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Maylands Peninsula
PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Message from the Principal



What a way to end the term!

Thanks to all members of the school community for the way you adapted to the changing set of conditions over the last week in regards to the wearing of masks, limiting time on school site and the cancellation of school events and activities at short notice. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Please be aware that if there are any changes to the *Operating Guidelines* over the term break that affect the way we return to school next term, parents/caregivers will be notified by a *Connect* message.

As the situation continues to evolve, I would urge all members of the school community to adhere to the public health advice and regularly monitor the [Healthy WA](#) website for further updates regarding exposure

sites. Hopefully, the public health conditions will ease over the next few weeks to allow us to return to the 'new normal' sooner, rather than later.

Term 2 break

As this will be the final newsletter of the term, I wish all students and families a relaxing and enjoyable Term 2 break. A reminder that we have a scheduled School Development Day on **Monday, 19 July**. This means students return to school on **Tuesday, 20 July**. The Term 3 Planner will be sent home via *Connect* today, but is also available on the [Key Dates and Term Planners](#) page on the school website.

Other Newsletter Items

Assembly

Assembly



S1 Assembly

Thank you to all the students in S1 for hosting the last assembly of term. The Olympics themed assembly was warmly received by all in attendance, and was both entertaining and educational. I particularly enjoyed the synchronised swimming section of the performance. What a great way to end the term.

EXCELLENCE AWARDS



Academic Excellence Award -

Shri Sai Hemanth Kumar - Year 5

Shri Sai works consistently well above the expected level across all learning areas. He has been involved in a number of extension activities, including being a member of the Year 6 HSFOL Maths team, Clue Done It and Maths Masterclass at John Forrest Secondary College. Shri Sai willingly shares his knowledge with class mates through peer tutoring.

Science Excellence Award

Grace McFarland - Year 4

Grace has demonstrated a deep understanding of all scientific concepts and enjoys delving deeper into

concepts through investigations. She engages in the investigative process by posing questions, making predictions and reflecting upon the results. She is then able to share her understanding clearly with her group members.

Writer of the Month

Zachary Ashworth - Year 3

Zachary is a creative writer. He wrote an excellent piece of narrative writing titled Alien Landing. This piece contained wonderful characters and setting, thoughtful ideas and language choices. Well done, Zachary.

FEATURE STORY



Interschool Cross Country

After the disappointment of the cancellation of the Interschool Cross Country Carnival in 2020, it was with

great delight that our students filled nine of the 16 placegetter positions at the 2021 carnival. This is an amazing result given 13 schools participated in the carnival. Ms Wyatt and Mr Doney would like to congratulate ALL students who attended the before school Cross Country training this term. You represented our school with good sportsmanship and pride. Thanks also to the many parents/caregivers who assisted with transport and supported the team on the day. A fantastic achievement!

The results from our division were as follows:

1st - Maylands Peninsula PS- 214 points

2nd- Guildford Grammar- 163 points

3rd- Edney PS- 118 points

4th- Eden Hill PS- 103 points.

Congratulations to the following competitors who placed first or second in their age group.

Year 3

Champion Year 3 Boy- Mitchell Borman

Year 4

Champion Year 4 Boy- Harry McCullough

Runner Up Year 4 Boy- Finlay Dickie

Runner Up Year 4 Girl- Milena Vukovic-Bond

Year 5

Champion Year 5 Boy- Ethan Stoute

Champion Year 5 Girl- Pippa James

Year 6

Champion Year 6 Boy- Thomas Lishman

Champion Year 6 Girl- Lara Vukovic-Bond

Runner Up Year 6 Girl- Carmen Sykes

Miss Wyatt and Mr Doney

Physical Education Teachers





Go Red for Redkite- Wednesday, 30 June

Thank you to all those students who wore red to school in support of the Redkite organisation. All together, we were able to raise \$617.60, which will now be sent to Redkite to provide financial assistance and support services to children and their families throughout the whole cancer journey. Thanks to all for your support.





Bush Tucker Garden

Late last week, a number of students had the opportunity to work with Mrs Reed and Ms Bonetti to start the preliminary work for our school Bush Tucker garden that will be planted next term in the garden beds outside JA1, JA2 and JA3. The students did an outstanding job in painting the concrete steppers and the raised garden beds which will feature throughout the garden space. Well done to all.





Running Club

Well done to Cuba Eaton from Venville who is the latest member of the 100km Club. Good on you, Cuba. Keep on running.

P&C News



'Your Future Self' Lap-a-thon Results

Warmest thanks to the MPPS leadership team, teachers, education assistants and professional staff for all your help; especially Megan Mohr, Paul Andrijich, Rosemary Johnson, Gayle Tippet, Cathy Reddish, Monica Merenda, Bec Turvey, Grant Turner and Amy Wyatt.

P&C office bearers, coordinators and members, we are grateful for your assistance and support, in particular Anne Fisher, Sinead Kelly, Karen Hayward, Pia Cullen, Helen Tennant, Jess de Beaux, Marina Males and Mandy Tompkin.

Sarav Sheemar, Ching Addy, Brooke Thomson, Alicja Brady, Jordan Conti, Lisa Lyon, Gill Kelly-Watts, Nick O'Neill, Gareth Tranter, Virginia Ting and Jacqueline Bahr. Thank you for volunteering on the big day, you're amazing! Couldn't have pulled it off without you.

To the prize sponsors, Tiny Tots Tennis, WA Maritime Museum, 100% Wolf and Ash Greig, Coles Maylands, Woolworths Inglewood, Belmont Toy Library, Rabble Books, Platinum Taekwon-Do Maylands, and Lisa Baker MLA Member for Maylands, can't thank you enough for your generosity.

