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Dear Students, Teachers and Parents,

Thank you to everyone that came along to our Annual Open Night last Wednesday. It was wonderful to see so many Parkfield families come together to appreciate the hard work that the staff and students have completed throughout another difficult year.

I would like to congratulate the Parkfield staff on their very diligent efforts to maintain quality teaching and learning programs this year. The classrooms and blocks reflected this effort admirably.

A huge thank you to our amazing P&C Executive Committee and School Board for their role on the Open Night in helping with the sausage sizzle and the cookie dough distribution. Thank you to Sharon Turner and Veeta McGrath for their outstanding work on the night with managing the very busy Sausage Sizzle. They sold 500 sausages. A shout out to Pete's Chop Shop for also supporting the event.
All these people give of their time freely to make our school a great place to be part of.

Well done to our Parkfield Year 5 and 6 girls that participated in the inaugural Primary School Girls AFL carnival at Hay Park yesterday. Thank you Mr Nurse for his coaching and encouragement all term. Thank you also to Mrs Dyer and Mrs Walton for their organisation and support.

We have much to celebrate at Parkfield and our students again have shone in many areas and facets of their schooling. It has been an extremely busy and rewarding term for our Parkfield staff and students and I know everyone is looking forward to a break after a very long, wet winter.

Sports Carnivals Term Four Help Needed
The sports carnivals are fast approaching. The Junior Carnival for students in Pre-primary to Year 2 is on October 21, and the Senior Carnival for students in Year 3 to Year 6 is on October 28. Due to student numbers, the Year 3 students will again participate in the Senior Carnival. We will need many helpers to make the two carnivals successful. Volunteer request forms will be sent home next term, please consider putting your hand up to help out our team.
You can also contact the P&C via Facebook or email parkfieldpandcpresident@gmail.com

Speak up Awards 2022

Congratulations to our Year Six student leader Tahlia Adams on being a finalist in the WA Speak Up Awards in Perth last week. Tahlia's speech was titled *"Let's Stop FMD"* and she did an outstanding job.
Well done Tahlia!

Bush Block Busy Bee
Thank you to Jan, Sarah and their volunteer helpers who worked tirelessly on the weekend to enhance our Bush Block.

Parkfield School Grounds and Facilities
I would like to remind all students and parents that the school buildings are totally out of bounds after school hours and during the entire school holidays**.**

Please feel free to use the Oval and Basketball Courts, but please keep away from all the buildings.

We have had some vandals use golf clubs to damage school property over the last fortnight and ask that parents ring the Australind Police immediately on 9720 6200 to report anyone near the buildings or doing the wrong thing.

Term Four Dates
School will be closed for two weeks for Spring Holidays, from Friday 23th September 2022.
Students will resume school on Tuesday 11th October 2022.

I wish everyone a very restful and safe school holidays.

Thank you.
Charlie Serravite
Principal

Sports Update

Selected students in Years 4 - 6 from each House competed in the Shot Put and Vortex events today. Well done to all those involved and congratulations to the competitors that won a place ribbon.

DATES TO REMEMBER (Term 4)

- **Junior Athletics Carnival** (PP - 2) - Week 2, Friday October 21st
- **Senior Jumps Days** (Yrs 4 - 6) - Week 3, Tuesday October 25th
- **Senior Athletics Carnival** (Yrs 3 - 6) - Week 3, Friday October 28th

As with all carnivals, parent help is vital to help make them a success. We will need **four place judges** for each carnival. If you are able to assist, please contact the office and leave your details or catch up with me at school. Help will be greatly appreciated!
We hope to see a good crowd at the carnivals, as it really adds to the atmosphere and certainly motivates and encourages the students.

Thank you.
Trevor Sleight - PE Teacher

Special Group Photo Orders

On photo day speciality group images (Leaders and Concert band) were taken. These images can be viewed and purchased at a unique website, which is different to where you order the portraits and class photos online.

1. To place your Order online simply go to https://mspphotography.shootproof.com/

2. Locate the Schools Name, then select the album titled **Parkfield Primary School Specialist Groups - 2022**

3. You will then be required to enter a password to view the Album. The password for this **PFPSAR22**

4. Please ensure that you use your child's name at the checkout

5. The images you are viewing are uncropped and will be cropped to fit to a 10x8 print (as per the first image in your gallery, a sample of layout & colour)

The online orders will be open until **midnight** on **26/09/2022 – for the Bulk Pricing Offer.**
The Bulk Pricing Offer is $25 per print and these will be delivered to the school BY CLASS GROUP.
After the $25 pricing expires, the photos will remain available online, but the photos are now at a cost of $40 per image and delivered to a preferred address.

If you have any queries, please contact MSP Photography on **9240 8000** or via email on ordering.perth@msp.com.au. Thank you.

UNIFORM SHOP HOURS

Open Mondays
8.15am – 8.45am
Wednesday
2.45pm – 3.15pm

EFTPOS is available with minimum limit of $10.00. There is no PayPass. Sarah can be contacted on 0400 716 544.

The school dentist has moved from Australind Senior High School

Please be aware the Australind Dental Therapy Centre has moved from Australind Senior High School. Parents need to continue further along Break O'Day Drive past the high school's entrance, there you will see a new building on the **left hand side** that has a road side entrance in-line with the adventure playground at Australind Primary School
The clinic phone number is 9797 0266.
Email: AustralindDTC@health.wa.gov.au

Chaplain's Chat

Wow! Well done everyone, another terrific term that is almost over. What a way to finish off a big Term 3 and our virtue's focus of the previous fortnight of Purposefulness. We had a fantastic Open Night last Wednesday, it was so wonderful to be a part of. The yearly Yellow Day fundraiser for the Cancer Council – I heard it was great.

