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A Newsletter from
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Dear Parents and Community Members

Possible extension to Kindy Classroom

Our Kindy staff have come up with what we think is a very practical and creative solution to providing more teaching and learning area for our Kindy classes. It would involve the installation of a decking area onto the back of the building (canteen side of the building). The school has permission to build such a deck. **The school, and P&C, would like to know if there are any handymen/women out there who would be willing to be part of a volunteer team to construct the deck. If so – please contact the school.**

Parent Survey

Thank you to all of the families that have completed the 2018 EMPS Parent Survey. **If you have not done so, could you please visit the school office as soon as possible to complete one there and then.** It only takes about 4-5 minutes to complete.

Technical Support Officer – now advertised

Our school is looking to employ a part-time (0.2FTE = 1 day a week) Technical Support Officer. The main role of a TSO is to purchase, upkeep, monitor and 'problem solve' Information and Communication Technology in the school. Such technology includes desktop computers, laptops, iPads and interactive white boards.

The position at our school is now advertised. You can find it on the JobsWA website. Go to jobs.wa.gov.au At the site go to 'Click here to search'. There is a drop-down section called 'Location Region'. Go to 'Southwest Region' and then 'Search'. You will then find the advertisement. Applications close 4.30pm (WST) on Thursday 3 May. The position is due to commence during Term Two.

Creek Area of School Property

You may have noticed a great change to the creek area on our school property. Previously work has been done by the Shire and supporting groups on the creek area above and below the school property. With generous financial support from the WA Government Natural Resource Management Program, and under the terrific direction of Andy Russell – Warren Ribbons of Blue, the area is being rejuvenated.

Blackberries, litter and much of the Kikuyu grass have been removed. The creek channel has been reformed. When major rains fall some of our students will be planting a range of native seedlings throughout the creek area. We hope that the school's contribution to the overall project will see the creek system healthier.

Never Stop Reading

As part of this newsletter there is information about the Never Stop Reading campaign. The main idea behind this is reading by parents to children does not need to stop once children learn to read. The value of continuing to read to older primary children is important.

Interschool Athletics

Congratulations to our Interschool Athletics Team – what an effort. In one of the closest results you could imagine our **team finished in first place for the Overall Shield**, by two points only, over Manjimup PS. Well done to all competitors, staff and volunteers / helpers. Thank you also to Kearnan College in organising two great days of competition.

Well done to our individual winners:

Year 3 Boys Bronze – Cejay Brown

Year 3 Girls Gold – Charlotte Price

Year 3 Girls Bronze – Kaylee O'Breza

Year 5 Boys Gold – Jett Martyn

Year 5 Girls Gold – Natalie Moore

Year 6 Girls Silver – Ashlee Hughes

School Photos

Thank you to all families for your support of school photos, including ordering of photos. We had great feedback from Kapture about the students and how well they listened to instructions, waited patiently and genuinely made the photographers' day enjoyable. Online orders can still be placed through Kapture for the next 8 days without incurring a late fee.

School Holidays

I hope all staff and students (and family members who also get a holiday break) enjoy the next two weeks. There is so much to do in this wonderful area of the world and I encourage all to get outside and enjoy walking, cycling, skating or whatever other leisure pursuits you follow. Take care and we look forward to seeing everyone refreshed in Term Two.

Anzac Day

Today the school Anzac service is held. I will write more about it in the first newsletter of term two. I encourage school families to be involved in either/both of the community Anzac services to be held in Manjimup, in the second week of the holidays, on Wednesday 25 April.

Term Two

Monday 30 April is a school development day. Staff will be spending time investigating and working on: teaching and learning of reading comprehension; reviewing whole-school Origo maths program; learning more about trauma – how it affects children’s ability to learn and how we can help students; discussing an education TED presentation, and participating in a Pilates session.

Students return on Tuesday 1 May.

Regards

Michael Smith PRINCIPAL

IMPORTANT DATES

Tues 1 May	Students return for Term 2
Thurs 3 May	P&C Meeting 7.30pm
Wed 9 May	Incursion
15/Thus17 May	“Moz’s Monster Music Mix”
Fri 18 May	NAPLAN
Fri 25 May	Assembly Rm 13 (2.15pm)
Mon 28 May	Faction Cross Country
	Squash Clinic Years 3-6
Mon 28/Fri 1 June	Scholastic Book Fair
Mon 4 June	FOUNDATION DAY
Fri 8 June	Interschool Cross Country
Thurs 14 June	P&C Meeting
Fri 15 June	Assembly Rm 5 (2.15pm)
Fri 29 June	Assembly Rm 3 (2.15pm)
	Last day for Term 2



STARS OF WEEK 9 RESPONSIBILITY

INDIROSE HORT for her increased maturity and independence when undertaking her classroom job. Thanks for your effort!

ALEXIS GREEN is a responsible, sensible student who makes the “right” choices. Terrific effort.

KOBY CARPANONI who makes a big effort to do the right thing and make responsible choices. Your thoughtfulness is appreciated, Koby!

CHAD HERCOCK your responsible manner both in the classroom and playground is a credit to the EMPS uniform. Thank you Chad.

MONIQA WOLFS you have a caring, gentle approach to your classmates and set a wonderful standard of behaviour to others – AWESOME!

JOSHUA THOMPSON for showing great responsibility when organising crunch and sip and directing classmates to their places.

