



CHAPMAN VALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Newsletter #4
May 15th 2018

3rd Term begins
Tuesday 17th July
Dates to Remember

TERM 2
2018

Book Fair in Library

May 9th – May 16th

Parent Education

May 18th 2pm

Library

NAPLAN

Tuesday 15th – Friday 18th

May

P & C Meeting

Monday May 21st at 4.30pm

Circus Challenge Incursion

Wed 6th June

Room 1—Room 1 Open

morning

Friday 8th June

Young Writers

Wed 13th June

NCVISA Winter Carnival

Friday 22nd June

Assembly

Thursday 28th June

Last Day of Term

Happy Chappy Day

Friday 29th June

Dear Parents and Community,

Ni hao! Hello in Chinese.

Welcome back for term 2.

Our term has already started with a bang. We have already had an ANZAC service on the first day back, our annual Mother's Day morning tea, book fair and NAPLAN began yesterday.

We have a busy term ahead with only 9 weeks to pack full of experiences and learning. This term we have the NCVISA winter carnival, circus challenge incursion and an end of term assembly when we will farewell our long serving Mrs Chapman.

Never Stop Reading

We recently received these Never Stop Reading bookmarks from the Department of Education. They are promoting a new initiative encouraging parents of children from years 3 to 6 to continue reading aloud to their children as they progress through primary school. Research indicates there are significant positive effects of read aloud interventions on children's learning outcomes and social and emotional development, particularly for children at risk of reading difficulties. Over the next few weeks I will send home some fact sheets that give more information about why you should Never Stop Reading aloud to your children. The link below has more information for parents.

<https://www.education.wa.edu.au/neverstopreading>

Parent Education

I have been really keen to share some knowledge about the way students learn and why we teach the way we do. This Friday at 2pm in the library before BEARS club, we will have our first coffee and cake as I share with you one aspect of teaching children English. I am going to share parts of the Professional Learning that Mrs Goforth and I participated in last week that is going to be implemented through the school and form a large component of our School Operational Plan. Please come along to support us to support you and your child.

NAPLAN ONLINE

After many years of planning today was the first day of NAPLAN online for everybody nationally. Today our first NAPLAN online session was the writing. The students had been completing practise sessions with Mrs Chapman in class. The year 3 students completed the writing task with pen and paper but the year 5 cohort completed the writing on-line. The writing stimulus was interesting and the students all wrote using the time limit. Tomorrow we have reading, Wednesday is Language Conventions and Friday is Numeracy.

NAPLAN NATIONAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM
Literacy and Numeracy

RESILIENCE

At school we are focussing on being resilient and responsible for your own actions. Being resilient can mean standing up to someone and saying no when they are doing inappropriate actions or using inappropriate speech. We are using the poster below to encourage children what they can do when they are in an unpleasant situation. We have also made posters for the buses so that students know they can use the same language on the bus.

I Am Assertive

When Someone is Being Mean

1. Stop that please,

(I don't like it, it's mean, etc)

2. If they do it again, Stop it or I'll tell the teacher.

3. If they do it again, Tell





ATTENDANCE

One of our targets in our Business Plan in our priority of 'A Positive Learning Environment' is to maintain or improve the school attendance rate so that 90% or more of our students attend school for at least 90% of the time. **For the first fortnight of this term** our whole school attendance is 94.43%. 22 of our students have attended 100% of the time in the first 2 weeks of term.

Keep up the great work. At BEARS club each week we give out an attendance award. Tokens are given out to students who attend the 5 days of school that week and then one token is chosen for a pick out of the prize box.

EVERY DAY COUNTS

1 to 2 days a week absence from school doesn't seem much but....

If your child misses...	That equals...	Which is...	...and over 13 years of schooling that is...
1 day per fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 ½ years</u>
1 day per week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over <u>2 ½ years</u>
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over <u>5 years</u>
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly <u>8 years</u>

EVERY DAY COUNTS

For children to be successful at school then Every Day Counts and Attendance does matter!

How about 10 minutes late a day? Surely that won't affect my child?

He/she is only missing just....	That equals....	Which is....	...and over 13 years of schooling that's....
10 mins per day	50 mins per week	Nearly 1 ½ weeks per year	Nearly <u>½ a year</u>
20 mins per day	1 hr 40 mins per week	Over 2 ½ weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 year</u>
30 mins per day	Half a day per week	4 weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 ½ years</u>
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 weeks a year	Over <u>2 ½ years</u>

Remember 90% attendance is equal to 1 day off per fortnight

Speak to your school about help with getting your children to school every day!



