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A Newsletter from
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Dear Parents and Community Members

Payments for Swimming, Camps, Excursions, Incursions
The school attempts to provide as early as possible information (including costs) to families regarding special events. We would encourage all families to start as early as possible to set aside money for such costs and/or see school administration as soon as possible to discuss any financial issues. What is proving difficult is attempting to ensure all students participate in all activities while at the same time not receiving payment for such activities. The school does operate a policy of students of families that do not pay excursion/incursion costs do not participate in those events. We now have to enforce this policy to events such as swimming lessons and camps also. We do need payment made before the event. If you have any concerns regarding this information could you, please contact the school.

Students and Mobile Phones
The State Government has announced a new *Student Mobile Phones in Public Schools* policy to take effect from the start of Term 1, 2020.

The policy requires all public schools to implement a ban on the use of mobile phones for all students from the time they arrive at school to the end of the school day. This extends to the use of smart watches which need to be on aeroplane mode during this period.

As we already have a phone use policy that meets these minimum requirements, there will be no changes for our school. Our existing policy will remain in effect.

Class Requests 2020
We are not at a point yet to announce the class structure for next year, including which teachers will be teaching each class. However, as information is made known to families over the up-coming weeks, parents are welcome to make requests (in writing) regarding classes they would like their child/ren to go in.

Remembrance Day
This Monday is Remembrance Day. This day originates from the commemoration of the end of hostilities in World War One, which occurred at 11.00am on the 11th day of the 11th month. On Monday we will commemorate Remembrance Day through some oral information and one-minute silence, over the PA system at school, knowing that some classes will be out at this time at swimming lessons.

End-of Year Concert / Performance
Over the next few weeks you will receive a letter from your child's teacher regarding costumes for the end-of-year concert. If you have any concerns regarding the requirements outlined, please ensure you do speak with the teacher.

Swimming Lessons
Feedback from the swimming teachers this week has been very positive regarding our Yr 3 – 6 students, particularly their attitude and effort.

Assembly Room 12
This afternoon Room 12 will be hosting the assembly, from 2.15pm. In a fortnight's time Room 13 will host their assembly.

Incursions
Last week the school had the privilege of watching and enjoying *Illusionaire*. Two magicians presented a very high quality show, and the students were literally 'spell-bound'.

Also, our Year 1/2 students participated in Kids Safe sessions last week.

Green Team
Thank you to Mrs Rooke and our Green Team for once again participating in a clean-up at the neighbouring Mottram Reserve. This kind of community service is very important and positive.

Students – shoes and sandals
With the weather warming up we wanted to let families know that students are allowed to wear sandals (not thongs) rather than closed-in shoes. However, please do keep in mind the days your child may need to also bring in shoes/socks for sport etc.

Quiz Night
Well done to our P&C Association for running a terrific quiz night on Friday 25 October. It was a fun evening and over $2000 was raised.

P&C Meeting
The next P&C meeting will be held on Thursday 21 November, at 7.00pm in the staffroom.

Mathademic
Thank you to the 12 students who represented our school at the recent Mathademic (Interschool) Competition at Manjimup PS. Well done to the Yr 3/4 team of Marco, Gwennie and Joel in finishing second in their division.

Bushfire Safety
Over the next few weeks students will be learning about bushfire safety during Health lessons.

Regards
Michael Smith PRINCIPAL

IMPORTANT DATES

11 – 15 Nov	**Rooms 7-13 Swimming Lessons**
Thur 21 Nov	**P&C Meeting (7pm)**
Fri 22 Nov	**DISCO - 2020 Yr 6 camp fundraiser**
26 & 27 Nov	**Yr 6s to MSHS**
Mon 16 Dec	**Awards Ceremony 10:30am**
	Yr 6 Graduation 11:30am
Wed 18 Dec	**School Concert at the Sound Shell 6:30pm start**
Thur 19 Dec	**Students last day for 2019**

CONGRATULATIONS

Last week Mr Smith attended the Modern Languages Teachers Association *Principal of the Year* awards ceremony at Rossmoyne SHS.
Mr Smith was shortlisted for this award, along with 5 other principals. The award was won by principal Paul Bottcher of Canning Vale College.
East Manjimup PS was the only country school shortlisted for this award.
Congratulations to Mr Smith.

