



# NEDLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Wednesday September 12, 2018

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**Assembly 7 September 2018  
Year 3 Room 8**

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## From The Principal's Desk

Dear Parents and Friends

### Congratulations to School Representatives

We have had students representing their school at The Tournament of Minds, Interscholar Athletics,

Band, Orchestra and Massed Choir Festivals and we acknowledge both their efforts and the support that has allowed them to participate. Congratulations to all involved.

### **What do I Wear?**

Families are asked to take a close look at their uniform items during the next week and consider if they need to update any items.

We are noticing some alternate leggings, pants, jeans and jumpers creeping into our student wardrobes and remind families of the dress code that asks for our uniform items for every student on every day.

Thank you to families who have written to advise of occasional issues relating to wet weather or modifications to footwear based on injuries. Please discuss this with your child.

### **Dog friendly but safety first**

With the growing number of cute, fluffy and furry friends arriving to greet students after school I need to ask all dog owners to consider that not all students or community members feel the same way about their dog as they do.

We need to keep dogs tethered on a lead and if held or tied up we must ensure that people can use the footpath and walk ways without having to negotiate past a dog that they may not be comfortable near.

**Russell Bembridge**  
**Principal**

## **Charity Free Dress - Friday 21 September**

Advance reminder that our gold coin donation for charity will be held on the next Friday of term.

Students are asked to bring a gold coin and ensure that their free dress still allows them to participate in all school activities.

## **School Photos Tuesday 18 and Wednesday 19 September**

Our school photo days are coming on Tuesday 18 & Wednesday 19 September. Kapture Photography order envelopes have been sent home with students last week. The recommended method of ordering your photos is online through Kapture's website as your payment is secure and can be easily verified at any time. If you pay online, there is no need to return the order envelope to school. Alternatively, you can pay by cash by returning the provided envelope to the school on the photography day. Please note the photographers cannot open sealed envelopes and cannot provide change. **(Correct money must be included).**

If your child didn't get an envelope, please collect one from the school office.

**SIBLING ORDERS CAN ONLY BE PLACED ONLINE:** Late requests cannot be granted.

You have the option to order a sibling photo package online, however please note sibling orders will close @midday sharp, Friday 14 September. Please place your sibling orders ASAP as we can't accept any orders after the cut off date. Parents requesting a sibling photograph that involves a child at Nedlands Park Early Learning Centre will need to make arrangements to transport the student to Nedlands PS for the sibling photo. If you are transporting a child for a sibling photo please email

Julie Simpfendorfer to request either Tuesday or Wednesday (Julie.burston@education.wa.edu.au). I will try to accommodate requests, however please note that there are restricted opportunities for sibling photos on Tuesday.

Log on to [kapture.com.au](http://kapture.com.au) for your sibling photo order. Cut off time for Sibling photo is Midday Friday 14 September.

Late payment envelopes cannot be accepted by the school office or by Kapture. You can place an order online for class or individual photographs at any time for the remainder of the current school year however a \$15 fee will apply if you order more than 10 days after photography day.

Kapture offer a money back guarantee for any parent who is not fully satisfied with their photo package. Should you have any queries before or after photo day, please direct them to the Kapture office on 9240 1714 or email [enquiries@kapture.com.au](mailto:enquiries@kapture.com.au).

A few important items to note:

\* Students should wear a clean pale blue uniform shirt on their photo day and standard uniform pants, short and skirt etc.

\* Year 6 students should wear their Graduation Shirt for the Graduation photo on Tuesday 18 September and a pale blue shirt for their class photo on Wednesday 19 September.

\* We are unable to make changes to the photo schedule to accommodate family holidays.