VALUE FOCUS

Our school has 3 values that all revolve around our overarching value of **Kindness**. In particular we are looking at **Kindness to the Environment**. The students have had some sessions on looking at what this could mean. At BEARS club on a Friday students have been earning recognition for their contribution to our school community in this



MUSIC LESSONS

Piano (years 3-6)

Trumpet (years 5-6)

If your child is interested in commencing music lessons in term 3 please contact Jackie Simkin on 0407 384 471 or bjsimkin@westnet.com.au

Our School Creed

This is our school
Let peace dwell here
Let the rooms be full of contentment
Let Love abide here
Love of one another
Love of mankind, and
Love of Life itself
Let us remember
That as many hands build a house
So many hearts make a school



SCHOOL BOARD NEWS

School Board – Expressions of Interest

School Board Nominations

Two parent member positions are available on our School Board. Another two will be coming up for election in December 2018. Parent members have a maximum term length of 3 years. If you are interested but the timing is not quite right for you, it is worth noting that two more positions will be coming up for election in December 2018. If you are interested in learning more or nominating, please contact myself. The board meets 4-5 times per year. The meetings are typically on a Thursday evening from 5-7pm so that we cater for working parents. Minutes, agendas and any reports are sent out well in advance so that meeting time is well utilised. Parent members are required to read any reports available prior to the meeting and bring their considered opinions to the table. In essence, the role of school board is one of setting the long term future for the school and maintaining oversight (not management) of the school's operation. It is not about running the school – that is the job of the principal. It is about providing additional expertise to help the school achieve the best outcomes for the students. Some of the matters councils/boards may make decisions on include fees and charges, book lists, sponsorship and dress codes. We regularly review the business plan targets, budget and school surveys. We are consistently looking at ways to promote the school, encouraging more student numbers. The Principal seeks the advice of councils/boards so as to understand local community views. More information on how school boards work is available here: <https://bit.ly/2KZThmp>

We will be holding a 3hr board training in the not too distant future so if you think you might be interested in jumping on the school board in years to come, please let us know so that we can try and schedule the training for a time that suits you.

Nominations due Thursday 31 May 2018 into Jo Luxton at the school.

Please send in a copy of the following nomination slip that is attached to the newsletter

Nomination of a candidate for Parent Representative on the School Board

I wish to nominate myself as a candidate for election to the School Board.

Full Name:

Declaration of Candidate: I nominate myself as a candidate and if elected will accept the responsibility of being a parent representative.

Signature of candidate:Date:

Renaye Stokes | 9920 5555 | renaye@mterin.com.au

Happy Chappy Day

On the last day of term we had Happy Chappy Day. We celebrated by having our own Commonwealth games. The students designed the activities and they participated in teams from countries. The students loved the games and won medals.



PIC•COLLAGE

End of Term Assembly

On Thursday the 11th of April we had our end of term assembly. The senior class ran the assembly. They provided entertainment on a collage of all the experiences and learning they have done throughout term 1 including a Chinese conversation, chopstick song, a guitar item and showing some art pieces. The junior class performed The Billy Goats Gruff. Honour certificates went to Sarah and Flynn and the term reading award was won by Gabe and Martin. The parents supplied and served afternoon tea after the assembly which was enjoyed by all.



Buccaneers Visit on Happy Chappy Day

Gokul and Coter from the Geradlton Buccaneers visited us on Happy Chappy Day. The students all had a fun time with them.





At the Mothers Day Morning Tea, the senior room had a stall. They made \$450! There was a fashion parade and both the Junior Room and Senior Room went on the stage to do a performance.



Thankyou so much to all the people who helped organise the Mother's Day morning tea. Thankyou to Mrs Chapman for organising the children for the stall and for doing my speech for me. I appreciate all the effort that staff and parents put in to making this day a success.



BEARS CLUB PHOTOS



Each Friday at BEARS we have awards presented. We sing the BEARS club song. BEARS club stands for Be An Exceptional Reader.

This page has photos from Happy Chappy BEARS club where we were presented with our gold, silver and bronze medals from our Commonwealth Games event.

