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A Newsletter from
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Dear Parents and Community,

New Nature-Based Play Equipment

Many thanks to Mr Nash and Mr Roper for putting together our latest piece of nature-based play equipment. The students now have a long rope walk (over 30metres) to practise their balancing skills. Balance is a significant component of a child's physical development, particularly as they progress to higher level gross motor skills. Balance is also a great way to develop core strength, which assists children with their body posture when sitting at desks.

Student Council Camp

Our Student Councillors went on a two day camp earlier this week to Pemberton and Karri Valley. The students participated in lots of team building activities and leadership activities. The students enjoyed all their activities especially playing Putt Putt in the hail. Thank you to Mr Percival and Mrs McCredden for their organisation of the camp.

Spellademic

Our school will be hosting this event on Thursday 25th August, with many other schools coming along to compete. The venue is the Warren Valley Community Church. Congratulations and good luck to the following students on making the Spellademic team this year: Delyth Phillips-Johns, Margaret Ugle, Ashlee Hughes, Tayne Prosser, Lilly Thomas, Cameron Arnott, Emily Snell, Tharun Prithvi Raj, Finlay Phillips-Johns, Annalise Daubney, Bailey Maxwell and Jakob Quinney.

Talking Drugs – Information Session for Parents

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New Skoolbag App

Our school now has Skoolbag App for all parents, caregivers and interested family members to download. The App is free and available for download for Apple, Android and Windows based phones. Please visit the relevant download site and get the App on your phone or mobile device.

You can:

- Get updates just for your class.
- Send absentee information if your child is away.
- Update personal details.

Children's Book Week 2016: Theme - 'Australia'

This year we are celebrating book week from 29th August- 2nd September. Our Library will be dressed to impress, with displays reflecting this wide-ranging theme.

Wednesday Nature Play: You are invited to come along between 12.50 and 1.20pm to have a look at our children at play in the Nature Playground. You may even like to balance on the new balance rope course or help make a cubby.

Wednesday Learning Journey (1.20-3.00pm): Parents and caregivers are invited to come along to school and enjoy a visit to their child's classroom. Your child will show you around and explain how they undertake learning activities.

Thursday Dress-Up Parade (9.00-9.30am): Students should put their thinking caps on and come up with a favourite book character or a costume to fit in with the theme. We love to see children create a costume from what they already have at home. If possible, bring along the book to show others during the parade.

Book Club: A Book Club order will be distributed the week leading up to Book Week with orders returning within two weeks.

Reminders:

- Web Site – Please take a moment to have a look through the wonderful web page the school has. The address is:
<http://www.eastmanjimup.wa.edu.au>

Have a wonderful week!

Jeremy Hadlow Principal

IMPORTANT DATES

Fri 19 Aug	P&C Fun Run
Thurs 25 Aug	Spellademic
Fri 26 Aug	Assembly Room 13 (2.15pm)
Wed 31 Aug	Learning Journey (1.20-3pm)
Thurs 1 Sept	P&C Meeting (7.30pm)
Fri 9 Sept	Asian Assembly
Mon 12-Fri 23 Sept	Swimming (Rooms 5-13) \$40
Fri 23 Sept	Last day term 3
Tues 12 Oct	Students First day Term 4

New Pages on Our Website

Writing Journals Foster Fluency
Ambition
Colour Chemistry

KINDY ENROLMENTS



Enrolments are now open for 2017 for Kindergarten children who are turning 4, born between 1 July 2012 to 30 June 2013.

Application forms are available from the front office.

Please return **asap** so that we can begin preparation for next year. Please bring along your birth certificate and immunization records.

P&C NEWS

Did you know.....EMPS P&C has a working relationship with NAB. If you take out a new home loan with NAB or refinance from another bank to NAB Manjimup they will make a donation to EMPS P&C on your behalf. eg. A \$250000 loan equals a donation of \$1000. There are no additional costs to you! For more information please contact a P&C member or NAB Manjimup on 9771 7520. (No personal information is collected by EMPS P&C)



STARS OF WEEK 3 INTEGRITY

BRADLEY HOWLETT Bradley is beginning to show more maturity in his actions and reactions. Good to see improved behaviour.

KELLY BROWNE for always displaying a honest and reliable attitude towards her classmates.

COOPER RAYSON for always doing what you know is right and showing good moral character. Well done!

LILI YLIOFF for demonstrating to all our class quality behaviour. What a girl!

BRYN PERRELLA for his honest approach to all that he does. He is reliable and trustworthy.

SAM FOORD for always being organised in the morning and staying on task throughout the day.

CEJAY BROWN for knowing what is right and making appropriate choices.

DEXI MAHINAY for being a kind, caring and honest classmate. Top effort and great attitude Dexi!

MASON GOODRIDGE Mason knows what is "right" and makes positive choices. Well done!



STARS OF WEEK 4 RESPECT

TAYLA MINCHIN always responsible, always polite, always helpful.

HARVEY PIANTA is respectful and considerate towards others. Well done!

REBEKAH MSAPENDA you treat your peers and teachers with courtesy and respect.

NIKOLAS FENNING for being a considerate member of the class who strives to help others.

JASPER PESKETT for being a helpful and caring person who also treats all classroom members with respect.

KAYLEE O'BREZA for being a kind, thoughtful and respectful student.

KOBY BROWN for always showing consideration and kindness towards others in and out of the classroom.

DEXI MAHINAY for being a highly valued classmate. Thank you for your kindness and caring attitude

GRACE PATTERSON for her friendly and kind manner. She gets along with everyone!

