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Principal's Words

Welcome to our first Newsletter for term two. Our school is a community and we love supporting and engaging with our families and to this end, this term has already begun with some key events for our students and community. Our ANZAC Commemoration was very moving and our children were wonderful in performing their roles and participating. Thank you to all of the families that attended and to our children well done. Thank you also to our teachers who prepared the children so well and in particular, Miss Bosman and Mrs Fowler who did an amazing job organising the Commemoration. See the stories and pictures in this Newsletter.

This week we are celebrating Mother's Day with all of our fantastic mums in our school community. Kindergarten will be hosting special events at school for the children and families in each class and Pre Primary is preparing special gifts and cards. Thank you to all of our teachers for organising these activities and for our parents for supporting them.

Coming events include activities such as our Book Fair activities from Friday, 18 May until Wednesday, 23 May and we are seeking volunteers to assist with this. If you can help, please speak to Ms Tanubrata in Kindy, room 4 (the classroom at the back left hand corner).

In addition to our Kindergarten and Pre-Primary classes we will be hosting "Grandparent mornings" on Friday, 18 May and Monday, 21

May. We would love to see all of our Grandparents attend to enjoy some pampering and additional, quality time with your Grandchildren.

I cannot emphasise strongly enough the quality of the positive message that it sends to your children when you engage in activities, both in and out of the classroom and school. It tells them that you value their education and that you support the school, a message that resonates with them across their schooling years.

A reminder to Parents that Friday, 1 June will be a Staff Professional Development Day and Monday, June 4 is a Public Holiday. On both days school will be closed to students.

Week nine of this term will see your child's Semester one, interim report sent home. For Kindergarten parents it will be in the form of a Portfolio of work samples that your child has completed and Pre-Primary parents will receive a more formal report. As always, whilst the information shared in these formats is valuable and informative, you should note that they are a snapshot of progress for half an academic year and the best elaborations are obtained by discussing your child's progress with his or her teacher. There will be time allocated in term three for parents to request a meeting with classroom teachers in order to gain a greater understanding of capabilities and progress or to address concerns. Dates for these meetings will be advised later in term two.

See you at the gate.

Noel Morgan
Principal



Important Dates

May	
18-23	Book Fair
18	Grandparents Morning Morning 9 – 10am PP2 Blue, Purple, Red
21	Grandparents Morning Morning 9 – 10am PP3 Green, Orange, Yellow
June	
1	Staff Development Day
4	WA Day - Public Holiday

ANZAC Day Assembly

On Wednesday, 2 May we gathered as a school community to remember the men and women who bravely fought for our country and whose lives were lost at war.

As this was our first official school event, the students should be commended on their outstanding behaviour throughout the proceedings. It makes us very proud to see students taking ownership of our school's core values.

Congratulations to all Pre-primary and Kindergarten students who lead the official proceedings and who spoke so clearly and confidently in front of the school community. We would like to say a big thank you to Kindergarten and Mrs Letton for making such a beautiful wreath and to every student for making a wonderful piece of artwork to display outside of their classroom on the day. The school looked great, and we'd like to thank the teachers for organising this.

We felt honoured to be able to organise and prepare the students for this important event. I think we can all agree that the students sang the National Anthem beautifully and showed the respect the occasion deserved.

Lastly, we'd like to thank the school community for their attendance and ongoing support of Aspiri Primary School.

Angelique Bosman and Bec Fowler

Enrolments for 2019 Are Now Open

Note: If your child is moving from Kindy into Pre-Primary in 2019, you will need to submit a Part A Application Form, complete a Student Update Form and provide two current proof of address documents by 20 July, 2018, to secure placement in Pre-Primary for 2019.

If your child is moving from Pre-Primary to Primary School years in 2019 at Aspiri PS you are not required to submit an application form.

If you are in our Local Intake Area and you currently have your child enrolled at another school in the Primary Years, you will need to submit a new Enrolment Application Form.

Application Form Part A is available on our website www.aspirips.wa.edu.au

Reminder to Parents

Student Update Forms – please return all Student Update Forms with or without changes to keep our records accurate and up-to-date. If you have misplaced your form, please feel free to ask for a new one.

Dental Visit

The Dental Clinic will be visiting Aspiri Primary School on Monday, 5 June at 1.30pm to perform Dental Screening with the Pre Primary Students. Please make sure your forms are returned as soon as possible.

Your child will simply stand and bite their teeth together while the dental nurse writes information in their books. Each class will take approximately 10 minutes.

If you have any queries regarding this, please contact the Dental Therapy Centre on 9393 2125. If you have misplaced your form, you will need to contact the Dental Therapy Centre to obtain a new one.

Uniform Concepts

Winter jackets are now available at the Willetton Super Store. Sizes 2-6 are \$43. Please click [here](#) to download an Order Form.





BOOK FAIR & GRANDPARENTS MORNING
-FEATURING CLIFFORD THE DOG-

CALLING ALL GRANDPARENTS OF ASPIRI!

You are invited to spend the morning of 18th and 21st May to read with us, participate in our Literacy Block and view the books at our Book Fair.

There will be plenty of books for sale!
Eftpos will be available.

When: 18 & 21 May **Time: 9:00-10:00**
Note Book stall will be open every morning and afternoon from 18-23 May

The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you go.
- Dr Seuss



Peregrine Estate
PIARA WATERS

In the Aspiri Primary School
catchment area

Proud supporter of Aspiri Primary school

It takes many hands to make light work and equally it takes many people and organisations contributing as much as they can to make a great school work.

We are very happy to recognise Peregrine Estate and Handle Realty as a proud supporter of our school. Peregrine Estate sits within our Local Intake Area and we have students from families located in the estate attending our amazing school.

Peregrine Estate have generously donated some additional "Buddy" benches to our school for use in our grounds this year and in the larger playground space in our Stage 2 build. On behalf of our students, thank you Peregrine Estate and Handle Realty.

Term 2 Planner – 2018

	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT/SUN
Week 1 April/May	30 April Staff Development Day	1 May First Day Term 2	2 Anzac Day Assembly 9am	3	4	5/6
Week 2 May	7 Mothers' Day Celebration (Kindergarten Classes Only)	8	9	10 Mothers' Day Celebration (Kindergarten Classes Only)	11	12/13
Week 3 May	14	15	16	17	18 Grandparents Morning 9 – 10am PP2 Blue, Purple, Red Book Fair	19/20
Week 4 May	21 Grandparents Morning 9 – 10am PP3 Green, Orange, Yellow Book Fair	22 Book Fair	23 Book Fair	24	25	26/27
Week 5 May/June	28	29	30	31	1 June Staff Development Day	2/3
Week 6 June	4 WA Public Holiday	5	6	7	8	9/10
Week 7 June	11	12	13	14	15	16/17
Week 8 June	18	19	20	21	22	23/24
Week 9 June/July	25	26	27	28	29 Last Day of Term 2	30/1 July