

Newsletter Issue 7, Term 4 2025

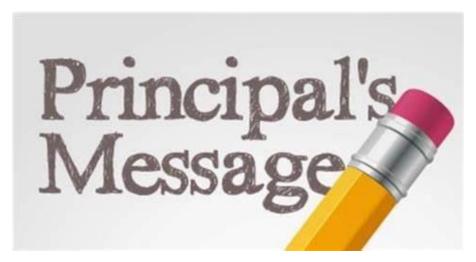
### **Key Dates**



Our Term Planner is available on our website, Connect, Compass and on Facebook and is regularly updated with new activities.

Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	13 October Student's First Day	14 October Kindy Library –room 1	15 October Kindy Running Club 8.50am PBS—Group Session	16 October Kindy Library –room 5 Jumps & Throws	17 October Athletics Carnival @ Wundowie PS
2	20 October Running Club 8.50am	21 October Kindy Library -room 1 P & C Meeting 9am	22 October Kindy Running Club 8.50am PBS—Group Session	23 October Kindy Library –room 5	24 October Breakfast Club Running Club 8.50an
3	27 October Running Club 8.50am	28 October Kindy Library –room 1	29 October Kindy Running Club 8.50am PBS—Group Session St John First Aid Incursion	30 October Kindy Library –room 5	31 October Halloween Breakfast Club Running Club 8.50an
4	3 November Running Club 8.50am	4 November Kindy Library –room 1	5 November Kindy Running Club 8.50am PBS—Group Session	6 November Kindy Library –room 5	7 November Interschool Athletics Carnival @ Mundaring Rec Centre
5	10 November Staff Development Day-No Students	11 November Staff Development Day-No Students	12 November Kindy Running Club 8.50am PBS—Group Session	13 November Kindy 2026 Kindy Parent Meeting Library –room 5	14 November Breakfast Club Running Club 8.50an Newsletter EH5H5 Sports Academy Day (yr 5)
6	17 November Running Club 8.50am	18 November Kindy Library -room 1 School Board Meeting 3.15pm	19 November Kindy Running Club 8.50am PBS—Group Session	20 November Kindy Library -room 5 Assembly -2.30pm & Classroom Showcase HEC Art Expa  p Mt Helena PS	21 November Breakfast Club Running Club 8.50an
7	24 November Running Club 8.50am	25 November Kindy Library -room 1	26 November Kindy Running Club 8.50am PB5—Group Session	27 November Kindy Library –room 5 CAMP Year 5/6	28 November Running Club 8.50ar
8	1 December Running Club 8.50am	2 December Kindy Library –room 1	3 December Kindy Running Club 8.50am PBS—Group Session	4 December Kindy Transition Day & 2026 Kindy Day Library -room 5	5 December Breakfast Club Running Club 8.50an
9 vimming	8 December Running Club 8.50am	9 December Kindy Library—returns only	10 December Kindy Running Club 8.50am PBS—Group Session	11 December Kindy Library—returns only Yr 7 Orientation Day @ EHSHS	12 December Breakfast Club Running Club 8.50an
10 wimming	15 December Whole School Presentation Night & Graduation -6pm	16 December Kindy Reports Go Home	17 December Kindy Running Club 8.50am Newsletter	18 December Student's Last Day Kindy Water Fun Day & Class Party	19 December Staff Development Day-No Students

### Principal's Report



#### Kaya,

The sunshine has finally arrived—just in time for all of our end-of-year events. Term 4 is always a busy one, and it's hard to believe we are already halfway through. There is a real sense of excitement and anticipation in our senior room as students prepare for camp next week. This time of year, is always bittersweet as we begin saying goodbye to our Year 6 students. While we will miss them dearly, we are incredibly proud of their growth and look

forward to seeing them take the next step in their educational journey. Over the coming weeks, we will work to ensure their final memories at Wooroloo are meaningful and special.

It has already been a full and productive term with a variety of sporting events, clinics, and rich classroom learning experiences. We are very much looking forward to our Showcase Assembly this week. As temperatures rise and schedules become busier, we know some students can begin to feel tired or overwhelmed. To support them, please ensure they are well-rested and bring a water bottle each day to stay hydrated and ready to learn.

We are delighted to share that the new water pump in our nature play space is now operational. A sincere thank you to Rowan, our Chaplain, for helping make this happen. It has been wonderful watching students—particularly our senior students—work collaboratively to build dams, channels, and incredible engineering creations. We plan to continue developing this space and are actively pursuing grant opportunities to provide much-needed shade to ensure students can safely enjoy the area year-round.

