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**COMING EVENTS**

P&C meeting 6.30pm  
 Wednesday, 9 September  
 S2 Assembly- Friday,  
 11 September  
 School photos- Monday,  
 14 September- Thursday,  
 17 September  
 S7 Assembly- Friday,  
 18 September  
 Interschool Athletics  
 Carnival- Jumps, throws  
 and long distance-  
 Monday, 21 September  
 Interschool Athletics

**Issue No 14 – 4 September 2020**

**Message from the Principal**

**New school website**



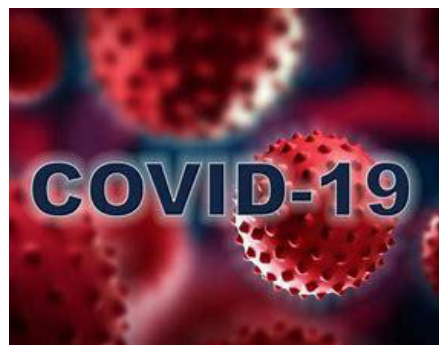
I have received a lot of positive feedback from all members of the school community about the new school **website** that went live

last week. Many individuals commented on the community feel to the website and the overwhelming sense of positivity that comes through the photos that capture the essence of our school so well.

On behalf of the school community, I would like to thank Rosemary Lynch from Millstream Creative for bringing the new website to life, Maria Males from Objektiv Photography for the photos and Clinton McLachlan for running the checks prior to the website going live.

**COVID-19 is not a distant memory**

We are quite fortunate in Western Australia to not have the same level of community restrictions that are in place in Victoria. By enlarge, we are all able to move freely within the community and our students are able to undertake their learning in more or less the same manner as we were pre-COVID-19. As such, it is easy to forget that COVID-19 is a real and ever present risk to our community.



Carnival- Team games, relays and sprints- Wednesday, 23 September  
S6 Assembly- Friday, 25 September  
End of Term 3- Friday, 25 September  
Term 4 commences (students)- Wednesday, 14 October

### Quote of the Fortnight

Praise, praise, praise  
makes children crave,  
crave, crave more praise,  
praise, praise.

### P&C CONTACTS:

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Canteen orders:

Our Online Canteen

Messages for the Canteen or the P&C can be placed in class canteen baskets.

### SCHOOL ETHOS

We at Maylands Peninsula Primary School are committed to:

Encouraging students to be successful learners.

The principles of developmental learning.

Life-long learning and reflective practices.

Developing attitudes and values of care and concern for self, others and the environment.

Maintaining a safe environment for all.

Building partnerships with students, parents and the community.

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The price of ensuring this remains the case is maintaining vigilance in respects to those behaviours that have been in place since the pandemic began- day cleaning of high touch surfaces throughout the day, hand sanitisers in all rooms across the school, continual reminders with students about hand hygiene and coughing etiquette, no after school play on school site, only pre-arranged meetings with staff to reduce adult-to-adult interactions.

However, I have become increasingly concerned by the fact that some members of our school community have started to let their guard slip in regards to behaviours whilst on school site. On quite a few occasions, I have had to remind parents/caregivers that there is still no after school play and that the 20-minute conversation with a friend or neighbour outside the classroom door whilst the kids are playing handball is best undertaken off school site or over on Gibbney Reserve. The expectation still remains that families move promptly off school site after drop off and pick up whilst the Level 4 restrictions remain in place.

Thank you for your support on this matter.

## School Board Report

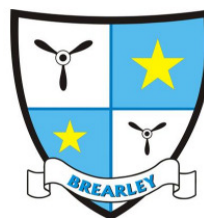


The Term 3 meeting of the School Board took place on Monday, 24 August. Our School Board Chair, Mr Peter Klinger, has provided a report which was posted on Connect yesterday afternoon. Please take the time to read through the report to gain an understanding of the main points of discussion. The report will also be uploaded to our school website in due

course.

## Faction Athletics Carnival

Weather permitting, by the time you read this newsletter, the 2020 Faction Athletics Carnival will be 'over and out' for another year. The final results and the names of the Year 3-6 Champions will be published in the next newsletter.



## Other Newsletter Items

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## JB1 Assembly



Thank you to the fabulous students in Mrs Richard's/Mrs Ruhen's JB1 class who hosted last week's assembly. The Noongar themed assembly item, where the students sang one of Gina William's songs- a former parent of our school- was a great example of how our staff integrate the teaching of aboriginal culture as part of their teaching and learning programme, rather than as a discreet subject. Well done to all concerned.

