What's happening in the classrooms?

Yr 2/3
It is beginning to feel a lot like holidays..... we are dreaming of no school and Mrs Tempra is dreaming of sleeping in! Now that assessments have been returned, reports nearly written and we have concluded our topic for the term, we are facing a week of challenges next term. STEM challenges of course! We are channeling all our Scientific, Technological, Engineering and Mathematical skills plan, design, create and innovate! Stay tuned for next week’s newsletter where we will have photographic evidence of our challenges that made use of paper plates, popsticks, blu tack and paper bags! Have a wonderful weekend.

Yr 4
This week we have started our focus on narrative writing. There are many things that a good writer has to remember when they are creating a story, from characters, to settings to remembering about punctuation and spelling. So far we have written about our main characters and what problems those characters will face. The plans are looking fantastic and I can’t wait to see what they write.

In Maths we have really stepped up the notch with our times tables. Everyday we practise as you know the old saying ‘practise makes perfect’. I hope you have a good weekend and just remember, not long now until you can enjoy your sleep-ins!

Yr 5/6
Thank you to all parents who made it to our assembly today. Well done to the class for entertaining everyone with their news report – they had a lot of fun making it!

Our excursion is booked for tomorrow (Friday 24 June) and we are looking forward to having a ‘big day’ out in Bunbury. A reminder the class is to wear sports uniform and pack their own recess and lunch.

We will be leaving at 8.45am and plan to return at 4.00pm. Please ensure you are at the school to collect your child at this time. Thank you.

Dear Parents,

We have had some very creative students in the K/PP/1 class this past week. Have a look at some of the model farm machines the students designed and constructed last week. This week as part of farm topic we studied the book “The Potato People” by Pamela Allen. Inspired and with our creative juices still running from last week each student has made their very own Potato person. Each Potato person has their very own name and identity. Come and have a read of some of their profiles in our class.

Finally today each student will come home with a note about our up and coming excursion to the Love’s Farm, Holy Smoke Adventure Park. The excursion will take place on the final day of term. An interesting and fun way to conclude a very busy and constructive term 2 for all our students. That all the students and teachers are looking forward to.

Yours sincerely,

K/PP/Yr1

Altar Servers
Sunday 26th - Josh

Canteen corner!

Tuesday 28 June:
Leonie Brown & Jodie Omodei

Tuesday 19 July:
Lisa Beck & Lara Vesela

P&F NEWS

Living Fundraisers
Don’t forget…. Payment is now due for your tins. If they could be paid before the end of term it would be appreciated.

100s Club Draw Winners
Congratulations to the latest winners of our 100s club which was drawn at Tuesday’s meeting.

From Rose’s desk….

Office hours this coming week is... Friday Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.

Absentee Notes
Recently, a number of families will have received absence follow up letters. To assist in meeting your regulatory requirements please complete the reason for your child’s absence and sign the letter and return to the school office. If the letters can be returned by Monday 27th June it would be appreciated. Thank you for your assistance.

Heart Foundation
Jump Rope for Heart

Hi Kids! How are your skipping tricks going? Can you do double-unders and criss-cross yet?

It’s not long until your Jump Off day on Thursday 30th, so keep practising.

You are also reminded to return your sponsorship forms, together with monies raised to the school on Thursday 30th.

Many thanks.
Greg Kelly

Pemberton RSL Library

NEW OPENING HOURS

PLEASE NOTE NEW OPENING HOURS COMMENCING JULY 2016.

WEDNESDAY 9.00am – 1.30pm
THURSDAY 9.00am – 1.30pm
FRIDAY 9.30am – 12.30pm
SATURDAY 1.00pm – 5.00pm
SUNDAY 9.00AM – 12.00pm

The library will no longer be open on Mondays.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Dane Flanders - Sunday 26th June
The holidays are nearly upon us!

Options Program
Notes have been sent home and classes are really pumped to choose one of the following:
- Dancing
- Minecraft activity
- Kite making
- Vegetarian cooking
- Coding

Thank you for returning your forms. Groups are being sorted and we will inform all children soon about their option group.

Jump Rope for Heart
How quickly this has come around. Our jump off day is next Thursday 30 June. The whole school will be getting their ‘hearts pumping’ with an afternoon of physical activity. We look forward to you joining us.

What do you think?
At Tuesday’s P&F meeting a discussion was commenced in regards to the long sleeve shirt worn during winter. The committee would like your feedback on this matter. If there were a change over, we would always ensure everyone has plenty of notice and we would also consider a ‘phase in’ time period.

School Board and P&F
Thank you to all parents who made it to our meeting on Tuesday night. With the holidays around the corner, the next meeting will be in week 1 (Tuesday 19 July). Please mark this date in your diary.

K/PP/1 excursion
The K/PP/1 class is very lucky to be spending the last day of this term on an excursion. Please return the permission slip included with this newsletter so the teachers can plan the day.