And to You the fundraisers, the students, families, and caregivers of MPPS. The support you have shown for our school is overwhelming. Thank you for going above and beyond!

All up, we raised a Grand Total of \$17 096.00, which is our highest Lap-a-thon result to date.

Congratulations to all the prize winners from last Friday.

Overall top 5 fundraisers

1st - Will Pereira

2nd- Isabella Tranter

3rd – Hamish Quekett

4th- Ella Yap

5th- Jasper Pratt

Top fundraiser each year level

K- Jaxon Cole

PP- Daniel Murray

1- Marcie Johnson

2- Stella Nguyen

3- Molly Kavanagh

4- Finlay Dickie

5- Madison Zecca

6- Emily Nguyen

Top Fundraising Class- S6

Class with the most forms returned- M1

Raffle Winners

1st- Addison de Beaux

2nd- Olive Pozzi

3rd- Archie Ball

4th- James Doan

5th- Chevonne Kusuma

6th- Stella Karsten

7th- Reuben Sibbel

8th- Bronte Glover

9th- Dean Anderson

10th- Luca Mosina

Tania Visosevic

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Community News



Mount Lawley Dental Therapy Centre

The Mount Lawley Dental Therapy Centre will be closed during the July school holidays, Monday 5 to Friday, 9 July 2021.

Emergency only dental treatment is available during this time at:

Ballajura Dental Therapy Centre 9249 3975 or
Warriapendi Dental Therapy Centre 9349 3975.

The Mount Lawley Dental Therapy Centre will re-open during the July school holidays on Monday, 12 to Friday, 16 July 2021. If any dental emergencies occur during this time please contact 9271 5561.

If after hour emergencies arise and treatment is required, please contact 1800 098 818.

City of Bayswater Libraries NAIDOC Activities

The City of Bayswater Libraries are holding some special NAIDOC activities during the July school holidays. All events are free and bookings are essential.

Date	Time	Library	Event Name	Event Description	Booking link
Wednesday, 07/07/2021	9.30am - 10.30am	Bayswater Library	Yarn Turtles and Sand Art (Ages 4-12)	Create a Yarn Turtle craft, sand art animals and listen to a NAIDOC Week story.	https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/yarn-turtles-sand-art-and-a-story-ages-4-12-tickets-157920575693
Wednesday, 07/07/2021	10.45am - 11.15am	Bayswater Library	Yarn Turtles and Sand Art (Ages 4-12)	Create a Yarn Turtle craft, sand art animals and listen to a NAIDOC Week story.	https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/yarn-turtles-sand-art-and-a-story-ages-4-12-tickets-157920950815
Wednesday, 07/07/2021	3.00pm - 5.30pm	Maylands Library	Madjiti! Moorna: Magical Bush Sounds Choir (All ages)	Join us for an afternoon with the Madjiti! Moorna choir in the Maylands Amphitheatre. Bring a picnic and listen to a mix of soulful songs that connect to boodja (land/country). The first 50 people will get a free hot drink voucher.	https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/madjiti!-moorna-choir-all-ages-tickets-154174468987
Tuesday, 13/07/2021	2.00-3.00pm	Maylands Library	Yarn turtles and scratch art animals (Ages 5-12)	Make your own yarn turtle then design your own Australian animal with Indigenous inspired colours	https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/yarn-turtles-and-scratch-art-animals-ages-5-12-tickets-157919983923
Friday, 16/07/2021	3.00pm-4.00pm	Morley Library	Noongarts and Crafts (Ages 5-12)	Learn about Noongar people and explore and touch traditional artefacts. Taste bush cordial and damper, make an art project and finish by learning a song, dance. You might even get a chance to throw a spear!	https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/noongarts-and-crafts-ages-5-12-tickets-154171714749

Midvale Hub Parenting Service

**Midvale Hub
Parenting Service**
Perth (North East)



1-2-3 Magic and Emotion Coaching

A 3 session parenting program for parents of children aged 3 - 10 years

For parents and carers who reside in the local government areas of Mundaring, Swan, Bassendean & Bayswater

The program explores ways parents can increase their children's ability to manage, and self-regulate their feelings and reactions. Learn more about:

- building positive relationships with children
- encouraging positive behaviour
- setting family rules and routines
- planning to avoid or manage potentially difficult situations



Where:	Maylands Public Library 28 Eight Ave, Maylands
When:	Wednesdays 28 July, 4, 11 August, 2021 (must be able to attend all sessions)
Time:	12.15pm – 2.15pm
Cost:	FREE – Registration is essential
Crèche:	Not available for this program

For more information and to register, please contact:

Name: Midvale Hub Parenting Service (Perth North East)
Telephone: (08) 9290 6827
Email: parentingservice@mundaring.wa.gov.au



The Midvale Hub Parenting Service Perth (North East) is provided by Midvale Hub (Shires of Mundaring) and funded by the State Government through the Department of Communities.



Upcoming Events

Friday, 2 July | End of Term 2

Monday, 19 July | School Development Day

Tuesday, 20 July | Term 3 commences for



Quote of the Fortnight



To participate only in the things you are good at is to miss all the benefits of participating in things that are good for you.

School Ethos



We at Maylands Peninsula Primary School are committed to:

- Encouraging students to be successful learners.
- The principles of developmental learning.
- Life-long learning and reflective practices.
- Developing attitudes and values of care and concern for self, others and the environment.
- Maintaining a safe environment for all.
- Building partnerships with students, parents and the community.

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