

It is hard to believe that we are almost at the end of term 2. Time travels quickly and as parents I am sure you understand how fast your children are growing up. This term has been a long one and whilst much has been achieved with COVID restrictions in WA. Given the latest situation it is a timely to reminder that things can change quickly so we need to continue to remain vigilant.

#### **Harmony Term**

Term 3 will be Harmony term. Instead of celebrating the large number of countries represented at CPS over one week we are going to do those over the whole term. Your class teachers will be asking for families to get involved and share their cultures so please feel welcome to join the celebrations over the term. More information will come out regarding this early next term but there will be many interesting events taking place starting with.

- 1. National P&C day on July 23<sup>rd</sup> week 1.
- 2. NAIDOC week celebrations throughout week 2 including an assembly (parents welcome) and a performance from a visiting school.
- 3. Week 6 is Book week.
- 4. Week 10 will end with a multi-cultural day.

These are just a handful of events that will be taking place.

#### Traffic around the school at the end of each Day

Our Occupation, Health and Safety team have been monitoring the traffic situation at the start and end of each day throughout the year. After meeting with the council traffic engineer it has been decided to trial re-opening the oval gate for pick up each afternoon starting from the first day back (July 19<sup>th</sup>). This should ease congestion around the school in the afternoons. There will also be some other provisions made such as barriers at driveway areas to prevent accidents.

#### **Positive Behaviours School**

CPS is a positive behaviours school and has an excellent reputation for providing a safe and engaging environment for your children. Throughout next term there will be a focus on this with regular communication via seesaw as to the particular behaviours we will be focusing on. Whilst we will always put your child and their best interests first there are times when things occur that we are unaware of. Please encourage your child to keep their class teacher informed of any incidents no matter how small they may think it is — we will take notice. Please always remember that your children are children. They are little adults who look like us, talk like us, act like us- the only difference is that they have not had the experiences that we have and it is our job as adults to give them those experiences and then teach them how to deal with those experiences regardless if they are negative or positive. This builds resilience and perseverance that will help your children in preparing for the years ahead.

Thank you for your support throughout another great term – stay safe over the holiday break and I look forward to seeing you all back in term 3 on Monday July 19<sup>th</sup>.

Kind regards Mr. Tony Shields

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#### WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR CLASSROOMS AND AROUND THE SCHOOL?





Safety, Health and Fitness at Clarkson.

We've got a bumper of things going on at Clarkson!

Our year 3-6 girls have been involved in AFL training every Monday with Ryan Turnball, Chad Morrison, Parris Laurie, Shanae Davison from WAFFA (West Australian Female Football Academy). The girls are going through the various skills of AFL with a possible game at the end of this term (we will keep you posted). You are more than welcome to come down and watch the girls go through their paces on the oval every Monday 10.50am - 12.20pm for Term 2 only.

Constable Care is back! The team from Constable Care will be out early Term 3 with presentations on Getting to School for the juniors and Respectful use of Social Media and Online Protection for the seniors.

Mr. Con Mitskas Health and Phys Ed Teacher

## **SEMESTER 1 REPORTS**

The 2021 Semester 1 School Reports will be issued on today Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> June via email. Please ensure your email address is correct and up-to-date by contacting the school office on 6207 5200.

The link for your child's report will be valid for 4 weeks, therefore, we suggest you save the report to your own personal files for future reference and/or print a copy for your records.

Request for further copies of student reports will incur a charge of \$5.

# WINNERS OF OUR PAY YOUR VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

Congratulations to the winners of our Voluntary Contributions pay and win competition. All winners will be contacted shortly to arrange collection of prizes.

- 1st Zain Room 5 Night at Joondalup Resort
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Savannah ECE 3 Family Zoo Pass
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Zaq Room 3 \$25 Gift Card
- 4<sup>th</sup> Matthew ECE 1 \$25 Gift Card

Thank you to Mark Folkard MP for Burns Beach and our P&C Committee for their kind and generous prizes.

## **UNIFORM CLEARANCE**

The office still has a number of uniform items at clearance prices. These items include - Jazz Pants, Cargo Shorts, Track Pants, Microfibre Pants, Box Pleat Skirts - these DO NOT have the in built shorts. Please note the following:

- All items are new they have been reduced to sell
- Sizes are limited what is in stock is all that is available.
- Cost is \$5 per item THERE ARE NO REFUNDS AVAILABLE IF YOU CHANGE YOUR MIND
- Complimentary homemade scarf available with each transaction.

