



GREENFIELDS PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter #5

8 October 2023

FACTION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2023



THE DUST FROM THE LONE CONFETTI CANNON HAS CLEARED AND KANYANA HAVE BEEN ANNOUNCED THE WINNERS OF THE 2023 FACTION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL. THANK YOU TO ALL OUR STUDENTS, PARENTS, FAMILY MEMBERS AND STAFF, WHO CAME TO CELEBRATE OUR CARNIVAL ON FRIDAY, 25 AUGUST 2023.

CONGRATULATIONS TO KANYANA, FOR CLAIMING THE FACTION CHAMPIONSHIP SHIELD THIS YEAR!

- 1ST - KANYANA - 1211PTS**
- 2ND - WALDRON - 1197PTS**
- 3RD - BORTOLO - 990PTS**
- 4TH - AMAZON - 742PTS**

OUR STORY CONTINUES INSIDE...



Upcoming Dates

Monday, 9 October	Students commence Term Four	Thursday, 19 October	Parliament House visit (Student Councillors)
Tuesday, 10 October	Year 6 Camp Meeting	Friday, 20 October	Pupil-Free Day
Wednesday, 11 October	School Photos: Most Year 1-6 classes*, Kindy Green, Graduation, Student Leaders and Siblings	Friday, 27 October	Books on a Blanket & Book Week Dress-up
Thursday, 12 October	School Photos: Room 1, Room 2, Room 5, Room 6, Kindy Blue, PP1, PP2 and Siblings	Thursday, 9 November	Kindy 2024 Orientation

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Principal's Address



Dear Parents and Carers,

I am finding it difficult to find a starting point for Term Three, as it's been such an action-packed term. Whilst Mr Wright and our team of educators here have celebrated the academic success that Greenfields Primary has achieved in 2023, there has been so many layers to what constitutes our amazing little community. We celebrated Science Week in style with Mrs Bell providing an exhibition and showcase to be remembered. Mr K's Faction Athletics Carnival, Interschool Athletics Carnival, Interschool Cross Country and Gladiators always reflect the integrity and tenacity that Greenfields Primary School has been identified for in the wider Peel Schools Sports Network.

We have continued to add Model Citizens to our PBS program this term, along with meeting the Tier One and Tier Two rewards. Many thanks to our Positive Behaviour Support team for coordinating and communicating the incentives that go along with this program.

Over to our performing arts sector of Greenfields Primary School and the Wakakirri and School Choir performances have headlined many of our social media forums. There is a long list of people that were directly involved with these programs and, without naming them, would like to thank their contributions.

Mr Balliet continues to capture some great snippets of what our students can produce in front of the camera. His creativity and ability to build students confidence to speak publicly has been impressive and we look forward to seeing what's in store for the future.

Our staff work tirelessly to ensure your children are provided with a holistic education that targets the students' intellectual, emotional, physical and spiritual development. NAIDOC Day on the Friday of Week 10 is always a great way to see our students off into the Term Three break and we wish everyone a safe and enjoyable school holiday.

Staff as a collective here at Greenfields possess such a positive energy that reflects strongly in our classrooms. I look forward to seeing you all back and recharged, as we commence the downward run to the Christmas holiday break.

Paul Gallash
Principal

FACTION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2023

EVENTS, SUCH AS THE FACTION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL, ARE ONLY POSSIBLE WITH THE HELP AND SUPPORT OF MANY PEOPLE.

THANK YOU OUR STUDENTS FOR CELEBRATING THE DAY, I HOPE YOU HAD AN ENJOYABLE CARNIVAL, WHERE YOU HAD THE CHANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN MULTIPLE EVENTS. I HAD MANY OF YOU COME UP TO ME DURING THE DAY, TELLING ME HOW HAPPY YOU WERE TO PLACE IN AN EVENT OR SHOWING OFF YOUR WAISTBANDS. IT'S DAYS LIKE THESE THAT WE WORK TOWARDS AND ALL THE EFFORT PAYS OFF TO SEE THE SMILES ACROSS YOUR FACES.

