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Aveley Informer

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome to our third edition of Aveley Informer for 2020.

STUDENT LEADERS

The Aveley Primary School Student Leadership Team has made a fine start to the 2020 school year. They have taken on their additional responsibilities in a mature manner and are supportive of our school as a whole.

Accompanied by Mr Coci, Mr Fung and parent helpers, all of our student leaders will be attending a Student Leadership Conference at the Convention Centre on Wednesday, 25 March. I'm sure this will be a valuable experience for them.

We thank our student leaders for their efforts and look forward to working with them further as the year progresses.

School Captains: Isaac Arigore and Ruby Hillman Councillors: Blake Johnson, Genevieve Bunt, Isabella Del Nero and Caitlin Freestone



Pegasus: Sahara Surman Roman Roia Aquila: Isabella Allen Scarlett Bingham Orion: Grace Vale Ryan Ahlfeld Phoenix: Jack Rakich Rayyaan Jacobs

REDUCING OUR WASTE

In an effort to reduce our contribution to landfill, we have a coloured rubbish bin Doing our part to make the world a better place. system in place at our school. When the four

Trash Tuesday

coloured bin system was introduced last year, we had some difficulty with cross contamination of the waste. For this reason, we have reduced the number of bins to green for organic and red for other waste. As a whole school we will continue to promote this initiative.

Waste-free lunches benefit the environment by reducing packaging waste, which in turn reduces energy and resource use. Participating in a waste-free lunch activity also promotes sustainability awareness among students, parents and school staff. Families are encouraged to support students with our Trash Free Tuesdays initiative







Honour Certificate Recipients

| Arden Manson | T1 |
|---------------------|-----|
| Harper Kuhn | T1 |
| Michael Watts | T2 |
| Sara Majok | T2 |
| Axel Chong | B1 |
| Ruby Martin | B1 |
| Chantelle Hume | B4 |
| Kara Mae Hall | B5 |
| Nirja Dave | B5 |
| Lochlyn Mianulli | T3 |
| Phoebe McArthur | T3 |
| Zoe Brown | T4 |
| Hunter Hilbert | T4 |
| Anna-Belle Enslin | W14 |
| Leo Haupapa | W14 |
| Mahdi Eftekhari | W15 |
| Remi Smith | W15 |
| Eoin Sullivan-Jones | W16 |
| Jamila Surman | W16 |
| Amelia Tope | T5 |
| Lucy Taylor | T5 |

WELL DONE!



2020 YEAR 6 CAMP

This year our Year 6 students will be heading to Point Peron Camp School in the last week of Term One, from Tuesday 31 March until Friday 3 April. Located in the spectacular Shoalwater Marine Park with direct access to the beach, our students will be participating in a number of exciting programs throughout the week. These will include snorkelling, kayaking, archery and team building.

School camps always prove to be a lifetime memory. If you think your child may be hesitant in attending camp this year, or in the next couple of years, I would encourage you to begin talking about this experience in a positive way with them. Perhaps have a conversation with your child's classroom teacher to discuss strategies in preparation for when your child is in Year 6.



HEALTHY EATING

Did you know that parents and carers are often called the 'nutritional gatekeepers' in the home, meaning that they hold the biggest food influence on the lives of their children and also their partners? For some, food preparation can be an onerous task that seems never ending. Following is a link which may contain some useful tips and general ideas that can make the task easier and help you to ensure all the members of your household are receiving the best possible nutrition. https://www.waschoolcanteens.org.au/schoolcommunity/parents/

LEGO CLUB

Do you have any old Lego hiding away? Our Lego Masters Club (coordinated by Mrs Williamson) would love some more Lego to enable us to create some big builds. If anyone has any old Lego hiding away that they would be happy to donate, please contact the school.





TRIPLE P – POSITIVE PARENTING PROGRAM

Triple P is designed to give parents the skills they need to raise confident, healthy children and to build stronger family relationships.

All parents and carers are invited to attend free Triple P seminars at Aveley Primary School this term. The seminars will include a presentation and time for discussion and questions. Parents may attend one, two or all three sessions.