### Nedlands PS Photo Schedule

Tuesday 18 September		Wednesday 19 September	
Nedlands Park ELC		Nedlands Park ELC	
9:15 - 9:35	Kindergarten Blue	9:15 - 9:35	K/PP
9:35 - 9:55	K/PP	9:35 - 9:55	Kindergarten Red
Nedlands PS		Nedlands PS	
Time	Class	Time	Class
8:00 - 8:15	Staff photo	8:55 - 9:15	Room 14 Year 5
9:00 - 9:20	Room 1 Year 1	9:15 - 9:30	Room 15 Year 5
9:20 - 9:35	Room 2 Year 1	9:30 - 9:45	Room 6 Year 2
9:35 - 9:55	Room 3 year 1	9:45 - 10:00	Room 5 Year 2
9:55 - 10:15	PP1	10.00 - 10:20	Room 17 Year 6
10:15 - 10:40	PP2	10:20 - 10:35	Room 16 Year 6
10:40 - 11:10	Recess: Sibling photos (including Students from Nedlands Park)	10:35 - 11:10	Recess: sibling photos (including students from Nedlands Park)
11:15 - 11:35	Graduation (55 students)	11:10 onwards	Finalise Sibling photos
11:35 - 11:50	Room 8 Year 3		
11:50 - 12:05	Room 7 Year 3		
12:05 - 12:20	Room 13 Year 3		
12:20 - 12:35	Room 10 Year 4		
12:35 - 1:30	Lunch: Sibling photos		
1:35 - 1:55	Room 11 Year 4		
1:55 - 2:15	Room 4 Year 2		
2:15 - 2:45	Room 12 Year 4		

All students will be photographed individually on photo day for school administration records AS WELL as included in their class group photo available for purchase to all families. Should there be any reason why your child should NOT be included in the photo shoot -please contact the school office.

Julie Simpfendorfer  
Deputy Principal

## Swimming and Water Safety - VacSwim

With swimming pools and beaches a part of our Western Australian lifestyle, it is vital that every child has the opportunity to learn essential swimming and water safety skills.

VacSwim provides children aged five to 17 years with the opportunity to learn to swim during the school holidays at many locations across the State.

Enrolments for VacSwim are now open and families can enrol online. For information and details of fees, locations and how to enrol, please email: [vacswim@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:vacswim@education.wa.edu.au) phone: 9402 6412 or visit - <https://www.education.wa.edu.au/swimming-lessons>

## Where will you be in 2019?

Families are reminded that we need your best estimate of where you will be to help us plan to staff and resource our classes.

Please ensure you have advised the office if you are likely to be moving to another school / country or if you are aware of neighbours or friends who live in the area and will be hoping to enrol for 2019.

## Nut Free School

An important issue at Nedlands Primary School is the number of enrolled students, who have a severe allergy to nuts, and in particular peanuts. The WA Department of Health warns that the occurrence of nut allergies is rising and is of concern within the general community.

Our duty of care at this stage is focused upon the students in our care who exhibit a variety of symptoms, from minor to extremely severe, arising from even the slightest contact with nut based products.

The difficulty is that in several instances even the smallest contact with nuts, nut dust and nut based spreads including peanut paste and hazelnut spread can cause a severe reaction.

As a result of discussions with the Department of Health and parents we are asking that parents of all students *avoid all nuts and the use of nut based spreads in the provision of snacks and lunches to students at the school. This means avoiding peanut paste, hazelnut spread and bags of nuts. This may also include a number of muesli bars.*

## Semester Two - Contributions and Charges

Reminder invoices for Semester Two Contributions and Charges will be sent home shortly.

It would be much appreciated if when you make your payment via direct banking that you please enter your **student's surname and reference number**. This will enable us to match payments to bank statement.

Please also return the payment slip to the office with your Direct Banking details or to the office with your cash payment.

Thank you.

## Nedlands Primary School Health and Wellbeing

### 'Health and Well-Being Tip 7'

1. People can have different feelings about the same situation. Reference: (Optimistic Thinking Skills, Aussie Optimism)

2. R.U.OK?

The Nedlands Primary School Health and Well-Being team would like to have a regular 'Health and Well-Being Tip' in the school's newsletter. If anyone has a 'Health and Well-Being Tip' or even a healthy eating snack you would like to share with the School Community please let us know.

### Health and Well-Being Team

## Nedlands Chess Club TERM 4

No new members will be taken in term 4 as our club championship is now under way. New members are welcome in 2019.

The Chess club will recommence in term 4 for current members only on the first Monday back at school and you are invited to re-enrol your child in the Chess for Life Programme.

Please complete the form below and return it with the term payment of \$100.00 (\$90 each if more than one child) in an envelope marked (Jack South, Chess for Life with child's name and year) to the school office.

**All payments must be in before the first club day please.**

I would like to re-enrol my child/ren for Chess Club tuition on Mondays at lunchtime for Term 4 commencing, the first Monday back and enclose \$100 (\$90 each if more than one child) If paying by cheque, please make payable to Mr. Jack South.

