North Dandy News

Term 3 Week 10

21st September 2026

From the Principal

It has been another positive and productive week at North Dandalup Primary School, and I would like to take the opportunity to acknowledge some wonderful contributions to our school community.

During my absence last week, Michael Black stepped into the role of Acting Principal and did an excellent job supporting our staff, students and families and ensuring the school continued to run smoothly. I sincerely thank Mr Black for taking on this responsibility and for his commitment to our school. His willingness to step into this leadership role is greatly appreciated.

On the weekend, our fantastic P&C hosted the Hillbilly Heels vs Bogan Blitz community event. It was a terrific evening that brought families and members of our wider community together for some fun while also raising valuable funds for our students. Thanks also to our staff who came along to enjoy the night. Events such as this are a wonderful reflection of the strong community spirit we have at North Dandalup.
A huge thank you to everyone involved in organising, volunteering and supporting the event. Our P&C continue to make an important contribution to our school, and their efforts are greatly appreciated.

Rise and shine, North Dandy! 😊

Todd Clark
Principal

School News

ASSEMBLIES

Regular student assemblies will take place every Monday morning from 8.50am – 9.20am. Our Values Certificate assemblies will be held in weeks 3 and 7 with our Honors Certificate assemblies in weeks 5 and 9.

Congratulations to the following students who received Certificates at last week's assembly:
Kindy – Darcey Hayes & Marley Turner
Pre-Primary – Jackson Denny & Esther Parker
Year 2 – Arrianna Brennan & Ted Carter
Year 2/3 – Jaxson Stacey
Year 4/5 – Jack Carter, Ryder Hepton & Briar Ray



VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS ARE NOW OVERDUE

Thank you to families who have already paid.
If you have not done so, please make payment at your earliest convenience.
Payment may be made by Cash, Eftpos or Direct Deposit.
Bank details are - North Dandalup Primary School BSB - 066 516 Account – 00901456
1st Child $60, 2nd child $50 (16.5% discount) , 3rd and subsequent children $40 (33% discount).
Kindergarten Students - $40

GREAT NEWS! FEES & CHARGES MAY NOW ALSO BE PAID VIA SPRIGGY!

Please go into the events tab on your Spriggy App to pay Voluntary Contributions and other charges as they arise.

North Dandalup
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Kindy and Pre-Primary Mini Sports Day

On Tuesday 22nd September we will be holding our Kindy and Pre-Primary Mini Sports Day.

You are invited to come along at 2.00pm to watch.

The children have been practising hard. They will play circle ball, join in a flag relay, have a jump in the jump pit, throw a ball for distance and have a running race.

When we have finished please join us back in our classroom, the Kindy children will be sharing their Memory books with their families and the Pre-Primary children would like to read a book with you.

There will be an icy pole for each of our sports participants.

The Kindy Memory Books can be taken home to be shared with other family members over the school holiday. Please return them at them beginning of next term.

If you are unable to come along please let us know so we can spend time with your child.



RIPPA READERS

Congratulations to Wyatt Parker who received his 100 certificate last week and a Huge Whoop Whoop to Rippa Readers Otis Maxwell, Rudi Maxwell and Lucas Little for achieving their 200 Certificate AND a yummy cake of their choice baked by Mrs Drysdale. Well done everyone!



BREAKFAST CLUB MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY

Last Breakfast Club for Term 3 is this Wednesday 23rd September

Breakfast Club will recommence on Week 2, Term 4, Monday 19th October and will continue from 8.15 am to 8.35am every Monday and Wednesday of term. Unfortunately, due to class session times, no food can be served after 8.35am.

Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy a yummy and healthy breakfast to fuel their bodies and brains with energy to start the school day.

Monday: Toast, spaghetti, beans, yoghurt and a warm milo.

Wednesday: Cheese toasties, yoghurt and a warm milo.

We are still desperately seeking new volunteers to assist us on these days, so if anyone has a few hours to spare each week to help us it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you to our amazing regular volunteers for all their hard work keeping this program running for our school.

Pinjarra Branch

Bendigo Bank

OZHARVEST

FOOD BANK

SCHOOL BREAKFAST PROGRAM


LAST BREAKFAST CLUB
OF THE TERM!
PANCAKE
MORNING
WEDNESDAY 23 SEPTEMBER
8.15-8.35AM
Come and enjoy delicious pancakes before school!