All other uniform items can be purchased from Uniform Concepts in Clarkson

#### **TERM 3 PLANNER**

TERM 3 Week	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	Wednesday	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>
1	19 <sup>th</sup> Jul Term 3 Commences	20 <sup>th</sup> Jul Constable Care 9-9:45, Yr. 4-6 - Trending 10:55 -11:40, PP-1 - Getting to School 1-1:45, Yr. 2-3 - Getting to School	21 <sup>st</sup> Jul	22 <sup>nd</sup> Jul	23 <sup>rd</sup> Jul
2	26 <sup>th</sup> Jul	27 <sup>th</sup> Jul NAIDOC ASSEMBLY	28 <sup>th</sup> Jul	29 <sup>th</sup> Jul	30 <sup>th</sup> Jul
			NAIDOC WEEK		
3	2 <sup>nd</sup> Aug School Board Meeting 3pm Staffroom	3 <sup>rd</sup> Aug	4 <sup>th</sup> Aug P&C MEETING 6pm	5 <sup>th</sup> Aug	6 <sup>th</sup> Aug
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4	9 <sup>th</sup> Aug	10 <sup>th</sup> Aug Dental Therapy PP/Yr3/Yr6 students	11 <sup>th</sup> Aug	12 <sup>th</sup> Aug	13 <sup>th</sup> Aug
	Swimming - Yrs, 3 & 5				
5	16 <sup>th</sup> Aug	17 <sup>th</sup> Aug	18 <sup>th</sup> Aug	19 <sup>th</sup> Aug Newsletter GOOD STANDING ACTIVITIES	20 <sup>th</sup> Aug Staff Professional Development Day Students Do NOT ATTEND
	SCIENCE WEEK				

### **2022 ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN**



# 2022 Enrolments are now open.

In Western Australia, children can start their education in Kindergarten, however compulsory schooling starts the following year in Pre-primary.

Who needs to enrol?

You need to apply to enrol your children in school for 2022 if they are:

- starting Kindergarten born between 1/7/2017 -30/6/2018
- starting Pre-primary, the first year of compulsory school
   5 years old by 30 June 2022
- changing schools

Enrolments are now open. Please visit the office or our website <a href="www.clarksonprimaryschool.com.au">www.clarksonprimaryschool.com.au</a> for an application <a href="http://clarksonprimaryschool.com.au/admissions/enrolment-pdfs/">http://clarksonprimaryschool.com.au</a> admissions/enrolment-pdfs/

and return to Clarkson Primary School by Friday 23 July 2021.

### **INSTAGRAM**

Clarkson Primary School can now be found on Instagram. You can follow us at

http://instagram.com/clarksonprimary. School information and communications can also found on our school Facebook page <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/ClarksonPSCommunity">https://www.facebook.com/groups/ClarksonPSCommunity</a> by downloading our school app. Via SeeSaw messages sent out by your classroom teachers and admin. Our school sign located at the main carpark at the front of the school and via our website at www.clarksonprimaryschool.com.au



# OSHClub News Before School / After School Care Program



We hope you have all enjoyed term 2 so far! Our theme for this term is Underwater! The children have had lots of fun painting our display board and adding lots of exotic, tropical and deep blue sea animals to it. So far, we have done plenty of fun and engaging activities to start this term off. These include baking muffins, ANZAC cookies and making some healthy delicious smoothies. The children have really enjoyed painting, making slime, building forts and playing our astronaut maze challenge. We have added many new toys and activities to our OSH room which the kids love. Our new musical instruments have been really popular, and the children have enjoyed learning new songs and sharing them with their peers. Last week we had sensory week. Each day we discussed a new sense and did some unique activities and experiments for the children to learn and develop each sense. The children have also really enjoyed our new books in particular the Origami and drawing books. We also recently had a big "Minute To Win it" contest with loads of team games and prizes.

We love making sure the children get the opportunity to go outside. Soccer and Soccer dodge has been an OSH favourite as well as Ball Tag, Basketball, Handball and some free play.

We hope everyone has had a lovely term! If your child would like to get involved, we do have some casual and permanent bookings available here at OSHCLUB. To find out more you can pop in and visit us in our OSHCLUB rooms or collect a pamphlet. You can also call us on the number or check out our website below.

Thank you.

Josh and Marion.

#### Parent Information

OSHC program phone: 0478 100 318 OSHClub Head Office: 9261 3200

All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is Free!! Please create an account online at <a href="www.oshclub.com.au">www.oshclub.com.au</a> all bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For on the day bookings please contact the Coordinator direct at the program.

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- Discussion Group small, 2-hour groups
- fighting and aggression
- hassle-free shopping with children.
- Group Triple P 8-week parenting course

Program details: 1. Seminar Series - Warwick Tuesday's 9.30-11.30am 17th, 24th and 31st August 2. Seminar Series - Balcatta Tuesday's 9.30-11.30am 31st Aug, 7th and 14th Sept

Discussion Group (Managing Fighting and Aggression) - Warwick Wednesday 25th August 9.30-11.30am

How do I book?

Ask your child health nurse or visit healthywa.wa.gov.au/parentgroups

- To help us all stay healthy, please remember:

   Practise physical distancing.

   Do not attend if you are feeling unwell or need to self-isolate.

  If you need to cancel your booking, contact the Child Health Booking System on 1300 748 85 (methor only).

... is a crèche advertised, only babies under the age of 6 months can attend this group. It welcome babies who need breastfeeding during the session, DO NOT bring hot food

This document can be made available in alternations on request for a person with a disability

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The Better Health Program is a free, healthy lifestyle program for families. The program is evidence-based and is developed and delivered by qualified health professionals to support families with making sustainable health changes. Children (and their families) are eligible to participate in the program if they are: Aged 7-13 years and/or Above a healthy weight. For more information visit <a href="https://betterhealthprogram.org/">https://betterhealthprogram.org/</a> or contact

1300822953 or 0409 745 645