THANK YOU THE MANY STUDENTS WHO HELPED BEHIND THE SCENES, FROM STUDENTS FROM MY MATHS GROUP, MY SPELLING MASTERY GROUP, STUDENTS WHO CAME EARLY TO ASSIST, AND EVEN PAST STUDENTS. FROM SETTING UP, PACKING UP, CHECKING DOCUMENTS, HELPING WITH EVENTS, OR TAKING PHOTOGRAPHS, YOUR HELP MAKE THE CARNIVAL POSSIBLE. MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK, AND YOUR ASSISTANCE IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

THANK YOU TO THE PARENTS, FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS WHO CAME TO SUPPORT THE STUDENTS OVER THE TWO DAYS OF COMPETITION. THE STUDENTS ARE ALWAYS SO THRILLED TO HAVE YOU CHEERING FOR THEM ON THE SIDELINES, EVEN IF A FEW OF YOU LOSE YOUR VOICES!

A BIG THANK YOU TO OUR PARENT VOLUNTEERS, MRS CATHY SCRIVENER, MRS NATASHA FARTHING, MRS AMY JONES AND MR TRAVIS THOMPSON, WHO HELPED OUT AT THE JUMPS & THROWS DAY. YOU ARE ALWAYS WILLING TO ASSIST AND YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT IS ALWAYS APPRECIATED.

THANK YOU TO THE MEMBERS OF THE P&C ASSOCIATION FOR THEIR CONTINUAL SUPPORT WITH THE SAUSAGE SIZZLE AND CANTEEN ORDERS. YOUR ALTRUISM IN GIVING UP YOUR TIME ON THE DAY, INCLUDING FOREGOING SEEING SOME OF YOUR OWN CHILDREN'S EVENTS, IS ASTOUNDING. THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY AND SCHOOL. A BIG THANK YOU TO KERRI, A FEW YEARS AFTER BOTH HER CHILDREN HAVE GRADUATED, FOR LEADING THE SAUSAGE SIZZLE, ON BEHALF OF THE P&C ASSOCIATION, AND GINA AND BEVENLEY, FOR ORGANISING, I BELIEVE, A RECORD AMOUNT OF LUNCH ORDERS FOR OUR COMPETITORS. THANK YOU, TERINA, KERRI, GINA, BEVENLEY, AND THE P&C ASSOCIATION, FOR ALL THAT YOU DO!

THANK YOU TO THE STAFF WHO HAVE ASSISTED THROUGHOUT THE TWO DAYS, AND THE TERM, IN PREPARING FOR OUR CARNIVAL. IT'S DEFINITELY A BUSY DAY BUT THE CARNIVALS CANNOT BE DONE WITHOUT YOUR EFFORTS. THANK YOU TO THOSE OF YOU WHO HAVE OFFERED YOUR ONGOING SUPPORT, FROM SEEING WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE, OFFERING TO ASSIST IN YOUR D.O.T.T. TIME, ARRIVING EARLIER OR LEAVING LATER TO ASSIST WITH EQUIPMENT, AND YOUR GENERAL CHECK INS. THANKS, GREENFIELDS PRIMARY SCHOOL STAFF! A BIG THANK YOU TO MR JAYDEN BLACK, ONE OF OUR PRE-SERVICE TEACHERS FROM LAST YEAR, FOR RETURNING. MR BLACK HAS ASSISTED AT COUNTLESS CARNIVALS AND EVENTS SINCE THEN AND I TRULY APPRECIATE HIS SUPPORT. THERE'S VERY FEW PEOPLE I'VE MET THAT MATCH HIS ENTHUSIASM AND WORK ETHICS AND I'VE THOROUGHLY APPRECIATED HIS ASSISTANCE OVER THE YEARS.



A BIG THANK YOU LINCOLN, SHENAYE AND WILL, SOME OF OUR PAST STUDENTS, WHO I ASKED TO ASSIST IN THE CARNIVAL. THANK YOU ALSO TO THEIR PARENTS AND SCHOOLS, WHO BOTH GAVE THEIR PERMISSION FOR THE ALUMNI TO ATTEND. IT WAS GREAT HAVING YOU AT THE CARNIVAL AND EVEN THOUGH IT'S A LOT DIFFERENT BEING ON THE OTHER SIDE, RUNNING AROUND, MARSHALLING STUDENTS, OFFICIATING EVENTS, OR DEALING WITH ME, YOUR SUPPORT WAS TRULY APPRECIATED. I'M VERY GRATEFUL TO HAVE HAD YOU STANDING BY MY SIDE, BACK WHEN YOU WERE IN PRIMARY SCHOOL AND, STILL NOW, A FEW YEARS ON. THANKS, LINCOLN, SHENAYE AND WILL! THERE WERE A FEW OTHER EX-STUDENTS WHO I ASKED BUT WERE UNAVAILABLE DUE TO SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY OR WORK COMMITMENTS (YES, I'VE BEEN HERE THAN LONG SOME ARE IN UNIVERSITY ALREADY!), SO MAYBE NEXT TIME!

