

# SCHOOL NEWS

## “To Inspire Learning for Life”

20<sup>th</sup> June 2017

This is our final newsletter of the term, however there is still a lot going on over our final two weeks.

We had students competing in the Adam Road Cross Country event today and many of them have been doing extra training, both with Mrs Warnock and by themselves. We wish them all luck and ask they remember our ‘You Can Do It’ approach at Australind PS when competing. Also today is the P & C Disco commencing at 5.30pm, and a presentation by Australind Senior High School staff, open to parents of year five and six students. This will allow parents the opportunity to drop their children at the Disco and then head up to the presentation (commencing at 5.45pm). It will be held in the Australind SHS Egret Wing (Yr 7 block). The presentation will conclude in time for parents to return to the Disco to collect their children. We also have an Assembly on Thursday morning and for those students invited our G2B reward will be on Friday. Next week, we have the Winter Carnival for year five and six students and finally, student reports will go out next Wednesday, 28 June.

### POSITIVE FEEDBACK

Recently, our year one, two and three students went on an excursion to the Perth Zoo. I received this very nice note from one of the Go West Bus Drivers. Our students have once again made us proud and by their actions, put the good word out to our community. Well done to our students, staff and volunteers who attended this very worthwhile excursion.



Hi all  
My name is Phil, one of two drivers that took the children yesterday (Wednesday 31/5/2017) to the zoo  
My congratulations to the behaviour of the children in transit and also the teachers and parents for a well organised trip  
Cheers  
Phil Stinton ( Go West driver)

### CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES \$50.00

The School Board reviewed the voluntary contributions received to date at its meeting on Monday 19 June. The Board would like to invite parents to pay half (\$25) now, and pay the second half in semester two. These funds are greatly appreciated as they support us to do the extra little things for children. We do have effpos facilities and we can also do ‘direct debit’, which of course makes it easy for you. Please contact our office if you have any queries.

### TIN CAN TRAIN

Our Breakfast Club is very popular and we receive fantastic support through the Foodbank. The Foodbank recently sent out a call for canned foods to help boost their stocks. Led by Mrs Jo Dimov, our P&C President, this is going really well and classrooms have collected many cans. Next week, we will line all the cans up as a ‘train’, which should be a lot of fun and a celebration of the support our students and their families have given to this important cause.

### STUDENT REPORTS

The end of semester one student reports are very important, as they provided detailed information as to how each child is travelling and most importantly, information from teachers about what the student needs to do in order to either maintain or improve their outcomes. Teachers will be working with children to establish goals for semester two. It is really beneficial if parents support the work needed to achieve these goals. Reports will be sent home next Wednesday, 28 June.

### FIDGET SPINNERS BANNED

A reminder we have made the decision to ban these in our school. This decision has not been taken lightly and is a result of several issues. We have had several spinners stolen from children’s bags with arguments following. In addition we have seen students intimidating others in order to ‘get a fidget spinner’. Unfortunately, the behaviours this brings out in some children leaves us little option but to take this measure. Spinners will be confiscated if children bring them to school, to be collected at the end of the day by a parent. Fidget spinners will be available for children to purchase at the disco tonight, however, should not be brought to school during normal ‘school hours!

Regards  
Darrin Tinley



### 2018 KINDERGARTEN APPLICATIONS FOR ENROLMENT

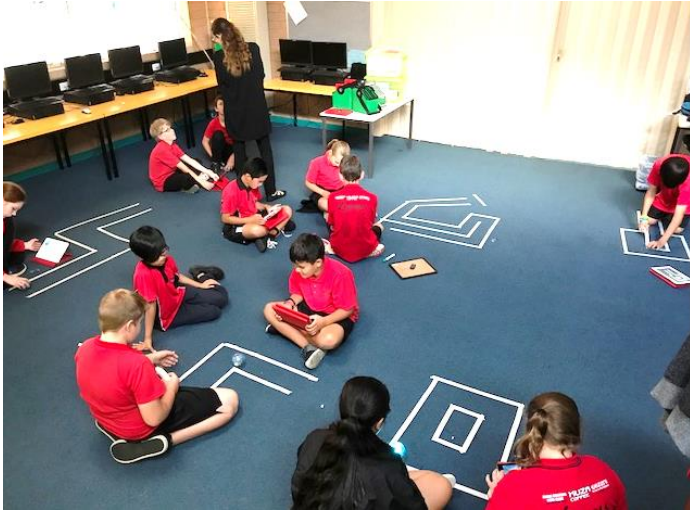


#### ENROL NOW TO SECURE A PLACE!

Children born 1 July 2013 – 30 June 2014 are eligible to enrol for Kindergarten 2018.  
Birth Certificate needs to be sighted. Enquiries can be made by visiting the School at  
Barnes Avenue, Australind or by telephoning the School Office on 97963900  
Fax 97972488  
Email: [australind.ps@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:australind.ps@education.wa.edu.au)).

