From the Principal

Welcome to week seven of term two. Things are moving along and we are more than half way through the term.

Swimming is over for the year and although it was very cold some mornings many of our students have come away having completed their certificates successfully. Thanks to all the parents who prepared their children and had clothing marked so that it did not go missing. Classes are now returning to normal and our routines are being restored.

Students from rooms 1 and 11 visited the Kalamunda History Village on Tuesday as part of our history studies. They participated in a range of activities to see how things worked in the olden days…before mobile phones. Some of the students dressed in clothes of the olden times as did Ms Russell and Mrs Miller. I understand that all the students had a great time and that the other classes are looking forward to going.

Members of the school, the P&C and some staff members attended Bunnings Midland store on Saturday to run a sausage sizzle to raise funds for the school. Things were very well organised by Shireen Pivac and her colleagues and there were numerous sausages and drinks sold. Thanks to everyone who came along and helped out.

The school Faction Cross Country will take place on Friday 12th June. Students have been busy training during the day and on Wednesday morning they had their second early morning training session. Mr Levy had them all warming up around 7.45 and students then ran the course. Our P&C again provided breakfast of cereal, fruit and Milo for all participants.

Last week we had a parent’s vehicle broken into in the car park on Lawnbrook Road and some valuables were stolen. Please be aware that this has taken place and make sure you remove all valuables from you vehicle if you are coming into the school.

Don’t forget this week’s assembly is being run by Room 1. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Bernie O’Hara
Principal

Thank you to the Walliston Community

Thank you to the local community members who came over to the school at midnight on Saturday night in an attempt to try to identify the vehicle and the driver who caused so much damage to our oval. Your efforts are greatly appreciated by all of us.

Bernie O’Hara
Principal

Faction Cross Country

Students have been practising for the Faction Cross Country which is to be held on Friday 12th June. Thankyou to all those students who have been taking advantage of the lunchtime and breakfast training sessions to get extra fit and help their faction do well on the day. This year we are fundraising to support our local Kalamunda SES. The Fun Run sponsor sheet was sent home last week and needs to be filled in and returned by Friday 19th June. Look forward to a great Day.

Martin Levy
PhysEd Specialist

Please note Uniform Shop is open from 2.30 - 3pm on this day.
Thank you to all those families who have paid the Contributions and Charges already for this year. For those who have not yet finalised their accounts, payment would be appreciated as soon as possible. These funds are used to purchase valuable resources that are required for all students.

Room 1 & 11 visited the Kalamunda History Village on Tuesday 2nd June in their best pioneer outfits. Luckily we had a dry day for our excursion and were able to do lots of ‘hands on’ activities to give the students a taste of pioneer life. We wrote on slates, used a washboard and a mangle to do the laundry and even the boys enjoyed ironing with the old irons. Some of them were a bit confused how to use a dolly peg though! A big hit was also making toilet paper from newspaper. The whole morning was busy, educational and an experience enjoyed by all.

Ms Russell
The 2014/2015 Entertainment book has now expired. New 2015/2016 editions are available for sale in the office, $65 each. A digital version is also available, which can be shared over two iPhones, smart phones, or ipad. To order online click on the link on our Walliston P & C Fundraising Facebook page.

Honey Fundraiser
We have 1 kilo tubs of local honey for sale in the office for $10 each.

Quiz Night at Lesmurdie Club 1st of August
We have already collected some great prizes and would like to thank the following businesses for their generosity.

Toyworld, Kalamunda  Bunnings, Kalamunda
Priceline, Kalamunda  First Avenue, Kalamunda
Elsewhere Clothing, Kalamunda  The Pool Shop, Kalamunda
Mia Lingerie, Kalamunda  The Barber Shop, Kalamunda
Kalamunda Pharmacy  Dreams, Kalamunda
The Core Cider House, Pickering Brook
The Entertainment Book & City Summit Rock Climbing Centre
I have posted photos of prizes on our Walliston P & C Fundraising Facebook.

A very big heartfelt thank you goes out to all our lovely volunteers who helped out so much on Saturday at the Bunnings Sausage Sizzle in Midland. We couldn't have done it without you! We raised just over $1500! This will go a long way to helping upgrade the Outdoor playground areas. A great effort, thanks everyone

Di Moore, Fundraising Coordinator

The school is looking for some book club helpers to help out once a term to facilitate the scholastic program. Please contact Belinda 0418 807 225 for information.

Donations of Size 2/4 Walliston T-Shirts
The 3 Year Old Pre-Kindy Program is in desperate need of second hand size 2 or 4 Walliston Primary School maroon t-shirts. The shirts will be painted with handprints and then given to new students joining the program. If you are able to donate a shirt or two please send them to the school’s front office.

Many thanks
Sandy

Uniform Shop Open
Friday 12th June
2.30 - 3.15pm
## Merit Awards

**Congratulations to these students**

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## Dates to Remember

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## Lost Property

Please make sure your child’s uniform is clearly marked on all items of clothing. We currently have a lot of uniforms in lost property, although we endeavour to do our best and return them back to their owners it makes it very hard when they are not labelled.

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**Lesmurdie Senior High School Enrolments 2016**

We would like to remind parents and caregivers that a very important date to keep in mind is 24 July 2015 – the closing date for applications for enrolment at public schools across WA. This is particularly important for parents and caregivers of students who live in an out-of-intake address and wish to apply for enrolment at Lesmurdie SHS and/or in the LEAP program. To avoid any delays, we are encouraging parents to consider submitting an Application for 2016 Enrolment ASAP.

The package can be found at [http://www.lesmurdie.wa.edu.au/information/enrolments/](http://www.lesmurdie.wa.edu.au/information/enrolments/) or alternatively collected from reception. We want this process to be as smooth as possible for you, so please do not hesitate to contact Jessica Cubbage on 9291 1247 or Jessica.rawes@education.wa.edu.au.

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**Survey for Parents and Kids**

Researchers at The University of Western Australia are looking for parents with children or teens between the ages of 8 and 16 to help us find out more about the relationship between the personality trait, narcissism, and children’s emerging understanding of who they are (their sense of self and self-esteem). The survey can be done over the internet and at home, and it takes about twenty minutes of your time (5-10 min parents and 10-15 min children). Parents are given the opportunity to enter a draw to win one of twenty $50 gift certificates to Coles/Myer.

To participate go to: [http://tinyurl.com/DOEBParents](http://tinyurl.com/DOEBParents)

For more information please contact Kate Derry at 6488 3259.