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# **Schedule of School Events**

•	25 July	cross country
•	28 July	P&C planting day
•	28 Jul	assembly rm 12, 11
•	1 Aug	inters cross country
•	4 Aug	jeans for genes day
•	11 Aug	assembly rm 0, 8
•	15 Aug	P&C
•	25 Aug	assembly rm7, PPo/s
•	29 Aug	field events 9am
•	30 Aug	athletics carnival
•	9 October	student free day
•	8 Sept	music assembly
•	22 Sept	assembly rm4, 2
-	15 Oct	P&C billy carts
•	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 <u>Richmond.PS@education.wa.edu.au</u> 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/

# From the Principal

Our school cross country competition (years 3-6) is this afternoon on our oval. After this event, we will select our senior school team (years 4-6) for the interschool competition, which will be next Tuesday, 1 August 9.30am-11.30am at Brentwood PS. All spectators welcome. We will present medals at assembly this Friday, starting at 9.00am.

#### Late pick ups

We understand if parents are sometimes delayed in picking up their children. Please can you prepare your children for the event that no one turns up to collect them by telling them to always go straight to the office if you aren't there at pick up, so that they have somewhere safe to wait, and we can ring you.

## P&C

Thanks to the Dads of Richmond Kids committee for the hugely successful bike ride at the weekend, and to all the families who joined in. Remember this Friday is planting day starting at 7am for Planet Ark National School Tree Day.

## 2018 Enrolments

Enrolments for kindergarten 2018 are now closed. We will write to applicants on Monday 31 July. We can only accept local intake students.

There will be two kindy classes in 2018 and we will again run a preprimary class in our Early Childhood Centre as the main site continues to be at capacity. Please could I ask that you do not encourage friends to take out short leases in our zone to secure enrolment, then move out again to their 'real address', as this is putting significant pressure on class sizes which affects everyone. Thanks.

## Jeans for Genes day

The Student Council is planning Jeans for Genes day on Friday next week. Students are invited to wear jeans (free top) and bring a gold coin for genetic research. Thank you for supporting this.

As always please email any quick questions and I will respond asap.

Lisa Dentith

# From the Principal continued Recent Questions

Email your question.

Q: Can anyone come to the athletics carnival?
A: Yes all spectators are welcome. Our field events (yr3-6) will be on Tuesday 29 August 9am – 12pm on our oval. Our main athletics carnival (PP-6) will be on Wednesday 30 August all day at Gil Fraser Reserve. Everyone is welcome. A program will be released closer to the day.

# **P&C ASSOCIATION**

#### Bike ride thanks

The Dorks Dads and Kids bike ride event last Saturday was a great success. The rainy weather held off and over 70 adults and kids enjoyed the riverside ride together and some very enthusiastic games. Many families stayed on to socialise into the night. Thank you to all who joined in and made the event such great fun Thanks also to Swan Yacht Club for supporting our community.

Look out for the the next Dorks event: The Richmond Cup Billy cart race on 15th October 2017.

Matt Sumner

#### P&C Planting Day, 7am on Friday 28th July

Come along before school on the Planet Ark National School Tree Day to help plant out remaining spaces in the Nature Play area. The school has ordered 3 large trees and Fremantle Ports has again provided sponsorship for lots of gorgeous native seedlings. All families and friends welcome. Bring gloves & gardening trowel if you have them (we have spares). For more info visit <a href="http://treeday.planetark.org">http://treeday.planetark.org</a> or contact Beck James - 0407 018 151 – Beck James



## \$\$\$\$ SCHOOL BANKING NEWS UPDATE \$\$\$\$

Welcome back to Term 3 everyone. Thank you to all the bankers who managed to find us in the library last week escaping the cold weather. Just for future reference if it is particularly cold or windy or rainy outside the library we will be set up inside in the warm! If you can't see us outside then that is where we will be.

Term 3 is a busy time for School Banking. We have a couple of events planned for this term, starting with our **3rd Birthday** celebrations!! Make sure you bank with us on **Wednesday 2nd August** and we will have a special treat to give all our loyal bankers.

Lastly, As you know all new bankers have their name put into a draw to win \$10 and I am very pleased to announce that the winner for Term 2 was the lovely **Matilda Tate, Yr3**. Congratulations Matilda and thank you for choosing to bank at school. We had 15 new accounts opened last term which is fantastic. Now that you can do it online it is easier than ever to start banking. If you have any questions, please come and see one of us, we love to answer questions © Thanks again and see you all at banking Kind Regards *Carly, Katrina, Rosa and Liann, the School Banking Team* 

#### **RAC Little Legends**

RAC has a children's membership club called <u>Little Legends</u> It's free to join and children receive a membership card, access to age appropriate road safety games and better yet, discounts including cinemas, Rottnest Express, Adventure World and much, much more.

Until September RAC is giving primary schools the chance to win \$5,000. You can check it out here.

# **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Well done to Poppy Beekhuizen, year 2, who won round 18 of the NAB 'Auskicker of the year' competition, so played on Adelaide Oval last Friday night and was interviewed by Channel 7 live to air during Friday Night Footy...

Poppy will go to the AFL grand final in Melbourne, walk in the grand final parade, play at half time on the MCG and present a premiership medal! WOW!!!! Well done Poppy!

## **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@iinet.net.au

## **Bakers Delight Melville**

'A month free bread' cards for each class over the year. Jo Colman 0420 699 848 io@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

#### **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 or 1300135660

#### The Left Bank

VIP card for parents to save 10% off food, 5% off drinks & the school credit points for school events. A card will be offered to your child to bring home. Please return unwanted cards so we can return them to the Left Bank. Information will be attached to the card.

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

## **EVENT SPONSORSHIP**

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

P&C PRESIDENT: Beck James <u>beck.james@bigpond.com</u>
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# **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.

## Marshalls Tennis Academy Tennis Coaching Term 3

Richmond Primary School form and East Fremantle Lawn Tennis Club form See brochure downloads at: marshallstennis.com.au



Do you know any budding string performers? String Beans, a community orchestra, is looking for some primary school string players - violin, viola, cello... This group is a lovely, positive musical ensemble, lead by a fantastic, encouraging conductor. They play informal concerts at primary school markets, old age homes, and also have had the opportunity to play with a full orchestra on occasion.

Players need to read music and have played for a few years - they are welcome to come and try before committting. They rehearse at North Fremantle Bowls Club on a Thursday afternoon. If you might be interested, please get in touch - the website with contacts and further information is below.

http://communityorchestras.org.au/budsand-string-beans-2/

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