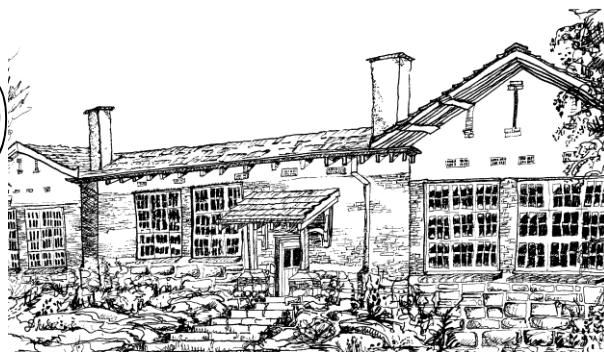


# RICHMOND NEWS



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Number 23

18 August 2017

## Schedule of School Events

- **21-25 Aug** Book week
- **23 Aug 9am** K-6 dress up parade
- **25 Aug** assembly rm7, PPO/s
- **29 Aug** field events 9am
- **30 Aug** athletics carnival
- **8 Sept** music assembly P-6
- **22 Sept** assembly rm4, 2
- **22 Sept** **break up**
- **9 October** **student free day**
- **10 Oct** **students back**
- **15 Oct** P&C billy carts
- **28 Oct** P&C disco
- **7 Dec** yr 6 grad' Swan YC

## ALL STUDENT ABSENCES

Please SMS absences to the school stating: *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 ALL absences. THANKS

### Getting this Newsletter

New families please note this newsletter is only distributed by email.

To register for the distribution list please email us on [Richmond.PS@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Richmond.PS@education.wa.edu.au) and put 'newsletter' in the subject line.

Please advise by return email if you would like to be removed from this distribution list.

Have a look at our library blog:

<http://richmondpslibrary.blogspot.com.au/>

The PP cake stall raised \$379.65 thanks!

## From the Principal

### 2018 Kindy

Please remember to return your PART B Enrolment form to confirm your place and days in kindy 2018. The information session will be on Wednesday 8 November from 9.30am-10.30am. Both classes are at capacity. We were not able to take any out of area students.

### 2018 Pre-primary

We already have two full classes of in-area students for next year. If you live outside our local intake zone please approach your local school for pre-primary.

### Athletic Carnival PP-6

The carnival is the week after next. It is in two parts.

**The field events** will be on Tuesday 29 August in the morning on our oval and only involve years 3-6. See program on page 4. Each year group is looking for parent volunteers to help.

**The main carnival** will be on Wednesday 30 August at Gil Fraser Reserve in North Fremantle. It involves PP (morning only) and years 1-6 (all day). See program on page 5. Lots of parents and family usually come to watch and everyone is welcome. We do not need any parent volunteers. The year 6 parents will run a food stall to raise funds for graduation (see below).

### Food Stall on Athletics Day

The Year 6's will be running a cake and lunch stall at the Athletics Carnival on Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> August. Items for sale will include; coffee, tea, muffins, slices, cupcakes, quiche, sandwiches, sushi, fresh fruit, vanilla ice cream in cones. Any volunteers on the day would be most welcome. We will have some gluten free options.

*Kylie Kelly Yr 6 parent.*

### 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*

## Recent Questions

Email your question.

**Q:** Athletics carnival: Do parents usually attend for the day? Is it expected?

**A:** A lot do usually attend. It isn't an expectation.

**Q:** Are PP at the athletics carnival all day?

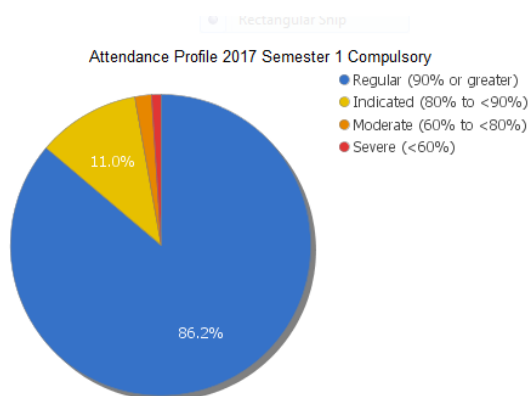
**A:** PP are only there in the morning until 12.30pm and spend the afternoon back at school. We find the whole day is too long for them.

