

MERRIWA NEWS



Champion Cricket Girls

Breakfast Club
Every day from
8am



Assembly
Room 7
3rd December



Year 5 Social
Dance
Monday 6th
December
12.30pm

Year 6 Graduation
Tuesday
14th December

Book Awards

**Wednesday
15th December**

Kindy
Registrations
are now open
if your child is born
between
1st July 2017

30th June, 2018
See website below
for
Application Forms

VISIT

www.merriwaps.wa.edu.au

To see our
Website

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK...

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Cricket Carnival at Butler College

Last Thursday our boys and girls cricket team represented our school at the carnival with many local schools attending. Both teams did an outstanding job and learned a lot of new skills and strategies during the term and were able to execute them on the day. The boys team won two games and finished 3rd in the A division competition. The girls team won every game and then completely dominated the Grand Final to win by 100 runs. This was the fourth shield the Year Six girls have won for the school this year in a very successful final year at Primary School.

All the students who attended should be very proud of the way they represented our school with their attitude and sportsmanship. Special thanks Mrs Pledge for helping out on the day.

We are looking forward to the final events for the year. Here are some dates for your diary. We hope you can join us for some of the events...

DATE	EVENT
6th December	Year 5 Humphrey's Dance Lessons, Social Dance. Families welcome. Free dress
30th November	Year 6 Transition, Butler College
2nd December	Year 6 Transition, Clarkson Community High School
9th December	Choir performs at Bunnings 6pm
10th December	Christmas Concert 8.40am - 10.00am
13th December	Councillors' Breakfast
14th December	Year 6 Graduation 10.00am - 2.00pm
15th December	Book Awards, Student Reports on CONNECT, Good Standing Event.
16th December	Last Day of School

Kind Regards
Mrs Sue Waterhouse, Principal

Merriwa ESC

Dear Parents/Carers,

Now that the warmer weather has arrived, it is beginning to feel like summer is upon us. The year is quickly coming to an end and everyone seems to be very busy.

It was lovely to meet with our prospective kindy parents this week and to welcome them into our school. We are in deep discussion around creating classes and recruiting staff for 2022. All students will bring home a social story with their school report at the end of term.

We hope that you will share the information often over the summer break to prepare your child for next year.

Events planned in coming weeks include:

- Dec 1: Kings Park excursion
- Dec 9: Lollipops Play Centre excursion
- Dec 10: Christmas concert
- Dec 14: Yr. 6 Graduation
- Dec 15: Book Awards assembly

This week Room 30 visited Clarkson Police Station. Constable Jackie answered lots of questions and showed us around the station. The students loved exploring the police car and dressing up in the uniforms.

Take care of yourselves in these frantic weeks leading up to Christmas and the summer holidays.



Karen Macri



HONOUR CERTIFICATE WINNERS

Newsletter Raffle

I have read Newsletter 19

Parent signature _____

Child's Name _____ ROOM _____

Congratulations to last newsletter winner - Dau Room 18

Attend Today, Achieve Tomorrow

Our average attendance for this fortnight is 91.3% which is getting close to our goal of 93%.

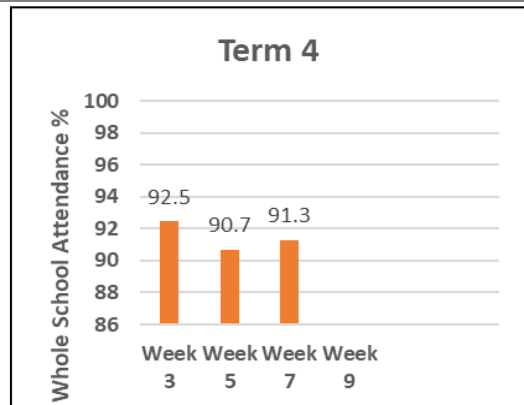
Well done to all the students that are attending every day!

Hopefully we can achieve our goal before the end of the year.

Every Day Counts!

Mrs Ebert

Term 4 Attendance Goals = 93%			
Week 3	Week 5	Week 7	Week 9
92.5	90.7	91.3	
Fortnightly Attendance			



Year PP - 2

HOME READING

Junior Champion Class Award

Year 2 Room 11



BEST PARTICIPATION IN HOME READING PROGRAM

Year 3 - 6

LITERACY PRO

Merriwa Primary School
Total Words Read

36 222 890

Senior Champion Class Award

25 732
Year 6 Room 17

Rising Stars Class Award

Year 4 Room 22

CHILDREN NOT RETURNING TO MERRIWA 2022

If your child is **NOT** returning to Merriwa Primary in 2022, please complete and return this form to the office as soon as possible. It is very important for planning 2022. If you have a special 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.

Child's Name:

Year/Room No:

New School:

WA Police Academy



Last week selected Year 5 and 6 students were invited to the WA Police Academy and Edith Cowan University at Joondalup.

This event was organised through our School Board Chair, Caroline Bishop.

The students looked at career pathways for the future and were very grateful for this amazing opportunity.



THANK YOU

This term we had the amazing privilege of receiving an incredible donation from True North Church.

Through this donation, we purchased over 100 hats and Merriwa Polo tops from Lowes in Ocean Keys.

We are extremely grateful for the generosity of the people in our local community and in particular, those who are a part of True North.

