



# EMPhasiS

Strive to Succeed

A Newsletter from  
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Dear Parents and Community Members

## Welcome – Danielle Percival

Danielle has recently graduated from teacher training and will be joining our staff in 2019. I would like to welcome Danielle to the EMPS team and very much look forward to working with her.

## Classes and Teachers for 2019

We are currently determining the class structure and staff for 2019. Hopefully in the next fortnight they will be announced. It is important to keep in mind that the determination of classes is based upon expected student numbers. If that number changes significantly then the class structure may have to change too. When the class structure is announced parents/carers have the option to request that their child be in a certain class in 2019. Please note that requests need to be in writing (to the Principal) and there is no guarantee all requests will be met. If you are not returning to EMPS next year please advise the front office as soon as possible.

## NAILA

Well done to the three students from our school who were short-listed for the annual (and national) Indonesian language award. Dexi finished second, Bronte third and Ashlee fourth. I think this is an amazing effort from our students and Bu Knowles. It continues an incredible stretch of EMPS student success in this national competition

## Mathademic

And well done to EMPS Yr 5/6 Green Team comprising Dexi Mahinay, Owen Clarke and Delyth Phillips Johns. At yesterday's annual interschool Mathademic competition the team finished second, missing out on equal first by only one point. Well done to our four teams in representing our school. Congratulations to Kearnan College in winning both the Yr 3/4 and Yr 5/6 divisions. Thank you to Manjimup PS for hosting a terrific event.

## Spring Carnival

Well done to our students and staff members involved in the Spring Carnival last Friday. Thank you to Joh Perry, Manjimup PS sports teacher, for organising and leading the day. I would especially like to congratulate the following students who each received medallions for Good Sportsmanship:

Liam – Hockey  
Delyth – Soccer

Jessica – Netball  
Jed – AFL

## Yr 6 to 7 Transition

A note was sent home with Yr 6 students yesterday regarding the Transition Day to Manjimup SHS on **Tuesday 20 November**. The note also provides information about the Year 7 Parent Night, held on the same date. If you did not receive a note please check with your Yr 6 child, and if necessary ask for another note from EMPS.

## Remembrance Day; Skip-a-Thon

On **Friday 9 November** the school will be holding a Remembrance Day service, in the undercover area, starting at 1.25pm. This year marks the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the signing of the armistice which saw hostilities in World War One cease. We invite parents/carers to attend.

Immediately after the service we will be holding a whole-school skip-a-thon. Our skipping team will help lead the activities. All students are asked to bring a gold coin. Donations collected will be used to help buy team shirts for our skippers. We are also currently running a 'name-the-team' competition. We want to come up with a creative name for our student skipping team. If you have any ideas please write them on a piece of paper, with your name on it, and place it in the competition box in the front office.

## Sandals

Students are allowed to wear sandals to school. In the hotter months sandals can be more comfortable and hygienic than sports shoes and socks. However, I suggest if your child is going to wear sandals that they also have a pair of shoes and socks in their bag in case they need them for sports or other activities. **Please – no thongs.**

## Earthworks and Construction

Foundational work for the new administration building is well underway. Please note that most contractors (including trucks and forklifts) are entering the site through the staff carpark.

## Mountain Biking

It has been very enjoyable taking groups of students bike riding on the Munda Biddi Trail, heading towards Deanmill. The students have participated maturely and with energy. Hopefully over the term students who have permission to cycle will have a number of turns, heading both towards Deanmill and also towards Quinninup.

## Hats

A reminder that students need to wear a bucket hat or wide brim hat each day to school during Term Four. Students who do not bring such a hat to school must play in the shade those days.

## Gala Day

A reminder that our biannual Gala Day will be held on Saturday 3 November, which is very soon! Please check how your children's classes are involved.

## P&C Meeting

There is a P&C meeting Thursday of next week, in the staff room, starting at 7.30pm.