Name

Year Room

Signed

## Merit Certificates 7 September 2018



<b>Year One</b>	<b>Room 1</b>	Marina A.	Hai D.
	<b>Room 2</b>	Talita R.	Yang L.
	<b>Room 3</b>	Giles H.	Serena L.
<b>Year Two</b>	<b>Room 4</b>	Isaac A.	Xavier T.
	<b>Room 5</b>	Ollie A.	William B.
	<b>Room 6</b>	Alfie M.	Riley G.
<b>Year Three</b>	<b>Room 7</b>	Wumborti D.	
	<b>Room 8</b>	Phoebe B.	Lily G.
	<b>Room 13</b>	Audrey G.	Yuri S.
<b>Year Four</b>	<b>Room 10</b>	Kevin Y.	Kidus K.
	<b>Room 11</b>	Aldan H.	Noah D.
	<b>Room 12</b>	Aarav T.	Rhys V.N.
<b>Year Five</b>	<b>Room 14</b>	Michael L.	Falisha L.
	<b>Room 15</b>	Siddharth B.	Calista H.
<b>Year Six</b>	<b>Room 16</b>	Faareha A.	Avantika B. & Riley K.
	<b>Room 17</b>		
<b>Art Award</b>	<b>Yr 6 Rm 17</b>	Kalani C.S.	
<b>EAL/D Award</b>	<b>Yr 1 Rm 1</b> <b>Yr 2 Rm 4</b> <b>Yr 3 Rm 8</b>	Daniel C. Ka Wai L. Darren J.	
<b>French Award</b>	<b>Yr 3 Rm 13</b> <b>Yr 6 Rm 16</b>	Bunny N. Emily L.	

### P & C News



#### **P&C Uniform Shop**

The Uniform Shop will be open each Wednesday from 8.45am- 9.15am.

#### **Annual fundraising event - 80's Bingo and Disco Fundraiser hosted by Year 2 NPS Parents - Saturday 15th September**

Come along and join the fun at the NPS 80's Bingo & Disco Night.

Details as follows:

When: Saturday 15 September

Start 6pm

Bingo 7pm

Finishes 11pm

Where: Altius Centre

Prizes: Best 80s Outfit

What else: Auction - bring your wallet!

Photo Booth - show off your air guitar skills

Catering:

The Pasta Truck (pasta)

That Food Truck (burgers)

Dal Pizzaiolo (pizza)

Bollygood (Indian)  
 Desserts & Soft Drinks for sale  
 \*BYO Alcohol  
 TICKETS: \$25 EACH (until THU 13 SEPT)  
 Try-Booking <http://www.trybooking.com/XIZN>  
 OR purchase each morning in the quadrangle (cash or credit card)  
 \*\*NOTE: NO DOOR SALES\*\*

**Term 4 Events -**

Kids Disco - Crazy Day - Gingerbread Kits

Keep watching for details on these upcoming events

**Next P&C Meeting -**

Our next P&C meeting is scheduled for Wednesday 31 October at 7.30pm in the Library.  
 Looking forward to seeing you there, everyone is welcome.

Regards  
 Andrew MacDougall

P&C President

**P & C Contacts**

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**School Board**

Your School Board

Fiona Cocks	Parent Representative - Board Chair
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Caleb Jones	Parent Representative
Richard Tucker	Parent Representative
Mei Han	Community Representative

Lihong Shi	Community Representative
David Norman	Community Representative
Russell Bembridge	Principal
Catherine Mendez	Board Executive Officer
Julie Simpfendorfer	Staff Representative
Renu Sahai	Staff Representative

For more information on the School Board please visit the schools website and click on the 'School Board' tab.



Friday 14 September	Kindy Red TOMS Assembly
Saturday 15 September	P & C Bingo / 80's Disco night
Tuesday 18 September	School Photos
Wednesday 19 September	School Photos Uniform Shop 8.45am - 9.15am
Friday 21 September	Kindy Blue Assembly Year 1 Rm 1 CHARITY FREE DRESS DAY (GOLD COIN DONATION)

**LAST DAY OF SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS FOR TERM THREE - FRIDAY  
21 SEPTEMBER**

**TERM 4 COMMENCES MONDAY 8 OCTOBER, 2018.**

***\*Note the Monday start\****

## Before and After School Care

### Some services near our school:

- UWA - Out of School Care Centre (after school) -Vacation Care - 18 Parkway, NEDLANDS - EMAIL: outofschoolcare@uwa.edu.au PHONE: 9389 1848
- OSHC - Health Services - Before / After School Care - Vacation Care - 22 Verdun Street, NEDLANDS - EMAIL: hsfachildcare@health.wa.gov.au PHONE: 6457 3238



## Taekwon-Do

Taekwon-Do classes on Monday and Wednesday straight after school in the Altuis Centre (3.20-4.20pm). A free trial is available to all Nedlands PS children, with the ongoing cost only ~ \$10 per class.

