



EAST MADDINGTON
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Agonis

23rd June 2021

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Reporting to Parents
Parent/Teacher/Student
Meetings will be held on
Wednesday 30th June
School Finishes at 11.00am

Winter Carnival
Friday 25th June

NAIDOC Week
Monday 28th June to
Friday 2nd July
Family Picnic Friday
2nd July



Assembly Area 3
Friday 2nd July

Dance Sport
Commencing 3rd Term
Cost \$45/student or \$90/Family

YAK
Tuesday and Thursday

Smith Family Learning Club
Tuesdays after school

School Banking
Thursday 8am

Breakfast Club
Everyday in the Kitchen

Canteen Open
Monday - Friday

Dental Holiday Open Hours
Open 5th, 6th and
(15th July from 8 am to 10:30
am only).
Ph: 9459 6653
Closed 8th, 12th and 13th July

RUN4FUN Colour Explosion
Booklets coming home Monday
to start fundraising 6th August



ASSEMBLY AREA 8

Area 8s assembly was about Western Australia Day. We sang a song called Song for Western Australia, by Rod Christian.

We enjoyed practising and we had fun learning about the places in Western Australia. We hope you enjoyed our assembly.



ASSEMBLY AREA 10

For our assembly, Area 10 researched interesting facts about how to live a healthy lifestyle.

They created fictional characters and presented their information in a quiz format based on the popular ABC program, Hard Quiz.





From the Principal

Dear Parents and Caregivers

TERM 2 COMES TO A CLOSE

Congratulations to everyone for a wonderful term. I've thoroughly enjoyed my busy term in the Principal position and am looking forward to getting back to my role as Deputy Principal.

The staff and I would like to welcome Fiona Blundell the newly appointed Principal to East Maddington Primary School.

Ms Fiona Blundell's message:

Dear Parents and Carers

I am very much looking forward to the opportunity of working with staff and yourselves as we continue the amazing journey that your child/children are currently on at East Maddington Primary School. I bring several years' experience, as a principal, to the school and have worked much of my career in contextually similar schools. It is personally a very exciting time for me, going back to where my own journey started as a graduate teacher. I would like to acknowledge the strong leadership of Carolyn and the team, and I look forward to the challenges ahead and building strong relationships with staff, students, and the community.

WE'VE BEEN BUSY!!

TERM 2 EVENTS

- ANZAC Assembly
- Inspiring Minds Mentoring Program
- Expressive Hearts ASeTTS
- Save The Children Programs
- Walk Safely to School Day
- Assemblies every fortnight: Areas 2, 5, 8, 10 and 3
- Breakfast Club everyday
- NAPLAN testing
- Excursion: PP to the zoo
- School Photos
- Numeracy Week World of Maths Incursion
- Student Leaders Conference
- Yule Brook Performance - excursion
- Reporting and Parent Interviews
- Eagles Cup
- Old McDonald Farm Incursion
- Winter Carnival
- Student Leaders lunch
- TIG Carnival
- NAIDOC Week
- Breakfast Club on everyday
- Smith Family Learning Club
- Have Sum Fun Online

ASSEMBLY

Thanks to Mr Gillespie, Mr Tuffin and all of the students in Area 10 for their amazing assembly.

Mrs Thorley's Area 3 class will be presenting our next NAIDOC assembly. All welcome.

FAREWELL MRS REID

Next week we say farewell to one of our most respected and dedicated staff members. Mrs Reid has been a Mathematic Specialist Teacher for over twelve years, supporting staff and students and implementing many programs throughout the school. Her expertise, experience and tireless work ethic will be missed. We wish her all the best for the future and a rewarding retirement.

THREE WAY REPORTING INTERVIEWS

Thank you to all parents for booking a meeting time. Please see your child's teacher if you still would like to chat. These are the topics that will be discussed:

- Strengths
- Areas to work on
- Goal for next semester

HOLIDAYS

Thank you to all staff and students for your hard work and efforts this term. I hope you all enjoy a terrific break from school routines. Stay safe and see you back ready for Term 3 on Tuesday 20 July.

Kind regards
Patricia White
Principal
23.06.21



NAIDOC Week

During Week 11 (Monday 28 June to Friday 2 July), East Maddington Primary School will be celebrating NAIDOC, with a range of activities and workshops.

Commencing on the Monday, there will be an Opening Ceremony, hosted by the Young Achievers Klub (YAK) students, and followed by morning tea for our Indigenous families.

On Tuesday, Arche Health will be presenting a workshop to some classes, around Healthy Living.

The Bijudar Dance Group will perform on Thursday, demonstrating some traditional dances and didgeridoo playing.

Then on Friday, Area 3 will host their assembly, followed by a family picnic at lunchtime. During the picnic stalls will be set up with arts and crafts for students and families to enjoy.

All through the week, The Maddo Book Swap, will be ongoing to raise funds for a local charity, and to encourage students to read.

NAIDOC Week at East Maddington is always celebrated, and looked forward to with great excitement, and this year will be the same.



Notice Board

Office Artwork Area 10



The students painted to different genres of music: Classical, Jazz and African drumming.

We discussed emotions as energy and how we can let them come and go.

The students learnt some positive ways to release big emotions through drawing and movement to music. The students reflected that they felt energised, calm and happy after the painting session.



After many years of being at EMPS I am retiring from teaching. I will greatly miss my regular contact with the students in their classrooms, helping them with their Maths learning. As well, I will miss my contact with students, promoting Numero throughout the whole school and arranging the Have Sum Fun Online Competitions.

Thank you, parents for helping your children with learning their counting and understanding how important Mathematics is in their everyday lives. As they continue to high-school and move on to the big world of finding work or going on to university, Mathematics will underpin everything they do; reading the time or calendars; managing timetables; balancing budgets; owning a car; following recipes; the list is endless. Please continue to support your children as they learn Mathematics

I have thoroughly enjoyed my role as Numeracy Coordinator and Leader of Mathematics in the school, and I feel confident that I am leaving this role in the very capable hands of Mrs Sarah Shepherd.

Goodbye to you all. From Mrs Diane Reid

Traditional Indigenous Games Interschool Carnival

On the 17th of June our YAK students from years 3- 6 represented East Maddington PS in the Traditional Indigenous Games (TIG) Interschool Carnival, at Ashfield Reserve.

EMPS placed first showing skill, teamwork and great sportsmanship.



HONOUR CERTIFICATE RECIPIENTS
ASSEMBLY WEEK 8

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ASSEMBLY WEEK 9

Student names mentioned on Connect



**100% ATTENDANCE
WEEK 8**

**SKYLAH AREA 21
WILLOW AREA 1
VINCENT AREA 10**



**100% ATTENDANCE
WEEK 9**

**SHAYLA AREA 3
REUBEN AREA 20
PRINCES AREA 10**



**AUSSIE OF THE
MONTH
BEVAN AREA 4**



**GOLDEN BIN AWARD
AREA 17 WEEK 8**



**ATTENDANCE AWARD
EMUS WEEK 8**



**ATTENDANCE AWARD
MOST IMPROVED
KANGAROOS WEEK 8**



**GOLDEN BIN AWARD
AREA 21 WEEK 9**



**ATTENDANCE AWARD
AREA 12 WEEK 9**



**ATTENDANCE AWARD
MOST IMPROVED
AREA 11 WEEK 9**

