 12 \$49 each

Old logo items have remained at old pricing, all new logo items have had a small price increase from the start of term 3.
Updated uniform price list (please attach)

Lost and found is once again overflowing please pop by the library and claim your misplaced items.

Thank you

Katie

ADPS Uniform shop coordinator



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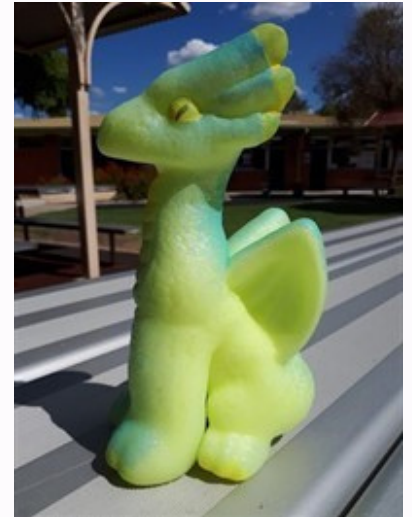
Our Year 6 classes will continue to collect donations of cans and bottles to fundraise for their graduation.

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



Rooms 15 and 16: Year 4

This year the students in Year 4 have been working hard on their Talk for Writing topics, which in Semester 1, all seemed to be about dragons. We started the year with dragon eggs being found behind the music room. We were able to hatch our eggs and care for our dragons in our rooms.



We thought it would be great to create our own dragon eyes in art, using clay.

First we had to design our eyes and then we got to make them with clay. The wet area in Draffen Block got a bit messy that day. Ms Rule was having so much fun making her own dragon eye that she forgot to take photos of us making them but she did get some photos of the finished products.



They had to dry for 6 weeks and then Mrs Harris put them in the kiln for us. After that we got to put coloured glazes on our eyes.



Then the dragon eyes went back into the kiln and when they came out the colours were much brighter!



Then Ms Rule glued in the green eyes that Ms Morton had been keeping for just this occasion! Ms Sherrington cut up some dowel that we used to make indentations in our clay so that their green eyes would fit in perfectly. We couldn't put the green eyes in the kiln though!



The whole process took a loooooong time, but we really enjoyed seeing our finished dragon eyes and getting to take them home.

Merit Certificate Winners - Term 2 Week 10

Riley

Levi

Halle

Anisha Journe

Zakim

Archana

Komail

Saivi

Lucas

James

Zachary

Mirha

Charles

Wesley

Shyla

Nadhifa

Isabella

Caitlyn

Rizwan

Imogen

Jack

Allira

Grace

Chase

Nicole

Zirwa

Angus

Devin

Phoenix

Harinder

Amber

Husni



Strickland Block



**WELL
DONE**

Green Block



Draffen Block



Medallion Award



Merit Certificate Winners - Term 3 Week 2

Lincoln

Alex

Aarna

Aafke

Lachlan

Makayla

Dewi

Bikramjit

Jaxon

Ariana

Hayzel

Laura

Chantelle

Frankline

Tanika

Haizy

Quaylin

Bryelle

Ajayraj

Kayli

Keylan

Samuel

Nah-Phan

Hailie

James

Layla

Daniel

Eliana



Strickland Block



Green Block



Well Done!



Draffen Block



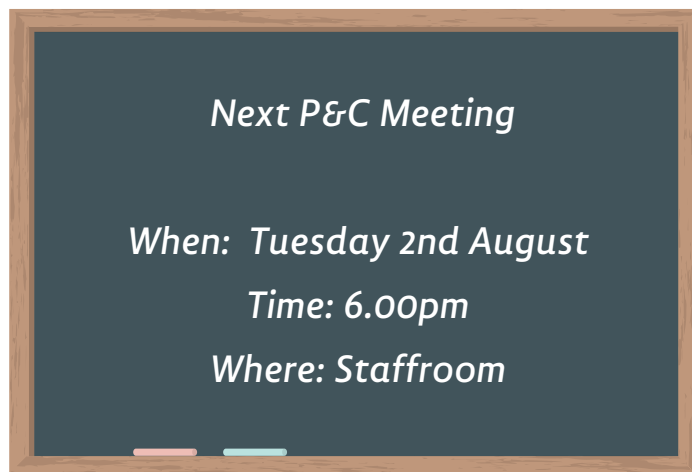
P&C News

Welcome back and it's already term 3!! The P & C have some great fundraising coming up this term. It's already started with the Coin Frenzy, where each class has a glass jar to be filled with loose change. So please check your washing machines, pockets and cars for coins and send them to class with your child. The class that collects the most \$\$\$ will get ice cream (one for each child) the last day of the competition is Friday the 5th of August.