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Connecting education

Did you know you can submit an absentee note to EMPS using Connect?

Log into your browser using your P number and password. Scroll down and you will see 'Send Absentee Note'. Fill in the details and submit.

Handy Hint : Log in and then save the page to your homescreen, for quicker access.

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STARS OF WEEK 3
DOING YOUR BEST

NOAH MANUEL for your improved focus and completion of tasks: especially in Mathematics. Awesome effort – well done Noah!

TYLA KINGSTON for consistently putting your best effort forward both academically and socially. You persevere even when you are faced with difficult challenges.

RYAN OLIVER for your amazing building in Morning Investigations. Keeping it as a 'work in progress' and adding to it, made it even more impressive. Keep doing your best.

DAMIEN LODGE for being recognised by a team-mate for never giving up during Mathsademic yesterday. He kept working hard to solve problems no matter how difficult they were; and some were extremely tricky.

LEXIA RIMBAS for putting in a big effort with your words during morning activities and having-a-go at mat time, joining in with discussions.

BAILEY WATT for working so hard on his writing. Bailey is challenging himself to reach his writing goal. You can do it Bailey!

RILEY HETHERINGTON for working independently in Maths, completing division problems with 100% accuracy. Well Done!

ADDY RADBURN for trying your best during writing. Your book review was well thought out and your handwriting was divine! Keep up the amazing work Addy!

DANTE HARRISON for making a big effort to work more efficiently in class and complete tasks. Keep up the good work – you can do it!

STARS OF WEEK 4
FAIR GO

BRANDON FARMER for kindly allowing someone else to sit at the back of the bus on the way home from swimming. I know you wanted to sit there!

MADISON FRENCH for kindly allowing someone else to sit at the back of the bus on the way home from swimming. I know you wanted to sit there!

SAGE HAWTHORNE for being a friend to everyone in our class. Sage will always help others when she sees they need it. Thank you Sage!

RUBY BAYMAN for encouraging others to join in, giving everyone their chance to shine. You have been a wonderful friend to others, well done!

WALTER WOLFS for happily coming to school, having fun learning with your friends and being an enthusiastic class member.

BYRON PETERSEN for interacting with all his classmates during group work. Thank you for being friendly to everyone, especially at break times!

LAWSON WARD for being a more cooperative and supportive team member when playing Cricket with your classmates. Well done Lawson: we love your Sportsmanship.

ASHA PESKETT for being a generous mentor to Karsha as she prepared her 'Faction Captain' nomination speech. Your encouragement has given Karsha more confidence. Thank you.

NICOLE MARTIN for genuinely being everyone's friend. You are always thoughtful and caring of others. You listen and give them the opportunity to shine.

Information that has gone home in the past fortnight:

Canteen Meal Deal
Room 3 - MSHS Farm Visit
Kindy – Restaurant Night

CLEAN Environment	
WEEK	**CLASS**
2	Room 9
3	Room 3

FACTION VALUES SHIELD		
28s	Max Rayson Tyler Mitchell	**3236**
Blueys	Zachary Leighton Lily Baker	**3090**
Red Tails	Bryn Perrella Rory Carruthers	**3306**

ATTENDANCE AWARD		
WEEK	**CLASS**	**PERCENTAGE**
3	Room 3	97.65%
4	Room 1	98.89%

MERIT CERTIFICATES

Chad Hercock *for your amazing improvement in your reading! The way you have persevered and pushed through challenges this term has been exciting to see, well done!*

Jordyn Brown *for the mature and independent way you approach all learning tasks. Your work is always of high standard. You are a role model to others!*

Amelia Mitchell *for the improvement in your reading and writing. Your ability to sound out and use taught strategies is impressive!*

Jensen Harris *for being such a kind and courteous student. You go out of your way to help others and encourage your friends. What a superstar you are!*

Lily-Anne Baker *for her responsible, focused attitude in class. Lily-Anne works independently and achieves highly. Well done.*

Alexis Green *for her thoughtful approach to learning. You have a curious attitude to learning and love to seek answers.*
Well done Lexie - keep up the curiosity!

