

Newsletter

GREENMOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL

16 March 2022

Dear Greenmount families,

Faction Carnival 2022



This year's Athletics and Faction Carnival will get underway next week as planned.

The long term forecast shows plenty of sunshine over the 3 days, so we are all very excited about being able to get the students out for their jumps, throws, sprints and team games.

A schedule of events will be put on CONNECT for everyone to access. Please note:

- Thursday's events do not have times noted as we are not able to guarantee an accurate start time for each event
- Social distancing requirements will be in place. We ask that only parents and carers attend and remain within the demarcated area
- Older siblings who do attend Greenmount Primary should not be attending over any of the 3 days

We look forward to a great day— with lots of cheering and great sportsmanship on display!

Swimming Lessons

We have been informed by WAIVS (In term swimming program) that there is a shortage of swimming instructors. As a result, we were offered a reduced 5 day program, with 40minute sessions (25 minutes of instruction).

After much consideration, we have decided to not continue with swimming lessons scheduled for the end of this term and asked WAIVS to consider us for sessions which may become available later in the year.

Tuesday Early Close

There has been an increase in the number of students arriving in the Library on Tuesday Early Close.

Supervision is available from 2.30pm—3.00pm for students who attend after school care, or whose parents' work commitments mean they cannot be collected until 3pm.



Please complete the attached form to indicate your child/ren needing supervision on Tuesday Early Close so that we can provide staff with details and numbers of students they are supervising.

COVID Update

We have had additional numbers of parents and carers informing the school of positive cases in their families. Thank you for keeping us informed.

When informed, we have contacted families appropriately.

Please remember to keep students home if they are not well or if a member of the family is not well. If you have any queries, please contact the school or the COVID help team on 1800 882 345.

Lucy Webb

Principal

PA Assembly

Our Assemblyies have been broadcast from the Admin office into classrooms this term. Creativity and IT are key. Here is a picture of how classes are making it fun and interactive, vying for the classroom trophy.



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Merit Awards

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| Rm 1 | Zoe Cavallaro; Lincoln Burgess |
| Rm 2 | Phoebe Hunt; Kyedyn Stephens |
| Rm 3 | Hamish Jeans; Arliyah McIntosh |
| Rm 5 | Scott Hunt; |
| Rm 6 | Harrison Trumann Chan |
| Rm 7 | Shea Moylan; Jade Hanson |
| Rm 8 | Anvi Khale; Melody Gontran |
| Rm 9 | Dylan Francis; Skye Amato |
| Rm 10 | Claire Doessel; Tilda Mills |
| Rm 12 | Alyssa Grieves |
| Rm 15 | Chloe Barker; James Saunders |
| Rm 16 | Helen Gossage |
| Rm 17 | Tessah Mancini; Beau Hanson Mason Wescombe |

**Congratulations**



BINAR sports will be running an after-school junior domestic basketball competition in term 2 at Brown Park, Swan View and possibly other venues close to the Midland area. There is more information about this competition at this page where registrations are already open:

<https://www.binarsports.com.au/swan-junior-basketball-league-2022>

Calendar of Events

TERM 1

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| Tues 22 March | Faction Jumps |
| Wed 23 March | Faction Distance & Throws |
| Thur 24 March | Faction Carnival |
| Friday 8 April | Last Day of Term 1 |

TERM 2

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| Wednesday 27 April | First Day of Term 2 |
| Thurs 28 April | Anzac Service |
| Wed/Thurs 4/5 May | Yr 6 day camp |
| Mon 6 June | WA Day Public Holiday |
| Fri 1 July | Last day of Term 2 |

TERM 3

Tuesday 19 July First Day Term 3

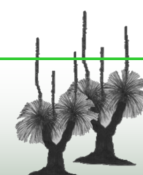
TERM 4 Significant dates

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| Wed 7 Dec | Presentation & Graduation |
| Thurs 15 Dec | Last Day of Term Students |
| Fri 16 Dec | Last Day for Staff |

Student Pick up and drop off

The Mundaring Shire remind parents and carers to only park where there is a dedicated parking place. This helps ensure the safety of children and other people in our community.

The shire have noticed an increase in illegal parking during pick up times, and will begin issuing infringements.



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T-20 Big Bash Interschool Cricket Competition

On Friday 4th March our Interschool Cricket Teams arrived at Ron Jose Playing Fields to take on teams from Midvale, Guilford, Middle Swan and Swan View Primary Schools.