Next P&C Meeting

We have our next P&C meeting on Tuesday 2nd August at 6pm in the school staffroom, we would love to see you there as many heads and hands make light work.



Fundraising

The P & C would like to thank everyone who has continued to participate in our fundraisers with your donations. The P&C is able to give so much to our school. Did you know the P & C helped fund the Indigenous art (totem poles and mural) painted by the talented Melissa Spillman?

Please follow us on FB for updates and keep an eye out for our upcoming fundraisers.

If you would like to assist, please join the P & C. You can email us at adpspc@gmail.com or message us via messenger.

Kind Regards

Yvonne
Secretary P&C



Lynwood
SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

An Independent Public School that offers the ONLY approved Specialist Soccer Academy in the South East corridor.

Would you like to attend a high school that has a soccer program?

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



Peer Support for Parents of Children with ADHD

South East Metro Parenting Support Service

For Parents and Carers of Children with ADHD

1-session

Workshop Overview

Do you have a child with ADHD? Do you often feel overwhelmed by daily challenges?

We invite you to come along and meet other families going through similar experiences, exchange ideas and support each other through discussion and sharing.

Please provide your full name, contact number and postcode when registering via email.

Covid-19

If you are feeling unwell, have cold or flu like symptoms, or living with a close contact we ask you to please stay home.



DATES

Monday

29 August 2022



TIME

9.30am - 11.00pm



LOCATION

Communicare
28 Cecil Avenue
Cannington



COST

Free



CRECHE

Yes - bookings essential!



BOOKINGS



08 9251 5777



parenting@communicare.org.au



https://peersupport4parentsADHD.eventbrite.com.au

COMMUNICARE



Save the Children



The South East Metro Parenting Support Service is funded by the Government of Western Australia Department of Communities. South East Metro Parenting Support Services are delivered by Communicare in partnership with Save the Children.

ISAAC CLUB



Southern River College ISAAC Club program

Southern River College is excited to provide year 5 and 6 students the opportunity to join the ISAAC Club. This is an after-school program designed by Southern River College to engage talented year 5-6 students that are enthusiastic about Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics and want to further their interest and practice STEM skills outside the classroom. Students will be designing their own robot and programming it to be showcased in the Southern River College petting zoo on the last day of the program.

Program Details for Term 2

- Wednesday's 3:15-4:15
- Starting 3rd of August
- 8 week program
- Places are limited so get in quick
- To register please email jessica.silva@education.wa.edu.au

The program has no cost to parents but we ask that teachers nominate two students from each class who they believe are passionate about STEM, would benefit from this opportunity and can commit to attend each week over the 8 week course.



Government of Western Australia
Child and Adolescent Health Service



Complex Attention Hyperactivity Disorders Service (CAHDS)

Parent Information Session

Monday 22nd August 2022

TIME: 9:30 – 12:00pm

LOCATION: Communicare Cannington

CAHDS are offering a parent information session at Communicare Cannington. The information session is intended for parents with children/adolescents who experience significant attention difficulties, including a diagnosis of ADHD. The information session topic we will be presenting are:

Communication

Presented by CAHDS Senior Speech Pathologist

This workshop aims to provide information to parents about:

- communication difficulties (verbal, written and social) as related to ADHD
- the impact of communication difficulties both diagnosed and undiagnosed

Social connectedness refers to the relationships people have with others. Social connectedness is integral to wellbeing. People are defined by their social roles, whether as partners, parents, children, friends, caregivers, teammates, staff or employers, or many other roles. We are connected by the way we communicate with others, including our use of social media and technologies.

Communication skills, both verbal and written, are needed for individuals to build and maintain relationships with others. Developmental language difficulties/disorders and specific learning difficulties/disorders are common in individuals diagnosed with ADHD but are often undiagnosed. Difficulties can lead to or be a part of attentional, behavioural, emotional and academic difficulties.

If parents are interested in attending this session, they will need to register their attendance as places are limited. Please contact Communicare Cannington on parenting@communicare.org.au to register for the session.

Relevant handouts will be provided at the session. There is no cost to attend the session.

CAHDS will also be offering the following session at Communicare in 2022:

- Thursday 3rd November 2022 – Family Self-Care and the impact of stress on the family.

More information and how to register for individual sessions will be provided closer to the date.

The CAHDS Team



Healthy kids, healthy communities

Compassion Excellence Collaboration Accountability Equity Respect

Neonatology | Community Health | Mental Health | Perth Children's Hospital

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cahs.health.wa.gov.au

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FOR GIRLS AND BOYS
7 YEARS AND OVER

Saturdays

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9-10am

\$40 (+2.03% transaction fee)

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OR visit the website or email
development@sdna.com.au



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