Looking ahead to next year and the start of a new three-year planning cycle, we remain committed to strengthening our learning environment—ensuring we have the right people, structures, and resources to support a safe and harmonious school culture. Our School Board plays a vital role in this process. With our Public Meeting this Thursday at 3:30pm and several vacancies available, we warmly invite families to consider joining. Parent voices and perspectives are essential, and we would love to welcome new members who are keen to support the continued growth and direction of our school.

With many exciting activities and celebrations fast approaching, please keep an eye on your Term Planner and school communications to stay up to date.

Warm regards, Kylee Ryan













#### Interschool Athletics Carnival

Congratulations to all the students who represented Wooroloo Primary School at the EHSSA Interschool Athletics Carnival last week!

Our students displayed fantastic sportsmanship, effort, and teamwork throughout the day. It was wonderful to see everyone giving their best and cheering each other on. A big thank you to the staff and parents who supported and helped make the day a success.

We are very proud of our athletes and the way they represented our school! 💙 🖤

















#### **St John Ambulance Incursion**



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This week, Wooroloo Primary School was lucky enough to have **Officer Lopez from St John Ambulance** visit our school to deliver a series of engaging **First Aid sessions** for all students.

Throughout the day, students learned important safety and first aid skills tailored to their age groups:

- **Kindy Pre-Primary:** 000 Hero! learning how to recognise emergencies and call for help.
- Year 1 Year 2: DRS understanding basic first aid and staying safe in an emergency.
- **Year 3 Year 6:** *DRSAB* learning the steps of first aid response and the importance of staying calm.

The day ended with a **whole-school ambulance tour**, where students had the exciting opportunity to explore the ambulance and even try out the **sirens!** 

A big thank you to Officer Lopez and **St John Ambulance** for providing such a fun and valuable learning experience for our students.

#### **First Aid Focus**

Our students recently participated in the free St John WA First Aid Focus incursion. The First Aid Focus program aims to train and equip students with the skills to assess and respond to first aid situations, while developing strategies to seek help for themselves or others.

St John can teach you the vital skills to keep your family safe and well. Get 10% off your next first aid training by using the discount PARENTS10 when booking your course.

For bookings call **9334 1233** or visit our website **stjohnwa.com.au** 





















### Hats Off to Teachers 2025!



On Friday 31st October 2025 we celebrated our teachers — the incredible educators who make Wooroloo Primary School such a special place. Your dedication, creativity, patience, and passion make a difference every single day in the lives of our students.

Whether it's sparking curiosity in the classroom, offering a kind word in the playground, or going the extra mile to support a child or family — your efforts never go unnoticed.

So today, we tip our hats to you!

Thank you for everything you do to inspire, nurture, and empower our students to be their very best.

With appreciation,

#### **Wooroloo PS & Community**



## The Gidge Show 2025



Wooroloo PS is proud to be part of the Gidgegannup Show!

Our students' stunning artwork was on display — a big well done to all our young artists!











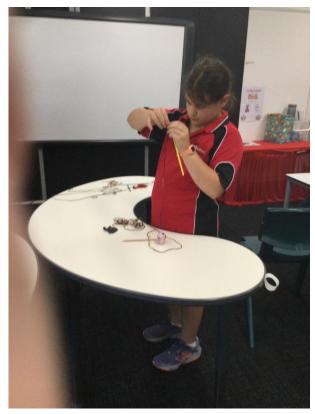


## Science with Mrs Hoskins

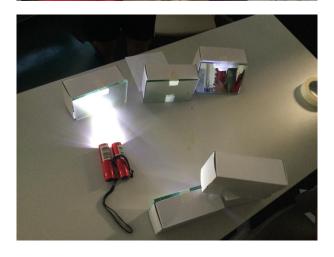


















#### Junior room:

#### Hills Education Community Arts Exhibition

Dear Parents and Carers,

We invite you to join us at the **2025 Hills Education Community Arts Exhibition** hosted by **Mount Helena Primary School**.

#### Art Viewing Times:

- Thursday 20 November 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm
- Friday 21 November 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
- Saturday 22 November 9:00 am to 11:00 am

Come along and celebrate the wonderful artwork created by students across our local schools.

We look forward to seeing you and your family there!