**Q:** Can student go barefoot in the athletics carnival?

**A:** No, sorry it's OSH. They need shoes. Especially since we will be off site. Also bring a fleece, hat, packed food and water bottle. They will be offsite all day so please plan for all eventualities.

**Q:** What does 'regular attendance' mean?

**A:** An attendance rate of at least 90%. Our semester 1 profile for all students (below) shows that 86.2% of our students have regular attendance rates. Indicated, moderate or severe refers to 'at educational risk'. Poor attendance is generally due to extended family holidays. Your child's attendance rate is printed on their semester reports.



**Q:** Is there a book week parade?

**A:** Yes. Wednesday 23 August at 9am in the undercover. Dress as your favourite character. It is optional. Those dressed up will parade.

**Q:** I was told my child's immunisation history isn't up to date?

**A:** We are updating all details on our system and are contacting parents. To get your current AIR statement ring 1800 653 809 or go to Medicare or the website: <https://my.gov.au>

**Q:** What month does our class get free bread please?

**A:** Each child will be offered a loyalty card for an allocated month depending on their year group and there is no limit to how many cards you can have over the year if you have more than one child at the school.

May Grade 1

June Grade 2

July Grade 3

**August Grade 4**

September Grade 5

October Grade 6

Jo leaves cards in each child's classroom one week prior to their allocated month.

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## P&C ASSOCIATION

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**Next General Meeting: 22 August 3pm school library**

### Halloween Disco DJ

We are seeking a volunteer to **DJ the music** for the Halloween Disco on Friday 28th October. Please contact Kylie Kelly (0400 856 372) if you can help to create a fun night for the kids.

### Earn and Learn stickers

Collection boxes are in the front office, at kindy as well as Stammers (Woolworths), Palmyra.  
*Liann Cooper*

### Canteen Assistant Position

Application Information is available from the front office or online at our website <https://rpspc.tidyhq.com/>  
Applications close on Monday 21st August.  
*Beck James*

### Entertainment Books

\$14 per book goes to Richmond PS P&C

[CLICK HERE TO ORDER](#)

*Carlie Baker 0407771553*

[carlie.baker@hotmail.com](mailto:carlie.baker@hotmail.com)

### Canteen

Please contact our Canteen Manager, Peta, to go on the roster [pmvanheemst@bigpond.com](mailto:pmvanheemst@bigpond.com) or 0411 442 035

## P&C PARTNERSHIPS

The P&C partners with local businesses that run loyalty programs benefitting the P&C and ultimately the kids at our school. Current partnerships include:

### Commonwealth Bank – school banking

\$5 to the P&C for every new student joining school banking plus 5% commission on all funds banked  
Liann Cooper 0433 929 173 [liann.cooper@inet.net.au](mailto:liann.cooper@inet.net.au)

### Bakers Delight Melville

'A month free bread' cards for each class over the year. Jo Colman 0420 699 848 [jo@bcifirth.com.au](mailto:jo@bcifirth.com.au)

### Empire Real Estate

\$500 donation to the P&C for every successful sale referred by the RPS community. Contact Kylie Kelly 0400 856 372 [kylie@empireproperty.com.au](mailto:kylie@empireproperty.com.au)

### Dinner Twist

\$35 donation to the P&C for every new client referred by RPS & 30% discount off first order for new customers when entering Richmond as code. Menus [www.dinnertwist.com.au](http://www.dinnertwist.com.au) or 1300135660

### The Left Bank

VIP card for parents to earn points & save (points equal discount of 5% off food and 10% off drinks) and to earn credit points for school events and more. A card will be offered to your child to bring home. Please return unwanted cards. Further information will be attached to the card.

**Please let the P&C know if you have been referred to one of these businesses by someone at Richmond.**

The P&C are also actively seeking local businesses to sponsor P&C events throughout the year.

