

Newsletter

GREENMOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL

1 September 2021

Dear Greenmount families,

Lockdown Procedure



Following our planned practice of a 'Lockdown' procedure last week, some teachers have been asked why the school conducted a practice. Information from the Department of Education states:

'All Department of Education schools are required to have prevention and preparedness strategies in place for incidents that threaten or adversely impact upon staff, students, visitors and infrastructure.'

Effective planning enables schools to identify and assess potential risks and develop appropriate procedures to mitigate the risks or impact of incidents. Preparedness is achieved by putting in place measures to ensure that, in the event of an incident, the school is well placed to make appropriate decisions and take appropriate action.'

At Greenmount, we have prepared, reviewed and revised emergency evacuation plans and ensure that students are familiar with what procedures are in place to keep everyone safe. As the 'Lockdown' practice can cause concern for some students, staff ensured that students were given age appropriate explanations of the plans and procedures related to lockdown.

Over the remainder of the year, the school will undertake further 'emergency drills' to ensure that we are well placed to take appropriate actions to keep our students, staff and visitors safe.

Thank you to all staff for your excellent efforts during our practice run!

Staff Carpark

Unfortunately, three staff have had their cars damaged by vehicles using the staff carpark over recent weeks. Parents and families are reminded that this parking area is designated for staff only.

Lucy Webb

Principal

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Bookweek

What a fantastic response to Bookweek we had! Mrs Robertson was delighted to report that \$2,434.00 worth of books were sold—an excellent result!

The enthusiasm from students, families and staff for the Bookweek parade continues to bring smiles to everyone's faces. Congratulations to all for the great efforts with costumes—they were outstanding! *See photos on page 5*



Dear parents and friends,

With RU OK Day coming up soon (9th September) there will be a national focus on checking in with family and friends, and at Greenmount PS

we have planned some fun activities to help equip our kids to stay mentally healthy and check in with one another.

One key message that we would like our kids to understand is to always tell an adult when a friend tells them something that makes them feel uncomfortable, worried or scared, or if they believe their friend is not safe.

Please check out ruok.org.au for more information and resources!

Kids Helpline 1800 55 1800

Call 24/7 private and confidential phone and online counselling service for young people aged 5 to 25

Beyond Blue 1300 22 4636

Call 24/7 for advice, referral and support from a trained mental health professional

Lifeline 13 11 14

Call 24/7 for crisis support & suicide prevention services

Penny Bays

YouthCARE Chaplain

Greenmount Primary School (Wed & Thurs)

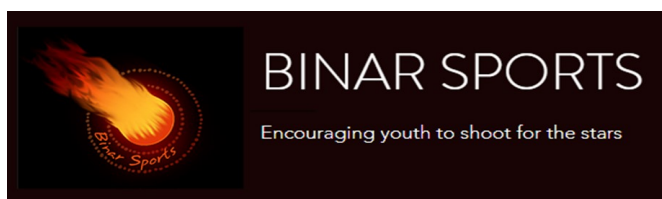


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Merit Awards 1 September

Rm 1	Michael Murray	Madden Longden
Rm 2	Maya Tzum Quinonez	Lola Boeser
Rm 3	Kyden Read	River Urlus
Rm 5	Bodhi McDonnell	Elise Benzie
Rm 6	Claire Doessel	Alyssa Winter
Rm 7	Shea Moylan	Holly Macbeth
	Sebastian Clark	
Rm 8	Hunter Craig	Charlotte Reynolds
	Isabelle Sivewright	
Rm 9	Beau Hanson	Rylee Paterson
Rm 10	Jennifer Rotaru	
Rm 12	Archer Persichetti	Mahli Hill
Rm 14	Zariah Clohessy	Caeli Quinsee
	Charlie Carey Allison	
Rm 15	Louis Murray	Oliver Notte
	Alyyah Gossage	
Rm 16	Caleb Donovan	
Rm 17	Matisse Mathee	John Egan



On Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th Binar Sports will be running Basketball clinics for our Senior classes, Rooms 10, 14,15,16,17. Each class will get a 50 minute session.

Time	Monday 13th	Tuesday 14th
9.50-10.50	Room 14, Year 5/6	Room 10, Year 4
11.10-12.10	Room 15, Year 5/6	Room 17, Year 5/6
12.10-1.10	Room 16, Year 4/5	

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Calendar of Events

TERM 3

Mon 6 Sep	Scitech Incursion (K-Y6)
Fri 10 Sep	Room 17 Assembly
Fri 24 Sep	Room 7 Assembly
Fri 24 Sep	Last day of Term 3

TERM 4

Tues 12 Oct	First Day of Term 4
Fri 22 Oct	Room 10 Assembly
Fri 5 Nov	Room 3 Assembly
Fri 19 Nov	Room 8 Assembly
Fri 3 Dec	Room 1 Assembly
Wed 8 Dec	Presentation & Graduation
Mon 13 Dec	Year 6 Dinner
Thurs 16th Dec	Last day of Term 4

Voluntary Contributions

It would be appreciated if arrangements could be made for payment of the voluntary contributions as soon as possible (\$60—1 child, \$100—2 children, \$120—3 or more children). These can be paid at the front office either by cash or eftpos, or paid directly into our bank account.

These contributions provide valuable income for the school and support the excellent programs which enhance our students' learning.

Mathletics payment (\$10 per child) is required for each child from PP to Yr 6. All students are registered and are encouraged to use the program at home as well as at school. Thank you for your support.

Soundwave Books

We still have some outstanding payments for Years 4—6 Soundwaves book. If you have not paid as yet, please see the front office for payment of \$17.95.



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Scitech is coming to Greenmount!

