

From the Principal

Term 2 has started with both feet hitting the ground running as students and staff settle into our core business of teaching and assisting our students to make the best out of every situation. A very important life skill! Thank you for your understanding and support in getting students to school and all the work you do in supporting their learning.

COVID-19 continues to impact our school with student attendance. Please continue to contact the school should students return a positive COVID-19 Test. As of today, we still haven't received our school allocation of RATs, 20 per student, but once we do you will be notified on See-Saw.

Our Pre-Primary Students have completed their online Literacy and Numeracy assessments this week which will provide information on each children's strengths and areas of growth. This information supports our teaching staff in planning to meet the needs of the Pre-Primary students. This information is shared with parents. My sincere thanks to Mrs Clare Heffernan who leads this project.

As this newsletter goes out, our students are sitting the NAPLAN Test. All things going well, NAPLAN should be completed by the end of next week as we seek to support students away due to illness etc.

I wish all families good health and mental wellbeing as we continue in partnership to prepare our students for the ever changing future!

Yours sincerely,

Stephen

From the School

Finance

Welcome to Term 2 Parents and Carers.

Please note you will be receiving your statements in the coming days. I have adjusted the swimming credits with the cost of the Kings Park excursion occurring at the end of May.

Your voluntary contributions are a vital contribution towards your child's education. The \$45 fee helps supplement school expenditure in all areas of learning:

- Music resources
- Physical education equipment
- Hardware and software
- Art and craft resources and consumables

Just to name a few areas that we use these contributions towards.

On the book list this year saw a \$10 charge (each) for our Soundwaves and Imaths books. This is a contribution towards the \$30 books. If you haven't yet paid this charge, can you please arrange to do so at your earliest convenience. If you would like to discuss your account further, please contact Kim King on 9232 3401.

Bank account details:

Orange Grove Primary School

BSB: 066-400

Account: 199900524

Hats

There are a number of children coming to school without hats. Orange Grove Primary School has a 'No hat, no play' policy in place. Should your child not attend school with a hat that provides cover to their face, neck, ears and head, they will be requested to play in the shade.

Event Calendar

Date	Event
Tuesday 10 May—Friday 20 May	NAPLAN Testing
Friday 13 May	Year 1 Assembly
Tuesday 17 May	School Board Meeting at 6pm
Tuesday 24 May	Kings Park Incursion Years 3-6
Wednesday—25 May	P& C Casual Dress Day
Friday—27 May	Pre Primary Assembly/Walk to School Day





Aussie of the Month

Congratulations goes to Peta A
who was our Aussie of the
Month recipient for April.

Term 1 Week 9

Honour Certificates	CiCi L	Nikolai R
	Charley L	Emma K
	Austin B	Vivienne E
	Eddison C	Shanni L
	Cody A	Tiana A
	Isabella W	Jeremiah B
	Ethan F	Jackson M

We have been working together
and using our imaginations
to construct forts and
play with nature during
recess and lunch.





On the 29th of April, we were able to come together as a whole school to have our annual ANZAC Day assembly. We had a guest speaker who spoke about his time on the frontline.





After School Arts

Kalamunda Community Centre

Jorgensen Park

Creative Art Activities for Kids 6 to 12 years

2022 Term 2

Starts May 12th Thursdays 4pm to 6pm

Hooked on Hessian

The fun textile art of rug hooking...create wall hangings, rugs or cushions with a variety of colours and textures that will bring your designs to life. Suit ages 7 +

Pottery

Play with clay and create little animals, pinch pots, bowls, wind chimes...imagine and create! A variety of clays and glazes available, returning from the kiln bright and shiny.

All materials provided

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