



# EMPhasiS

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A Newsletter from  
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Dear Parents and Community Members

## School Board

Thank you to Mark Sewell and Jayde Salomone for nominating to be on the School Board as parent representatives. I am sure their input and expertise will be highly valued. I also want to thank Nicole Whatman and Renae Adams for serving on the Board over the past three years. Their support and advice has been greatly appreciated.

## NAPLAN On-line

Next term our Yr 3 and 5 students will participate in the annual NAPLAN testing, and like last year, will do so on-line (with the exception of Yr 3 Writing, which will be pencil and paper test). Over the last few weeks of this term and first few weeks of next term the students will have a number of practice opportunities in using the on-line format. They will do so through the public demonstration site and also through a stand-alone practice test.

## Purple Day – Epilepsy Awareness

Yesterday we recognised international Purple Day, which is a movement to promote awareness of epilepsy. Many students (and staff) wore purple, violet and lavender. A total of \$260 in gold coin donations was collected and will go to Epilepsy WA to assist in further epilepsy research and support. Teachers shared information about epilepsy with their classes. At this stage we have one student at our school who is diagnosed with epilepsy. Please note: there are some epilepsy fundraising items for sale on the front office desk.

## New Administration Building

We are now in the new administration building. The new building includes offices, lobby area, interview room, medical room and universal access toilet. We have yet to determine how the area in front of the new building will be developed. The old administration building will be used for a number of purposes, including teacher DOTT area, EA preparation area, school psychologist office, and areas for speech therapists, occupational therapists and physiotherapists to work. The staffroom will continue to be located in the old building.

## School Review

We are waiting to receive the written report of the recent review done at our school. This is a public document and will be placed on our EMPS website.

## Interschool Athletics Carnival

On Tuesday morning a number of Yr 3-6 students represented our school at the Jumps Day at Kearnan College and Imperials Oval. Today is the main interschool event, at Imperials. All the best to the Yr 1-6 students representing our school.

## Year 6 Camp

What a great time this was. The week was jam-packed with events and activities. It was very pleasing to see the personal growth in so many of our students over the week in Perth. Staying at SIDE (Oxford St, Leederville) is a great place for the students to see inner-city life and to access different areas of Perth. Thank you to Mrs McCredden, Ms Frichot and Rory for organising, running and supervising the camp.

## Scoliosis Self-Detection Program

Earlier this week an information sheet was given to our Yr 5 girls to take home. It provides information on how to self-detect scoliosis (spinal condition).

## R U Legal? A guide for parents in the digital world

Please take time to read the *R U Legal – A guide for parents in the digital world* information that is included with this newsletter. It is very important information, especially noting that any person over the age of 10 who breaks the law can be charged with a criminal offence.

## Speak Up

In 2018 our Yr 5/6 students trialled the Speak Up program. Each student presented a short public speech (on a topic of their choice) to their peers and staff, and the top three presentations in each year then presented to the whole school and judging panel. Due to its success we are continuing the program. This term Yr 5/6 students are doing theirs. Yr 3/4 students will participate in Term 2 and Yr 1/2 students in Term 3.

Immediately following (approximately 1.45pm) the final Wednesday assembly of the term (10 April) the top three Yr 5 and top three Yr 6 students will participate in the final in front of the whole school

and judging panel. You are more than welcome to attend and enjoy. Thank you to Mrs Bamess for overseeing the program.

### Skipperooos at the Show

Well done to our Skipperooos team in performing publicly at the recent Manjimup Show. Thank you to Mrs Cawley for organising and supervising this event.

Regards

Michael Smith  
PRINCIPAL

### IMPORTANT DATES

Thurs 11 April	<u>School Photos</u>
Fri 12 Apr	ANZAC Ceremony TBC Last Day of Term 1
Tue 30 April	Students return for Term 2
Fri 10 May	Incursion – Moto Safe (Rm7-13)
Fri 17 May	Assembly Rm 6 - 2.15pm
Tue-Fri 14-24 May	NAPLAN
Tue 28 May	Incursion – Pop Up
Fri 31 May	Faction Cross Country
Mon 3 June	WESTERN AUSTRALIAN DAY
Thurs 6 June	Incursion Squash Yr 3-6
Fri 14 June	Interschool Cross Country
Fri 5 July	Last day for Term 2

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

- \* P&C Easter Raffle Tickets
- \* Photo Envelopes

### ATTENDANCE AWARD

WEEK	CLASS	PERCENTAGE
7	Rm 5	99.52%
8	Rm 5	98.10%

### News from Your Friendly Office Girls

#### STUDENT UPDATE FORMS

Your Student Update and/or Medical forms are now overdue could you please return them to the front office even if there are no alterations. If you have misplaced your forms we are happy to print another copy for you.



### STARS OF WEEK 8 RESPONSIBILITY

**JAMES MARTIN** for always doing the right thing and helping others stay on track too. Your positive behaviour and enthusiasm is a great example to others. Keep up the great work.

**EDIE PEDLAR** for your very mature attitude to school, learning and people around you. We are lucky to have you in Room 4.