## Swimming Lessons

This has been the first week of swimming lessons for students from Rooms 3, 4 and 5. Thank you to our students for their positive participation, and to all EMPS staff involved, especially those joining students in the water.

## End-of-Year Production – Melted

Over the next few weeks notes from classes will be sent home with information about costume needs for our production. Please note – we are not expecting this to be an expensive exercise for families. In many cases, old dress-ups and second-hand items will be great to use. IF you receive a request for a costume and it is proving difficult to meet, please contact your child's teacher as soon as possible.

## Incursion

On Wednesday students enjoyed the incursion Red Riding Robyn Hood. It was certainly loud, funny and fast-paced.

## Next Assembly

Room 6 – Friday 2 November, starting at 2.15pm.

Regards

Michael Smith  
PRINCIPAL

### IMPORTANT DATES

<b>Mon-Fri</b> <b>29 Oct-2 Nov</b>	<b>Swimming Lessons</b> <b>(Rm 3-5)</b>
<b>Thurs 1 Nov</b>	<b>P&amp;C Meeting (7.30pm)</b>
<b>Fri 2 Nov</b>	<b>Assembly Rm 6 (2.15pm)</b>
<b>Saturday 3 Nov</b>	<b>P&amp;C Gala Day (9am-2pm)</b>
<b>Thurs 8 Nov</b>	<b>Free Incursion - K-2</b>
	<b>Constable Care</b>
<b>Fri 16 Nov</b>	<b>Assembly Rm 7 (2.15pm)</b>
<b>Wed 21 Nov</b>	<b>Free Excursion – Yr 3-6</b>
	<b>Dragon Girl</b>
<b>Thur 6 Dec</b>	<b>P&amp;C Meeting</b>
<b>Mon 10 Dec</b>	<b>Awards Ceremony &amp; Yr 6</b>
	<b>Graduation</b>
<b>Wed 12 Dec</b>	<b>School Concert</b>
<b>Thurs 13 Dec</b>	<b>Students last day – Inflatables</b>
<b>Mon 4 Feb</b>	<b>Students return for 2019</b>

### Information that has gone home in the past fortnight:

- \* Canteen Menu
- \* Rm 6 class note – “Lob-a-choc” **Due back 1 Nov**
- \* Excursion/medical forms for Bluff Knoll Rm 12&13
- \* Yr 6 – Photos for the year book. **Due back 9 Nov**
- \* Yr 6 – Transition Information.
- \* Gala Day Map and Information

### ATTENDANCE AWARD

WEEK	CLASS	PERCENTAGE
1	Room 13	97.78%
2	Room 6	98%



## STARS OF WEEK 2

### HONESTY & TRUSTWORTHINESS

**LIAM ADAMS** for pushing through and getting on with his work even if he is faced with deliberate distractions. You can be trusted!

**COOPER RAYSON** for your kindness and caring manner with your classmates and friends. We think you're great!

**BEAU BRACKENRIG** for being reliable in every given situation and putting your hand up to do any job.

**LAYLA THOMPSON** you are honest in both your words and actions. You can always be counted on to do the 'right thing'.

**MATILDA SCOTT** for always being an honest and reliable student who can be trusted to do the right thing.

**KARSHA KRISPYN** for being a reliable and trustworthy member of our class. Well done.

**RAHNI SMITH** thank you for allowing the members of your group to work on their own PowerPoint slides.

**KOBY CARPANONI** who does his very best to be honest and fair in his dealings with others. It's good to be reliable, Koby!

**DELTA JEFFERY** Delta is a mature and responsible student who can be trusted to do the right thing!

**NATALIE MOORE** in recent times Room 12 has become a little untidy as children leave personal items laying about. Natalie's honesty shone brightly this morning when she openly claimed unnamed items as her own during our investigation.



## STARS OF WEEK 3

### INTEGRITY

**LILLY PODZIUKA** for being responsible and showing initiative during Reading groups. Thank you!

**ZACHARY CHARLTON** who consistently shows true integrity in word, thought and deed. Zachary, you are a man of honour.

**MIA ALLBON** for having the courage to be honest and trustworthy. You are a very special star!

**KATIE CROSBY** your honesty in all things is to be applauded Katie. You never shirk responsibility and you approach every situation with integrity.