P&C PRESIDENT: Beck James [beck.james@bigpond.com](mailto:beck.james@bigpond.com)  
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Telephone: 9339 5055 Facsimile: 9339 4097  
Canteen: 9319 1758  
Early childhood off site K: 9339 3407; PP: 9339 8692  
37 Windsor Road, EAST FREMANTLE 6158  
Web: [www.richmondps.wa.edu.au](http://www.richmondps.wa.edu.au)

## 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.



<p><b>Rhee Taekwondo</b> 47 Years in Perth</p>  <p>Fun, Fitness, &amp; Self-defence for the whole family!</p> <p><b>Contact Tim</b> 0432 848 007 Ages 6 and up</p>	<p><b>Special Offer</b> 1 Month Trial On Us!</p> <p>East Fremantle Primary Tues &amp; Thurs 6:30-7:30pm</p>  <p>"I like training because you learn something new every time, everybody's really inspirational and I really enjoy it!" - Alex T</p>
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### Life Ready Physio & Pilates

Physio, Pilates, Exercise Physiology, remedial massage, personal training, group fitness classes - HIIT, mat Pilates, boxing.  
Cnr Westbury Cr & Canning Hwy



(08) 6313 4010 or book online  
[www.lifereadyphysio.com.au](http://www.lifereadyphysio.com.au)  
'Your best quality of life'

\*\*Private health rebates available\*\*

## Tee-Ball Registration Day

Saturday 2 September 2017  
12:00-2:00 pm

Marmion Reserve Clubrooms  
Pre-Primary through to Year 6



For more information:  
[www.melvillemarinersteeball.com.au](http://www.melvillemarinersteeball.com.au)  
or contact  
[registrar@melvillemarinersteeball.com.au](mailto:registrar@melvillemarinersteeball.com.au)

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**Program for Field Events & Team Games  
Rotation Timetable Tuesday August 29th**

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We are looking for parent volunteers to assist in the measuring for both jumps and throws.

Please let your class teacher know if you can help with their session. **Each year group will need at least 4 parents to help in the pits.**

Thank you to all the parents who have already volunteered to help.

Time	Pit 1 Closest to School	Pit 2	Pit 3	Pit 4	T-Ball Throw 1	T- Ball Throw 2
9:00– 9.30	Year 5 Boys Long(A)	Year 6 Girls Long	Year 5 Girls Long	Year 5 Boys Long(B)	Year 6 Boys (A)	Year 6 Boys (B)
9.30 – 10.00	Year 6 Boys Long(A)	Year 6 Boys Long(B)	Year 5 Girls Triple	Year 5 Boys Triple(A)	Year 6 Girls	Year 5 Boys (B)
10.00 – 10.30	Year 6 Boys Triple(A)	Year 6 Boys Triple(B)	Year 6 Girls Triple	Year 5 Boys Triple(B)	Year 5 Girls	Year 5 Boys (A)
11.05 - 11.30	Year 4 Boys Long (A)	Year 4 Boys Long(B)			Year 4 Girls (A)	Year 4 Girls (B)
11.30 - 12.05	Year 4 Girls Long(A)	Year 4 Girls Long (B)			Year 4 Boys (A)	Year 4 Boys (B)
12.05- 12.35	Year 3 Boys Long(A)	Year 3 Boys Long(B)			Year 3 Girls (A)	Year 3 Girls (B)
12.35 - 1.05	Year 3 Girls (A)	Year 3 Girls (B)			Year 3 Boys(A)	Year 3 Boys(B)

## Program for Main Athletics Carnival : Wednesday 30 August

Please note that we cannot give precise times. The events will begin when all the buses are unloaded soon after 9.15am. The events will run in this order. Some will take longer than others depending on the weather, age of children and other unforeseen events... and the day will end around 2.30pm to get everyone back on the buses.