FINALLY, A MASSIVE THANK YOU TO THE FACTION CAPTAINS, ANGEL, BAYDEN, JACKSON, JADA, NEVAEH, NUI, PRESTON AND REAGAN, FOR YOUR TIRELESS WORK THIS TERM. WITH AN EARLIER CARNIVAL DATE, YOU HAVE BEEN INVALUABLE IN PREPARING FOR OUR CARNIVAL. FROM TRAINING SESSIONS WITH THE CLUSTERS, TO COUNTLESS MEETINGS OR PRACTICES, TO ASSISTING AT THE JUMPS & THROWS DAY, TO THE MILLION ERRANDS I'VE ASKED OF YOU, THANK YOU FOR EVERYTHING. I TOLD YOU THIS TERM WAS GOING TO BE MASSIVE AND I'M SURE THEY CAN ATTEST TO HOW BUSY THEY HAVE BEEN, OVER THE PAST SEVERAL WEEKS. THANK YOU, FCS, FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND I ENJOYED A SLIGHTLY LESS FRANTIC FEW WEEKS, AS WE WOUND DOWN OUR BIGGEST TERM.

THIS YEAR HAS SEEN A NEW FACTION RISE UP AS VICTORS. CONGRATULATIONS, AGAIN, KANYANA, ON YOUR GREAT SUCCESS! THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR COMMUNITY FOR YOUR INVOLVEMENT IN THIS YEAR'S FACTION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL!

- MR K



OVERALL RESULTS

AMAZON **742** BORTOLO **990** KANYANA **1211** WALDRON **1197**

INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP RESULTS

	CHAMPION GIRL	RUNNER-UP GIRL	CHAMPION BOY	RUNNER-UP BOY
YEAR 1	CHARLEE	GIBSYN	LINCOLN	JAXON
YEAR 2	SEANDRIEL	ISLA & LYLAH	BRAXTON	LACHLAN
YEAR 3	JORDAN	ELLIE	NIXON	*UNABLE TO PUBLISH*
YEAR 4	AMARA	EBONY	RYLEY	MITCHELL
YEAR 5	ISABELLA	SCARLET-ROSE	JACOB	JACK
YEAR 6	NEVAEH	JADA	REAGAN-JAMES	JACKSON

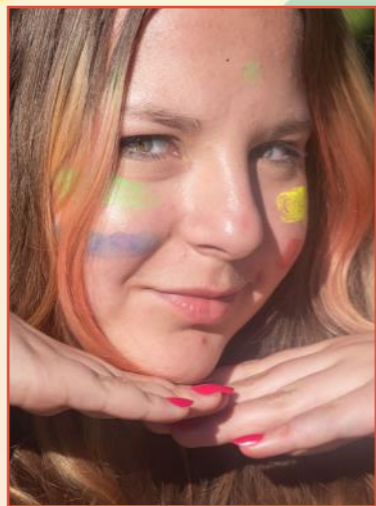
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INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2023

IT WAS A TIGHT RACE BUT, UNFORTUNATELY, NOT OUR DAY AT THE INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL, ON FRIDAY, 15 SEPTEMBER 2023.

WELL DONE TO ALL OUR INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS STUDENTS, WHO TOOK PART IN THE CARNIVAL. IT WAS ALWAYS GOING TO BE A TOUGH BATTLE, AFTER MOVING UP A DIVISION AFTER LAST YEAR'S SUCCESS, AND GOING UP AGAINST LARGER SCHOOLS. I'M VERY PROUD OF HOW WE HELD OUR OWN AND, FOR THE MOST PART, GAVE THEM A RUN FOR THEIR MONEY. SOME OF THESE SCHOOLS HAVE NEARLY TWICE AS MANY STUDENTS AS WE DO, SO WELL DONE, GREENIES, FOR GIVING THEM A BATTLE. LOOK HOW CLOSE THE FINAL POINTS ARE (TO THE RIGHT)!