**MARGARET UGLE** for always getting on with her morning work without being asked.

**JED EDWARDS** our whole class has agreed that you set a fantastic example to both our class and the school in the way you conduct yourself in and out of class.



Canteen urgently needs volunteers for Fridays during Term 4. If you are able to spare an hour or two please call us between 9.30am and 1pm on 9771 9214 or register a day through the volunteer tab on [QuickCliq.com.au](http://QuickCliq.com.au)

### FACTION VALUES SHIELD

GREEN	Charlie McNeven / Sayle Milne	1130
GOLD	Lachy Fisher / Lucas Fall	1206
BLUE	Alexis Green / Alex Scott	1334
RED	Adele Barber / Katie Crosby Jasmyne Salomone	1002

## WAAPA Summer School 2018/2019

This Summer WAAPA at ECU, Mt Lawley is offering an exciting performing arts program for students from Years 1 to 12. The Summer School includes classes in RAP, Acting, Dance, Drama, Screen Performance, Music Theatre and of course, how to perform Shakespeare. For information about the fantastic courses on offer please visit [WAAPA Summer School](http://WAAPA Summer School) or contact Gabrielle Metcalf at [g.metcalf@ecu.edu.au](mailto:g.metcalf@ecu.edu.au)



### 1<sup>st</sup> Manjimup Scouts



Do you like camping, hiking, bushcraft, games, first aid, knots, scientific discovery, camp cooking, achieving badges, and making new friends? Come along and join in the fun!  
**Enjoy a 4 week free trial.**

**Joey's** 5:00 pm-6:00 pm Tuesday (5-7 Years)  
**Cubs** 5:30pm – 7:30pm Wednesday (8-11 years)  
**Scouts** 6:pm-8pm Thursday (11-15 years)

Scout Hall, Collier St, Manjimup.  
Contact Dave Allen (0428 767 276)

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## VACSWIM 2018-19

Enrol your children in swimming lessons during the summer school holidays.

**Choose from four VacSwim programs:**

<p><b>Country early start program</b> Every day from Saturday 15 December to Friday 21 December 2018 <b>Enrolments close</b> Sunday 4 November 2018</p>	<p><b>Program 1</b> Every weekday from Wednesday 2 January to Friday 11 January 2019 <b>Enrolments close</b> Sunday 11 November 2018</p>
<p><b>Short program</b> Every day from Monday 7 January to Friday 11 January 2019 <b>Enrolments close</b> Sunday 11 November 2018</p>	<p><b>Program 2</b> Every weekday from Monday 14 January to Friday 26 January 2019 <b>Enrolments close</b> Sunday 18 November 2018</p>

**Enrol now**  
Visit [education.wa.edu.au/swimming](http://education.wa.edu.au/swimming) or call 9402 6412

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## YOUTH WEEK WA 2018

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FREE ENTRY

Manjin Park, Manjimup  
SAT 27th OCT 2018  
10.00am

SKATEBOARD WA  
DJ DAVE KOKEDAMA  
PIRATE SHIP  
BMX JAM  
DUNK TANK FREE FOOD  
PETTING ZOO SCOOTER JAM  
MACRAME  
MOZAICS  
GRAFFITI WORKSHOP  
HENNA  
BUCKING BULL  
STUNT JUMP

FREE BUSES FROM NORTHCLIFFE, PEMBERTON AND WALPOLE TO EVENT  
TO BOOK CALL MANJIMUP SHIRE ON 08 9771 7777

Quinnup Local Drug ACTION Groups Inc.  
LDAG  
act belong connect  
Northcliffe Family & Community Centre  
Government of Western Australia Department of Communities  
Community Resource Centre  
enable  
ROAD SAFETY COMMISSION  
Youth Week WA 2018