

ALBANY PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER 2022 Term 3 Week 6

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FOR YOUR DIARY

WEEK 6

25 August

- Bebras Challenge Didigital Technologies Yr 5 & 6

26 August

- Book Week Dress up Day
- Assembly Rm 7

WEEK 7

29 August

- P & C Meeting 7pm

2 September

- Assembly Rm 9

WEEK 8

5 September

- Board meeting 7pm

7 September

- Bike Club
- Learning Journey 2 – 4 pm

8 September

- Great Southern Schools Music Festival (Evening)

9 September

- Assembly Rm 2 & 3

Week 9 & 10

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SWIMMING



From the Principal's Desk

Another few weeks have flown by and we are now in to the downhill run to holidays again. In what has been a very difficult few weeks for schools in Albany, I am again heartened by the level of support and care around us. When serious incidents occur, the way people rally around and support our students, staff and families is a testament to the strong community we are a part of.

Amidst some dreary weather our students have again represented APS honourably at several events. Our Year 6 students walked the Luke Pen Walk on a day we thought might be wetter than it was. They were outstanding in the manner in which they conducted themselves. Our Year 6 girls and boys participated in the Dockers Cup and Shied respectively. Again, the weather was not especially kind to us on these days, however, the students showed perseverance and determination in trying their absolute best. Well done everyone!

This week we celebrate Book Week and are all excited about the dress up day and parade on Friday. Parents and caregivers are very welcome to join us for the parade at 11:10, after recess.

This week we say goodbye (for a little while) to our lovely Mrs D'Alesio in Pre-Primary. Mrs D'Alesio is starting another exciting chapter in her life, with the arrival of her baby expected soon. We all give Mrs D'Alesio our very best wishes for her new job as a mummy! We welcome Miss Miranda Ball into Room 3 for the remainder of this year.

Parent Representative for School Board

We are seeking a new parent representative to join our School Board. This is not an onerous group to join and will give you a great insight as to the governance of our school and its strategic directions.

Please see further information about the Board responsibilities and the nomination form in today's newsletter.

P&C Quiz Night

Saturday 20th August was a wonderful Quiz Night hosted by our P&C, with the big goal of raising \$10,000 for playground equipment. Our P&C rallied together to put on a fabulous night. Thank you to everyone involved and to all of the generous sponsors. You not only gave everyone a great night out, but were successful in reaching your fundraising goal!! I'm looking forward to the next one!!

Ms Cathy Willis

Principal

Congratulations to all of our Honour Certificate Recipients and Rise Stars for weeks 3, 4 and 5

HONOUR CERTIFICATE RECIPIENTS			
ROOM	JUNIOR	ROOM	SENIOR
2	Cole, George, Anthony, Henry, Anna & Millie	15	Lili, Santi, Jake, Layla, Cassidy & Finn
3	Jordan, Cody, Zayden, Luca, Eva & Poppy	16	Evie, Ella, Bryce, Steven, Blake & Noah
4	Berlin, Amirah, Johnny, Michael, Juliette & Eve	17	Joshua, Chloe, Viv, Tehlia, Sophie & Rosa
5	Georgia, Joel, Estelle, Nate, Malachi & Kid	18	Elise, Sarah, Amelia, Riki & Lacie
6	Miles, Pippa, Charlotte	20	Anika, Layla, Marco, Erin, Samuel & Mia
7	Ben, Eliza, Sophia, Willis & Finnley	21	Dane, Nicolette, Max, Eunyce, Grace & Arya
8	Olivia, Grace, Hannah, Lexie, Jesse & Jobe	22	Jack, Olive, Elle, Wesley, Sophie & Alex
9	William, Matilda, Toby, Ruby, Jai & Taylor	23	Samantha, Salem, Kayla, Tristan, Charlee & Callie
LOTE	Chloe, Angela, Rose, Robbie, Sophia & Orlando	SCIENCE	Ethan, Lewin, Declan, Scarlett, Dustin & Will
Phys Ed	Jude, Teddy, Ryan & Grace	Digital Technology	Nate, Ginny, Brandon, Chloe, Leia, Theo, Marco & Ebony
Aussie of the Month			Sienna, Ethan & Will