FACTION VALUES SHIELD

GREEN	Lilly Podziuka / Montana Hort	109
GOLD	Jessica Leoni-Arnott / Paige Kirk	77
BLUE	Shelly Towler / Taylah Beedison	67
RED	Avril Osboine / Josh Crosby	109

ATTENDANCE AWARD

WEEK	CLASS	PERCENTAGE
2	Room 13	95.36%
3	Room 6	94.55%

Manjimup Public Library



It's Story Time
Join us every Friday during school terms for songs, stories and craft.

Rhyme time: Friday 10.30am

Story time: Friday 11am

Further information contact Manjimup Public Library on 9771 2895 or manjilib@manjimup.wa.gov.au

MERIT CERTIFICATES

Harjaap Dhanoa for increased dedication to improving the quality of the work he produces.

Shelley Towler for a much improved attitude towards tackling and completing her school work.

Elvis McCurdy for his great attitude towards reading and the efforts he is putting into other areas of his learning.

Cejay Brown for consistent effort and pride in his work.

Lucas Bennett for a wonderful improvement in the neatness of his handwriting.

Judy Bates for settling in well and coming to school each day with a positive attitude.

Gwennie Sewell for being an enthusiastic learner and a great role model for our class.

Alexis Green for your fantastic progress and improvement with your reading.

Kendra Thompson for actively participating in class discussion and providing insightful comments.

Madison French for being enthusiastic and motivated in all areas of learning. Keep up the great work.

Bronte Halden for being a focussed, enthusiastic and self-motivated learner. You are AMAZING!

Liam Adams for being a focussed and attentive student. Great work, Liam.

Tayne Prosser for putting in extra effort at home to write great stories and construct amazing models.

Craig Larsen for your terrific attitude to learning. Well done Craig. Keep it up!

Lorelei Farmer for working to stay focussed during Physical Education lessons.

Clayton Barber for always being on task.

Tahya Johnson for determined effort and application in Mathematics.

Lilly Osboine for displaying a positive attitude in class towards her work!

Callum Walsh for always striving to achieve his best in all he does!

Ava Pianta for the maturity and positive attitude that is reflected in your social interactions and your work habits.

Allie Halden for being an enthusiastic and switched on class member. Your positive attitude is infectious.

Precious Lundberg for her commitment to achieve in Indonesian by entering the NAILA competition.

Ruby Membry for working through her holidays to prepare for her NAILA speech competition entry.

Hayley Pollitt for her hard work and determination in preparing a speech for NAILA.

NUDE FOOD MONDAYS

Since 2012 we have proudly been a 'Waste-Wise School' with a commitment to reducing the amount of rubbish that we send to landfill by reducing, reusing and recycling our rubbish. The majority of our food waste is now composted or used to feed our worms and chickens and we also recycle our used paper and cardboard. A lot of the rubbish that we produce that still goes to landfill is food packaging and our next challenge as a sustainable school is to reduce this considerably.

To reduce non-recyclable waste we will be holding a 'Nude Food' Waste-Free Challenge on every Monday from now onwards. **On Mondays we ask that your child's recess snack and lunch contain as few items as possible that must be thrown away. Ideally, your child's lunchbox will have food that has no packaging and will contain only items that will be eaten, composted or recycled.** Reusable containers or resealable plastic bags are a handy way to pack a waste-free lunch. They also make it easy to buy food and drink in bulk (instead of in single-servings), which can save money over time.

The 'Nude Food' Monday Challenge is one of our sustainability education initiatives and, by participating, students will have a better understanding of how we can all take action to reduce our waste. 'Nude Food' Mondays will also save money and promote healthy eating as fresh food is generally healthier and cheaper than processed, packaged food.

Thank you for supporting your child's participation in our 'Nude Food' Monday Challenge and if you have any questions, comments or concerns in regard to this please don't hesitate to contact Jeremy, Gordon or Robyn.

COMMUNITY NEW



SHIRE OF
MANJIMUP

Manjin Rec Plaza

Recreation and skate park designers CONVIC have developed a Draft Concept Design for the new multi-purpose recreation plaza to be located in Manjin Park in Manjimup.

The Draft Concept Design for the Manjin Recreation Plaza is open for public comment from **1 to 21 August 2016**.

Community feedback forums will be held on:


Date	Time	Location
Wed 17 August 2016	6 – 8 pm	Manjimup Town Hall
Wed 18 August 2016	4 – 6 pm	Manjimup Town Hall

For more information and copies of the Draft Concept Design can be found at <http://www.manjimup.wa.gov.au/manjinrecplaza>.


Between 1 and 20 August 2016, copies can be collected from the Shire of Manjimup Administration Centre or viewed in the public libraries within the Shire of Manjimup.



Sharon Wilkinson
Community Development Officer (08) 9771 7777



Manjimup Public Library
proudly presents
Children's book week - illustrators workshop with

Gabriel Esau



Workshops to be held at Manjimup Public Library on **Saturday 20th August 2016**.

Free workshops for children
2 x Sessions
• 90 minutes
• Ages 8-12 and 12+
• Numbers limited. Please register prior to the event.


Workshop activities may include:

- Creating characters and monsters
- Book cover design
- The step by step process in creating illustration



For further information contact **Manjimup Public Library**
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WEBSITE** www.SDERA.wa.edu.au



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Parents have an important role to play in preventing and reducing their children's risk of harm from drug use.

Date: Tuesday 14th September
Time: Please arrive at 6.00pm for a 6.15pm start.

Ends at 8.00 pm.

Where: Manjimup Primary School, 19 Finch Street, Manjimup

RSVP: www.eventbrite.com.au

Limited
places, book
now!

Register now! Visit www.eventbrite.com.au and search 'Talking Drugs'