

Orange Grove Primary School Newsletter

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From the **Principal**

The term has started very well and most of the children have settled down to what is going to be a very busy term. We had our first students only assembly in a long time (since first term) led by the student leadership team. Even though they haven't had a lot of practice with assemblies this year, they were very polished and led the assembly very well. Our senior Nyoongar students also explained the current Nyoongar season of Makuru very articulately. I am very proud of our senior students who have shown that they can step up when required. Congratulations to them and to their teachers who have helped to develop their confidence.

Assemblies

Our future assemblies are advertised on the term calendar and only families of the students in the class that is leading the assembly and of the students who are receiving awards are invited to attend the assembly. Please ensure that as adults we all maintain the 1.5m rule for physical distancing. Families may sit together but need to social distance from others.

Parking

Families attending the assemblies may come through the gate on the bottom oval and park behind the brick building which houses the staff room and room 1. Please leave promptly after assembly as the students use the oval for athletics practice after assembly.

Kindergarten and Pre-primary Applications

Applications for Kindergarten and Pre-primary have now closed and letters will be sent out next week to advise of outcome.

Breakfast

The first school breakfast for the term will be held in week 3 on Thursday 6 August from 8.15am for any children that would like to have a breakfast of wheat biscuits, peaches and milk.

Running Club

The running club has now commenced. Students who are interested in getting some running practice can run on the oval under supervision from 8.15am every day.

Potholes in the Car Park

We have been aware of the potholes in the car park and they have been reported to the maintenance team, however, these things always take time to get fixed but it is finally being done. Unfortunately this is a yearly occurrence over winter with heavy rain.

Drop Off and Pick up of Students

Thank you to all of the families of our school for continuing to maintain this practice and for taking care to drive carefully and safely. It is very important for us all to continue to work together to keep all our children safe.

Lesley Ghent
Principal

Scholastic Book Club Orders

Orders for catalogue issue 5 close on 2nd August. Please call Melissa on 0447 552 999 if any questions.

The EASIEST way for parents to order and pay for Book Club!

Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform
It's easy to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order using your credit card. Your order will electronically be linked to your school when you order and pay by LOOP.

Also available as an app:



Community News

2 DAYS ONLY - 6TH - 7TH AUGUST
ZERO & REWARDS CARD HOLDERS

20% OFF SCHOOLWEAR & EVERYTHING ELSE!



SHOP IN-STORE & ONLINE

On the day of the event, Lowes will have measures in place to restrict customer numbers and movement throughout the store. Thank you for your support. Lowes will be enforcing social distancing, Marshalls wearing hi-vis vests will be on site. We ask for your support in limiting the number of people you take with you into the store.

After School Arts in Kalamunda

After School Arts enrolment is on **Thursday 30th July** between 4-5pm at St Barnabas church Hall in Kalamunda (Opposite Hotel).

Vacancies exist in all classes of Pottery, Painting and drawing and Hooked on Hessian. Classes commence **Thursday 4th August** from 4-6pm for 8 weeks.

Please phone Norma on 0491 634 235 with bookings and any enquiries. Ages from 6 yrs up.

Mathematics and science primers for primary and secondary school students

For age 10 years and above



Chemistry Primer Thursdays, 4.30pm - 6.30pm

Students are introduced to problem solving and when older are able to study the Open University Australia subject Introduction to Chemistry. Students also have the opportunity to train for the Australian Science Olympiads Examination for Chemistry.

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media.murdoch.edu.au/bright-minds-bound-for-russia
media.murdoch.edu.au/chemistry-success-an-olympic-feat

Cost: \$199/student/term

Mathematics Primer Fridays, 4.30pm - 6.30pm

Students consolidate their Arithmetic and are introduced to Algebra, Geometry and Trigonometry.

Cost: \$199/student/term

Physics Primer Mondays, 4.30pm - 6.30pm

Students wishing to study Physics must have sufficient Mathematics.

Cost: \$199/student/term

All classes are at Room ES2.059A Environmental Sciences Building, Murdoch University, South Street Campus.

Classes commence second week each school term. All subjects require a scientific calculator. Students may start any time. Bottled water is permitted in classrooms.



ONLINE FROM MARCH 2020*

To enrol and obtain registration forms please contact:

Adjunct Professor Jennifer Searcy
Email jsearcy@murdoch.edu.au
Phone 0427 864 740

Early payment to Murdoch University cashier is essential

Postal address for payments
The Cashier, Murdoch University, South Street, Murdoch WA 6150

Payment may also be made online:
payments.murdoch.edu.au/PrepCourses

*Each student must email AfterSchoolProgram@murdoch.edu.au at the start of each session.



Free your think



South Thornlie Redsox Teeball Club

Looking for a summer sport? Then look no further. Teeball season is nearly upon us and the South Thornlie Redsox Teeball club are looking for children aged between 6 – 13 years.

