

South Newman Primary School

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Primary School
Iron, spirit & courage

Term 4 October

Week 4	2 nd November	3/11	4/11 Public School Review Interview	5/11	6/11 Assembly Room 1 Swimming Carnival Yr 4-6	7/8
Week 5	9/11 Kindy 2021 Information Session 9am NAIDOC Week	10/11	11/11	12/11	13/11 Assembly Kindy A & B	14/15
Week 6	16/11 Kindy 2021 Orientation 9am	17/11	18/11	19/11	20/11 Assembly Kindy C	21/22
Week 7	23/11 Kindy 2021 Orientation 9am Year 6 Camp	24/11	25/11	26/11	27/11	28/29
Week 8	30 Kindy 2021 Orientation 9am Pre Primary Transition	1 st December	2/12	3/12	4/12 Assembly Room 12	5/6
Week 9	7/12 Pre Primary Transition Year 6 Graduation	8/12 Book Award Assembly	9/12 End of Year Concert	10/12	11/12 Kindy Graduation Ceremony	12/13
Week 10	14/12 Reports Emailed Home	15/12 2021 Class Lists Advertised	16/12	17/12 Students Last Day		

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



Hello Everyone

Welcome to Week 4 of Term 4. Time is flying by, before we know it we'll be wrapping Christmas presents!

A couple of weeks ago we had our annual Bloody Slow Cup assembly and it was incredible. The effort the staff, students and families went to in support of Police Legacy was outstanding. The feedback I've received from the Ruland family, local police officers and Jill Willoughby from Police Legacy has been extremely positive. I would like to acknowledge Nic Yates, Aidan Elliot and Ashlee Outram who planned the assembly. The performances by the students and photographic tribute to the four police officers who tragically died nearly 20 years ago, was touching and truly heartfelt.

Yesterday we had our Public School Review. This is a process that every school in WA does. The process of school self-assessment ensures schools are meeting their compliance obligations as well as meeting the needs of the students. The reviewers were highly complimentary of our school and our next review will be in 5 years. Congratulations to our staff for their work..

Today is our Years 4-6 Swimming carnival. Miss Mews has been working solidly preparing for it and I'm sure all competitors, staff and parents will enjoy the day.

A school based NAPLAN meeting will be held next Thursday, 12 November for all families with children in Years 2-5. This meeting is similar to the ones we've held the last few years, where parents are welcome to talk through their child's NAPLAN tests and get advice on how best to support them. I strongly encourage all parents to attend.

In the next few weeks we will begin looking at the placement of students for 2021. If you have an educational reason why your child should or should not be placed with another child please email me as soon as possible. I will always try to fulfil your requests if it is an educational reason and if there is capacity to do so. I cannot guarantee to meet the needs of everyone but will do my best. Please do not ask for specific teachers.

Warm regards
Katie Wallace



BLOODY SLOW



Part of the history of Newman Police Station and the community is the tragic event of the Newman Air Crash. The furthest Indigenous community in the sub-district then was Kiwirrkurra, which is 816 kms direct line east from Newman and is situated 130 kms west of the Northern Territory border. On Australia Day, January 26, 2001, in response to a call for assistance from that community, a team of three officers from the Newman Police Station were collected from Newman Airport by a police Cessna 310 aircraft, call sign Polair 64, piloted by a police officer from the Pilbara District Office based in Karratha. They attended at Kiwirrkurra and, having dealt with the situation, departed there at 7:30pm returning to Newman. Polair 64 contacted Newman Police Station by radio at about 9:15pm and requested that vehicles be sent to collect the Newman officers. At 9:50pm Polair 64 entered the circuit area of the Newman Airport and shortly afterwards, the aircraft crashed 2.6 kms south east of the airport. A search was immediately commenced by Police and local volunteer emergency services personnel, supported by other agencies and community members, and at 4:30am the following morning the wreckage of Polair 64 was located. Tragically, all officers on board the aircraft had lost their lives. The impact on their families, friends and colleagues and the community of Newman was and is profound. This has been the most significant loss of police life in modern day policing history in Australasia.

The officers were:

Senior Constable Donald Richard Everett 4600 Pilbara District Office

Senior Constable Phillip Gavin Ruland 7877 Newman Police Station

First Class Constable David Adrian Dewar 9178 Newman Police Station

Constable Gavin Ashley Capes 10305 Newman Police Station



...Here to help

BLOODY SLOW ASSEMBLY



Thank you Room 4 and 6,
Miss Yates, Mr Elliot and

Miss Outram for a memorable
assembly



Rugby WA

Our students were lucky enough to receive a visit from some representatives from Rugby WA due to our Bloody Slow Cup weekend. They were so impressed with our students 'have a go' attitude and absolutely loved seeing their happy faces whilst trying something new. Well done to our students who competed in all of the Bloody Slow Cup events over the weekend.



Food Sensations

Food Sensations offer free nutrition education and cooking programs for adults or parents of children aged 0-5 years old they provide a fun, interactive and safe environment to learn new information, skills and ideas. Through cooking they gain the confidence to choose and prepare healthy meals that are quick, delicious and low cost for you and your family.



Term 4 Week 3 Room 11 Assembly

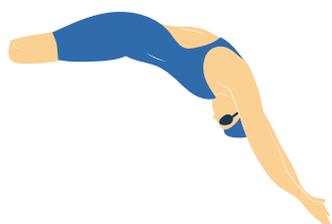


MERIT AWARD WINNERS

Term 4 Week 3

Room 1	Anika Dickson	Jaelen Whitby-Taylor	
Room 2	Ella Airtton	Riley Page	
Room 3	Isaac Nicholson	Sonny Turner	
Room 4	Elizabeth Avery	Nizarious Watson	
Room 5	Jhett Donald	Anahera Turner	Peyton Russell
Room 6	Blake Forsyth	Dane Dickinson	
Room 8	Alice Doonan	Kiah Eades	
Room 9	Bondi Allen	Parker Marr	Kingsley Ford
Room 11	Sione Cox	Sophie Beer	
Room 12		Sarah Foot	
Room 13	Timothy Moore	Eva Riley	
Room 14	Bailee Hardingham	Brody Lincoln	
Room 15	Kayla Romero	Wade Stewart	
Room 17	Mia Dykgraaf	Ntutshi Akujalo-Stephen	
Room 18	Byron Letherbarrow	Ezahlai Dann	
Science	Trent Rensburg		

DON'T FORGET



Year 4-6 Swimming
Carnival today Friday
6th November starts
at 9.30am

Students will walk to
the Aquatic Centre at
8.50am