

KAPINARA PRIMARY

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2018 School Development Days

- **Friday 17 August**
- **Friday 14 December**

COMING UP!

3 AUGUST	VISITING JAPANESE STUDENTS
10 AUGUST	2D ASSEMBLY
13 AUGUST	ICAS MATHS 8.15AM
13 AUGUST	BOARD MEETING 6PM
17 AUGUST	SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DAY (NO STUDENTS)

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents and Carers

Strings Night

What an amazing evening of music we were treated to on Thursday evening last week. Our annual Strings Night was a celebration of the talents and efforts of SIM (School of Instrumental Music) students and choir members. The harmonies of the girls' choir and the theatrics of the boys' choir delighted us all ... and then there were the performances of those who learn, guitar, violin, cello and double bass through the Department of Education's SIM program; a program that celebrated 50 years of instrumental music education in a concert at Perth Concert Hall last night. The Department's instrumental music program commenced in 1968 with 700 students, and now caters for 19 000 children across the state. Mrs Preston and I were last week reminiscing about our early days as instrumental music students, when we had classes of ten ... learning the trumpet! Although we attended different primary schools, we shared the same music teacher, Mr John Wood. I'm often reminded that in both education and music, Perth is quite a connected city. My congratulations to all our students who performed at on Strings Night, and thank you to teachers; Ms Sarina Li, Mrs Wendy Tusak, Ms Therese Arnold (violin and orchestra), Ms Alex Bak (cello), Ms Anna Person (double bass) and Mr Steven Sutherland (guitar).

Triple P

Yesterday the Triple P Parent Stay Positive campaign was launched by ambassador Ms Sarah McGowan. Triple P's Power of Positive Parenting seminar is designed to help parents understand 'why kids act the way they do, and how (our own) reactions and words can make a big difference.

Whether you need just a few tips to help set up a toddler's bedtime routine or you have a teenager whose defiance is upsetting the whole family, Triple P has a positive parenting program to fit your needs. You can also choose the way you get that Triple P help – in groups with other parents, one-on-one with a trained provider or even DIY online! *(excerpt from Triple P website)*

You can find information regarding the program via our school website in the latest news section on the home page.

PEAC

This morning our Year 4 students completed assessments for the Department's Primary Extension and Academic Challenge (PEAC) program. PEAC assessments have been designed by the Australian Council for Education Research (ACER) and fall under the following headings: reading comprehension; reasoning by analogy; working mathematically and thinking scientifically; and non-verbal reasoning. Selected students in Years 5 and 6 next year will be able to access these programs. If you would like to look at more information pertaining to PEAC please visit <https://www.northmetropeac.wa.edu.au/>

Artist in Residence

We are extremely fortunate to be hosting an Artist in Residence from Italy, Mrs Colleen Corradi Brannigan. Today Colleen, Anna Trovarelli and some of our students started work on an amazing mosaic that will eventually be placed on our front wall in Catesby St.

Book Fair

Planning is underway for another Scholastic Book Fair. This will be in Week 10 of this term. There will be more information to follow.

Best wishes

Elizabeth Blackwell



GENERAL NEWS

WEBSITE

Why wait for your newsletter each fortnight! Find out all the latest information on the website posts, updated during the day as needed. While you're there, order lunches, look at the most recent calendar, print off permission forms for your child's event and click on absentees if they are away.

BOOKWEEK

On Friday 24th August, Kapinara will celebrate Bookweek with a special day of *Books and Stories* in every classroom. The Year 4P assembly that will take place that morning, will also include a 'Book Character Parade'. We would love students to dress up as their favourite book character and bring along the book their character is from. This is not a competition and students are encouraged to create their own imaginative costumes!

STRINGS NIGHT

Congratulations to all students for their wonderful performances and thank you to parents for your ongoing support.

GIRLS AND BOYS CHOIR

This week there will be no early morning choir rehearsals. Choir will commence again on Thursday 9th August at 8.00am. Miss Stewart has kindly offered to co-ordinate and conduct the boys' choir for the remainder of the year. Boys' choir will be rehearsing downstairs in Room 10.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN SCHOOLS ' JUNIOR ORCHESTRA FESTIVAL

Kapinara String Orchestra will be performing in the WA Schools' Junior Orchestra Festival at the Churchlands Senior High School Auditorium on Sunday 9 September at 12.45pm.

More detailed information including permission slips will be sent home closer to the event and placed on the website. Please mark this date in your calendar.

CITY TO SURF

The Chevron City to Surf for Activ is on again. To take advantage of the school community discount, register under Kapinara and enter the 15% promotional code of **SCHKAPIPS**

COMMUNITY

Allergy & Anaphylaxis Australia together with the National Allergy Strategy will hold an information evening to provide guidance and support for those suffering with severe allergic disease.

