



*This coming Friday is a Pupil Free Day - 31 May. We moved away from having Mondays so as not to disadvantage any particular group. Though Fridays and Mondays remain favourites. A large part of our day will be devoted to teacher upskilling on Digital Technology. ScopeIT has been engaged to work with teachers to continue their learning on how to integrate Digital Technologies into their day to day planning. We have quite a few resources in the school which have been significantly added to by a very kind donation by the Parents and Citizens. Our challenge is to ensure our students are given every opportunity to develop 21C skills that will lead to good paying jobs into the future.*

### Way to Go Community!

Since the last Newsletter, the Parents and Citizens group and their support teams of community members and staff have had two incredibly successful fundraisers. Firstly, the Mother's Day Stall which was just so good, so well organised and raised \$1601.65. Then last Saturday's Election Day fundraiser which lifted the roof of our expectations. The level of donations of cakes, books and help was unbelievable. While over \$7,500 was raised, it was the community spirit that was the real winner. The feel at the end of the night of exhaustion but also achievement, was palpable. Well done to all those who made even the smallest contribution on a spectacular success - way to go!

### Student Reports

These are being prepared at the moment. Parents can expect to receive their child's report on the final day of term via email. They will contain grades for all subjects and comments in English, Maths and an overall comment. We will advertise details a bit later about Parent/Teacher Interviews for Term 3. We cannot routinely release reports early because they are stored electronically and to be able to email, all reports are "locked" for sending.

### Good Standing

Along with the Minister's statements on schools dealing with violence, has come a directive to primary schools to develop a "Good Standing" policy. Secondary schools have had these in place for some time but they are new to primary schools. We have been working on such a policy for five months which has included input by teachers and students. I am in a position now to take a draft to the upcoming School Board for their input and then I can release the policy to the wider school community. It doesn't really change the way schools operate very much; the minister has simply added another layer to the Positive Behaviour Program schools operate. No date has been set for its introduction.

### What's Important

Learning is important! These are the message we give our students every day - have a desire to learn, be ready to learn and have the courage to learn. At North Beach PS we're for learning.

Gary Bryant

**PRINCIPAL**

*Please follow the parking signs around our school. For safety reasons please do not park on the school verges.*



## North Beach Primary School Newsletter

### CALENDAR

**30 May**

*P&C Subs Lunch*

*Free Dress Day For Cancer Council- Yellow Theme*

**31 May**

*School Development Day*

**3 June**

*Public Holiday*

*Western Australia Day*

**7 June**

*Assembly Year 1 (Rms 13,14)*

*Interschool Sport Vs Poynter (Home)*

**10 and 11 June**

*School Photo Days*

**14 June**

*Interschool Sport Vs Marmion (Home)*

**Term Dates 2019**

*29 April-5 July*

*22 July-27 September*

*14 October-19 December*

**School Development Days**

**22 July**

**18 October**

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## From The Deputies' Desk .....

### Interschool Sport

Since our last newsletter we have competed against Carine and Sorrento Primary Schools.

The results are listed below:

#### North Beach Vs Carine Primary

<b>Football</b>	NB 6.7	C 2.5
<b>Soccer</b>	NB 4	C 2
<b>Volleyball A</b>	NB 0	C 3
<b>Volleyball B</b>	NB 2	C 1
<b>Netball A</b>	NB 24	C 11
<b>Netball B</b>	NB 14	C 7

#### North Beach Vs Sorrento Primary School

<b>Football</b>	NB 3.1	S 1.4
<b>Soccer</b>	NB 1	S 3
<b>Volleyball A</b>	NB 3	S 0
<b>Volleyball B</b>	NB 0	S 3
<b>Netball A</b>	NB 16	S 7
<b>Netball B</b>	NB 7	S 6

### School Photos

Our school/class photographs will be taken in Week 7 on Monday 10 and Tuesday 11 June.

Information and order forms will be sent home shortly.

### Professional Learning Day

Our next Professional Learning Day will be held on **Friday 30 May**. Students do not attend school on this day.

### Games Club Change .... Now On Tuesdays

Our school recently has been lucky to receive lots of wonderful new games to play. Games Club will now be on Tuesdays, in the Library immediately after eating lunch.

I am looking forward to seeing our lovely students having fun enjoying the new games. **Ms Smith**

### Lego Masters Competition

This week I began a new lunch time activity with the assistance of the Friendship Leadership Group – Lego Masters. We have been blown away by the very high level of interest and enthusiasm from the students. Each Wednesday and Thursday we will be having a number of pairs compete against each other to demonstrate their creativity using the Lego.

Each week the students creations will be on display in the office where the school community can view them. Staff will vote on the one they think displays the most creativity. Teams also get additional points for how well they work together on their creations.

A certificate will be given to the winning team each week and all the winning teams will compete together in the championship challenge in Week 10.

A big thank you to Mr Zimbulis who has supplied us with the majority of the Lego and if anyone has any Lego they no longer require and would like to donate it to the school, we would really appreciate it.

**Jane Sexton Chaplain**



### Canteen Subs Lunch Day and Free Dress Day

What a day Thursday 30 May is going to be!

Our Canteen is providing a special Sub lunch—a roll with lots of yummy fillings to choose from.

It is so easy to order—just follow the instructions for online ordering details.

These are attached to this Newsletter.

The Friendship group has organized a Dress in Yellow Day with the proceeds from your gold coin donation going to Cancer Research.

We are looking for some colourful and creative outfits.



"We Care."

