



Many Hearts, One Voice
20th February 2020



Our Lady of the Cape Primary School is a community where each child is valued as an individual and nurtured spiritually, by many hearts working together as one voice to fulfil their overall potential.

Important Dates

Fri 21 Feb

- Little Seedlings Commences 9.30am
- Y5-6 Back Ed. Duns Physio.
- Prayer Assembly 2.15pm 4DAN

Week 4

Tue 25 Feb

- Eucharist W/Shop 5.30 OLC Hall

Wed 26 Feb

- Ash Wednesday OLC

Thu 27 Feb

- OLC Swimming Carnival Y4-6 (GLC)

Fri 28 Feb

- Little Seedlings 9.30am
- General Assembly 2.15pm

Week 5

- **Mon 2 Mar – Labour Day Holiday**

Fri 6 Mar

- Crazy Hair Day – donation Bushfires
- Playground Opening – Libby Mettam
- Little Seedlings 9.30am
- Prayer Assembly 3MU 2.15pm

Sat 7 Mar

- Y4 Commitment/Family Mass

Week 6 & 7

- Swimming Lessons 9 – 20 Mar:
 - Y4 – 6 Old Dunsborough Beach
- 9 – 13 Mar :
 - Y1P, 1/2K & 3 – GLC
- 16 – 20 Mar:
 - Y2M – GLC

For more dates, go to <https://www.ladyofcape.wa.edu.au/calendar.php>



Dear Lord,
Thank you for the giving families in our community.
Amen

Dear Parents, friends and students of the Our Lady of The Cape school community,



We learnt about the devastation caused by the bushfires in Eastern Victoria. We need your help to help this shattered community. All funds raised are going directly from us to them. All our students are encouraged to estimate the number of straws that make up the bird's nest out the front of the office. Closest to the tally is permitted to be principal for a day!

If you haven't had the opportunity to donate yet, the Year 6's will be outside the office before and after school organising our fundraiser.



As part of our fundraising for the bushfires, students are encouraged to participate in a "Crazy Hair" day on Friday 6th March. A gold coin or larger donation will be appreciated by many.

Bushfire Fundraiser

On Wednesday morning, our head boy and girl, Cooper and Taylah participated in a video conference with the head boy and girl from St. Brendan's Primary School in Lakes Entrance.



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Board and P&F AGM.

We had five outstanding candidates nominate for the OLC School Board last night at our AGM. Craig Saunders and Gary Hodge were elected to the School Board for a two year term.

We thank Eloise Jennings and Sasha North for many years of service to our school. The giving nature of some people in our community is of the highest quality.

P&F Office Bearers for 2020

President: Dana Gianoncelli
Vice Pres.: Honor Putland Saunders
Secretary: Paul Richardson
Treasurer: Sarah Gatty

Thankyou to all who have taken on positions of responsibility on the P&F and Board.

Chook Tractor Construction

On Tuesday afternoon, a team of highly skilled construction workers led by parent Craig Saunders constructed our new chook tractor. Koby, Banjo, Justin, Toby and Jye. Thank you to Craig for his generosity of time and willingness to be able to share his skills with our students to create the next exciting stage of our sustainability program at OLC. The tractor was generously donated by the Devereux family. The chook tractor has wheels and is designed to move around the school grounds.



When in doubt – read the instructions!



We promise we will do our homework next week, Mrs R.!!



Mrs. Libby Mettam, the member for Vasse, will be at assembly on Friday 6 March to draw out the official names for our chooks and the name for our chook house.

Help Needed: Is there a dad or grandad who may be able to weld a mesh base to our new chook tractor? We thought it was bullet proof. Unfortunately our cunning late night visitors would be able to dig into our new chook tractor within 27 seconds.

Little Seedlings earlier time



There has been a slight change in the commencement time for our Little Seedlings Playgroup. It will commence at 9.30am and finish at 10.45am. All preschool children are most welcome to attend in our kindy classroom every Friday morning, commencing tomorrow (except pupil free days).

