

MERRIWA SCHOOLS' CAMPUS 67 BALTIMORE PARADE MERRIWA WA 6030

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ASSEMBLY
Assembly
Room 9
9th September



Our new Website & Phone App are now live.

Please visit

www.merriwaps. wa.edu.au

Jumps and
Throws 6th
September
Faction Carnival
8th September

School Banking
Every
Wednesday
8.00 a.m. in the
Library



Merriwa School
Bags for Sale
Senior \$30.00
Junior \$25.00
Library Bag \$10.00
Pencil Case—\$5.00

From the Principal's Desk...

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

At Merriwa we aim for the children to follow our expectations of :

I am Respectful I am Positive I am Friendly and I Achieve.

We promote this through our fantastic staff and through the great programs and activities that we offer here.

Book Week was a great example of this....you gave all your support to your children in dressing up in both their PJs and Fairy Tale costumes, and so did the staff! We loved seeing the happy faces of your children.

Be sure not to miss these coming events....

Tuesday 6 September	Faction Jumps and Throws Cake Stall (bring along your donations!) Faction Carnival					
Thursday 8 September						
Thursday 15 September	Principals' Afternoon Tea for the 4 students most consistently following the school expectations in each class					
Friday 16 September	Fairy Tale Incursion: Australia Playhouse: <i>The Fairest of Them All.</i> Years 1—3. \$5.00					
Monday 19 September	ECU Forensic Science Workshops with Room 18					
Tuesday 20 September	Interschool Jumps and Throws					
Wednesday 21 September	Learning Journey 2.40—5.00 p.m. You are all invited to see the classrooms, your children's work and all the stalls in the undercover area. There will be a sausage sizzle!					
Thursday 22 September	Interschool Carnival					
Friday 23 September LAST DAY OF TERM	Please bring along non-perishables for the Salvation Army Food Cupboard Drive at the Pre Primary Assembly					

Kind regards

Mrs Sue Waterhouse, Principal

Merriwa ESC News....

Book Week

I would like to congratulate all of our students and staff for their brilliant effort in dressing up for the Book Week Parade.

Welcome

A big welcome to Kylie Mantell our new Manager Corporate Services, she will be taking over from Kylie Rimmer and filling in whilst Maxine Russ is on leave till the end of the year.

ESC Combined Interschool Carnival

On Tuesday, the Centre attended the ESC Combined Sports Carnival at Beldon ESC. It was an awesome day and our students had so much fun participating in the tabloid games and races. Congratulations to Tyrell Rance and Zac Rennie for receiving the Champion medallions. Staff and I are very proud of all of our students and I would like to thank the staff for their hard work and dedication to making this day a success.

WA Education Awards 2016

Vote for your favourite teacher, principal or support staff member and give them a chance to win \$1000. To vote in the People's Choice Award visit thewest.com.au/competitions by 23rd September 2016.

Joondalup Autism Mums' Group Coffee Morning

Coffee morning at Clarkson Library Meeting, 27 Ocean Keys Boulevards, Clarkson—Tuesday 13th September 10am-12.00pm. Guest speaker: Alan Dowd –LAC From DSC. Please join us for an informal coffee morning and meet others mums/carers who understand how challenging life with Autism can be...

For more information contact one of the group coordinators Helen: hi@helen-owen.com.au 0413 123 615 Gill: infohldcs@gmail.com 0401 257 093