When: Thursdays 19 and 26 March and 2 April 2020

• **Time**: 9am – 11am

Venue: Aveley Primary School

• **Cost**: Free – however bookings are essential



Please contact the front office on 6296 5466 or email aveley.ps@education.wa.edu.au to register your attendance.

YOU CAN DO IT

Well done to Mrs Hewitt's class who made our new *You Can Do It* program an integral part of their assembly last week. They introduced the whole school to the song *I Can Do It* and did an amazing job in singing about persistence, positive self-talk and having a great attitude when navigating day to day life. As classes begin to use this new program more and more at Aveley we will start to share some stories and work which is happening in our classes.

The foundation of confidence is an important social/emotional concept built into YCDI. This means believing that if you try to do something, you can do it, believing you can make friends, believing that when you go to school, everything will be OK and that you will be safe and happy. It also means not being afraid to make mistakes or meet new people, not being afraid to tell someone what you think and what you would like to do. These are important concepts for all of us, indeed! See you all next fortnight.

Chris Spencer

CODERDOJO

Did you know that Coder Dojo Club is on Thursday afternoons from 3.00 - 4.00 pm in the Library? In Term One, 25 students from Year Two and Three come along and solve challenges using coding and robotics. This term, the students are working through two different rotations per week. Some of the apps and Robotics the students are using this term



are: Scratch Jnr, Hour of Code, Beebots, Makey Makey, Lego WeDo and the Dash robots. If your child is involved in CoderDojo, you are more than welcome to come down and observe what challenges your children are solving or join in and learn with them! We look forward to seeing many of you there.

Next term, students in Year 4-6 will have the opportunity to sign up and come along, keep an eye out for notes that come home at the end of this term.

Mrs Ashleigh Nguyen – CoderDojo Coordinator.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

Our school photo day is coming! School photos this year will be held on Wednesday 29, Thursday 30 April and Friday 1 May 2020. Approximately two weeks prior to the photo day every student will receive a Kapture Photography personalised flyer to bring home. The only method of ordering your photos is online through the Kapture website as your payment is secure and can be easily verified at any time.





PAYMENT REMINDERS

A reminder that payments are due by the following dates for upcoming school activities;

- Tuesday, 10 March Yr. 5 "Living with Fire" excursion \$26.00
- Friday, 13 March Yr.6 Camp \$265.00

No late payments will be accepted.

AVELEY PRIMARY SCHOOL P&C

What a lovely start to the new year we have had.

We had a successful first meeting for our P&C this year with some new members joining us and we are very pleased to see us growing as a committee. If you would like to join as a general committee member everyone is more than welcome. Keep an eye out for updates on when we have our meetings and come along.

Our new 2020 P&C committee are as follows:

President: Nyomi Prior
 Vice President: Sally Wulf
 Secretary: Melissa Roe
 Treasurer: Sharni Baxter

* General Committee Members: Kim Pieri, Kayla Behrendt, Melanie Cox, Caterina McKenzie, Peta Magorian, Helen Robinson and Emily Harman-Smith

Welcome to all our new members that have joined us this year and to our committee that has returned for another wonderful year of fun!!

COOKIE DOUGH

As of Monday, 2 March we have launched our most recent fundraiser selling Billy G's Cookie dough. The funds raised from the cookie dough will go towards the new amphitheatre by the outdoor classroom. Your children should of come home with pamphlets giving you instruction on how to set up your online fundraising page and how to share this with family and friends The closing date for orders is Friday, 3 April so please make sure your orders are in before then.



ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

The Entertainment Book have restructured so that they are no longer selling hard copy books. All purchases are now are a digital Membership. The bonus is that it no longer operates from June to June, it will be available to use as soon as you purchase it. Another bonus at the moment is if you buy an Entertainment Membership between 1st - 31st March, you will receive a \$10 JB Hi-Fi eGift Card, plus up to 3 months extra Memberships FREE on Single & Multi City Memberships* Use the link provided to purchase your entertainment Membership now;

https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/91183e

SCHOOL BANKING

Visit Kim & Nyomi every Tuesday morning for school banking in the undercover area. If you are new to the school and would like to get your child involved in school banking, feel free to go down and speak with Kim or Nyomi for further information.



