Dear Students, Parents and Community Members,

SCHOOL SAFETY RULES IN CAR PARK
DRIVE SLOWLY 8KMH

CAR PARK: Don’t walk through car park, walk around the outside of the car park.
Reverse parking only.

KISS & DRIVE: Drop Off and Pick up ONLY
No Parking - only for pick up after 3:05pm if child is waiting.

Car Security
A car on the school grounds has recently been broken into. Please do not leave valuables in your car.

Safety
If you have young children please ensure that you keep hold of them when walking to your cars for their own safety and please do not leave young children unattended in the car in the car park.

To keep your children safe please remember to ring the office if your child is being collected by another parent, family member or family friend.

Staffing
Mrs Harrington is still on extended personal leave and Mrs Adams will be continuing in Room 4.

Year 3/4 Assembly
The Year 3/4 class in Room 3 did a fabulous Channel 3 News presentation at the school assembly last Friday. The students have been learning about the wild and wonderful universe in class this term and shared some amazing facts and performed an entertaining planet rap. Did you know that there are 10 times more stars in the night sky than grains of sand in the world’s deserts and beaches?

Book Week
Felicity Rawlinson author of ‘Are You An Alien?’ came to visit the PP - Year 6s on Monday for Book Week. The students listened to Felicity read her picture book and had a discussion about what it was like to be an author and all the requirements to get a book ready for publication. Thank you to Felicity for giving up your valuable writing time to share your experiences with our students.

Book Parade
This Friday 28 August our Book week Parade will be held up in the CAVE. Come dressed as your favourite Book Week Character. This year’s Children’s Book Week theme is ‘Books Light up our world.’

Excursion to Maddington Central
The year 5/6 class visited Maddington Central last week to learn about running a business and looking at what happens behind the scenes. The students visited P&N Bank, Woolworths and Baker’s Delight. Centre management commended our students on their behaviour and good manners.

African Drumming Performance
The school artist in residence program through Song Room for African Drumming was very successful. The Year 3-6 students, their teachers and Odai performed last week at Maddington Central Shopping Centre to a captivated audience. It was wonderful to see so many parents and community members enjoying the show.

IMPORTANT DATES

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Lapathon
This P&C fundraiser was a success. It was wonderful to see all the students, parents and staff completing so many laps to raise funds for Orange Grove Primary School. Thank you to all the parents who gave up their time to assist with this event.

Parent Workshop
Tresna Gale from the Child Parent Centre organised a free parent workshop on Monday 24 August with Anglicare WA about Gary Chapman, the author of the 'Five Languages of Love and Children'. He says, ‘Loving our children isn’t always enough. Learning to speak their love language communicates your love in ways they’ll understand right from the beginning.’ The workshop was very successful.

Scitech Excursion
Rooms 1 and 3 went on an excursion to Scitech Discovery Centre on Tuesday. Room 1 went to see a puppet show called ‘Why can’t I fly?’ and they visited ‘Discover Land’ which showed the students how simple machines work. Room 3 went to visit the Planetarium’s live presentation called ‘Space, our Universe’ and got to see the show ‘We are Aliens’. Following this both classes explored the general exhibit area at Scitech. All the students had a wonderful day.

PEAC Night of the Notables
On Friday 14 August I went to Kalamunda Primary School to take part in the Year 5 Night of the Notables. Over the last ten weeks I have been working on a big poster board (which will be on display) all about the notable of my choice. After watching a television program in which someone did a dance about Helen Keller I was interested to find out more about her. Then my notable was selected; I was doing Helen Keller. It was a long, hard process doing this big project but in the long run I gained lots of knowledge about Helen Keller and myself. I can’t wait to see what PEAC brings next.

Betty, Yr 5

Behind the Scenes and Drumming
On Wednesday 19 August the year 5/6 class went on an excursion to the Maddington Central Shopping Centre to go behind the scenes of three businesses; P&N Bank, Woolworths and Bakers Delight. First we went to the P&N Bank and they showed us all around their business. Unfortunately we ran out of time and not everyone got to see the safe and all the money behind the scenes. We then went to Woolworths. At Woolworths we got to see the meat cutter but before we did that we had to put on a hat. Our guide Jill then said that “It can chop your fingers off”. We then went out the back of the shop. Jill introduced us to Rob and she asked us some questions. After seeing how Woolworths worked behind the scenes we kept our hats on and went to Bakers Delight. At Bakers Delight we first saw how the bread was made. It was made in an electronic mixing bowl. Whilst it was getting mixed we went and iced some finger buns which we were lucky enough to eat. Not only did we get to ice them, we also got to put sprinkles and coconut on them.

By Ashleigh, West and Sari, Yr 6
CERTIFICATE RECIPIENTS

Congratulations to the following students who recently received Certificates:

**Honour Certificates**
- Kindy: Bentley
- PP: Liam
- Yr 1: Dechlan
- Yr 2: Jonathon
- Yr 4: Tyson
- Yr 4: Imogen
- Yr 6: William
- Yr 6: Chad

**Mathletes**
- Yr 1: Taia
- Yr 3: Cole

**Wonderful Writers**
- PP: Hunter
- PP: Mia W
- Yr 1: Jazmine
- Yr 1: Nazrinna
- Yr 1: Riley
- Yr 2: Leilani
- Year 3: Sofia
- Yr 6: Ashleigh
- Yr 6: Lila
- Yr 6: Tatiana

**Mathletics**
- Yr 1: Grace W
- Yr 2: Tyler
- Yr 3: Anthony
- Yr 3: Caleb
- Yr 3: Cole
- Yr 3: Jacob E
- Yr 3: Kobe
- Yr 3: Nathan
- Yr 4: Brook
- Yr 4: Declan
- Yr 4: Imogen
- Yr 4: Lilly
- Yr 4: Tahlia
- Yr 4: Zac

**Values Award - Unity**
- Junior: Ziggy (absent)
- Senior: Stephen

**Aussie of the Month**
- Stephen

**PEAC**
- YS 5: Betty
P&C Update

We have had a busy term so far and would like to thank everyone for their support and the volunteers for their help with the Lapathon and Bunnings Sausage Sizzle. Both events were a huge success. There is still some money outstanding for the Lapathon and we would appreciate it if parents could please hand it in as soon as possible so that we can finalize everything.

We still have the Father's Day stall coming up on Friday 4 September and would appreciate any donations made. There will also be a raffle and tickets will be sent out shortly. There will be a sausage sizzle on the Friday 11 September with the school's Faction Athletics Carnival and a note will be going out taking pre orders for the day to help us get a rough idea of how many sausages we will be needing. Cold drinks will be available for purchase on the day. There will be a cake stall as well and we would yet again appreciate all and any help with volunteers for the day as well as donations of eats and treats.

Carol

Faction Athletics Carnival

We need helpers for the carnival Friday 11 September. If you can help for a few hours please complete the section below.

-orange grove primary school
faclon athletics carnival helpers

please return this form to the office by Friday 28 August

I am willing to help out:

Early Morning (Setting up)  ______
Morning only  ______
Afternoon only  ______
Anytime  ______

Name: _______________________ Signature: ___________________ Ph: ______________