

ALBANY PRIMARY SCHOOL



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UP & COMING EVENTS

MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI
29 APRIL	30 APRIL	1 MAY	2 MAY	3 MAY
STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY – PUPIL FREE	First day of Term 2	Kindy 1A Group		

From the Principal's Desk

Friday Fun Day

What another amazing way to celebrate the end of the term with your Good Standing; a free lunch and extra play time. Well done to all of the students who demonstrated our **RISE** expectations all term. I hope you enjoy your celebration.

Thank you to the PBS Staff team for coordinating and organising the event. Also, we appreciate the efforts of the parent volunteers for helping to cook the barbecue and serve ice cream.



We are also seeing a wonderful involvement and team spirit displayed by all

The students have been working hard on their hats; we have some very creative cookies here at Albany Primary School! So many exciting designs and creations in the making and we cannot wait to see the results in the parade.



year levels. A special mention goes to the year 6 students who opened the Art Shed with Ms Stein and Ms Eley to help the younger students make their hats.

ANZAC Assembly

What a tremendous effort Room 16 is putting in to hosting this year's ANZAC assembly. It will be an honour to share in the assembly and commemorate such an important historic day here at Albany Primary School.

Discos

Loud music, yummy food, great dancing and amazing costumes... What more could you ask for at a disco? Thank you to Mrs Goodall and Mr Evans for all of your hard work to make the discos such a success. To staff that attended over the two nights to help with supervision, thanks! Last but not least, well done to the P&C organisers and kitchen helpers for your super effort!



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Kindy & Pre-Primary Open Classroom

It was so lovely to see so many parents wandering through the classrooms looking at their child's work. The Open Classroom was a trial by the teachers to assist parents in understanding the progression and achievement of the students over Term 1. I look forward to working with staff and parents to assist in creating more opportunities for parents to see student work and know how their child is progressing prior to formal reporting each semester.



Rebranding Survey

Thank you to all of the families for completing the survey this week. We have received an outstanding number of votes and are looking forward to previewing the results on Friday afternoon. If you have not yet voted you can access the survey via this link: <https://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/APSRebrandingSurvey>. We will also be working with Pat Williams (our Aboriginal and Islander Education Officer) as we look to incorporate an element or feature to signify the Menang culture and history at Albany Primary School.

Where to from here? The results will be published on the school website and sent to the team at Sims Design, the company that have redesigned our website. For approximately \$1500 Jen at Sims Design will be able to use our survey data, and current logo, and create three to four designs. These designs will then be considered by the School Board, school staff and the Rebranding Committee. The final two designs will be put to students and the school community for a vote on our new logo. The \$1500 also includes all of our Letterhead design, Business Plan templates, Annual report publications all with specific colour codes with web hex colours for all usage which will mean the colour, font, style of the logo and letterhead will not be changed on each document.

Watch this space in Term 2 for more updates on our rebranding.



Regards

Mrs Jayde Hewson

Principal

On behalf of all of the staff at Albany Primary School I would like to wish you all a safe and happy holiday. Take a well-deserved break over Easter, and enjoy spending time with family and friends. I look forward to seeing you all back at school on Tuesday 30 April.

ANZAC Parade

On the 25 April students from Albany Primary School will be participating in the Albany RSLWA Anzac Parade. If your child would like to march with the school, please complete the Permission Slip below and bring it with you on the day. Students attending the march will need to be dropped at the Town Square at 9.30am, and collected after the ceremony at the intersection of Princess Royal Drive and York Street at 11.30am.

ANZAC Parade Permission Slip

Student Name: _____ Room: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian: Mobile Number _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