A/Prof Richard Loh (paediatric clinical immunologist) will talk about oral immunotherapy for food allergy. **Maria Said**, CEO of Allergy & Anaphylaxis Australia will also present.

There will also be a panel of specialists including an adult immunologist and paediatric immunologist who will be ready to answer questions that you may have.

You will also find out about the National Allergy Strategy food allergy prevention project.

When: Tuesday, 28 August 2018

Time: Arrival from 6pm for a light supper with session to commence at 6:30pm

Where: Stirling Community Centre Corner Cape & Stoneham Streets, Tuart Hill (Carpark Entry off Stoneham Street) COST: Free

RSVP: <https://www.trybooking.com/WTUV>

Play Baseball

"Have a Go" Baseball session 19th Aug 2018, 12pm to 3pm at Wembley Sports Park, Wembley.

Like Us on Under 9's tee ball also available more info - wembleybaseball.com

Registrations season 2018/19 Now Open

Canteen News

We have changed the canteen roster to four shifts per day instead of two. The shifts are two hours each (8.45-10.45am) and (10.45am-1.00pm) and it will be possible to sign up for either one shift or two (working the whole morning from 8.45am-1pm). Hopefully this will make it easier for people to volunteer. Parents working one shift will receive a free morning tea for their child(ren) whilst parents working two shifts will receive a free lunch for their child(ren). The sign up link is: <http://signup.com/go/jueyioj> (cut and paste this link). Please see the current roster below. Please contact Kate Cawley (P&C Canteen Roster Co-ordinator) on 0488235175 or k-pcawley@hotmail.com if you have any questions or need to change your shift.

Term 3 2018	Parent Volunteers
Wk 3 Class 2D	
Tuesday 31 July	Anthea Redding (8.45-1.00), Caryss Bidesi (8.45-10.45) and 1 volunteer required (10.45-1.00)
Thursday 2 August	Tanya Shie (8.45-1.00), Alicia Sweeney (8.45-10.45) and Caryss Bidesi (10.45-1.00)
Wk 4 Class 2/3HS	
Tuesday 7 August	Jo Coveney (8.45-1.00) and 2 volunteers required (8.45-10.45 & 10.45-1.00)
Thursday 9 August	Erica White (8.45-11.00), Claudia Wink (10.45-1.00) and 2 volunteers required (8.45-10.45 & 10.45-1.00)
Wk 5 Class 3FJ	
Tuesday 14 August	Yuliya Lin (8.45-10.45am) and 3 volunteers required (8.45-10.45, 10.45-1.00 & 10.45-1.00)
Thursday 16 August	4 volunteers required
Wk 6 Class 4P	
Tuesday 21 August	4 volunteers required
Thursday 23 August	Wendy Atkins (8.45-10.45), Erica White (8.45-10.45), Jen Marschner (10.45-1.00) and Desi (10.45-1.00)
Wk 7 Class PP-M	
Tuesday 28 August	Mary-Anne Maddox (8.45-1.00), Maiko Yatsufuji (8.45-10.45) and 1 volunteer required (10.45-1.00)
Thursday 30 August	Nikki Little (8.45-1.00) and 2 volunteers required (8.45-10.45 & 10.45-1.00)
Wk 8 Class PP-L	
Tuesday 4 September	Nhi Do (8.45-10.45) and 3 volunteers required (8.45-10.45, 10.45-1.00 & 10.45-1.00)
Thursday 6 September	4 volunteers required
Wk 9 Class 5/6D	
Tuesday 11 September	Yuliya Lin (8.45-10.45) and 3 volunteers required (8.45-10.45, 10.45-1.00 & 10.45-1.00)
Thursday 13 September	4 volunteers required

2018 Calendar

Term Three

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	16 July No Guitar lessons	17 No SIM lessons Orchestra is still on.	18	19	20
2	23	24 P&C Meeting 7.00pm	25	26 Strings rehearsal am (Kapinara) Strings Concert Yr3-Yr6 (Churchlands SHS)	27 ASSEMBLY YR 2/3 H Dads camp weekend
3	30 ICAS English 8.15am	31	1 August	2	3 Visiting Japanese students from Akashi Nishi
4	6	7	8	9	10 ASSEMBLY Year 2D
5	13 ICAS – Maths 8.15am Board Meeting 6.00pm	14	15	16	17 School Development Day - Pupil Free
6	20	21	22 Year 3 Kings Park Excursion	23	24 YR 4P Assembly Quiz Night Sportsmen club Scarborough 6.30
7	27	28 P&C Meeting 7.00 pm	29	30	31 Athletics Carnival YR 1/2 Cake Stall TBC
8	3 September	4	5 K-2 Faction Athletics Carnival	6	7 Assembly Yr3FJ String orchestra performs on 9th
9	10	11 Basketball Comp Y3-6 (selected students) Tech Day (remaining Y3-6 students)	12 Interschool Athletics	13	14
10	17	18	19	20	21 PP1&2 Assembly