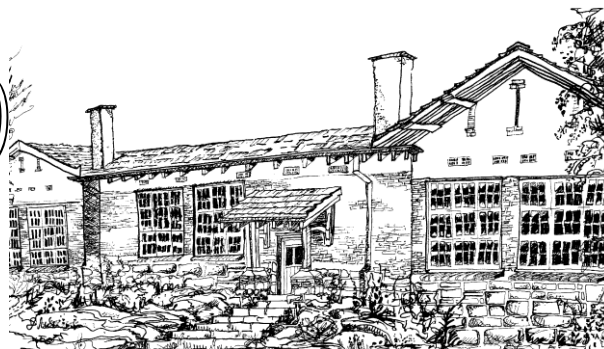


RICHMOND NEWS



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Schedule of School Events

- **4 June** school closed WA Day
- **5 June** school closed PD day
- 15 June assembly rm 10 0
- 16 June [P&C Bogan Bingo](#)
- 28 June school tour 9.30am
- 29 June assembly SIM
- **29 June** end semester 1
- 16 July student free day
- **17 July** students return
- 20 July 2019 enrolments close
- 27 July assembly rm 0 8
- 10 Aug assembly rm 9 2
- 24 Aug assembly rm 1 6
- 7 Sept assembly rm Music
- 21 Sept assembly rm 4 3
- 19 Oct assembly rm 5 7
- 2 Nov assembly rm 13 10
- 16 Nov assembly rm 11 1
- 30 Nov assembly rm 2 9
- 6 Dec graduation
- 10 Dec 4-6 outback splash
- 12 Dec final assembly
- **13 Dec** break up

The room 3 cake stall today raised \$392.00. THANK YOU!

STUDENT ABSENCES

- **Please SMS absences to the school staffing:** *Child's full name, room, absence date, reason*

SMS: 0417 973 697

Please do not try to call this number and only use it to notify of absences. THANKS

From the Principal

NOTE: We are closed on June 4 and 5th (Monday and Tuesday)

Facebook

We will be posting 'a photo a day' of things we are doing at Richmond. Please do follow us. If you have a photo to share (no identifiable children) please feel free to email it to us for consideration.

Year 6 Camp

Year six students are returning from a brilliant week of camping at Bridgetown today. Thanks to all involved in this: Mr Tiffin, Frances, Mrs Button, Rebecca O'Keeffe and Craig Petzke. We really appreciate it.

P&C Bogan Bingo

The P&C Bogan Bingo night is Saturday June 16th. Tables are on sale from the front office...please call Lara on 9339 5055 to reserve yours. You can select which table you buy from our room map. Payment for the whole table (ten people @ \$30 pp) to the office before June 16th please. Thanks for supporting another fantastic P&C event!

Questions

As always, please email me any quick queries or questions and I will respond as soon as I can. Recent questions overleaf.

Lisa Dentith

Make your own storybook Competition 2018.

Thank you to all the students that have entered in their books for the above competition. We had such a wonderful response to this competition. Congratulations to the students who were selected to be entered on behalf of Richmond Primary School.

Benji Winstone
Sophia Mackinnon
Molly Baker
Indigo Criddle

Lexi Rees
Zara Whitton
Ruby O'Keeffe
Josie Law

Imogen Liley
Katie Miller
Connie Cartright
Charlotte Watson

Well done to everyone who entered.
Susan Catalano, Library Officer

From the Principal continued

Recent Questions

Email your question.

Q: When will we get NAPLAN results?

A: Throughout Western Australia over 43 000 students completed NAPLAN Online in 2018, with over 150,305 test completed during the nine-day window. Nationally over 191 000 students completed the NAPLAN Online testing process this year.

It is anticipated that individual student reports will be sent to schools for distribution in early August.

Q: When will I hear about kindy enrolments?

A: We are now taking enrolments for 2019. Please get form PART A from Lara in the office and return it by 20 July. After that date, all applications will be assessed and offers will be made for kindergarten during August. Those families will be asked to complete form PART B.

Q: What are the dates of interschool sport?

A: 11, 18, 25 May and 8, 15, 22 June; 1.30pm

Q: What is Bogan Bingo?

A: Go to: www.boganbingo.com

Q: What is Richmond's Movie Madness?

A: The Student Council's current movie competition for all students to enter. Entry forms from the front office.

Q: Who can I talk to about OSH Club?

A: Simon Hughes | Partnership Manager
Suite 1 Level 3 South Shore Plaza
85 The Esplanade, South Perth WA 6151
M: 0411 821 446
E: simon@junioradventuresgroup.com.au

Q: Why was a survey sent home?

A: You would have received a survey that your child brought home. This survey takes the pulse of the RPS parent community and will be interpreted in conjunction with surveys that staff and some students are completing.