**AIDEN RIMBAS** for being a responsible camper and assisting a fellow camper by packing up his bedding during clean up.

**JUDAH NUNN** Judah's first day at our school was also the first day of Year 6 camp! Imagine that! He showed great independence to learn the ropes, participate fully and get to know his peers. Fantastic.

**ALEXANDER SCOTT** for becoming a more responsible and focussed learner. Well done Alex! By showing a more determined effort, you are making great progress. What a star!

**ZACHARY CHARLTON** for consistently making the right choices. Zachary, you show responsibility in your work habits and in all other areas in and out of the classroom.

**MILLIE FREETH** for consistently making the right choices, which contribute to a safe and friendly learning environment.

**AMELIA KIRK** for being a mature and responsible student at all times. Amelia always makes sensible choices and is a wonderful role model.

**LUKE COOK** for being a responsible and respectful class member who often goes out his way to care for our environment and creatures within!

### COMMUNITY NEWS

#### Hockey 2019 Registration Day

Come along to our registration day at 3:45-5.00pm,

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> April**

at the Collier St grounds, Manjimup.

Minkey – Y1 & Y2 (boys and girls)

Juniors – Y3 – Y6 (boys and girls) (Boys turning 12 before 30<sup>th</sup> June 2019 are unable to register)

Season starts in Term 2, Sat 4<sup>th</sup> May, at Collier St Grounds.

Contact: Minkey Julia 0410 182 606

Juniors Narelle 0429 660 261

# DID YOU KNOW THERE ARE NOW MANY WAYS YOU CAN EARN EXTRA POINTS FOR YOUR FACTION?

FACTION POINT SLIP	1 POINT
BEEP TEST (NEW PERSONAL BEST)	2 POINTS
POSITIVE CONSEQUENCE SLIP	3 POINTS
STAR OF THE WEEK AWARD	5 POINTS
PUNCTUATION MASTERY	5 POINTS
TIMES TABLE AWARD	5 POINTS
MERIT CERTIFICATE	5 POINTS
SPEAK UP FINALIST	10 POINTS
SPELLADEMIC TEAM SELECTION	10 POINTS
MATHSADEMIC TEAM SELECTION	10 POINTS
SKIPPEROOS TEAM SELECTION	10 POINTS
NAILA ENTRANT	10 POINTS



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AND  
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AND  
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AND  
SWIFT







East Manjimup Primary School P&C  
WOULD LIKE TO WISH YOU A VERY

# HAPPY Easter

The P&C asks each family to please  
**bring an Easter Egg to the front office by**  
**Wednesday the 3rd of April.**

**THESE WILL BE COMBINED TO MAKE A  
GIANT EASTER RAFFLE!**

The raffle winners will be drawn on **April 10th**  
at the mini assembly. One free ticket will be given  
out to each family who brings an egg.

**EASTER RAFFLE TICKETS!**

We ask each family to sell 10 Raffle Tickets for \$1 per ticket.  
Please return tickets and money to the front office by **April 3rd.**



# SCHOOL PHOTO DAY IS COMING!

Dear Parents,

Our school photo day is coming! Approximately two weeks prior to the photo day every student will receive a Kapture Photography order envelope to bring home. The recommended method of ordering your photos is online through Kapture's website as your payment is secure and can be easily verified at any time. If you pay online, there is no need to return the order envelope to school.

Alternatively you can pay by cash and return the provided envelope to the school on the photography day. Please note the photographers cannot open sealed envelopes and cannot provide change.

***SIBLING ORDERS CAN ONLY BE PLACED ONLINE:  
Late requests cannot be granted.***

You have the option to order a sibling photo package online, however please note **sibling orders will close in most instances @midday sharp at least one business day before the first photo date.** We suggest you place your online sibling order as soon as you receive your order envelope with your order instructions.

**Log on to [kapture.com.au](http://kapture.com.au) for your sibling photo order cut-off date and time.**

Late payment envelopes cannot be accepted by the school office or by Kapture. You can place an order online for class or individual photographs at any time for the remainder of the current school year however a \$15 fee will apply if you order more than 10 days after photography.

If your child is in a sports or special group photo, you can use the same school code on your order envelope to view and order these photos on Kapture's website, around the time that school photos are ready to be delivered. Please note; Class group, individual and sibling portraits are not available to view online.

Kapture offer a money back guarantee for any parent who is not fully satisfied with their photo package. Should you have any queries before or after photo day, please direct them to the Kapture office on 9240 1714 or email [enquiries@kapture.com.au](mailto:enquiries@kapture.com.au).

*All students will be photographed individually on photo day for school administration records AS WELL as included in their class group photo available for purchase to all families. Should there be any reason why your child should **NOT** be included in the photo shoot –please contact the school office.*

## 80's Fitness Fundraiser

Join us for a night of laughs as we dress up and dance an hour away whilst fundraising for a great cause  
Prize for best dressed + best moves  
Raffle Drawn on the night  
Social hour and glass of Bubbles after

**FUN FUN FUN**



**Wednesday  
10th April 7pm  
St Josephs Parish  
\$10 Entry**

**Please bring a plate of supper to share + some \$ for the raffles**

100% of entry fee's and raffle sales goes to 'Shanae's Shufflers' for MSWA



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Special thanks to:  
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