Mrs Christina Maunick-Sallie

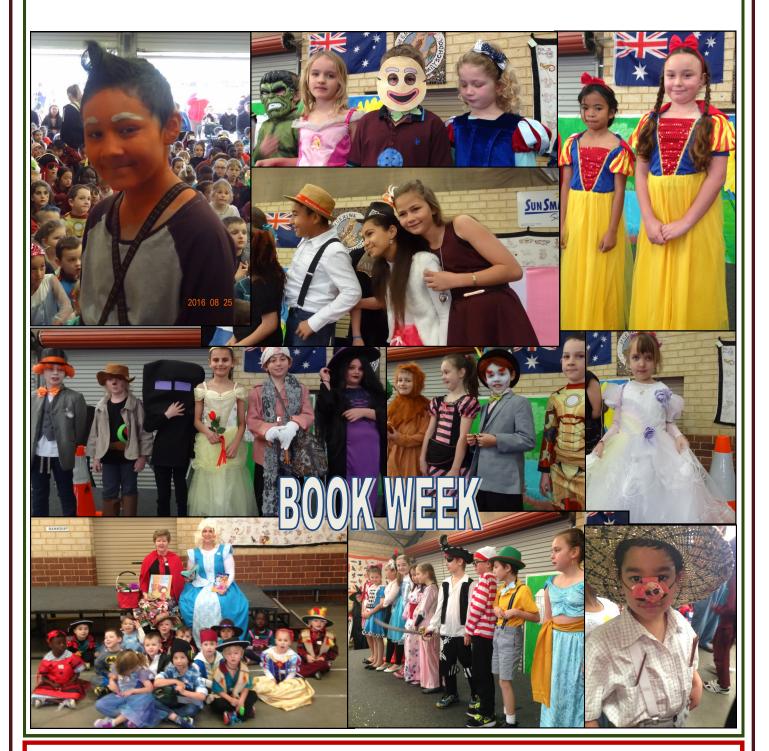
Principal





Yr	Rm	Student	Yr	Rm	Student	
PP	1	Sarah Van de Nieuwenhuyzen, Eli Gleeson	4/5	15	Enock Mbafumoja	
PP	2	Anthony Walley, Lawzayn Thompson	5/6	16	Shania Holmes, Blair Crawford	
1	6	Yuot Manyang, Dexter Davis	5/6	17	Room 17, Man Jok, Hayley Street	
1	7	Holden Lampert, Charlotte Woods	4	19	William Trueland, Kailey Fenn	
1	9	Pheonix Castle-Nepia, Narteisha Winmar	3	21	Kiarn Ashburton, Tyren Hinton	
3	10	Paigan Reed, Tyson Pansini	3/4	22	Elijah Harding , Honatana Heta	
2	11	Connor Robertson, Christopher Vaz	ESC		Olivia Spencer, Georgia Hutchins, Iyona Charvez, Mitchell Vining	

BOOK PARADE 2016 A HUGE THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT! THIS YEAR'S BOOK FAIRY TALE BOOK PARADE WAS OUR BEST YET....



CHANGING YOUR PICKUP ARRANGEMENTS

If you want to change the pickup arrangements for your child, could you please send a written note to your child's classroom teacher on the school day.

The office is experiencing an increased volume of telephone calls at the end of each day and a written note will ensure that both your child and their teacher know of any changes well in advance.

We thank you for your support.

Kurlangas Aboriginal Playgroup

For the rest of this term at playgroup we will be learning about the colours red, green, blue and yellow. To help the children learn and recognise these colours we will be doing a variety of fun activities and art and craft experiences such as red cellophane windows, green caterpillars, blue toy car painting, yellow sand gluing, slime and coloured playdough, just to name a few!

For our babies, there will be tummy time (to strengthen their back and neck muscles), push and pull toys, some wonderful books to look at and songs to sing.

Playgroup is FREE, and held every Tuesday at Merriwa Primary School during term times between 10.00-12.00pm, for Aboriginal children up to 5yrs of age and their carers.

A morning tea of fresh fruit is provided for the children, and tea, coffee and biscuits for the adults. You do not need to have a child attending this school to attend.

Hope to see you there!

MERRIWA PRIMARY SCHOOL



THE SALVATION ARMY MERRIWA



Friday 23rd September

food drive

YOU CAN HELP

Long Life Milk Pasta School Snacks Pasta Sauce Tuna



Rice Spaghetti Baked Beans Breakfast Cereal Tinned Fruit and Vegetables

UPCOMING FUNDRAISING EVENTS

SPORTS CARNIVAL CAKE STALL-HELP NEEDED

We are hosting a cake stall at this year's sports carnival. If you are able to donate some muffins, biscuits, slices, cup cakes, treats for us to sell that would be greatly appreciated. Goods can be left in the canteen on the morning of the carnival (Thursday 8 September) or Wednesday afternoon prior to school pick up. And don't forget to bring your appetites and money along to the carnival to purchase these goodies!!!

MOVIE FUNDRAISER

Tickets are still available for our movie afternoon at Grand Cinemas Currambine to see 'The Secret Life of Pets'. It is on Sunday 18 September and tickets are just \$15. Contact Sherryn on 0410571644 or see the ladies in the office for further information.

Thanks as always for your support of our fundraising efforts. We are still raising money for the senior playground shade sails, along with the upcoming end of year book awards and graduation.

Merriwa P & C

QUINNS ROCKS TENNIS CLUB

Gum Blossom Tennis Courts Tapping Way QUINNS ROCKS

Social play Monday Night Tuesday Morning Saturday Afternoon Contact Vicki Jenkins 9305 1525



KINDY ENROLMENTS 2017

If your child is born between
1st July 2012 - 30th June 2013
registrations are now open.
Please see the front office for
application forms, with copies of Birth
Certificate, Immunisation records and
Proof of Address.

CHILDREN NOT RETURNING TO MERRIWA 2017

If your child is **NOT** returning to Merriwa Primary in 2017, please complete and return this form to the office as soon as possible. It is very important for planning 2017. If you have a class request for next year, please put this in writing to Mrs Waterhouse, marked confidential. As usual we cannot guarantee placements, but will always consider your request.

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Child's Name:	 		 	
Year/Room No.:	 			
New School:				