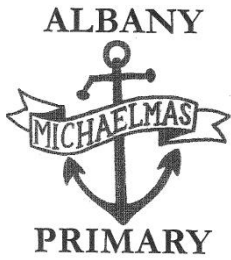
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Xavier, Zephgr
Jude, Isabel
Johnny, Callie
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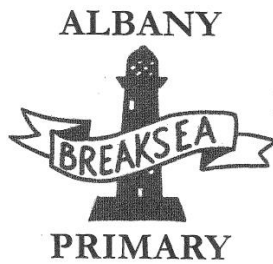
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April
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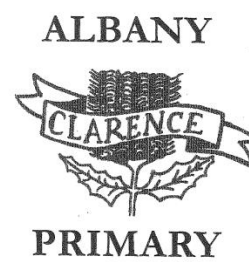
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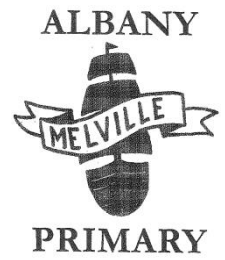
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Last days for Book Fair...

Make sure you get into the School Library before and after School. There are some wonderful books on offer to purchase.



Show **R**espect

Include Others

Be **S**afe

Personal **E**xcellence

Out And About At A.P.S

Dockers Shield and Cup 2022

On Tuesday 16th of August Albany Primary School took 24 students to compete in the 15 players a side Dockers Shield. Our team competed well and fought hard throughout the day to walk away with four wins and two losses. We had some standout players all over the field, especially in our back line who positioned themselves to win the aerial battle. However, it was disappointing that a small number of players on and off the field were extremely disrespectful toward the umpires. We would like to thank Stuart for helping to umpire on the day.

On Thursday 18th of August Albany Primary School took 19 students to compete in the 12 players a side Dockers Cup. We played five games winning three, drawing one and losing one. The girls took all challenges associated with AFL and stood tall. They worked as a team, made great effort and got better and better as the day went on. Our forward line thrived with highly competitive small forwards who seemed to mesmerise their opponents. A mid-field that ran hard all day and a defence that stuck to the task to limit the opposition. We would like to thank Adam for stepping in and umpiring, also to Aaron and James for helping with the goal umpiring. Thank you to all the parents who came down to support their children.



Luke Pen Excursion

Last week the Year 6's went on the Luke Pen walk, a distance of 7km!

We had help from parent helpers, Mrs Mercer and Mr Beard. This excursion was a chance for the teachers to see how well we might fare on Rottnest Camp in Term 4. The excursion also included the history of the Kalgan River development as well as the significance of the Fish Traps. We enjoyed getting out and about for mental and physical health. Luckily, we had no injuries!

During our lunch break, Mrs Mercer held a stone skipping competition and our winner was Ben, with a score of five stone skips across the top of the water!

Most of our students had one downside. It was on the track where it was a bit muddy in areas. We ended up with wet and dirty shoes. But overall, we all enjoyed it.

And a big thank you to all the parent helpers and teachers. 😊

By Ebony and Ava



Kindy Police Visit

We have been learning about Community helpers in kindergarten this term. Last week, we had a visit from Sergeant Clifford and Constable Lauren, who taught us all about their jobs in the Police Force. We also learnt about road safety, wearing our helmets, wearing seatbelts and what to do in an emergency. A fun time was had by all, especially when we hopped in the Police car and turned on the lights/sirens and used the radio to call the station.



P & C News

REMINDER...FATHER'S DAY Is coming up on Sunday 4th September. Every year, we host a stall selling small gifts for the students to purchase. The stall will be held on Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd September and if you can spare some time we really need your help!

Our Fathering Project team is looking to host a family movie night, at the school on Friday 2nd September. Pack your beanbags and Oodles and mark it on your calendar - it looks like lots of fun!

Quiz Night Success



\$10,000 Target Reached \$\$\$



We are super excited to say we reached our Goal! Huge thanks once again to all of our sponsors and Tommie Watts from Merrifield Real-estate, awesome work on the microphone.

Thank you to our P & C Quiz team, Tash, Jane, Kelsie, Jolene, Jenna, Bec and Amelia.

Our hosts, Middleton Beach Bowling and Community Club and to our 160 ticket holders. Thank you for such a fun night. We hope you enjoyed it as much as we did.