No Icy Poles this week due to the Year 4/5 & 5/6 class being on an excursion.

This will start again on Friday, Week 1, Term 4.

All funds raised go towards this years Year 5/6 camp to Albany



INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Dwellingup Primary School will host this year's Interschool Athletics Carnival.
Both Jumps and Throws **AND** the Interschool Athletics Carnival will be held on Friday 23rd October (Friday – Week 2 – Term 4) at Dwellingup Primary School.
Only selected students from Years 1 - 6 will participate in the carnival, with the selection based on the overall results from our faction carnival results.
The cost for interschool will be $10 per student to go towards the cost of the bus.
Permission notes and more information will go out to all participating students THIS week.
Please be reminded that all interschool events are run in Junior (Yr 1 / 2), Intermediate (Yr 3 / 4) and Senior (Yr 5 / 6) not year levels.



LAST DAY OF TERM 3 - START OF TERM 4

Please note: Thursday 24th September is Free Dress Day – Come as your favourite team.
Friday 25th September will be the last day of Term 3.
Term 4 will resume for all students in Years K-6 on Tuesday 13th October.
Monday 12th October is an all-staff professional development day and as such is a pupil free day.


SHOW YOUR TEAM SPIRIT!
FREE DRESS DAY
SPORT BRINGS PEOPLE TOGETHER
Dress up in your favourite
SPORTS GEAR!
ALL BLACKS
AFL
lendi
WEST COAST FEVER
PERTH GLORY
GILBERT
THURSDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER
BRING A GOLD COIN DONATION
MONEY RAISED WILL GO TO
telethon
Different sports. One great cause.
TEAMWORK
COMMUNITY
KINDNESS
A BRIGHTER TOMORROW
PLAY
SUPPORT
MAKE A DIFFERENCE



NORTH DANDY P&C NEWS

HEAR THE BUZZ ON WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND OUR SCHOOL
TERM 3 WEEK 10

Happy HOLIDAYS

We hope you all have a wonderful break and enjoy some much needed family time, some rest and most of all NO LUNCH BOX'S! We can't wait for another jam packed Term 4!

Hillbilly Heels vs Bogan Blitz Bingo

All we can say is **WOW!** Our **Hillbilly Heels vs Bogan Blitz Games Night** was an incredible success!

We were blown away by the amazing outfits, fantastic atmosphere and overwhelming support from our wonderful community. Thank you to everyone who joined the fun and helped raise funds for our Dandy Kids!



LET'S LOOK BACK ON THE TERM

Term 3 has been a busy and exciting one for our P&C!

We kicked things off with our annual **Bunnings Sausage Sizzle**, raising an incredible **$3,222.79** for the year 5/6 camp fund.

Our **Tucker Tent** at the Sports Carnival kept everyone fuelled and **raised $1,100,** thanks to your generous supoort and donations.

Our **Father's Day Raffle** was another huge success, raising **$1,100** towards items on the kids wishlist.

We then held our biggest fundraiser of the year - **Hillbilly Heels vs Bogan Blitz Bingo & Games Night**, with fundraising looking at over **$6,000!** We can't wait to share our final numbers with hopes to put this money towards some **new swings in the new nature playground!**

To top it off, we organised **new hopscotch** stencils for two areas of the school, with paint generously donated by Peel Paint Place.

Thank you to our wonderful community for supporting another fantastic term!



CANTEEN!



Friday 25th of September the last day of Term 3 and that means one final canteen day for the term. We have not only 1 but **2 SPECIALS OF THE WEEK!** Grab a Meat Pie or Jumbo Sausage roll & Sauce for only $4, or a Maggies Chicken or Beef Noodle Cup for $3.50! Dont forget all orders need to be placed by **WEDNESDAY 23rd of September 8pm.**

YEAR 5/6 CAMP SHIRTS!

Calling all our Year 5 & 6 students! The P&C once again will be supplying you all with a **Camp Tee**. These will be available to order through **Spriggy** this week!



thank you!