## P & C NEWS & EVENTS

**SPHERO ROBOTIC BALL** – A Sphero is a robotic ball which is controlled through an iPad. Children had to put in the coding and make a track that the ball could be driven around without it touching the edges. This was achieved, after a lot of practice, by some very clever programmers.



### AUSTRALIND DENTAL THERAPY CENTRE

From the 17<sup>th</sup> July to the 4<sup>th</sup> August 2017, final year students of the Curtin University Bachelor of Oral Health degree will be coming to our clinic, as part of their country placement. Your permission will be sought prior to your child having any treatment undertaken by one of these students. Students must have demonstrated a high level of clinical competence, appropriate to the procedure to be undertaken, before they can undertake patient care.

These students will work under the direction of qualified dental professionals, in this clinic, to continue to provide high quality dental care to your children. Please feel free to discuss any concerns with our clinic staff. Thank you for being supportive of our student placement programme.

Julie Doyle -Dental Therapist

### AUSTRALIND DENTAL THERAPY CENTRE

C/- AUSTRALIND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Break O'Day Drive, Australind. Phone: 97970266

Hours: Mon-Frid. 8am- 4pm Closed July School Holidays

### CANTEEN MANAGER

The P and C Committee is pleased to share our intention to re-open The Crazy Crab Café

We need a new Canteen Manager for a part – time position

The successful applicant will be someone:

- Friendly, professional and great with children
- Has minimum previous experience in or equivalent to a level 3 in Restaurant, Tearoom and Catering.
- Has access to a laptop and experience with Excel (or willingness to learn)
- Has experience handling money.
- Have excellent time management skills

If you think you may be the right person for this job please leave your resume in the School office by 23<sup>rd</sup> June.

### SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP OPEN HOURS

**Tuesday: 2.30pm - 3.00pm**

**Friday: 8.30am - 9.00am**

If you cannot make these times you can fill out an order form, with payment, and leave it in the office.

**The black windproof fleece lined jackets are available in all sizes.**

Sorry No EFTPOS for uniform purchases

### SCHOOL BANKING

School Banking - Fridays from 8.00am till 8:30am outside the school library. As the Kindy children do not attend school on Fridays we will collect the Kindy Bank Books on Wednesday afternoons, from the box in the office, for processing.

### FOOD BANK - TIN TRAIN

We are going to make a train out of tins of food!

Each tin will be counted as a carriage.

We will line them all up and see how far around the school we can get.

Please bring in a tin or two of in date food and pop into the classroom box.

The train will be made in the last week of term. All food will be given to Bunbury food-bank.

Thanks for your kindness to people in need.



### GLOW ZONE DISCO

- Date: **Tonight - Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June**
- Time: **5:30 – 7:00pm Kindergarten – Year 6**
- Entry: **\$5.00** (tickets can be pre-purchased from the office or student councillors)

Parents of junior students (K-3) must attend for the duration of the disco. As this is a school based activity students are not permitted to have mobile phones.

NO CHILD will be permitted to leave the undercover area following the disco unless they are collected by a known adult. Please ensure your child/ren are collected no later than the finish time listed above.



## COMMUNITY NEWS

### JUNIOR YOUTH GROUP

Primary School Year's 3 to 6.

\*Fun \*Games \*Outings

Every Friday of the school term.

4.30pm to 6pm

@ 19 Sweeny Drive Australind.

Contact Mr Geoff Harrison on [geoff180abc@gmail.com](mailto:geoff180abc@gmail.com)



## Australind Senior High School

"Growing Remarkable People"

### OPEN DAY

Thursday 22 June 11am – 6pm

- Meet your child's teachers
- Collect your child's report
- Careers information and advice
- Year 10 information sessions: What does ASHS offer for Years 11 and 12?
- Displays and performances
- Live music
- Refreshments available

### SAVE THE DATE!

Stay connected on the ASHS app available free from the

APP store and on the web @ [www.australind.wa.edu.au](http://www.australind.wa.edu.au)

And on Facebook

All enquiries to the School 9797 4400

### RIVERLINKS VACATION CARE JULY PROGRAM 2017



Riverlinks Outside School Hours Care are now taking bookings for the July holidays.