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR CHAMPIONSHIP STUDENTS, JACOB (YEAR 5 CHAMPION BOY), NEVAEH (YEAR 6 CHAMPION GIRL) AND REAGAN-JAMES (YEAR 6 CHAMPION BOY) FOR THEIR AMAZING EFFORTS!

THE SCHOOL SCORES ARE SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT FROM THOSE ANNOUNCED ON THE DAY AS, WHILE I WAS GOING OVER THE SPREADSHEET, I NOTICED THE POINTS DIDN'T MATCH UP. THERE WERE 37 TEAM GAMES, WITH HALLS HEAD AND OCEAN ROAD HAVING THE CORRECT AMOUNT. GREENFIELDS, THOUGH, HAD ONLY 36 TEAM GAME RESULTS, WHILE PINJARRA HAD 38 RESULTS. PINJARRA WAS RECORDED ON THE SPREADSHEET AS TAKING 2ND AND 3RD PLACE IN THE YEAR 3 GIRLS' LEADERBALL, INSTEAD OF GREENFIELDS BEING AWARDED THE 3RD. WITH THIS, *TECHNICALLY*, WE CAME SECOND, WHICH YOU BET I'M GOING TO TAKE! A SHAME WE DIDN'T NOTICE IT ON THE DAY, AS THAT FINAL ANNOUNCEMENT BETWEEN 1ST AND 2ND PLACE WOULD HAVE BEEN ALL THE MORE EXCITING AND NERVE-WRACKING!

REFLECTING ON OUR EFFORTS, GREENFIELDS HAD THE SECOND HIGHEST INDIVIDUAL FIRST PLACES (ONLY ONE FIRST PLACE BEHIND HALLS HEAD) AND AN EQUAL NUMBER OF FIRST PLACES IN TEAM GAMES (ONCE AGAIN WITH HALLS HEAD). THIS IS AN AMAZING EFFORT AND, FROM HERE, IT'S ABOUT CONSISTENCY OR FOLLOWING UP WITH SECOND OR THIRD PLACES, RATHER THAN, UNFORTUNATELY, ALSO THE MOST FOURTH PLACES IN TEAM GAMES. I DID MAKE ALLOWANCES FOR TWO SCHOOLS WHICH, IN HINDSIGHT, DIDN'T WORK IN GREENFIELDS' FAVOUR. ON THE DAY, THE SCHOOLS ONLY BROUGHT OVER A FEW YEAR 3 STUDENTS, WHO WERE COMPETING IN INDIVIDUAL EVENTS, MEANING THEY REQUESTED TO FILL IN THEIR YEAR 3 TEAM GAMES POSITIONS WITH SEVERAL OF THEIR YEAR 4 STUDENTS. YES, NOT BENEFICIAL FOR US, BUT A GESTURE OF SPORTSMANSHIP TO ALLOW THEIR YEAR 3 STUDENTS TO COMPETE AND, SAYING THIS, WE STILL TOOK SECOND PLACE (I TOLD YOU, I AM TAKING THE TECHNICAL SECOND PLACE). HALLS HEAD WASN'T ONE OF THESE SCHOOLS, SO THEIR VICTORY WAS EVEN MORE WELL-DESERVED AND IMPRESSIVE!

ALL EXCUSES, TECHNICALITIES AND STATISTICS ASIDE, WELL DONE TO ALL OUR REPRESENTATIVES THIS YEAR. THANK YOU FOR REPRESENTING YOUR SCHOOL, WHETHER IN ONE EVENT OR SEVERAL, THOSE WHO ELECTED TO SKIP IN-TERM SWIMMING TO REPRESENT THE SCHOOL, THOSE WHO GAVE UP LUNCH TIMES DURING THE TERM TO TRAIN, THOSE WHO HELPED SET UP OR TO ASSISTED ON THE DAY, OR THOSE WHO STEPPED UP WHEN THE LAST MINUTE TAP ON THE SHOULDER FOR ABSENT STUDENTS CAME. ONE OF OUR STUDENTS PUSHED HERSELF TO THE POINT OF TEARS AND (AT THE TIME) SUSPECTED INJURY IN THE FINAL EVENT. WHEN I TOLD HER SHE SHOULDN'T HAVE RISKED INJURING HERSELF, ESPECIALLY AS SHE HAD OTHER SPORTING COMMITMENTS, SHE REPLIED "GREENFIELDS IS MORE IMPORTANT". WHAT A HEART! THANK YOU TO YOU ALL FOR YOUR SACRIFICE AND EFFORTS FOR YOUR SCHOOL. YOU'RE LITTLE LEGENDS, GREENIES!