CAMERON LEONI-ARNOTT thank-you for choosing to quietly read a book every day you return to class after lunch, regardless of distractions around you.

GEORGIE PURSE for being the person we can rely on to do all that needs to be done in our class. Thank you!

MADDISON DUNN for always being a thoughtful and helpful class member.

Let's Stay Connected...



Shire of Manjimup

Follow the Shire of Manjimup Facebook page to keep up-to-date with all activities, event and notices.



Be informed of what's happening in the Shire of Manjimup with the new community information app. You can received reminder about your recycling days, be notified of works in your area and find out about events where you work, live or play.



ATTENDANCE AWARD		
WEEK	CLASS	PERCENTAGE
11	Room 3	97.89%

FACTION VALUES SHIELD		
GREEN	Kaylee O'Breza	339
GOLD	Brin Booth	397
BLUE	Harvey Pianta	403
RED	Harlee Franklin	367



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Interschool Athletics Carnival

The Interschool Athletics Carnival was held last week and it was a fantastic day. The students showed fantastic team spirit and the competition was excellent.

Results

Overall Shield	Handicap Shield
EMPS 458 points	Kearnan 561
MPS 456 points	Bridgetown 555
Kearnan 447 points	EMPS 552
Bridgetown 319 points	MPS 456

Individual Champions

	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Yr 3 Boys	Hunter Kitchen (KC)	Chevy Maxwell (BPS)	Cejay Brown (EMPS)
Yr 3 Girls	Charlotte Price (EMPS)	Aylah Chadwick (BPS)	Kaylee O'Breza (EMPS)
Yr 4 Boys	Cristian Braovich (MPS)	Kolby Fontanini (KC)	Sebastian Walter (MPS)
Yr 4 Girls	Olivia Gillard (MPS)	Taizley Krispyn (MPS)	Kendra Thompson (MPS)
Yr 5 Boys	Jett Martyn (EMPS)	Rowan Asplin (BPS)	Oscar Ralston (BPS) & Oscar Matthews (KC)
Yr 5 Girls	Natalie Moore (EMPS)	Charlotte Walker (KC)	Chloe Buegge (MPS)
Yr 6 Boys	Tre Healy (KC)	Connor Brown (KC)	Connor Edwards (MPS)
Yr 6 Girls	Tessa Edwards (MPS)	Ashlee Hughes (EMPS)	Tara Chadwick (BPS)



STARS OF WEEK 11 UNDERSTANDING TOLERANCE & INCLUSION

KAISHO WILLS you are always willing to let others join in with your play and make them feel welcome.

JAKEB BENNETT your 'never give up' attitude reflects on your positive personality and your encouragement towards others.

AHLEEA TOIGO for her willingness to work with anyone. You can be relied upon to happily join in with any group.

FRANKIE MCCURDY has a wonderful smile, a terrific attitude and a kind and caring nature.

JASPER PESKETT who has a smile and a friendly word for everyone.

EMILIA PROSSER we love your enthusiasm and willingness to join in with your class mates: anytime. What a star!

MIKAELA PAGE great hearing your hearty laughter and watching you help and interact with others. Keep working on friendships.

TAYLA HARRISON for exhibiting patience towards a group member during collaborative work. Thank-you for showing empathy and understanding that your team mate was having a tough day.

JED EDWARDS thank you for the respectful way you treat others at all times but especially during morning fitness – you never leave others out.

COMMUNITY NEWS

CANTEEN

**TERM 2: The Canteen will be closed on
MONDAYS and TUESDAY ALL TERM.**

Manjimup Repertory Club Inc.

The Addams Family

A NEW MUSICAL COMEDY

APRIL
27th, 28th (Evening)
& 29th (Matinee)

MAY
4th, 5th (Evening)
& 6th (Matinee)

@ The Manjimup Repertory Theatre
(cnr Bath & Brockman St)

BOOK ONLINE FROM APRIL 2ND!

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(ALL TICKET ENQUIRIES CONTACT: 0427 155 222 OR 9371 2893)

Book by Marshall Brickman and Rick Elice
Music and Lyrics by Andrew Lippa
Based on Characters Created by Charles Addams

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let's celebrate!

Opening of the Sandra Donovan Sound Shell

Friday 20th April 2018, 5pm - 10pm

Come join us for a celebration evening in the park with many live musicians, performances by the Repertory Club, Southern Stage Performing Arts (with audience participation!), Flamenco Dancing, Sing Australia and much more!! The playground will be lit up all evening, please BYO food, drinks and chairs.



2018 Manjimup Youth Festival (#SO_MY_FEST) and the opening of the Manjin Recreation Plaza

Saturday 21st April 2018, 10am onwards

Come and see the official unveiling of the new Manjin Recreation Plaza at a day filled with free activities for all ages. There will be free food, activities including Skateboarding WA Clinic, Scoot-jam, BMX-jam, bike decorating competition, music, chalk bombs, reptiles and much more.

Check out the 'Manjin Rec Plaza' Facebook page for full schedule of activities.



TOYS, PLANTS, CAKES, BOOKS, SAUSAGE SIZZLE, BUBBLE SOCCER, TEA AND COFFEE, HOME STUFF, AND LOTS OF PRELOVED TREASURES

All funds raised will support the youth of Manjimup through Chaplaincy, and the renovation of Revolution Youth Facilities

CAR BOOT SALE

SATURDAY 14TH APRIL

And Preloved Treasure Market

9AM - 12PM

@ warren valley community church (behind target)



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