Sibling Enrolments

Please enrol younger brothers and sisters ASAP to allow us to plan for future classrooms at school.

Ash Wednesday

Next Wednesday 26 February is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent. Lent is a forty-day period of fasting before Easter Sunday. This signifies the amount of time Jesus spent in the wilderness before he commenced his ministry. Our students at school will be encouraged to be the best that they can be during this forty-day period.

- Use more encouraging words in your daily speech to others
- Be more of a positive thinker each day and show that in your body language.
- Listening better to instructions from your parents and teachers.
- Saying thank you using the person's name at least ten times per day.
- Being more switched on to see the message of Jesus that is in front of us every day
- At the end of the day, reflect on how you were kind to someone today?

Some of life's beautiful people who display all these qualities plus much more will receive the OLC MJR awards at assembly this Friday.

Parent Information Evening

Thank you to all that were able to attend the parent information sessions at school last Tuesday evening. We had a large turnout of parents to support the learning of their children and the school.

Did You Know?

- Arianna Giglia (18months) is outstanding at eating whole apples.
- We had to call a locksmith to school last week. He found there was a stick stuck in the lock from a budding year one locksmith! Oh dear.
- 'Principle' is a great way to spell principal when you are in year 2.
- It makes the life of an admin staff member easier when sibling enrolments are placed in early in the year.
- Mr. Torrese plays the guitar to his class. It was his birthday last Monday and he honestly does not look a day over 50.
- Aurelia P (1/2K) has extremely neat handwriting. Aurelia also smiles a lot, grows tomatoes and had one small fang on the top shelf fall out last week.
- Charlie (K) was thoroughly engrossed in the book ("The bear who would not share").
- A very grown up Poppy Mc (PPL) has a Multi Rider bus pass.
- Georgie (5H) is currently reading "The 27th Annual African Hippopotamus Race". Georgie also has a black and white guinea pig named Sebastian.
- Mrs. Birch was reading a very silly "S" story with her class last Wednesday. There were sloths, salamanders and seals eating scrumptious scrambled eggs and a slice of sauce sandwich (and lots of laughs)!
- Huxley and Aurelia caught the bus for the first time on Monday.



- ✚ Mr. Lee receiving a letter from Charlie Robinson (K) last week.
- ✚ Listening to the way Craig Saunders spoke with the year 5/6 students while constructing the chook tractor.
- ✚ Observing the care and concern from Taylah Halloran and Cooper De Chiera had towards their peers in Lakes Entrance.

Eugene Lee.

Principal

**Senior Swimming Carnival – Year 4-6 Thursday, 27th February 2020 Geographe Leisure Centre
10.00am – 2pm**

All students in Year 4-6 will be involved in the swimming carnival. Our aim is for the students to have fun as well as do their best in their races.

Please ensure your child has on the day:

- Bathers – worn to school under their faction sports uniform
- Sports shoes and socks worn to school – thongs can be worn at the pool only
- Faction coloured sport uniform
- Lunch and morning tea
- Hat
- Towel
- Sunscreen

Rashie – for sun protection and practical reasons, we would like **all students swimming to wear a rashie in and out of the pool.**

Each child will be supplied with a faction coloured cap to be returned to the supervising teacher at the end of the carnival.

Students will be travelling by bus to the Geographe Leisure Centre from school, leaving at 9.15am and returning by bus by approximately 2.30pm. Parents who wish to pick up their child from Geographe Leisure Centre at the end of the day may do but must see their child's teacher to sign them off. If you have organised to pick up another person's child, you must show the teacher written permission by the parents. Students not picked up by their parents will be returning to school by bus and be dismissed at the end of the school day.

The cost of the carnival and the bus trip will be covered by the excursion fee incorporated in your fees.

Any parents that would like to help, please email mandy.sinclair@cewa.edu.au.

Mandy Sinclair, Sport Teacher



Hockey Incursion



2020 Sport Captains



Entertainment Book: is now digital, no books will be sent home this year. Also the parents can purchase the Entertainment Book at anytime and it's valid for 12 months from activation.