AN ESPECIALLY BIG THANK YOU TO THE FACTION CAPTAINS, ANGEL, BAYDEN, JACKSON, JADA, NEVAEH, NUI, PRESTON AND REAGAN, WHO ASSISTED WITH THE PREPARATION OF THE CARNIVAL, AS WELL AS ON THE DAY. SPECIAL THANKS ALSO TO OUR OTHER STUDENT HELPERS, ALEAHIA, ARMALI, CHARLIE, CJ, HUNTER, IMOGEN, ISAAC, JACEY, JAYA, JASMINE-LEE, JONEAH, NOAH, RHYDER, SAVANNAH AND WILLOW, WHO HELPED OUR WITH ROLES DURING THE JUMPS & THROWS, AND TO MY MATHS GROUPS, WHO HELPED IN THE DAYS PRIOR WITH SETTING UP.

THANK YOU TO THE PARENTS AND FAMILY MEMBERS WHO CAME DOWN TO SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS, AGAIN. WE WERE LUCKY TO GET THE OPPORTUNITY TO HOLD THE CARNIVAL AT GREENFIELDS, SO HAVING YOUR HOME GROUND SUPPORT WAS MUCH APPRECIATED.

THANK YOU TO THE VOLUNTEERS FROM ALL FOUR SCHOOLS (PARENTS, STAFF AND WORKPLACE LEARNING STUDENTS), FOR ASSISTING ON THE DAY. IN PARTICULAR, THE JUMPS & THROWS SECTION, WHERE THERE'S SIX SIMULTANEOUS EVENTS. I THANK YOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE IN MAKING DAYS LIKE THIS POSSIBLE, FOR THE PSSA.

THANK YOU TO THE TEAM OF YEAR 6 PARENTS WHO HELD A SAUSAGE SIZZLE, WHICH NOT ONLY HELPED FEED OUR COMPETITORS AND SPECTATORS, BUT ALSO HELPED THE YEAR 6 PARENTS WITH THEIR END OF YEAR FUNDRAISING.

THANK YOU TO OUR STAFF TEAM, THIS YEAR COMPRISING OF MISS SMITH, MR PELETIER, MRS BRENNAN, MRS KER-DAVID AND MRS LOVELL, FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE ON THE DAY. AS THE HOST SCHOOL, I APPRECIATE YOUR EXPERTISE AND SUPPORT. MR JAYDEN BLACK, AGAIN, ALSO RETURNED TO ASSIST WITH ANOTHER EVENT (THIS BEING NOW HIS FIFTH MAJOR SPORTING EVENT I'VE ENLISTED HIM FOR) AND I TRULY APPRECIATE HIS UNRIVALLED EFFORT.

THE INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL IS MY FAVOURITE INTERSCHOOL OF THE YEAR AND THIS YEAR'S WAS NO EXCEPTION. THOSE WHO WERE THERE IN 2021 AND, THEN, IN 2022 KNOW THE HISTORY THIS CARNIVAL HAS HAD. YES, TRUST ME, IT HURTS NOT GETTING OVER THAT LINE. IT WOULD HAVE BEEN A FAIRY TALE ENDING TO GO BACK-TO-BACK ON OUR OWN HOME GROUND, BUT LET THIS FUEL YOU. LET THAT FIRE BURN AND PUSH GREENFIELDS TO GREATER HEIGHTS IN 2024. THAT MAKES THREE YEARS PLACING IN THE TOP TWO FOR INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS (AGAIN, I TOLD YOU, I'M TAKING THAT TECHNICAL SECOND PLACE), WHICH IS A MIGHTY FINE JOB, GREENIES! IT'S BEEN A BIG TERM SO REST UP, GREENIES. I'LL SEE YOU ON THE BATTLEFIELD, AGAIN, SOON.



