

MERRIWA NEWS

Newsletter 16

10th October 2024

LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING AT MERRIWA!

**BREAKFAST CLUB
EVERY DAY
FROM 8AM**

**ASSEMBLY RM 15
18TH OCTOBER**

**INTERSCHOOL
ATHLETICS
16TH OCTOBER**

**P&C HALLOWEEN
DISCO
25TH OCTOBER**

**CONNECT...
MAKE SURE THE
OFFICE HAS YOUR
EMAIL ADDRESS**

OUR WEBSITE IS
WWW.MERRIWAPS.WA.EDU.AU

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MERRIWA.PS@EDUCATION.WA.EDU.AU

Welcome back to
Term 4 2024!
We look forward to
another great term
at Merriwa.

Come and cheer on
our Interschool
Athletics team at
Ridgewood Park on
Wednesday 16th
October.

Congratulations to our
newly elected parent
board members:
Grace Collier
Tanya Lang &
Jodie Teasdale

By parent request,
dancing lessons
have been
extended from Pre
Primary to Year 6.
\$5 Per week or \$40
for 8 lessons.

St John's are
running free first
aid workshops
for our students
this term!

P&C
Halloween Disco
Friday 25th
October

**MRS SUE WATERHOUSE
PRINCIPAL**



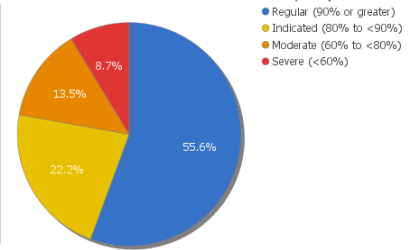
BOOK WEEK 2024



Attendance Week 10

Breakdown	Attendance Rate %	Regular	At Risk Indicated	At Risk Moderate	At Risk Severe	Auth. %	Unauth. %
KiV	86.5%	20	21	6	1	57%	43%
PPR	86.3%	25	12	1	5	47%	53%
Y01	85.0%	25	12	6	3	58%	42%
Y02	85.5%	32	5	5	5	70%	30%
Y03	84.6%	22	9	9	3	67%	34%
Y04	81.4%	16	11	9	6	55%	45%
Y05	85.9%	24	14	6	2	74%	26%
Y06	86.0%	29	6	6	3	64%	36%
Compulsory	85.0%	173	69	42	27	62%	38%

Attendance Profile 2024 Semester 2 Compulsory



Welcome back parents and families,

We are once again sending home unexplained absence letters so we can update the information on student attendance. Please complete the note and send it back to your classroom teacher. We have heaps of exciting things happening this term and are looking forward to seeing our students everyday!

Remember that everyday at school makes a massive difference in our students lives.

Mr Fenn.

LOTE



During our Italian lesson Week 10 of Term 3, students got to experience a cultural delight when they were able to sample some authentic lasagna. The apprehension of trying something new for some students soon turned to delight after tasting the lasagna. Some of the comments from students after the lasagna tasting were, it made my mouth water, cheesy, delicious, yummy and buonissimo!



Library News

Issue 7

Orders Close: Tuesday 22nd October 2024



The brochures have not arrived at the school yet, however, the link to Issue 7 is below.

Please also note this is the last Book Club the school will be participating in for this year. Book Club will return in 2025. Thank you for supporting Book Club throughout the year, our school benefits from Reward Points which goes towards purchase of library books for your children to read and enjoy.

<https://www.scholastic.com.au/book-club/book-club-parents/issue-preview/>



Newsletter Raffle - Where is Cookie?

I have read newsletter 15. Parent Signature _____

Child's name _____ Room No. _____

Cookie is _____

Week 10 winner was Darcy Rm 11



Term Four Parent Planner 2024

MTH	WK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
OCT	1	7 School Development Day	8 School Development Day	9 PP-6 Dance Lessons	10 Newsletter PE/SCIENCE	11
	2	14 Office Display Rm 15	15 P&C Meeting 1.30pm Miyawaki forest	16 Interschool Athletics	17	18 Assembly Rm 15
	3	21	22 St John First Aid Foodbank cooking lessons Year 4	23 St John First Aid	24 St John First Aid Newsletter Rm 1	25 St John First Aid P&C Halloween Disco
NOV	4	28 Office Display Rm 2	29 Foodbank cooking lessons Year 4	30 PP-6 Dance Lessons	31	1 Assembly ESC Presentation
	5	4	5	6 PP-6 Dance Lessons	7 Board Meeting Newsletter HASS/T&E	8
	6	11 PP-6 Dance Lessons Kindy Information Night 6pm-7pm	12 Miyawaki forest	13 PP-6 Dance Lessons	14	15 Assembly Rm 2
	7	18 Office Display Rm 1	19	20 PP-6 Dance Lessons	21 Newsletter Rm 2	22 Reading Reward Kindy Play Date 9am
DEC	8	25 Councillor Elections	26	27 PP-6 Dance Lessons	28 Clarkson C.H.S Orientation Day	29 Kindy Play Date 9am Assembly- Rm 1 Councillor Elections
	9	2	3	4 Principals Afternoon Tea PP-6 Dance Lessons	5 Graduation Practice Reward Event Newsletter	6 Christmas Concert Faction Award
	10	9	10 Graduation	11 Reports Emailed Book Awards	12 Staff and Students Last Day	13