



Padbury Primary School

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2019

*Caring for the Future*

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## School Times

8.55am: Start of day  
10.55-11.15am: Recess  
12.45-1.20pm: Lunch  
3.00pm: End of day

## Term Dates 2019

Term 4 2019

14th Oct—19th Dec

## Principal's Message

### **OPEN NIGHT**

It was very pleasing to see many of our parents attending the annual open night last week. Although the weather was very inclement and it was Halloween, 60% of our families attended the evening, enjoying a sausage sizzle before visiting classes.

Conversations I had with parents who attended were extremely positive and I am sure parents are very proud of the efforts their children have made this year.

I would particularly like to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of staff – without their efforts our children would not be achieving the very pleasing results they are.

### **NAPLAN 2019**

Staff have thoroughly analysed our 2019 NAPLAN data and the results are extremely pleasing. Our Year 3 and Year 5 students performed above like schools in all areas except 1 where they performed at the same level as like schools.

This is a credit to the staff of Padbury PS who ensure that our students are provided with consistent approaches at all year levels in literacy and numeracy.

A comprehensive report will be provided to the School Council in due course and more detailed information will be made available via the school's annual report which will be prepared in Term 1 2020.

### **SAFE SCHOOL SURVEY**

In recent newsletters, I have provided parents with the feedback from a survey we conducted last term with students in Years 3-6 to gain their perspective of our school. This feedback has included students' responses to questions related to Teacher/Student Relationships, Safety at School and Perceptions of Teachers. The responses to all these areas were extremely positive.

The fourth domain surveyed was Negative Behaviours. Ratings are based on a 1-4 scale (1 = strongly disagree, 4 = strongly agree). Because of the way these items were worded, they were reverse scored. Therefore, for this domain an overall score above 3 indicates that students overall disagree with the statement.

## Voluntary School Contributions

**Kindy:**  
\$40 per child

**PP-Yr 6:**  
\$60 per child

**P&C CONTRIBUTION**  
\$40 per child

These fees can be paid via  
Direct Debit, cheque or  
EFTPOS.

Please contact the office  
Anytime - 9401 1255  
Thank you.



### **Administration**

**Neil Wood**  
Principal

**Kim Atkins**  
Deputy Principal

**Teri Tan**  
Manager Corporate Services

**Michelle Innes**  
School Officer

### **School Council 2019**

**Jaye-Anne Muir**  
Chair Person

### **P&C Committee 2019**

**Nicola Graham**  
President

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Vice President

**Jo Clarke**  
Treasurer

The results are presented below:

Negative Behaviours (reverse scored)					
Fights among students are common at this school	3.42	3.62	2.88	3.13	3.27
This year I have had something stolen at school	3.31	3	3.44	3.33	3.27
Threats by one students against another are common at this school	3.38	3.62	3.25	3.33	3.4
Some students are regularly beaten up by other students	3.6	3.62	3.56	3.67	3.61
Name calling, insults or teasing happen regularly at school	2.83	2.75	2.69	2.8	2.76
Arguments amongst students are common at this school	2.89	2.88	2.56	3	2.84
There is a lot of bullying in this school	3.62	3.5	3.62	3.4	3.54
MEAN					3.24

The students' perceptions of negative behaviours at Padbury PS are extremely positive and indicate the positive manner in which students relate to each other. It also provides validation of our Student Management Policy which is underpinned by a focus on positive behaviours and restorative practices when behaviours are inappropriate.

It is particularly pleasing to note these responses as it confirms our view that Padbury Primary School is a safe school and this is recognised and acknowledged by the students themselves.

### **OPERATIONAL PLANNING – 2020**

Planning for 2020 is well underway with a great deal of work going on behind the scenes to ensure a smooth start to the new school year.

To assist with this planning it would be very helpful to know of any students who will not be attending Padbury PS in 2020.

It is also that time of the year when parents often start to make enquiries about classes for next year.

Please be advised that, as in past years, it is anticipated that proposed classes (and teachers) will be posted at the front office in the last week of term.

### **VACSWIM SCHOOL HOLIDAY SWIMMING LESSONS**

VacSwim enrolments opened on 24 July. Details on how to enrol, venues, promotional materials and closing dates for the January programs are available at

<https://www.education.wa.edu.au/enrolling-in-vacswim>

### **BOOKLISTS for 2020**

Hardcopies of the 2020 Booklists will be distributed to classes next week. They will also be posted to the school website padburyps.wa.edu.au. Closing date for free delivery is the 15th December 2019.



## KINDERGARTEN ENROLMENTS FOR 2020

Enrolments are now open for Kindy 2020. If you have a child that was born between 1st July 2015 and 30 June 2016, please come into the front office for an application form. (Part A )

Whilst Kindy is non-compulsory the criteria for enrolment is as follows :

1. Resides within local intake area
2. Sibling Rule.

When applying we need a copy of your child's birth certificate or passport, visa if applicable, current Medicare immunisation details and proof of residential address.