376

MERITORIOUS: **656** TEAM GAMES: **248**



409

MERITORIOUS: **703** TEAM GAMES: **276**



367

MERITORIOUS: **367** TEAM GAMES: **250**



368

MERITORIOUS: **377** TEAM GAMES: **262**

GREENFIELDS' INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP STUDENTS

YEAR 5 CHAMPION BOY

JACOB

YEAR 5 CHAMPION GIRL

NEVAEH

YEAR 6 CHAMPION BOY

REAGAN-JAMES



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AALIYAH, ADAM, ALEAHIA, AMARA, ANGEL, ARMALI, ASHLYN, BAYDEN, BRACKEN, BRANDON, BRAXON, BRETT, CARTER, CHARLIE, CJ, COOPER, DEANNAH, DELILAH, DOMINIC, EBONY, ELENA, ELIZABETH, ELLIE, ELLIE, HAMISH, HARPER, HUNTER, IMOGEN, ISAAC, ISABELLA, JACEY, JACK, JACKSON (C), JACOB, JADA (C), JASMINE-LEE, JAYA, JONATHAN, JONEAH, JORDAN, JORDAN, JULIE, KEL, KELEERAH, KIRBY, KLIYAH, LIANA, LOGAN, MADISON, MITCHELL, NAVERH, NEVAEH (C), NIXON, NOAH, NUI, PAIGE, PRESTON, REAGAN (C), RHYDER, RYLAN, SAVANNAH, SAVANNAH, SCARLET-ROSE, SORAYAH, STARKEISHA, SUHRID, TATUM, THOMAS, WILLOW, WILLOW, XAVIER, ZACHARIAH, ZANE & ZEUSSE



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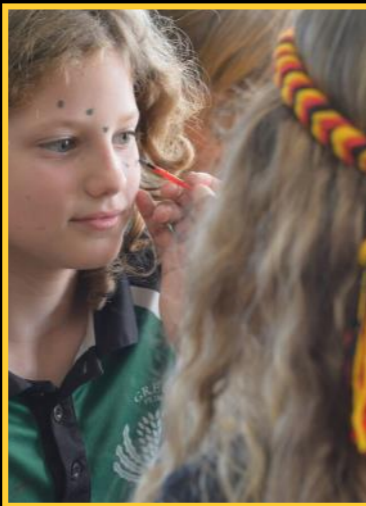
NAIDOC For Our Elders

GREENFIELDS HELD OUR NAIDOC CELEBRATIONS ON FRIDAY, 22 SEPTEMBER 2023. THE DAY BEGAN WITH AN ASSEMBLY, OPENED BY MR WALLEY AND WITH DANCERS FROM COODANUP COLLEGE. FOLLOWING THE ASSEMBLY, STUDENTS TOOK PART IN ROTATIONS AROUND THE SCHOOL, INCLUDING LANGUAGE GAMES, PAINTING, SONGS, COOKING, BOOMERANG/SPEAR THROWING AND BRACELET MAKING.

THANK YOU TO MRS WALLEY, MRS OTWAY, MRS MORRISON, AND ALL OUR PARENT AND COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS FOR ORGANISING THE ACTIVITIES FOR THE DAY!



NAIDOC



EAST LAKE CHURCH **BIG BREKKY**

Thank you to the [Eastlake Church](#) and their volunteers for holding the 'Greenfields Primary Big Brekky' Community Breakfast! The Community Breakfast is a great event where many of our families come together to share a bite to eat with some great company. Thanks, Eastlake Church, and the [City of Mandurah](#), for making the event possible!



Well done, Mrs Smoker!

Well done to Greenfields' very own Mrs Rachel Smoker, who presented at the *WAPPA* (Western Australian Primary Principals' Association) *Conference*, which is attended by principals from across WA, on Friday, 1 September 2023.

Mrs Smoker was one of the concurrent speakers today, presenting 'A knowledge rich curriculum: building deep world knowledge to develop critical thinkers for the future'.

Mrs Smoker has spearheaded the development of the General Knowledge Unit at Greenfields, working in collaboration with staff from Serpentine Primary School, which has been showcased to schools around the nation.

Well done, Mrs Smoker, on your presentation and thank you for your leadership in furthering the education of not only Greenfields' students but students Australia wide. You're amazing!



