



ALBANY PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

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DATES TO REMEMBER

TERM 3

WEEK 2

MONDAY 24 JULY

SWIMMING LESSONS PP- YR 4 (MONDAY - FRIDAY)

TUESDAY 25 JULY

Eagles Cup
FP vs APS

WEDNESDAY 26

Yr 6 SN Visit ASHS
9 - 10am

CANTEEN ROSTER

MONDAY 24 JULY

Tamara Robertson

WEDNESDAY 26 JULY

Georgie Beeck

FRIDAY 21 JULY

Trisa Branderhorst

UNIFORM SHOP

Tuesday
2.45pm—3:30pm

Thursday
8.30am—9:00am

www.ouronlinecanteen.com.au

(Located in the Undercover Assembly Area)

Dear Parents & Caregivers

Term 3... the premiership quarter! The calendar is jam packed with events from In-term Swimming, High School transition sessions, Eagles Cup finals, Spelling competitions, Ag School visits, Music Festival, Dockers Cup, Discos and Learning Journeys... just to name a few. With these events spaced throughout the term students' attendance is paramount. If students are absent on a regular basis they are missing out on crucial components of their education. For Term 2 each year group's average attendance was;

Kindergarten	Pre Primary	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
87.09%	89.53%	91.32%	93.05%	93.91%	93.87%	92.61%	91.62%

As the weather continues to change from sunshine to sun showers followed by a down pour please be mindful of our parking issues and congestion. I see the frustration of some drivers as they are trying to manoeuvre through the car park. We must keep our students safe, so accelerating quickly will not be tolerated! Let's work together.

A reminder to all Year 6 parents who have a child attending the Rottneest Camp in Week 2, Term 4 that all payments must be finalised by the end of this term for your child to be eligible to attend. Unfortunately, if the full amount has not been paid; the student will not take part in the camp.

I hope you all had an enjoyable holiday break and spent some quality time with your children. Our first assembly will not be until Week 3 due to swimming lessons, I look forward to seeing you all there. Please remember that the newsletter will be published fortnightly from now on.

There has been a fantastic uptake of swimming lessons and we thank all the participating families for supporting your children in what is a significant recreational and life skill. We certainly appreciate the support of the Dads who have been able to assist in the boys change rooms. The low number of male teachers in these year levels makes supervision of change rooms problematic so your ongoing support is valued.

A reminder that ALAC and APS do not allow any photography or videoing of children during swimming lessons.

Those few families that have negotiated only part payment to this point, please ensure you have paid in full by the second week so that your child can participate in the full swimming program and culminate in being assessed to pass their current level. If you are having difficulty meeting this requirement then please contact Ms Mumford at school.

Jayde Hewson,
Principal