The survey is part of a development plan that the school is undertaking to consider whether or not to apply to be an Independent Public School (IPS). The development plan provides schools the opportunity to review a series of elements to decide if applying to become an Independent Public School is in the best interests of the school.

The decision whether to apply to become an IPS has been discussed by the School Council for a number of years. No decision has been made at this stage, this survey is one data input into the process. Should there be a decision to progress the application any further we will communicate this.

Whilst there were originally some functional differences between IPS schools and non IPS schools, those differences are now negligible. IPS status could however be an affirmation that this is a good school.

Any questions on any aspect of the process, please feel free to email the principal or School Council Chair, Tammy tammy@tammytansley.com.au

Lump sum payment scheme for incursions/excursions. School Council introduced an upfront bulk payment system for excursions to make it easier for parents. Parents pay \$100 into their child's account at the office. Any payments will be debited as the year progresses and you will receive statements. This saves parents having to find small amounts of cash for excursions as they arise... just complete a permission slip for each activity and keep your account in credit.

School tours for new parents

Due to daily enquiries I am now running school tours every few weeks for 2019 enrolments. It isn't possible to run individual tours for everyone who enquires, so please could new parents wanting to look around book on a group tour by calling Lara on 9339 5055.

\$\$ School Banking News \$\$

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The school banking programme is run by parent volunteers on behalf of the P&C.

The current team is retiring at the end of 2018

If you can spare two hours per week and would be interested in running the programme, please speak to one of the current Co-ordinators.

Liann 0433 929 173
Rosa 0408 959 766

Katrina 0419 852 482
Carlie 0407 771 553

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

Not-for-profit ads are provided as a community service and are free. The School Council has decided to accept paid advertising from businesses at \$30 per ad. This revenue will be spent on school resources. Businesses wishing to advertise should email a business card sized advert to the school. Services and programs on this page are not necessarily endorsed by the school.



Gilbert's Fresh Market

Support Our Schools Program (SOS)

Join the SOS Program and Gilbert's will donate 1% of the money spent by you to your nominated school each time you shop at the store. Just scan your card at the checkout. Such an easy fundraiser – no vouchers, stickers or coupons to collect and collate, available every day of the week. Sign up in store.

308 South St, HILTON

T: 6165 5755

E: sos-hilton@gilbertsfresh.com.au

W: www.gilbertsfresh.com.au

SCHOOL-AGED HEALTH SERVICES PARENT SURVEY

Help the Department of Health to improve school-aged health services. Do you have a child aged between three and 18? Child and Adolescent Community Health and WA Country Health Service are reviewing the community health services provided to school-aged children and across Western Australia. You are invited to complete a short survey to help them understand what is important to you, what is working well and what could be made better. For more information and to complete the survey, visit <http://healthywa.wa.gov.au/Schoolhealth-services>. The survey closes on Friday 8 June.

PERTH GOJU KARATE

A special offer for the school's students – 4 WEEKS FREE beginners karate lessons!

Classes are held after school and are a great way for children of all ages to learn self-defense in a fun and safe environment.

Classes continue over the school holidays which makes it perfect for the kids who are looking to try something on the holidays.

Karate has many benefits which include confidence, respect, discipline and fitness.

**Call now to take advantage of this 4 week trial.
Sensei Johnny Moran - 0402 830 402**

BEAUTY PRODUCTS RECYCLING PROGRAM

Can you HELP us to recycle empty skin care, hair and cosmetics packaging and STOP them from going to Landfill?

Commencing Monday, 21st May, simply bring your empty personal care and cosmetic packaging to school and place them in the bin located outside the library.

Empty packaging will be sent to TerraCycle who will recycle the empty packaging into cool and useful new products. The more we collect the more we earn for the charity of our choice.

Vee Bauer, Richmond parent

Maggie Dent seminar "Real Kids in an Unreal World" to be held at Tompkins-on-Swan on Tuesday 5th June from 7pm. The link to the Trybooking site is below. <https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=370795&>

Willetton Uniforms

https://www.willettonuniforms.com.au/?s=richmond&post_type=product

Entertainment books

www.entbook.com.au/8329a7

Do you have a child aged between 3 & 18?

We are reviewing the community health services we provide to school-aged children and young people across Western Australia.

As a parent or caregiver, have your say by completing a short survey. Your input will help us understand what is important to you, what is working well and what could be made better.

For more information or to have your say, visit:

<http://healthywa.wa.gov.au/School-health-services>

Your answers are anonymous and it will not be possible to identify you or your child.

The survey closes on Friday, 8 June 2018.



LAUGHS BY THE LAWN

*Fundraising for East Fremantle's
Lawn Tennis & Lawn Bowls Club*

Friday 27 + Sunday 29 July

Head to the Town website for more info;
www.eastfremantle.wa.gov.au/events

*Presented by Town of East Fremantle
& The Gelo Company*