

# RICHMOND NEWS



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## Schedule of School Events

- 7 Sept assembly rm Music
- 10 Sept jumps and throws
- 11 Sept school council
- **12 Sept athletics carnival**
- 13 Sept P&C Left Bank 7pm
- 21 Sept AFL assembly rm 4 3
- 21 Sept break up
- 9 Oct Students return Tuesday
- 18 Oct school tour
- 19 Oct P&C big breakfast
- 19 Oct assembly rm 5 7
- 28 Oct DoRKs billycart race
- 1 Nov Outdoor classroom day
- 2 Nov assembly rm 13 10
- 2 Nov P&C disco
- 16 Nov assembly rm 11 1
- 16 Nov P&C movie night
- 30 Nov assembly rm 2 9
- 6 Dec graduation
- 7 Dec P&C waterslides
- 10 Dec 4-6 outback splash
- 12 Dec final assembly 9am
- **13 Dec break up**



## 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 absences. THANKS

## From the Principal

Thank you to Paula, Helen and the P&C for organising a very successful **mums' night** at Young George. Thank you to everyone who supported this event and to the main sponsors, particularly Kailis Australian Pearls. Congratulations to the necklace winner, Adele Healy.

The **school athletics carnival** is in week 9. Jumps and throws will be on the morning of Monday 10 September on the school oval and we welcome any parents who can assist with measuring. The main athletics carnival is on **Wednesday 12 September** at Gilbert Fraser Reserve in North Fremantle. As last year, we will transport students to Gil Fraser by bus. Parents also have the option of transporting their own child. All we ask is that you choose 100% one or the other – either your child travels there and back by bus or you transport them there and back, not half and half, since this becomes difficult to monitor with 430 children. Information notes with a return slip will come home with your child today. Please return the slip to reserve your child a seat on the bus OR to advise us that you will transport them. Of course everyone is warmly invited to spectate. The year 6 parents will organise a refreshments stall.

We had a great book week **parade** with lots of brilliant costumes and lots of parents watching. There is a photo on Facebook.

We have signed up for **Outdoor Classroom** day and welcome parents who are interested in assisting. Please see the website for ideas: <https://outdoorclassroomday.com.au/>

Our new website is under construction and a **photographer** will be at school next Tuesday September 4 to take photos for it. I have attached a letter overleaf. I am looking for about 50 children of all ages to be in the photographs. If you are happy for your child to participate please return the permission slip to Lara. Thank you.

The Student Council has introduced **Faction Fridays**. This means everyone is invited to wear their faction top on Fridays.

Finally, the **SMS system** is still down across the state and Telstra is working on it so we apologise if you have sent us an absence message that didn't arrive. Please email or ring Lara with urgent absence related messages. [Lara.Carter@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Lara.Carter@education.wa.edu.au) or 9339 5055.

Lisa Dentith

**Information re photography shoot on Tuesday 4 September:**

Please find below a form giving permission for your child to participate in a professional photography shoot for Richmond Primary School.

These photographs will be used initially for our new school website, but may also be used in the future across a range of publications including posters, brochures and social media sites. No student names will be used.

Distribution of these materials could be nationwide and the photographs will be accessed in years to come.

The photography shoot is on Tuesday, 4 September from 9am to 12.30pm. If you are happy for your child to participate in the photo shoot, please could you ensure that your child:

- is in school uniform. The uniform should be in good condition and appropriately worn.
- is wearing appropriate socks and footwear.
- has a smart school hat.
- has hair that is neat and tidy and tied back where appropriate (navy hair ties).
- is not wearing jewellery (unless for cultural reasons), make-up or nail polish.

This activity is entirely voluntary. Please only complete and return the slip below to Lara if you are happy for your child to be in some of the photographs.

Many thanks for your support. We hope to have some beautiful photos to represent the school.

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**PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT FORM FOR PHOTOGRAPHY SHOOT  
TO BE RETURNED TO LARA IN THE OFFICE BY Friday, 31 August 2018**

I have read and understood the information regarding the photography shoot and give my consent for my child \_\_\_\_\_ from room \_\_\_\_\_ to participate.

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_