JOIN OUR NEXT MEETING
FRIDAY 30TH OCTOBER
WE ALWAYS LOVE TO SEE NEW FACES HELPING US SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL

FOLLOW US!

NORTH DANDALUP PRIMARY SCHOOL P&C ASSOCIATION



We are finally getting a new and improved chook shed for our chickens.

So, during the holidays the chickens will go to Mrs Maddern's house for a holiday and then the construction can begin.

But before that can happen we would love some help to dismantle and remove our old chook shed.
If you have got a few hours to spare we would love to see you here on Monday 28th September from 9.00am.

A large number of students do not have their hats at school. Please be reminded that every student needs to wear a hat during outside play and activity times.
If your child requires a new hat, please enquire at the office.
Only $20 each.



Department of Education
GOVERNMENT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

The WA Student Assistance Payment

Money to get things for your kids.

$150
For each Kindergarten and primary school student

$250
For each secondary school student

If you're a parent or carer of school-aged kids, you can claim the third round of the WA Student Assistance Payment.

This is money to help you get things for your kids.

This can include:

- new school shoes
- backpacks
- sports gear
- uniforms
- food

All WA school kids from Kindergarten to Year 12 can get it if they are enrolled at school.

You will need your kid's 8-digit WA Student Number to claim. Go to your kid's school if you need help to find the number.

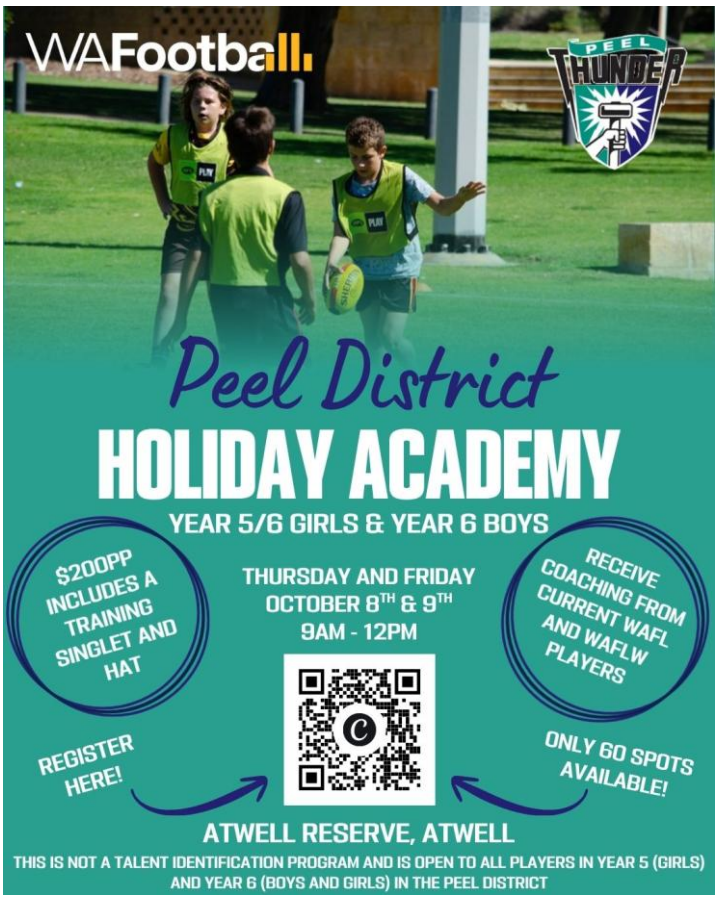
Claim now

You can claim through the ServiceWA app, online at www.education.wa.edu.au/wasap or by sending in a claim form.

Claims close
Friday 25 September 2026

For more information about the WA Student Assistance Payment and how to claim, go to education.wa.edu.au/wasap

Claim on the ServiceWA app









A donation bin is avaialble in the front office.



2027 School Bus Transport Assistance

Will your child be enrolled in a school in 2027?

Do you live more than 4.5km from your child's school and outside of a designated Public Transport Area?

You may be eligible for Transport Assistance.

If you are already registered with Schoolbuses and have had a change of residential address or school, you will need to submit a new application.

SAVE YOUR SEAT

Apply before November 13, 2026 at schoolbuses.wa.gov.au

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