School Board Call for Nominations – Parent Representative

We would like to invite parents to nominate for a vacant position on the School Board. The membership will be for a period of two years. **All nominations are to be received by the Principal before 4:00pm Friday 2 September 2022.**

School Board members may:

- *help monitor, review and evaluate aspects of the school business planning and are aware of the components of the Delivery and Performance Agreement;
- *endorse the business plan which outlines the key directions of the school;
- *endorse the annual school report, annual school budget and student performance targets;
- *endorse financial arrangements necessary to fund school objectives, priorities and directions;
- *approve charges, contributions and items of personal student use (booklists);
- *determine in consultation with students, parents and staff, a dress code for students;
- *help formulate codes of conduct for students; and
- *promote the school in the community.

If you would like to nominate for the school board, please submit the attached form to our office.

School Board Nomination – 2022

The school would like to invite parents to nominate for a vacant position on the School Board. The membership will be for a period of two years.

All nominations are to be received by the Principal before 4:00pm Friday 2 September 2022.

Name of Nominee: _____

Contact Phone Number of Nominee: _____

Signature of Nominee: _____

Name of person nominating: _____

When nominating, you might like to nominate yourself or nominate another parent. When submitting the nomination, the person being nominated must sign to give their approval for nomination.

Please provide some background information about the nominee in regard to the following areas listed below. This information will be shared with the School Board and may be shared on the ballot paper should an election be necessary. (School and community background, number years at a school, commitment and participation in school).

Community News and Events

Please note notices appearing below are not necessarily endorsed by the school. We provide this space for community groups to advertise to the school community. It is up to parents to scrutinise the activity and organisers for their child.


 Department of Education
 Shaping the future


VacSwim enrolments now open

Help keep your child safe in the water. Enrol now for the summer 2023 school holidays.

education.wa.edu.au/vacswim




Out of Hours School Care


 PCYC
 Police & Community Youth Centres

✉ albanyoshc@wapcyc.com.au
 ☎ 9842 1716
 🏠 77 Sanford Rd, Albany 6330

LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE

ENROL NOW FOR NEXT TERM!


ABOUT

Our team is committed to providing a safe, stimulating and positive environment, which fosters children's development and enjoyment.

- » Ages 5 – 12
- » Breakfast, afternoon tea and school drop-off provided

WHEN

Monday to Friday	
• Morning	6.30 – 9.00am
• Afternoon	3.00 – 6.00pm



REGISTER NOW AT
[PLAY.CRICKET.COM.AU](https://play.cricket.com.au) BY
 SEARCHING 'ALBANY AND
 DISTRICTS CRICKET ASSOCIATION'




BOYS CRICKET FROM U10'S TO U17'S
 JOIN THE U15's GIRLS ONLY COMP!
 CRICKET BLAST (5-10 YEAR OLDS) REGOS OPENING SOON

REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN!

CLOSING 4TH OF SEPTEMBER
 FOR ENQUIRIES PLEASE CONTACT [JUNIOR.REGISTRAR@OUTLOOK.COM](mailto:junior.registrar@outlook.com)

JOIN A LOCAL COMMUNITY SPORT
 HAVE FUN IN A TEAM ENVIRONMENT WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND MAKE NEW ONES!

GREAT SOUTHERN PRIMARY SCHOOLS' MUSIC FESTIVAL 2022

WEDNESDAY 7TH
SEPTEMBER
6:30PM

THURSDAY 8TH
SEPTEMBER
6:30PM

ALBANY
ENTERTAINMENT
CENTRE

TICKETS:

\$20 Adult

\$16 Child (2-17 years)

Tickets available through The Perth Theatre Trust (<https://www.artsculturetrust.wa.gov.au/venues/albany-entertainment-centre/whats-on/>) or from the AEC Box Office on Wednesday, 24th August 2022 at 10am.



a monkey baa theatre company production

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LIVE ON STAGE
WITH EXQUISITE PUPPETRY & MUSIC!



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2 SEPTEMBER 2022 AT 4.30PM
BOX OFFICE 9844 5005 | ALBANYENTERTAINMENT.COM.AU

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ARTS
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JAMES & JERRY

Black Rabbit Tent

This project is supported by the NSW Government through Create NSW.
This project has been assisted by the Australian Government through the Australia Council, its arts funding and advisory body.

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Personal **E**xcellence