Next up, it's back to the big end of the school, with Miss Wong's S2 class taking centre stage on Friday, 11 September.

## Aussie of the Month Winners



### Sofia Moeller Lima - Year 2

Sofia is a polite, friendly and respectful student. She is always willing to help others in the classroom and playground. She is a wonderful role model.

### Rehan Kothapally - Year 3

Rehan has a terrific attitude towards school. He takes all challenges head-on and always stops to help others along the way. He is also a terrific friend who always makes his classmates and teacher smile.

### Tahlia - Year 5

Tahlia is a kind and considerate class member. She is helpful, responsible and a good friend to everyone. Tahlia always has a smile on her face and can brighten up a room just by walking into it.

## School Photos

Yesterday afternoon, all students received a Kapture Photography order envelope. The recommended method of ordering your photos is online through Kapture's website as your payment is secure and can be easily verified at any time.

Alternatively, you can pay by cash and return the provided envelope to the school on the photography day. **If you place your order online, please DO NOT return your envelope to school.**



Kindy and Pre-primary classes are having their photos on Monday, 14 and Tuesday, 15 September. Year 1 to 6 classes are having their photos on Wednesday, 16 and Thursday, 17 September. The photo schedule is printed on the back of the note and outlined in the table below.

You can place an order online for class or individual photographs at any time for the remainder of the current school year however a \$20 fee will apply if you order more than 10 days after photography.

You also have the option to order a sibling photo package online, however please be aware there are a limited number of sibling orders that can be placed due to time constraints. We suggest you place your online sibling order as early as possible to avoid disappointment. Sibling photos will be taken at lunch times on each of the four days the photographers are at school.

**Please note sibling photo orders close on Friday, 11 September at midday.**

Kapture offer a money back guarantee for any parent/caregiver who is not fully satisfied with their photo package. Should you have any queries before or after photo day, please direct them to the Kapture office on 9240 1714 or email [enquiries@kapture.com.au](mailto:enquiries@kapture.com.au)

**All students will be photographed individually on photo day for school administration records AS WELL as included in their class group photo available for purchase to all families. Should there be any reason why your child should NOT be included in the photo shoot– please contact Mrs Alver in the school office.**

**Photo Timetable:** Please note that the times below are approximate as the Kapture photographers may find their schedule runs slightly early or late.

Monday 14 September	Tuesday 15 September	Wednesday 16 September	Thursday 17 September
Kindy E 9.15-9.55am	Kindy D 9.15-9.55am	JB3 Year 2 8.55-9.15am	JA2 Year 1 8.55-9.15am
		JB1 Year 2 9.15-9.35am	JA1 Year 1 9.15-9.35am
		JB4 Year 2 9.35-9.55am	JA3 Year 1 9.35-9.55am
Kindy A 10.30-11.10am	Kindy F 10.30-11.10am	JB5 Year 2 9.55-10.15am	M3 Year 4 9.55-10.15am
		M2 Year 3 10.55-11.10am	M4 Year 4 10.55-11.15am
		M5 Year 3 11.10-11.25am	S7 Year 5 11.15-11.35am
Kindy C 11.10-11.50am	Kindy B 11.10-11.50pm	JB2 Year 3 11.25am-11.40am	S8 Year 4 11.35-11.55pm
		M1 Year 3 11.40-11.55am	Student Councillors 11.55-12.15pm
		S2 Year 5/6 11.55-12.10pm	
SIBLING PHOTOS for families with a child in Kindy A, C or E 12.20-1.00pm	SIBLING PHOTOS for families with a child in Kindy B, D or F 12.20-1.00pm	SIBLING PHOTOS for families with PP-Year 6 children 12.20-1.00pm	
PP1 1.05-1.45pm	JP2 (PP/Year 1) 1.05-1.45pm	Year 6 Graduates 1.10-1.30pm	
		S1 Year 6 1.30-1.50pm	
PP5 1.45-2.25pm	PP3 1.45-2.25pm	S3 Year 6 1.50-2.10pm	
		S6 Year 5 2.10-2.30pm	

### NEWSLETTER ITEMS

To include items in the school newsletter contact Gayle Tippett by email [Gayle.Tippett@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Gayle.Tippett@education.wa.edu.au)

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