This is the first and most probably the only time we will be allowed to enter 2 boys' and 2 girls' teams. Our teams were very excited and full of energy. Everyone was nervous for the first game. We soon settled in.

Our girls A team were matched up against our Girls B team. It was going to be a close game. Our Girls B Team ended up winning by 1 run. The girls' B team trained hard and long. Unfortunately, they were not able to duplicate their efforts for the rest of the competition.

The Boys A team easily won all their games and booked a place in the district finals at Yokine in Term 4.

The Boys B team had to wait for their last game to have a close 5-run win over Guilford Primary. All Greenmount teams had a least 1 win.

The girls A team won the rest of their games. It was announced that Guilford girls had won the Girls Competition. However, Greenmount A girls had finished on the same number of wins and according to the rules the team that wins the game between the two is declared the overall winner. A belated result will see the Girls A team compete at the district finals at Yokine early Term 4. A lot of fun was had bowling, fielding and batting.

Well done to our captains and coaches (Kate, Amanda & Nic) for their leadership and for keeping the teams focussed and upbeat.

Well done Greenmount for always being well behaved throughout the competition. And demonstrating good sportsmanship.

Thanks

Mr H



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P&C News

Temporary Closure of Uniform Shop

From Thursday 10th March 2022 the Uniform Shop has been CLOSED and will remain so until further notice. We encourage everyone to take advantage of ordering through Flexischools (www.flexischools.com.au). Flexischools orders are delivered each week to your child's classroom. Unfortunately no orders can be taken over the phone and there will be no pick up available from the shop.

Any queries please direct to Denyse the Uniform Shop Co-Ordinator by

Email: uniform-shop@gpspnc.org.au OR Mobile : 0438 858 806

We thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Position Vacant

The P&C are searching for our next Treasurer. This position is currently being fulfilled by the President & the Secretary so that we can keep the P&C functioning but unfortunately this is not a sustainable long term solution.

We would love to hear from any member of the wider school community with some bookkeeping or accounting experience and a willingness to jump onboard with the team, this can mean grandparents, aunts, uncles or any family member that is willing to lend some time. Full support is offered by the P&C including contact with the previous Treasurer so we guarantee you won't just be thrown in the deep end!

What does the position of Treasurer involve?

Treasurer Responsibilities

The Treasurer maintains the Association's financial records.

Banks Money

Makes sure 2 people counted money (Banking sheet)

Makes sure 2 people sign cheques

Sight invoice before paying

Present a written report for every General Meeting, including up to date bank reconciliation and a statement of receipts and payments

Preparing books for auditor

Manage all P&C accounts, including overseeing all sub-committees

To discuss further please contact our President Sally via president@gpspnc.org.au or our Secretary Emma on secretary@gpspnc.org.au.

The next P&C Meeting will be held on Tuesday 22nd March at 6.30pm in the staff room. Please use the service entry and park on the basketball courts. Everyone welcome. Please ensure you wear a mask and maintain social distancing.

Book Club - Issue 1

We have been advised by Toll that due to the road, rail and flooding events there have been significant delays and disruptions to their networks resulting in delays to our Book Club deliveries. We apologise for these delays and we will update as soon as we can with further information on when your orders will arrive.

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Midvale Hub Parenting Service Perth (North East)



MIDVALE HUB

Circle of Security Parenting – Dad's

For parents and carers who reside in the local government areas of Mundaring, Swan, Bassendean & Bayswater.

Circle of Security Parenting is an 8 session program for parents, with children aged 4 months to 6 years.

The program is designed to enhance the bond and sense of security for both parents and their children. Learn more about:

- understanding children and their emotional development
- understanding parenting influences
- helping children to feel safe in their world
- identifying and enhancing parenting strengths



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| Where: | Via online video conferencing platform accessible in your own home <i>WIFI & a device with a camera is required for this program</i> |
| When: | Wednesdays 23, 30 March, 6, 13, 20, 27 April, 4 & 11 May, 2022 <i>*Participants must be able to attend all sessions</i> |
| Time: | 7pm – 9pm |
| Cost: | FREE - Registration is essential |

For more information and to register, please contact:

Name: Midvale Hub Parenting Service (Perth North East)
Telephone: (08) 9290 6827
Email: parentingservice@mundaring.wa.gov.au



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