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KIDS TEACHING KIDS CONFERENCE

On Thursday, 14 September 2023, some of the Year 4 and Year 5 students went to the *Kids Teaching Kids Conference*. We learnt to do some coding and about microbits from other kids, learnt about snakes and even held them and extracted DNA from strawberries. This was held in Mandurah organised by the City of Mandurah. A great day!
- Mrs Bell



WA MASSED CHOIR FESTIVAL

Our School Choir performed at the *WA Massed Choir Festival*, at the Perth Concert Hall, on Friday, 22 September 2023. Thank you to Ms Morrison and Meghan for organising our choir's participation in the event!



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At Greenfields, we strive to achieve the following outcomes: Students who have a lifetime love of reading • Students who apply their understanding of mathematics and technology to real world situations

G.R.I.T Congratulations to the following students who received a G.R.I.T. Certificate at our whole school assembly, on Friday, 8 September 2023.

Room 1	Aiden Harmony Zeusse	Room 5	Amelia Matthew	Room 10	Em My Luca	Maths (Mr K's Group)	Jada
Room 2	Joneah Paiden	Room 6	Leathan Leslie	Room 11	Chloe Eli	Physical Education	Ellie Xavier
Room 3	Sienna	Room 7	Harper Payton	Room 13	Eldrick Jonathan	Please note: Students without "Permission to Publish" are unable to have their names included, so do not appear on the list.	
Room 4	CJ Nevaeh	Room 8	Alayna DJ	Room 14	Dominic Riley		



Well done to the students who our new Model Citizens for the term and to the students who received a PBS Certificate at the following PBS Assemblies.

Term 3, Week 7 (Intermediates)

Room 7	Zane	Room 8	Brooklyn Toby	Room 13	Maddison Starkeisha	Room 14	Kiera-Lee Parker
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Term 3, Week 7 (Seniors)

Room 1	Carter Isabella Sophia	Room 2	Jack Shelby-Rose	Room 3	Cassidy Elise Dylan Joel	Room 4	Christian Dean James Tane
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Term 3, Week 8 (Juniors)

Room 5	Tayzor	Room 6	Evie Kayden	Room 10	Lincoln Pippa	Room 11	Dhlaye Jensen
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New Model Citizens - Term Three

Blade (Room 10)	Charlotte (Room 5)	Charlotte (Room 6)	Ellie (Room 3)	Imogen (Room 4)	Jet (Room 2)
Joneah (Room 2)	Jordan (Room 1)	Nui (Room 4)	Savannah (Room 4)	Tatum (Room 1)	



Thank you, Greenfields Primary School!

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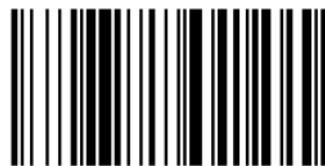
CONTAINERS COLLECTED IN 2023

Collection bin last collected: 23 September 2023

Donations may be made at a Containers for Change depot, using the following ID or codes:

Scheme ID:

C10419629



Confident, resilient students with a strong set of positive behaviour values • Creative students with an understanding of environmentally conscious and sustainable living habits

Term 4 Planner 2023



	WEEK	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Oct	1	Oct 9 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL	10 Yr 6 Parent Camp Meeting	11 School Photos	12	13
Oct	2	16	17	18 Book Fair	19 Parliament House Lunch (Student Councillors)	20 Pupil Free Day
Oct	3	23	24	25	26	27 Books on a Blanket & Book Week Dress-up
Oct Nov	4	30 Book Fair	31	Nov 1	2	3 Get Ready for Kindy Program Yr 6 Camp Payment Due
Nov	5	6	7	8	9 Kindy Orientation	10 Get Ready for Kindy Program Remembrance Day Talk – Yrs 5 & 6
Nov	6	13	14	15	16 Kindy Parent Information Session	17 Interschool Cricket/FlippaBall/Lawn Bowls Get Ready for Kindy Program
Nov	7	20	21 Monet in Paris Excursion	22	23 City of Mandurah Junior Councillors' Graduation	24 Get Ready for Kindy Program Yr 6 Orientation at Coodanup School Disco
Nov Dec	8	27	28	29	30	Dec 1 Get Ready for Kindy Program
Dec	9	4	5	6	7 Year 6 Graduation	8 Assembly Rms 5 & 6
Dec	10	11	12 Book Awards	13 REPORTS EMAILED	14 LAST DAY OF TERM FOR STUDENTS	