## Kindergarten Enrolments



# OPEN NOW

## Ph: 9401 1255

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## 2019 BOOKFAIR

The Bookfair was a great success again this year, exceeding our target of \$3000 in sales. As a result Padbury Primary School received over \$1000 worth of new books for our Library. A big thank you to all the parent helpers and wonderful year 6's who manned the novelty stationary stall.







## BOOKWEEK DRESS UP



Please  
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**Professional  
Development  
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## Education Security

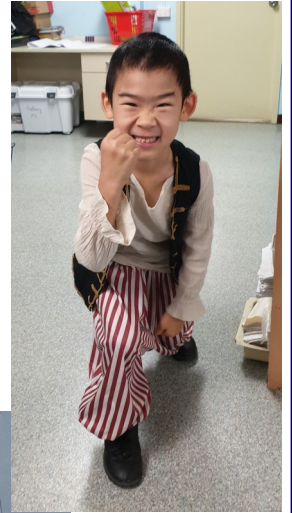
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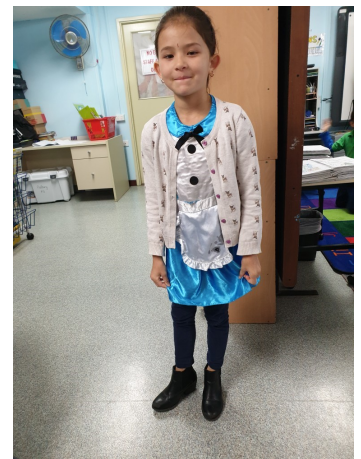
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**Our  
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## FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE FOR LUNCH!!

As an almost end of year Celebration, we would like to share a FREE Sausage Sizzle with all students and staff next Thursday **14th November at 12.45pm.**

If your child does not wish to have a sausage sizzle, please pack their lunch for them as normal next Thursday.

Thanks Mrs Tan and Mrs Innes







# HONOUR CERTIFICATES

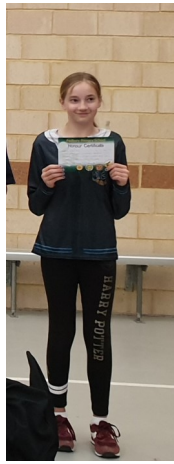
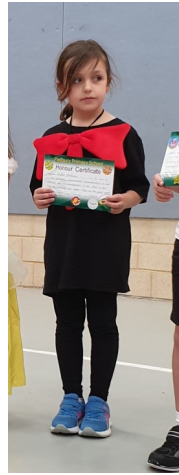
Kay-Lee Hauck	Room 10	Jaelah Woodley	Room 10
Sasha Snyder	Room 8	Millie Mathews	Room 8
Alex Smith	Room 15	Vaughan MacDonald	Room 15
Lauren McKirdy	Room 14	Finlay Simmons	Room 14
Isabel Usher	Room 14	Ellie Clark	Room 17
Noah Toth	Room 17		

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*Congratulations!*





## FOODBANK FOOD DRIVE—The Power of Giving

As Christmas is approaching it is also a time for giving and sharing. This year Mrs Tan and Mrs Innes would like to team up with the students, staff and families to hold a food drive.

It is a great way for students to learn not only about hunger in Australia but also about the power of giving. Let's all join forces and donate to the FOOD BANK.

We will have a box for all donations in the office from Monday 11th November 2019. We would like to thank you for your generous donations.

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	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI
Week 1	14/10 SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DAY	15/10	16/10	17/10	18/10
Week 2	21/10	22/10	23/10 Interschool Throws and Jumps	24/10	25/10 Interschool Athletics Carnival
Week 3	28/10 Book Fair	29/10 Book Fair	30/10 Book Fair	31/10 Assembly Book Fair BookWeek Dress Up Open Night – Sausage sizzle	01/11 Book Fair
Week 4	04/11 Year 6 Graduation Photos	05/11	06/11	07/11	08/11 Beach Combing Yr 3 – 5
Week 5	11/11	12/11	13/11	14/11 FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE – LUNCH	15/11
Week 6	18/11	19/11 Gravity Discovery Centre Excursion – Yr 5 & 6	20/11	21/11	22/11
Week 7	25/11 Scitech Excursion Years 1-4	26/11	27/11 3:15pm School Council Meeting	28/11	29/11 Bunnings Workshop K – 6
Week 8	02/12	03/12	04/12	05/12 Assembly LDC	06/12
Week 9	09/12	10/12	11/12 Kindy Orientation Day 2-3pm	12/12 School Review	13/12 Presentation and Book Awards Volunteer Morning Tea
Week 10	16/12	17/12 9.30am Graduation Assembly Graduation Lunch	18/12 Whole School Student Lunch	19/12 Students Finish	20/12 TRADE OFF DAY





# Community News



Padbury Education & Child Care Centre

## Looking for Before and After School Care?

### Padbury Education and Child Care Centre

We have vacancies available in our OSHC!

Please contact us on

PH: 9307 3421

EMAIL: [Kambarang@padburychildcare.com.au](mailto:Kambarang@padburychildcare.com.au)

- Before School Care
- After School Care
- Vacation Care

Padbury Education and Child Care  
Centre OSHC Service, operating at  
Padbury Primary School



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