Riverlinks Vacation Care takes all the worry out of what your child is going to do during the holidays. We provide a program of exciting activities, craft, excursions and incursions for your children. Come and join in the BIGGEST HOLIDAY PROGRAM – come on an excursion to the Gingerbread House in Boyanup or to Bunbury Aerodrome, do some campfire cooking toasting marshmallows, show your creative side by making stained glass windows and a mad hat to wear to the Mad Hatters Tea Party. Don't miss out on this exciting fun – Book now. The program is available for kindy – Yr 7 children. If you don't want your child to miss out on a fun filled vacation period, come and get your bookings and enrolment forms for the holidays. Positions fill fast! Opening hours are 7am until 5.45pm. Our Centre provides healthy and nutritious morning and afternoon teas and a quality care, age appropriate program. Child care benefit is available to reduce fee payments and you may be eligible for up to 50% out of pocket expenses. Please call Leonie or Jennifer on 97960040 for enquiries or come to the Centre to get a bookings form. Bookings are essential.

## DID YOU KNOW?

Next month is....

# PLASTIC FREE JULY

**Over 75% of the rubbish floating in our oceans is plastic**

When recycled, most **single use plastics** are actually **DOWN-CYCLED** into a lower grade plastic suitable for just **one more use**.

*Every piece of plastic ever created still exists today.*

### What can we do?

Reduce use of single use plastic items such as straws, plastic bags and plastic cutlery.

Why not register for Plastic Free July at <http://www.plasticfreejuly.org/>

It's free for schools, individuals and groups.

Just one small daily change can make a big difference.

**watch your waste**  
Your Waste Not Wasted

Like us on Facebook:  
<https://www.facebook.com/BunburyHarveyRC/>

Follow us on Instagram:  
[https://www.instagram.com/bunbury\\_wellington\\_reuse/](https://www.instagram.com/bunbury_wellington_reuse/)

### AUSTRALIND SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL BAND Performed last Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June.



| Wk        | Monday             | Tuesday                                | Wednesday                                  | Thursday                              | Friday | Sat          | Sun |
|-----------|--------------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|--------|--------------|-----|
|           | 19                 | 20<br>Josh Langley<br>Incursion \$4.50 | 21<br><b>CROSS COUNTRY<br/>@ ADAM ROAD</b> | 22                                    | 23     | 24           | 25  |
|           |                    | <b>NEWSLETTER</b>                      | <b>DISCO</b>                               | <b>ASSEMBLY RM 4</b>                  |        |              |     |
| <b>10</b> | 26                 | 27                                     | 28   | 29                                    | 30     | <b>1July</b> | 2   |
|           |                    |  |  | <b>WINTER CARNIVAL<br/>@ HAY PARK</b> |        |              |     |
| <b>H</b>  | 3<br><b>SCHOOL</b> | 4<br><b>HOLIDAYS</b>                   | 5  | 6                                     | 7      | 8            | 9   |

### TERM 3- 2017

| Wk       | Monday              | Tuesday                                 | Wednesday | Thursday                            | Friday | Sat | Sun |
|----------|---------------------|---|-----------|-------------------------------------|--------|-----|-----|
| <b>H</b> | 10<br><b>SCHOOL</b> | 11<br><b>HOLIDAYS</b>                   | 12        | 13                                  | 14     | 15  | 16  |
| <b>1</b> | 17<br><b>SDD</b>    | 18<br><b>STUDENTS<br/>RESUME</b>        | 19        | 20                                  | 21     | 22  | 23  |
| <b>2</b> | 24                  | 25                                      | 26        | 27                                  | 28     | 29  | 30  |
| <b>3</b> | 31                  | <b>1August</b><br><br><b>NEWSLETTER</b> | 2         | 3<br><br><b>Assembly<br/>ROOM 3</b> | 4      | 5   | 6   |

**2017 BOOK FAIR** - This year we sold almost \$3000 worth of books.

Thank you to everyone who support our book fair



Thanks Mr King for creating great garden spaces.