Time	Event			
9.00	Depart on buses from school– Osborne & Windsor side.			
	1. Buses arrive from school and students go straight to bays. 2. Parents drop off students 9.15am – Students to report to classroom teachers for roll call before moving into the bays. Teachers responsible for class roll being accurate.			
	<b>200m Years 3 – 6</b> Year 3 Girls Year 3 Boys Year 4 Girls Year 4 Boys Year 5 Girls Year 5 Boys Year 6 Girls Year 6 Boys			
	<b>PP – Year 2 races</b> PP Girls, 50 m, Div A,B,C,D PP Boys, 50m, Div A, B, C,D Year 1 Girls, 50m, Div A,B,C,D Year 1 Boys,50m, Div A,B,C Year 2 Girls, 50m Div A,B C,D,E Year 2 Boys, 50m Div A,B,C, D			
	<b>Year 3 – 4 races</b> Year 3 Girls, 50m Div A,B, C,D Year 3 Boys, 50m Div A,B,C,D Year 4, 75m Girls, Div A, B, C, D Year 4, 75m Boys. Div A,B,C, D			
	<b>Team Games -</b> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%; vertical-align: top;"> <u>Leader ball</u>            Yr 4 Boys &amp; Girls combined (5 boys &amp; 5 girls)            Yr 5 Boys &amp; Girls combined (6 boys &amp; 6 girls)            Yr 6 Boys &amp; Girls combined (6 boys &amp; 6 girls)  <u>Pass ball</u>            Yr 4 Boys &amp; Girls combined (6 boys &amp; 6 girls)            Yr 5 Boys &amp; Girls combined (6 boys &amp; 6 girls)            Yr 6 Boys &amp; Girls combined (6 boys &amp; 6 girls)         </td> <td style="width: 33%; vertical-align: top;"> <u>Year 1 – Circular ball relay</u>  <u>Girls &amp; Boys</u>   <u>Year 2 – Circular ball relay</u>  <u>Girls &amp; Boys</u>   <u>Year 3 – Circular ball relay</u>  <u>Girls &amp; Boys</u> </td> <td style="width: 33%; vertical-align: middle; text-align: center;"> <i>PP - Tabloids</i> </td> </tr> </table>	<u>Leader ball</u> Yr 4 Boys & Girls combined (5 boys & 5 girls) Yr 5 Boys & Girls combined (6 boys & 6 girls) Yr 6 Boys & Girls combined (6 boys & 6 girls) <u>Pass ball</u> Yr 4 Boys & Girls combined (6 boys & 6 girls) Yr 5 Boys & Girls combined (6 boys & 6 girls) Yr 6 Boys & Girls combined (6 boys & 6 girls)	<u>Year 1 – Circular ball relay</u> <u>Girls &amp; Boys</u>  <u>Year 2 – Circular ball relay</u> <u>Girls &amp; Boys</u>  <u>Year 3 – Circular ball relay</u> <u>Girls &amp; Boys</u>	<i>PP - Tabloids</i>
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	<b>400m Years 4-6</b> Year 4 Girls Year 4 Boys Year 5 Girls Year 5 Boys Year 6 Girls Year 6 Boys			
	Lunch – Children to bring a packed lunch. PP leave at 12.30pm			
	<b>Year 5-6 races</b> Year 5, 100m, Girls A,B,C Year 5, 100m Boys A, B,C, & D Year 6, 100m, Girls A & B Year 6, 100m, Boys A,B,C& D			
	<b>Year 1 – 3 shuttles</b> Year 1 shuttle relay ( All students) Year 2 shuttle relay ( All students) Year 3 shuttle relay ( All students)			
	<b>Year 4 – 6 shuttles</b> Year 4 shuttle relay ( All students not competing in 4 x 100m circular ) Year 5 shuttle relay ( All students not competing in 4 x 100m circular ) Year 6 shuttle relay ( All students not competing in 4 x 100m circular )			
	<b>4 x 100 Circular Years 4 – 6 .</b> Year 4 relay (2 boys & 2 girls from each faction) Year 5 relay (2 boys & 2 girls from each faction) Year 6 relay (2 boys & 2 girls from each faction)			
	<b>Grand 100m shuttle relay</b> – Six representatives from each year level (1 Boy & 1 Girl from each faction)			
2.40	<b>Depart–Students who came on the bus must leave on the bus.</b> <b>Students who came with parents must leave with parents after parents have signed them out.</b>			