ANZAC Day 2018

On ANZAC day Trey represented Chapman Valley School at the ANZAC service in Northampton. Mrs Barndon made a beautiful wreath. On the first day back at school we had an ANZAC service. Jackie Simkin played the trumpet and Mr Gill was our guest speaker. It was a lovely service. Thankyou Mrs Chapman for organising the service.





P&C NEWS

Hello Everyone!

What a wonderful Mother's Day Morning Tea we had this year! It was well attended with no shortage of amazing home made goodies to choose from. We had many and varied stall holders that came out on the day adding some zing and colour to our special day. Entertainment highlights included our own kids—dancing, singing, and letting out a few secrets in the "My Special Mum Poems"; our "Hot Mamas of the Valley" who rocked the fashion parade and Johnny David who rocked the hall!!! Don't forget—Johnny is available to do gig's for your next special do' with special rates for the Valley—so check him out at Johnny David Music on Face book and don't be shy to ask!

A huge **Thank You!** to all families and friends of our school community for your donations, contributions and attendance. You all helped us raise over \$1600 which is an amazing effort—for a very worthy cause.

Now, **come to the next P & C meeting on Monday the 21st May at 4.30pm** in the school library and help decide where to best spend it!

Hot on the heels of our Morning Tea is the Bunnings Sausage Sizzle. This event is on Saturday 2nd June, in the Bunnings Carpark and is our second major fundraiser for the year (we realise it's pretty close, but the dates are decided by Bunnings, so we have to take what we can get—after this we'll leave you alone until September!).

The proposed roster follows, so give Elly a call on 9925 1146 or email ellygarryward@live.com.au to let us know if you can do a shift to help out. Hopefully we get enough takers to just have 2 hours per shift which goes pretty quick!

Thanks again everyone and I hope to see you at the next meeting (Monday 21st May at 4.30pm in the school library).

Elly Ward

BUNNINGS ROSTER SATURDAY 2ND JUNE	Inc set up and start cooking			Includes pack up.
Roster shift time	7.30—9.30am	9.30—11.30am	11.30—1.30pm	1.30—3.30pm
Helper 1	Elly Ward	Fi Lord		Maree Humphries
Helper 2	Jay Barndon			
Helper 3				
Helper 4				



BEARS CLUB




I ♥ to read



BEARS CLUB—Congratulations!!!

BEARS Club is on every Friday at 2.30pm in the library. All welcome.

<p><u>Merit Award</u></p> <p>Honour Certificate 12/04/18 Sarah and Flynn 4/05/18 Tadhg and Julia 14/05/18 Martin, Lachy, Zoe and Cameron S.</p>	<p><u>Attendance Award</u></p> <p>13/04/18 Ruben 4/05/18 - Nate</p>	<p><u>Councillors' Student of the Week</u></p> <p>13/04/18 Summer– Kindness to others 4/05/18 - Zoe</p>
<p><u>Class Behaviour</u></p> <p>13/04/18 Cameron G and Kate 4/05/18 Caelan, Ruban, Shayla and Kate 14/05/18 Emma, Trey, Chris and Shayla</p>	<p><u>Home Reading Winner</u></p> <p>13/04/18 Trey and Jacob 4/05/18 Emma and Cameron 14/5/18 Martin and Shanaya</p>	<p><u>Councillors' Classroom of the Week</u></p> <p>04/05/18—Room 1</p>
<p><u>READING MILESTONES</u></p> <p><u>50 Nights</u></p> <p>13/04/18 Flynn, Lachy 4/05/18 Jesse, Indy, Jacob, Shayla, Gabe, Reece</p> <p><u>75 Nights</u></p> <p>13/04/18 Cameron S, Shanaya, Chris, 4/05/18 Martin, Trey, Caelan, Tadhg, Ryan, Kate and Georgia, Zoe, Ally, Chris, Shanaya, Lachlan 14/05/18 Emma, Ally, Gabe,</p>	<p>100 nights. What a fabulous achievement!!</p> <p>Martin Cameron Shanaya</p> 	

At the end of term assembly Gabe and Martin won the \$20 read a lot book voucher for the reading award.

Reading at Home-

By this stage of the year students should be about 65 nights reading milestone. Reading is vital to your child's literacy development.





Chapman Valley Primary School

presents

Ashton Scholastic Bookfair 2018

The bookfair will be in the library from May 9-16th.

All people are invited to come and peruse the books and purchase. The school library collection aims to benefit from the bookfair.

Feel free to come along any time.