Teeball is a modified baseball game and a great summer team sport consisting of about 9-12 players. It's a sport that fits in well with our busy family lifestyles (game times of only 1 hour) and on game-day everyone is guaranteed a batting and fielding opportunity.

On the day of registration bring along NEW player's birth certificate.

Cost: \$135 for the first child

Subsequent children: \$125

If this sounds like a sport you would like to get involved with, please contact our Club Registrar Teagan (mob: 0404 150 383) or send us an email to

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SCHOOL TERM THREE PROGRAMS

MONDAY

DROP-IN
The Shack Youth Centre
2.30pm – 5.30pm
Ages 10 – 18
Free

SKATE JAM
Gosnells SP
2.30pm – 5.30pm
All ages
Free

SKATE JAM
Thornlie SP
3pm – 5pm
All ages
Free

**YOUNG CHANGE MAKERS
YOUTH ADVISORY GROUP**
The Castle Youth Centre
3.30pm – 4.30pm
Weekly
Ages 12 – 22
Free

CATCH MUSIC
The SoundLab Youth Centre
4.30pm – 6pm
All ages
For pricing visit
www.catchmusic.org.au

📅 Bookings required
★ Membership required

TUESDAY

DROP-IN
The Shack Youth Centre
2.30pm – 5.30pm
Ages 10 – 18
Free

SKATE JAM
Gosnells SP
2.30pm – 5.30pm
All ages
Free

SKATE JAM
Maddington SP
3pm – 5pm
All ages
Free

WEDNESDAY

SKATE JAM
Gosnells SP
2.30pm – 5.30pm
All ages
Free

SKATE JAM
Mills Park SP
3pm – 5pm
All ages
Free

ART STUDIO 🎨 ✨
The Castle Youth Centre
3.30pm – 5.30pm
Ages 10 – 18
\$25 for 8 sessions

SOUNDLAB MUSIC CREW 🎧 ✨
The SoundLab Youth Centre
3.30pm – 7pm
Ages 12 – 20
\$25 for 8 sessions

GOSFIELDS
Richard Rushton Community Centre
3.30pm – 5.30pm
Ages 8 – 16
Free

THURSDAY

DROP-IN
The Shack Youth Centre
2.30pm – 5.30pm
Ages 10 – 18
Free

SKATE JAM
Gosnells SP
2.30pm – 5.30pm
All ages
Free

SKATE JAM
Maddington SP
3pm – 5pm
All ages
Free

DROP-IN
The Soundlab Youth Centre
3.30pm – 5.30pm
Ages 10 – 14
5.30pm – 8pm
Ages 15 – 25
Free

SOCIAL SISTERS DROP-IN 🎧 ✨
The Castle Youth Centre
3.30pm – 5.30pm
Ages 12 – 18
Free

FRIDAY

SKATE JAM
Thornlie SP
3pm – 5pm
All ages
Free

GHILLZONE DROP-IN
The Castle Youth Centre
3pm – 6pm
Ages 10 – 18
Free

SATURDAY

SKATE JAM
Mills Park SP
10am – 2pm
All ages
Free

BECOME A MEMBER
To book into some of our programs you need to be a member. Membership is free. Visit the Hive to fill out the on-line membership form.

HOW TO BOOK
Book online at www.thehive.net.au on each program page or call 9397 3000.



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PARK PLAY

Fun for the whole family. Bring the kids and join in with messy activities, big games and sports equipment. Be sure to dress for the weather, and bring a drink and snacks.

Free activities

Dates and venues for Term 3, 2020

TUESDAY AFTERNOONS 3pm – 5pm

28 July and 22 September
Walter Padbury Playground
Elvington Way, Thornlie

25 August
Sutherlands Park Playground, Huntingdale

WEDNESDAY MORNINGS 9.30am – 11.30am

29 July, 26 August and 23 September
Langford Community Centre
52 Langford Avenue, Langford

5 August, 19 August, 2 September and 16 September
Beckenham Neighbourhood Centre
27 Birchington Street, Beckenham

12 August and 9 September
Huntingdale Community Centre
Lot 1645 Holmes Street, Huntingdale

FRIDAY MORNINGS 9.30am – 11.30am

24 July, 14 August, 4 September and 25 September
Richard Rushton Community Centre
24 Baron Way, Gosnells

31 July, 21 August and 11 September
Mills Park Nature Play Space
Brixton Street, Beckenham

7 August, 28 August and 18 September
Coops Avenue Facility
39 Coops Avenue, Thornlie

SATURDAY MORNINGS 9.30am – 11.30am

15 August and 5 September
Mills Park Nature Play Space
Brixton Street, Beckenham

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- All equipment will be cleaned before and after each session
- All participants will be required to sanitise their hands before entering the building. Hand wash and sanitisers will be available
- Please do not attend Park Play if anyone in your family has flu-like symptoms

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