Here's to a fantastic finish to Week 10 of our virtue's focus fortnight of Respect – for ourselves, each other, and all of our things.

Have a relaxing, recharging and safe holiday break everyone - ready for a wonderful final Term 4 wrap up full of pride and achievement.

Take care, keep well, keep safe, and remember to be in touch if you need to.
Until next time,

Jo Campbell ☺

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and alternate Mondays

BINNINGUP SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB

The Binningup Surf Life Saving Club will be open for new member enquiries on Sunday 9th October 9 - 12 or email: binningupslsc@hotmail.com
Online applications can be made via: sls.com.au or nipperswa.com.au

For further information, please contact Kristy Lind on 0439 725 914 or email kristy.lind@wacricket.com.au

Notes from the Music Room...

Thank you to all the students who performed on Open Night. It was great having such large, appreciative audiences to perform for. The students worked really hard in the weeks leading up to the event. The experience of performing in front of a crowd can be quite daunting. I am so proud of the many virtues the performers displayed – courage, excellence, respect, self-discipline, reliability, just to mention a few.
The special interest groups will continue rehearsals during this week as there are only 9 rehearsals until the Christmas Singalong. New students are welcome to join these groups, either this week or at the beginning of next term. Please read the criteria and rehearsal schedule below.

Junior Choir (Years 3 and 4 - All students welcome) Monday 1.30pm - 2.00pm

DRUM/Percussion (Years 4, 5, 6 – Selected students only. Please talk to me if you are interested.) Tuesday 8.15am - 8.45am

Concert Band (Year 6 IMSS students) Tuesday 2.00pm - 2.30pm

Senior Choir/Ukulele (Years 4, 5, 6 All students welcome) Thursday 8.15am - 8.45am

Mrs Luke – Music Specialist

Performers at Open Night

Daffodil Day 2022

A BIG thank you to the students, staff, parents and the wider community of Parkfield Primary School for your tremendous support of Daffodil Day 2022. Together we raised a total of $2244.45! This money goes directly to the Cancer Council and is used for vital cancer research and support. ☺

Frances Scibilia - Coordinator

P&C Fundraising News

Cookie Dough

We would like to thank all the volunteers who helped distribute the Cookie Dough and Incentive Prizes last Wednesday. It was a huge job so thank you very much, your help is much appreciated. Winners of Slime the Teachers will be announced in Week 2s newsletter. Thank you for your support with this fundraiser.

Maddy – Fundraising Coordinator

Premier's Reading Challenge

The Challenge is officially over for 2022 and Parkfield readers made an incredible effort, logging 1899 books. What a fantastic achievement! Thank you to all our amazing participants.

Lucy Howe - Coordinator

Season starts 11th October 2022. The competition is held at the South West Sports Centre in Bunbury.
For further information, please email: bunburywaterpolo@gmail.com

Car Wash and Dog Wash Tokens

Titanium Car & Dog Wash, Pelican Point, Bunbury.
Don't forget to purchase your discounted tokens through the Parkfield P&C. **Extreme Car Wash Tokens** at **$12 each** or wash the pooch with a **K9000 Dog Wash Token** at **$8.00 each.** What a great saving! Tokens can only be purchased through the Qkr! App and will be delivered to your child's class.

Cash for Containers

Parkfield is a collection point for Containers for Change. Please look for the many deposit points around the school and help raise money for our P&C. We have our Containers for Change big green boxes, classroom bags and big blue sulo bins located near the canteen. **Our scheme number is C10313397** if you are depositing directly to vending machines. Thank you for your support.

Shire of Dardanup Free Event. The Eaton Skatepark will transform into an immersive digital art experience. Food and drink available. **When:** Saturday 1/10/22 from 6.30pm – 9.30pm.

Springs Out - Amusements, displays and stalls to be held at the Eaton Foreshore on 30/10/22 at 9.30am.
To find out more information regarding these events please visit Dardanup.wa.gov.au/events.

Virtue For The Fortnight – Respect

RESPECT is an attitude of caring about people and treating them with dignity**. RESPECT** is valuing ourselves and others. We show **RESPECT** by speaking and acting with courtesy. When we are **RESPECTFUL** we treat others as we want to be treated**. RESPECT** includes honouring the rules of our family or school which make life more orderly and peaceful. It is knowing that every man, woman and child deserves **RESPECT**, including you. Without **RESPECT** for rules, we would have confusion. People would treat each other rudely and violate each other's privacy and other rights. **RESPECT** helps people to feel valued. Elders deserve special **RESPECT** because they have lived longer and learned many of life's lessons. **SELF–RESPECT** is making sure no one hurts you or abuses you, even an elder. When you **RESPECT** yourself, others **RESPECT** you too. Think about how you would like others to treat you and treat them with the same dignity. How would you like others to speak to you, treat your belongings, and your right to privacy? If you want to use someone else's things, ask, and then take good care of them. Express even your strongest feeling in a peaceful way. Treat yourself as you feel others deserve to be treated. You deserve it too!

What would Respect look like if…

- You want to use your friend's bike but they are not around to ask?
- Your grandparents come over and start giving you advice?
- You find yourself talking back to a teacher?

Signs of Success are when you…

- Treat others as you want to be treated
- Speak courteously to everyone
- Take special care of other people's belongings
- Are receptive to the wisdom of elders
- Honour the rules of your family, school and nation

Affirmation: I am respectful. I treat others and myself as we deserve to be treated. I show courtesy to others.