Dear Parents and Community Members
Welcome to Week Nine

Reports
End of Semester 1 reports will come home today. If you have any concerns please make an appointment to see the class teacher.

PD Day Term 3
Our PD Day for Term 3 will take place on Monday 3rd of September.
Next term starts on Monday 16th July. This is not a pupil free day and students are expected to attend.

Assembly
On Friday 15th June Mrs Rosher's class, J1, entertained us with the story of Tom Appleby taken from the book Tom Appleby Convict Boy. This was part of their integrated Humanities and Social Sciences Project. I was unable to attend the actual assembly but I did see the dress rehearsal the day before. I was impressed with the quality of the speaking, singing and acting. Feedback from the actual assembly was extremely positive. Well done J1 and Mrs Rosher.

ECU Pre-Service Students
On Friday we said farewell to our pre-service teachers from Edith Cowan University. They all did a great job and I would like to thank them and wish them well in their future careers.

Traffic on Fairway Circle
Last week I had a complaint from an irate motorist about the cars blocking Fairway Circle. I advised him to ring the Ranger Service or police. If parents follow the system and loop around the roundabouts there would not be a problem.

As Term 2 draws to a close, I would like to acknowledge our students for their hard work and enthusiasm. I would also like to thank my staff, teaching and non-teaching, for their professionalism, hard work and dedication throughout the term. I wish all members of the community a restful holiday break.

David Womersley, Principal

School Photos will be taken on 6th & 7th August
Parents are being asked to ensure that their child is in full uniform. i.e yellow school shirt, maroon shorts /skirt/pants

Term Dates
Term 2
1 May - 29 June
Term 3
16 July - 21 September
Term 4
9 October - 13 December

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Social Work Students
We are fortunate to have two students, Shannon Coombs and Myfanwy Barron, completing their Masters of Social Work students from the University of Western Australia, partnering with Connolly Primary School for their 13-week field placement. They will be working with the students, teachers and families to provide psycho-social support within the school community and hope to encourage and support the development of positive social skills with the aim of promoting the students’ ability to learn and interact well at school. Some key areas of focus will be looking at include friendship skills, building confidence and resilience, making good decisions and anxiety and stress management. Should any families wish to utilize our support please contact Brooke Coyle (Associate Principal) to organize a suitable time.

Treasure Hunt
This Friday is our second treasure hunt for all the students who stayed out of the red for Term 2. The students and teachers are equally looking forward to this event. Student who are not eligible to participate in this term’s treasure hunt will be supervised in the library.

Fame on Friday
This Friday we will be having our second Fame on Friday lunch time performances, this is where students can perform an act with their friend that they have prepared. The canteen is selling popcorn for 30c for the audience to enjoy whilst watching the acts. Remember if your child wants to perform on Friday they must have completed the application form from Mrs Carville and provide all their own music (on a CD), costumes and props.

School holidays are upon us
How do you keep the children entertained, limit screen time and not spend a fortune? With a little planning it can be done. Have a look at these links for fun, free or cheap holiday activities for children of all ages. The City of Joondalup have a fabulous calendar of events We hope you have a wonderful safe holidays and look forward to another busy Term 3.

Trudy Jones & Brooke Coyle, Associate Principals
Nihongo News

Konnichiwa (Hello).

In this week’s Nihongo Club students made origami bookmarks of Sensei’s favourite Pokemon. Sensei wa Pikachu ga suki desu (Sensei likes Pikachu). Arigatou (Thank you) to parent helper Shimohara Sensei for her support with our Nihongo club activities. See you in Nihongo Club every Tuesday lunch in Karri 3.

Don’t forget to be a mini sensei and teach someone or something (pets can be included!) Nihongo Japanese we have studied in class. Sayounara.

Jorgensen Sensei, Japanese Teacher

Term 3 is proving to be another busy term with the whole school participating in National Science Week (13-17August) . We will also be focussing on Chemical Sciences as our general topic for the term.

Pre-Primary: Features of materials
Year 1: Changing Materials
Year 2: Combining materials
Year 3: Liquids and Solids
Year 4: Properties of materials
Year 5: Liquids, solids and gases
Year 6: Reversible and irreversible changes.

Sara Munro, STEM Specialist
Dear Parents/Guardians,

The School Holidays are fast approaching... the July brochure is now out for viewing!

For our excursions we will be visiting Fremantle prison on Friday 6th July to do the escapes tour, and in the second week we will be visiting Caversham Wildlife Park on Tuesday 10th July. For our incursions we have a Tie Dye workshop, Lego workshop, and a multicultural world games incursion. Themes for the their days include: Disco Fever, Messy Monsters, Crazy Construction, Lets visit Italy, Wild Wild West, Dr Seuss, Culture and countries, and stir it up where we will be doing a variety of different cooking activities throughout the day! If you need any more information please pop in and see us or give us a call.

Connolly OSH Club Room can be found at the front of the school in the Banksia Block. Our opening hours are 7:00am - 9:00am and 2:50pm - 6:00pm. We offer breakfast until 8:00am and we also provide an afternoon snack with fresh fruit for after school care. For Vacation care parent and guardians will need to provide a morning snack, lunch, and a afternoon snack. We provide a range of indoor and outdoor activities suitable for all the age groups.

Please ensure your child has a hat to be able to play outside, if children don’t bring a hat they wont be able to play outside due to our sun smart policy. Children will also have to apply sunscreen (We can help the younger ones) We do supply the sunscreen, your also welcome to bring your own if you would prefer or have a medical reason for doing so. Hats and sunscreen are to be worn all year round.

Any questions you may have or if you would like any additional information please give us a call or pop in and see us.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Laura – Coordinator & Olivia – Assistant

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