#### Scholastic Book Club - Issue 8 is out now!

Order through LOOP and receive a \$5 Promo Code to spend on your next Book Club order!

☼ Don't miss out on great reads and fantastic savings — check out Issue 8 today!

Orders due back by 25th November 2025.

Visit: HTTPs://mybookclubs.scholastic.com.au/Parent/Login.aspx



#### Free Period Products Now Available at School

#### Dear Parent/Carer,

We are pleased to share that our school now provides free period products for students, as part of the WA Government rollout to all public schools.

We recognise that period products are an essential health necessity, and having a period should never be a barrier to attending school or learning. This initiative aims to support student wellbeing and ease cost-of-living pressures for families.

A dispenser has been installed in the female staff toilets, where students can access products discreetly and responsibly. The dispenser contains Libra-branded pads and

tampons. Libra products are Australian-made and meet Australian Standards, ensuring comfort and quality for students.

As part of our commitment to student wellbeing and education, we will also be providing age-appropriate information to students to help build understanding, reduce stigma and promote safe and hygienic use of period products.

To support conversations at home, the following resources may be helpful:

- Periods | Get the Facts health.wa.gov.au
- Menstruation (Periods) healthdirect.gov.au
- Free Resource Kit | Libra lovelibra.com

If you have any questions or specific needs regarding this initiative, please feel welcome to contact me or a member of our staff team.

Kind regards,

#### **Kylee Ryan**

Principal



### Containers for Change Fundraiser!





Wooroloo Primary P&C are excited to invite all families to join in our Containers for Change Fundraiser!

Together we can have fun recycling while raising funds for important resources at Wooroloo Primary.

Each family will receive a bag sent home with students today. The challenge is to fill your bag (or even more—extra bags are available from the front office!) and return it to school by the end of term.

Thank you for supporting our school and helping make a difference!



## **Be Aware. Be Prepared. – November Focus**



This month, take a few minutes to check three important things before bushfire season:

- **lnsurance**: Make sure you understand what is and isn't covered by your house and contents insurance, and that you're comfortable with your level of cover.
- **Emergency Kit**: Review your household emergency kit to make sure everything's up to date and ready to go.
- **Emergency WA App**: Open and refresh your app, we've heard rumours that some have "gone to sleep" over winter!

A few small checks now can make a big difference later.

For local tips and resources, visit <a href="https://engage.mundaring.wa.gov.au/emergency-response-recovery">https://engage.mundaring.wa.gov.au/emergency-response-recovery</a> or for a free personalised property inspection call 9290 6696.

### **Summer school holidays – Important reminder**

### Protect yourself in **five ways** from skin cancer











SLIP

SLAF

**SEEK** 

**SLIDE** 

The summer school holidays are a great opportunity to relax after a busy school year. During the summer months is when the ultraviolet (UV) index reaches extremely high levels. Therefore, it is a timely reminder that even though you cannot see UV radiation from the sun, it is extremely damaging to our skin. When the UV index is 3 and above (with UV levels peaking during the middle of the day), adopt the following sun protective strategies.

Remember it's not just important for the days spent swimming at the beach or playing sport outside, but also for all those daily exposures to UV such as walking to and from the bus, riding your bike down the street, kicking the footy outside, spending time in the garden or walking the dog at the park. Be SunSmart and encourage those around you to be sun aware.

- Slip on protective clothing (collared shirts, long sleeves and bottoms are encouraged). Wearing a rashie in the water where possible.
- Slop on SPF50 or SPF50+, broad-spectrum, water-resistant sunscreen
- Slap on a broad brimmed, bucket or legionnaire style hat (caps are not sun protective hats)
- Seek shade
- Slide on sunglasses

Enjoy the summer break safely!

### **Community News**

# COMMUNITY INFORMATION







### 2026 School Bus Transport Assistance

Will your child be enrolled in a school in 2026? 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 School Bus Services and have had a change of residential address or school, you will need to submit a new application.



SAVE YOUR SEAT

Apply before November 14, 2025 schoolbuses.wa.gov.au



#### SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS WANTED



Evergreen Operations Pty Ltd is looking for school bus drivers interested in permanent, relief and casual roles based in the **Eastern Hills region**.

Questions (falk to us about assistance in obtaining these qualifications)
 This role would suit snyce in the areas of Savers Valley, Children, Wooroloo, Wundowie, Gidgegannup, Bakers Hill The role provide facilità hours and competitive rates of pay.
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#### **Contact Details**