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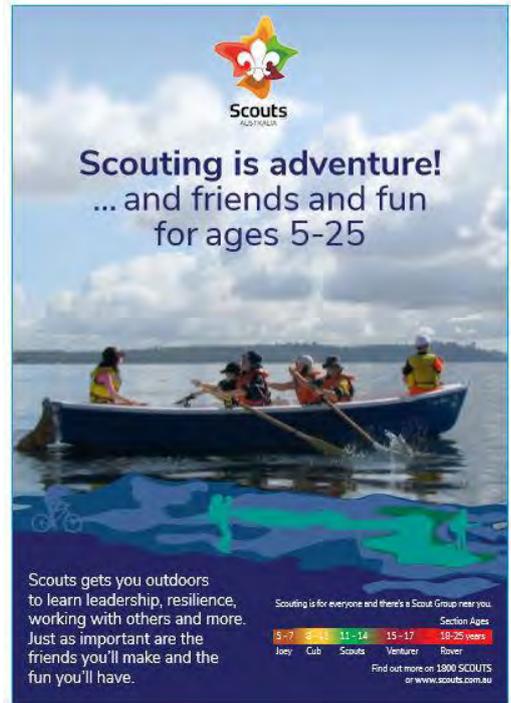
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COMMUNITY NEWS:

Calling all kids and adults! Scouting is adventure for all ages. Come along and try scouting at the Cape Naturaliste Scout Group, meeting on Tuesdays:

**Joeys (ages 6+7) from 4.30pm to 5.30pm;
Cubs (ages 8-10) from 4.00pm to 5.30pm; and
Scouts (ages 11-14) from 6.00pm to 8.00pm.**

For more information please contact:
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	Day and time
<p>FIT KIDS PROGRAM</p>	<p>Monday 10.30-11.15am Walking to 5 years old</p> <p>A fun 45-minute movement program. Activities are based on functional movements and game-based play for their appropriate developmental stages.</p>
<p>MINI MUSCLES PROGRAM</p>	<p>Tuesday 6 to 8 years old 3.30pm-4.15pm 9 to 12 years old 4.30-5.15pm</p> <p>A 45 minute functional strength program to assist with developing strength, coordination and spatial awareness; while making exercise fun!</p>
<p>YOUNG GUNS PROGRAM</p>	<p>Thursday 5pm-5.45pm 13yrs+</p> <p>Sports-Specific strength training. Group based fitness sessions with a focus on correct technique and form for injury prevention as they enter adulthood.</p>

State Schoolboys 12 Years & Under AFL Team.

Any student born in 2008 or 2009 may be interested in trialling for the state schoolboys AFL team. Please note that only players turning 11 and 12 years of age in 2020 are eligible to nominate.

WA is sending a 12 Years & Under Schoolgirls team to the inaugural National Schoolgirls championships also being held in Adelaide at the same time. Details for these trials can be found on the same website.

This year's championship will be in Adelaide from August 1st – 8th. The trial dates can be found on the School Sport WA website (www.schoolsportwa.com.au).

Please also be aware that School Sport WA sends teams interstate for other sports as well. If you have any students that you feel may be interested in trialling for these teams please pass on this information. To nominate students simply follow the same process as above. Below is a list of sports and their travel dates. Nomination details can be found on the same website.

Basketball	15 - 21 Aug	Bendigo, Vic
Cricket	7 - 14 Nov	Bendigo, Vic
Cross Country	21 - 24 Aug	Mile End, SA
Football (Soccer)	13 - 18 Aug	Marrara, NT
Hockey	16 - 21 Aug	Canberra, ACT
Netball	13 - 19 Sept	Sydney, NSW
Rugby League	1 - 8 Aug	Perth, WA
Swimming	8 - 12 Aug	Brisbane, Qld
Diving	21 - 27 Nov	Brisbane, Qld
Tennis	17 - 24 Oct	Canberra, ACT
Touch Rugby	1 - 6 Nov	Wagga Wagga, NSW
Triathlon	22 - 25 Mar	Hervey Bay, Qld