Friday Hot Lunches

We sell pies, pasties and sausage rolls for lunch on Fridays. Please write your child's name on an envelope with their order ready for our councillors to collect from classrooms.

Pies = \$2.50

Pasties = \$2.50

Sausage Rolls = \$2.00



SOUP ROSTER FOR TERM 2

Week 1	May 2	Dezi Webb
Week 2	May 9	Jae Gronow
Week 3	May 16	Libby McDougall
Week 4	May 23	Stafford Horobin
Week 5	May 30	Jan McCagh
Week 6	June 6	Jodie O'Neill
Week 7	June 13	Jay Rayner
Week 8	June 20	Jo Luxton
Week 9	June 27	??





COMMUNITY NEWS



For Others For Life
Join us in Year 7 2020
Applications due by Wednesday 27 June 2018
Application for Enrolment Forms are available from the Front Office and the College website
Information Evening
Thursday 19 July 5:00pm College Gymnasium
For a College tour please visit www.ncc.wa.edu.au to book
Please see the website for further information or email enrolments@ncc.wa.edu.au



Rigters Shop4Schools

Wow...

Thankyou community for helping us to get extra funds into our school. Recently we received a cheque for \$569.48 in the mail from 2017 Shop for Your School programme. We obviously had many parents and community members donating points to our school. THANKYOU! SO please help us to gain another cheque in the mail by shopping at the local Rigters supermarkets in 2018.

People who shop at either the Queens IGA, Rigter's IGA on Durlacher St, or the Wonthella IGA can donate points accumulated to our school. These points accumulate throughout the year and are converted into cash, which is then donated to the school. If you happen to do your shopping at one of their supermarkets, you can continue to donate your points to our school as an easy way to fundraise.

AQUARENA SWIM SCHOOL CLASSES TERM 2

Our temperature controlled pools will help your child improve their swimming ability throughout term 2

Swim and Survive - Royal Life Saving Society's Learn to Swim Program for Water Safety and Skill Development Stages 1-15

Super Sharks - Pre-Squad training program. Complete drills to gain speed, endurance and improve technique. For children Stage 5+

Torpedoes - Squad style training, working on endurance and strokes for the more Advanced Swimmer. Stage 8+

Junior Lifeguard Club - Gain Swimming and Lifesaving Knowledge. Perfect for the child who wants more than a swimming lesson Age 9+

Private Lessons - One-on-one lessons for a personal and individualised program

Mention this article when you enrol and receive 20% off any pair of googles*



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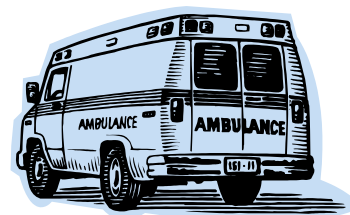
*Valid until 13th May 2018



Volunteers Needed!!

The Chapman Valley Sub Centre is currently on the look out for volunteers! If you are interested in becoming an ambulance officer then please give us a call.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer driver or officer or would like some more information then please contact either Gerard on 0428 648 494 or myself, Chrissy Philippa on 9920 5512 or 0427 424 767.



REPORT ALL SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY AROUND THE SCHOOL

If you happen to see anything that looks suspicious around our school, please contact the Northampton Police Station on 99347600 or **Jo Luxton** on 0429 977 603.

Please ensure you take note of vehicle number plates and other details should we need to assist police with their enquiries.



First Aid Kit Day

The next First Aid Kit day is on the 12th June.

If you can send your kits to Chrissy Philippa's house before then she will organise for them to be done.

Please label the kits with the name and address so that an account can be posted.

After the kits have been done Chrissy will have the kits at her house in Nabawa to be picked up.

Further information please contact Chrissy Philippa.



COMMUNITY NEWS



Western Australian Centre for Rural Health



Understanding Child & Adolescent Mental Health Workshop

Date: Wednesday 13 June

Venue: WA Centre for Rural Health, 167 Fitzgerald Street, Geraldton

Adverse Mental Health begins in childhood and adolescence. The Australian National Survey shows 35% of young persons in schools have a diagnosable mental health disorder or sub-threshold symptoms! This has a significant negative impact on educational achievement, social and health outcomes throughout schooling. In this workshop, we will discuss the National Survey data and NAPLAN results to:

- Recognise and understand mental health disorders in children and adolescents
- Raise awareness of mental health disorders and their impact in the classroom and at home
- Discuss strategies to manage mental health disorders in the classroom and at home.