When: **Monday 6th September 2021**

Where: Undercover area



Junior Physical Science Show (Kindy - Year 3)

Senior Physical Science Show (Year 4-6)

Physics helps us explain everything that happens around us – but can you prove it?

Cost: \$3.50 Permission slips and payment to the front office

Guardians of Greenmount - School Campout

Save the Date..... Saturday 23rd October 2021

Bring your camping gear, Dad, Step Dad, Uncle, Grandad or other significant male figure in your life and campout at school for the night.

Cost will be \$10 per Family.

Notes and further information to come later.



Year 5/6 Interschool Winter Sports

Year 5/6 Friday afternoon interschool winter sports

Below are the fixtures left for the term.

Friday 3rd Sept GPS vs Swan View PS at Greenmount PS

Please note: On 3 Sept lunch time will be earlier than normal for ALL Greenmount Primary students. As we will have visiting schools on site, the lunch break will be 12.40—1.10pm.



Swan View
SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Enrolments 2022

**Is your child commencing
Year 7 in 2022?**

Enrolments are still being accepted.
Places in our specialist programs are filling fast, please submit
your application ASAP to avoid disappointment.

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P&C News

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop is in need of some help on a Wednesday morning from 8am-9:15am.

If you have thought about volunteering with the P&C but don't know where to start then this is a perfect opportunity.

You don't need to join the P&C in order to work in the shop and you will also have time to take your child/children to class as well.

If we get enough interest, then we would be able to work out a roster so it wouldn't have to be every Wednesday.

If you are interested, then please pop in and visit the shop on a Wednesday morning or Thursday afternoon (2.30pm to 3.15pm) or contact Denyse on 0438 858 806.

Safety House Sausage Sizzle



Tuesday 14th September 2021 the Safety House Committee will be holding a Sausage Sizzle for lunch. Order forms have been sent to class and should be arriving home with students.

\$2.50 Sausage Sizzle and \$1.50 Juice Boxes. There is also the Option for Gluten Free.

We will also have online ordering available through Flexischools (www.flexischools.com.au)

Order close on Friday 10th September. There will be no cash orders taken on the day. As this is a P&C event please do not pay electronically through the school banking system.

Book Club

Book Club Issue 6 orders close on Wednesday 8th September. Cash orders can be placed in the new P&C box located in the office. Please remember to include your name and room number. Online orders can be placed through LOOP.

Issue 6 Magazine Link: <https://www.scholastic.com.au/>

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Valley United CFC is having a wind up celebration! If you are thinking about getting involved in soccer in 2022 or have been playing for VUCFC, please come and join in the fun.

- Bouncy castles
- Sausage sizzle
- Coffee van
- Expressions of Interest for 2022
- Kidsport club



Thursday 16 September 2021

3.30pm Onwards

Jack Mann Oval Middle Swan

LIBRARY NEWS

A massive thank you to all parents, staff and students who supported our recent book fair.



We made a total of \$2,434.00 in sales which gave us a commission of \$975.00. This equates to 91 new books to add to our collection and for our students to use.

Once again thank you and will see you at the next fair, next year.

Morag Robertson

LIBRARY OFFICER



Constable Care Incursion

A Constable Care incursion has been booked for Tuesday 21 September 2021. There will be two showings of "Fun Scary" for the K-3 students then "Screen Name" for the 4-6 students.



This is a free incursion.



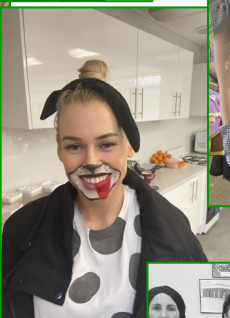
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BOOK WEEK PARADE 2021



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**REGISTRATION DAY
FAMILY FUN EVENT!!!**

**Saturday September 4, 1-4pm
Mundaring Primary School Oval.**

Join us for a fun afternoon and 'have-a-go' with our Athletics equipment for **FREE!**
Run, Jump and Throw like an **OLYMPIAN**.
Games, amusements and PRIZES for participation and sportsmanship!

Take a photo with our **#EHLAC sign!** Post it on **YOUR FB page** & tag us to win **AWESOME prizes**.

Buy yourself a Mopoke Coffee and Sausage Sizzle, before **registering** for the **2021/2022 season**.
(Childs ID required) Ages U6-U17

Uniforms, Athletic apparel and everything you need for the new season available too.

KIDSPORT APPROVED
\$150 Fee for all ages
Summer and Winter Season



REGISTRATIONS: September (TBA)

Mundaring Recreation Grounds;

**SATURDAY morning competition begins
OCTOBER 16**

Training Mondays

Athletics is a great way to include **all** the family in some fun, friendly, fitness in the heart of the hills. We provide coaching and competition across multiple track and field events. Encouraging everyone to be their best, participating as part of the EHLAC Community.

Ages U6-U17
Summer (OCT-MARCH) **AND** Winter Seasons

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Contact us via **FB** or email; ehaths99@gmail.com
with any questions or for registration event details (TBA)



**Swan View
TOY LIBRARY**
Tuesday & Saturday
9:30am - 11am
Brown Park Community Centre,
Salisbury Road, Swan View

Over 1100 toys to choose from including:
Baby section,
Kitchenettes,
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Puzzles,
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*Conditions Apply. Trial is for new members only and includes 3 months membership (28 August to 30 November 2021) with full borrowing entitlements. Finish date is 30 November 2021 no matter when you join. The completion of one voluntary roster shift (1.5 hours) is a requirement and date must be chosen when joining. Security fee of \$50.00 is required to activate membership. (Refunded when membership expires)

To join today contact us on:
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[swanviewtoylibrary.wixsite.com/swanviewtoylibrary](https://www.swanviewtoylibrary.wixsite.com/swanviewtoylibrary)

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