CANTEEN NEWS

For all canteen information, please keep an eye out in the newsletters and their Facebook page "Aveley Primary School P and C Canteen". This is where you will find the current menu for the term as well as any other information they share with you.

Please make sure you download the Flexischools app to make order your schools lunch a breeze.

Helen and Laura would also like to put a call out for volunteers. Help is required on Fridays and you will only be needed from 12-1:30pm to help with the packaging of lunches and delivering them to the classrooms for the little kids. If we have any parents or family members of students that could spare this time, please contact Helen via Facebook or e-mail the P and C and we can pass on the information Aveleypandc@hotmail.com



COMMUNITY NEWS



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VIP EVENT FOR ZERO & REWARDS CARD HOLDERS ONE DAY ONLY - 12TH MARCH

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*Offer available instore & online, ends midnight (AEDT), 12/03/20. Must use Zero or Rewards card to receive discount. Excludes Gift Cards & schoolwear lay-bys. Cannot be used in conjunction with any other



ELLENBROOK NETBALL ASSOCIATION Seeking Players in Year 2,3,4,5 and 6

> If you are interested in trying netball as a sport register now with Ellenbrook Netball for the 2020 WINTER Season.

Email: ellenbrooknc@gmail.com

Or find us on Facebook

b Weekly Awards b End of Year Windup and Trophy

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COMMUNITY NEWS



FILM ON THE FIELDS

COOL RUNNINGS

SATURDAY MARCH 7, 2020

COMMUNITY BBQ & SPORTS **ACTIVITIES 4.30 PM** FILM STARTS 7.15 PM

ELLENBROOK SPORTS HUB 107 VERBANA DRIVE, AVELEY

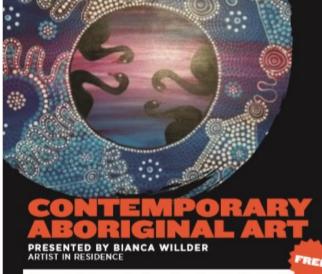


PROMOTING MENTAL AND PHYSICAL WELLBEING

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Noongar Artist Bianca will guide you through common symbols used in Indigenous dot paintings, such as animal tracks, water holes and meeting places.

She will use her own paintings to explain how stories are told through art in Indigenous culture. You will also have the opportunity to create your own works of art.

Places are limited, so bookings are essential. Book online at www.swan.wa.gov.au/events or call 9207 8787.

Monday, March 9

3.30 - 4.30pm

HyperLab, Ellenbrook Community Library

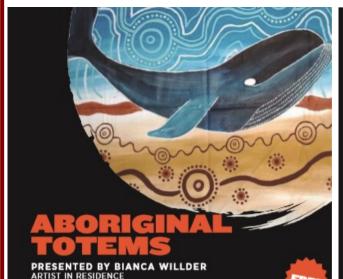
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Learn about some of Western Australia's native animals and paint a totem animal of your choice.

Local artist Bianca uses her paintings, drawings, story stones and real photos of animals and their tracks to bring Noongar totems to life. Learn why totems are important to Noongar people and pick up some Noongar words

Places are limited, so bookings are essential. Book online at www.swan.wa.gov.au/events or call 9207 8787.

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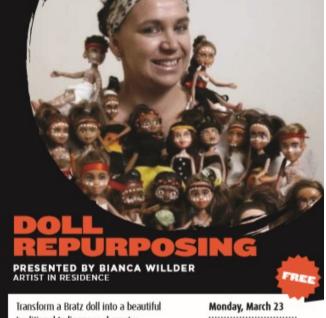
Monday, March 16

3.30-5.00pm

HyperLab, Ellenbrook **Community Library**

Ages: 6-12





traditional Indigenous character.

Noongar Artist Bianca will supply the dolls and show you how to use paint and fabric to make your very own customised doll to take home with you. Open to both boys and girls, come along and join a local artist who was recently featured in The West Australian for her inspired work with Bratz dolls.

Places are limited, so bookings are essential. Book online at www.swan.wa.gov.au/events or call 9207 8787.

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3.30 - 5.00pm

Ages: 6-12

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