Parent and community session

12:30pm to 2:30pm

School staff session

5pm to 7pm

Sessions are FREE and light refreshments will be provided.

RSVP: 9956 0200 or
admin-wacrh@uwa.edu.au



Professor Stephen Houghton is a registered psychologist and Director of the Centre for Child & Adolescent Related Disorders at the University of Western Australia. His research focuses on child and adolescent developmental psychopathology and mental health promotion.



Previously a school teacher, Professor Vaile Dawson teaches preservice science education and conducts classroom-based research on decision-making and critical thinking, particularly in under-performing schools. She has conducted teacher PD throughout WA.



Dr David Lawrence is a Principal Research Fellow in the Graduate School of Education, The University of Western Australia. He led Young Minds Matter: The Second Australian Child and Adolescent Survey of Mental Health and Wellbeing.



COMMUNITY NEWS

BIG SKY Readers & Writers FESTIVAL 2018 *Windswept Words*



25 - 27 May 2018

Information: Geraldton Regional Library
e: library@cgg.wa.gov.au p: (08) 9956 6659



"Enjoy a Family Day at the Oakabella Markets"

Campsite with Showers/Toilets

ENTRY FEE \$2 pp

Oakabella Homestead's Market Day

Homestead Tours 10am, 2.00pm

SATURDAY, MAY 26th from 9am-3pm

Licensed Cafe

Famous Scones

Kids Activities

Live Music

Huge variety of over 60 stalls - Arts and Crafts

423 Starling Road, Bowes
Turn Left off NW Hwy onto Hatch Road (approx 32km from Geraldton, 19km from Northampton)

Summer

Uniform Order Form 2017/18

Uniform Order Chapman Valley Primary School										
Size:	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	Total Units	Price	Sub Total
Shirt (Paneled)									\$24.00	
Short									\$10.00	
Shirt (Maroon)									\$10.00	
Skort									\$10.00	
Tracksuit Pants									\$22.00	
Jumper									\$25.00	
Zip Jacket									\$25.00	
Hat									\$15.00	
Name:									Total \$	
Paid:	Cash	Cheque	EFT	Date:				Office Signature:		
Bank Details:	BSB 633108		ACC 143675924							

Please indicate which uniforms you would like to purchase for 2018 Summer Semester.

Orders and payment to be returned to school.

You will be advised when the uniforms are available for collection.

Items to remember:

Panelled shirt and short are required for excursions

Older style Maroon polo's and Girls skort are available until stock is depleted

Kindergarten children receive a hat courtesy of the P & C as part of their starter package

As usual 4 sets of standard uniform in every size will be available from school stock during the year



Please note that as a 'sun smart' school, the wide brim hats are part of our uniform. Caps and bucket hats are not recommended 'sun smart' hats.



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TERM 2 CALENDAR 2018							
Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	April 30 Staff Development Day	May 1	May 2 Library Day Soup - Dezi	May 3 Board Meeting 5pm	May 4	May 5	May 6
2	May 7	May 8	May 9 Library Day Soup Jae Gronow Book Fair	May 10 Book Fair	May 11 Mothers Day Morning Tea Book Fair	May 12	May 13
3	May 14 Book Fair	May 15 NAPLAN Book Fair Newsletter	May 16 NAPLAN Library Day Soup-Libby McDougall Book Fair	May 17 NAPLAN	May 18 NAPLAN	May 19	May 20
4	May 21	May 22	May 23 Library Day Soup-Stafford Horobin	May 24	May 25	May 26	May 27
5	May 28	May 29	May 30 Library Day Soup-Jan McCagh	May 31	June 1	June 2	June 3
6	June 4 WA Day holiday	June 5 Newsletter	June 6 Library Day Soup-Jodie O'Neill Circus Challenge PM	June 7	June 8 Room 1 –Open Morning	June 9	June 10
7	June 11	June 12	June 13 Library Day Soup-Jay Rayner Young Writers	June 14	June 15	June 16	June 17
8	June 18	June 19	June 20 Library Day Soup-Jo Luxton	June 21	June 22 Winter Carnival	June 23	June 24
9	June 25	June 26 Newsletter	June 27 Library Day Soup-	June 28 Assembly	June 29 End of Term	June 30	July 1
	July 2	July 3	July 4	July 5	July 6	July 7	July 8
	July 9	July 10	July 11	July 12	July 13	July 14	July 15