Mason Ford *for your focussed and diligent approach to school. Well done Mason; you have such a wonderful attitude to learning.*

Harvey Pianta *for developing a strong work ethic across all subjects. Congratulations for taking responsibility for your learning and pride in the work you produce.*

Maddison Minchin *for producing high quality work in all learning areas and ensuring that she completes work that was given when she was absent. Well done!*

Levi Chapman *for your consistent focus, effort and positive approach to learning Indonesian. You are a fantastic class member. Hebat!*

Liam Adams *for a brilliant effort in writing, memorising and performing a professional and humorous speech for NAILA. Hebat Liam!*

Tayla Harrison *for your cooperative and upbeat approach to all of your learning tasks. You are a delight to teach.*

Cooper Rayson *for your attentive and productive attitude during music. Your ukulele skills are rapidly improving.*

ndis Wanslea

Delivering the NDIS in your community

Wanslea NDIS Early Childhood Early Intervention Information Session

Come and meet Wanslea, your NDIS Early Childhood Early Intervention Partner

Wanslea invites families and carers of children with developmental delay and or disabilities and the wider community to attend an information session and morning tea that will cover:

- an introduction to the NDIS
- an introduction of Wanslea as a partner of the NDIS for children under the age of 7
- NDIS eligibility criteria
- how to request access

Please register online via Eventbrite and any accessibility or other requirements, noting a minimum of five (5) business days' notice is required to book AUSLAN interpreters.

Attendees who haven't registered are welcome. Light morning tea provided.

Where: Manjimup Local Education Office
49 Rose Street, Manjimup, WA, 6258
When: 22nd November 2019, 10:00am – 11:30am
RSVP: Eventbrite – Click this link https://www.eventbrite.com/e/80211100561

www.wanslea.asn.au

COMMUNITY NEWS

CHERRY HARMONY FESTIVAL 2019
14 December

Colouring In
Head into the Manjimup Newsagency and pick up your entry form or go to www.cherryfestival.com.au
ENTRIES CLOSE: **Friday 29 November** and **MUST** be submitted to the Manjimup Newsagency

Poster Competition:
School aged children are encouraged to visually depict their interpretation of this year's contest theme:
"Why Manjimup Shire is special to me".
ENTRIES CLOSE: **Monday 2 December** and MUST be submitted to Harts Mensland or the Manjimup Newsagency

2019 Photography Competition:
This year's **categories** are:

Landscape	Macro or Close up
Mono	Be Creative
Pets	Primary School Entries
High School Entries	

For further information phone Brad 9777 2550 or 0488 127 638 or toymanblues@bigpond.com

For any further information on the Cherry Festival activities check the pinup boards around the school or go to www.cherryfestival.com.au

TELETHON KIDS INSTITUTE

TO ALL PARENTS & CARERS

West Busselton Primary School
proudly present world renowned researcher & educator

Professor Donna Cross

"How can we best support the social & emotional development of children, whilst navigating the challenges of social media?"

WHEN :	Monday 25th November 2019
TIME :	5.30pm
LOCATION :	West Busselton Primary School, Bower Road
COST :	$20 per person

PLEASE BOOK YOUR TICKET ON https://www.trybooking.com/BGGYW

Program:
- Donna Cross presentation 5.30pm—6.30pm
- Q & A Panel 6.30pm —7 pm with community representatives

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