To book your child's place text Instructor Paul Raymond on 0414 534 518 or just come along and join in. You can register at: <http://platinumtkd.wixsite.com/platinumtaekwondo/register>

## UWA Judo Club

UWA Judo Club will be offering a weekly class for Nedlands Primary School students at the Altius Centre (undercroft area) during term 4 on Friday afternoon commencing from Friday 12 October (3.30pm - 5.00pm).

Please come along and attend a free trial class to see if this is the sport for you. For ongoing participation, the cost is \$150.00 per term (separate fee may apply for the Judo uniform rental, Judo WA registration and gradings).

If you are interested in giving it a go please email to [uwa.judo@gmail.com](mailto:uwa.judo@gmail.com) for further information or else just role up to a session for a try out.

For any inquiries please contact:  
Peter Swan - UWA School Judo Co-Ordinator.  
Mobile: 0418 904 009  
Email: [swannypg455@gmail.com](mailto:swannypg455@gmail.com)

## Community News



The school does not in any way endorse these products or services. They are community news items included as a Community Service.

**Relationships Australia** 22 Southport Street West Leederville -  
New Parenting Courses available July - December 2018. Contact phone:(08) 6164 0200 to register or [www.relationshipswa.org.au](http://www.relationshipswa.org.au)

**Behaviour Tonics** - Parenting Information Sessions. To enquire/register call 9382 1182 or [www.behaviourtonics.com.au](http://www.behaviourtonics.com.au)

**Triple P Positive Parenting Programs** - Free programs offered by the Department of Education. Want to make family life easier - and happier? Triple P's Power of Positive Parenting seminar can help you understand why kids act the way they do, and how your reactions and words can make a big difference. Our 90-minute seminar is free for all WA parents and carers, and packed with ideas to help you give your children the best start in life, and get more enjoyment out of being a parent. Book your free place now at [www.triplep-parenting.net.au/wa](http://www.triplep-parenting.net.au/wa)  
Find a Triple P session near you:  
<https://www.education.wa.edu.au/triple-p>

**TechXploration Holiday Programs** - September 25th - October 4th Coding & Gaming, Robotics, Website & Youtube Program Ph: 9245 1603 / 0450 534 747 email: [contact@edgyx.com.au](mailto:contact@edgyx.com.au)  
**UWA Kids Holiday Program** - Registrations now open! Spring Program: Tue 25 Sept-Fri 5 Oct

The UWA Kids Sports Holiday Programs are fun and exciting, multi-sport day camps for children aged 4-12 that run during the school holidays. For information ph: 6488 2286 or email: [info@sport.uwa.edu.au](mailto:info@sport.uwa.edu.au)

**SurfBabies & SurfKids** for fun and necessary skills and confidence to safely enjoy the beach. For more information contact Surf Life Saving WA on 9207 6666 or visit [mybeach.com.au/childrensprogram](http://mybeach.com.au/childrensprogram)

**Peak Trampoline** - 2018 during Term 3 Contact details: Lords Recreation Centre, 5 Wembley Court Subiaco Phone: 0431 409 575 or [nic.russell@peaktrampoline.com.au](mailto:nic.russell@peaktrampoline.com.au)

**Maggie Dent** - Taming the Stress Monster in Adolescence on 12 September at Melville Senior High School. more info: [reception@micasaproperty.com](mailto:reception@micasaproperty.com)

**Maritime Day at Fremantle Port** on Saturday 27 October at 10am - 4.00pm. For more information contact Jane Edwards on 9430 3373 or email: [Jane.Edwards@fremantleports.com.au](mailto:Jane.Edwards@fremantleports.com.au) or [www.facebook.com/MaritimeDayAtFremantlePorts/](http://www.facebook.com/MaritimeDayAtFremantlePorts/)

**Cottesloe Surf Lifesaving Club** - Open Day 2018 Sunday 16 September 9.00am - 11.30am New Members Welcome [www.cottsurf.com](http://www.cottsurf.com) Ph: 9383 4400

**Trinity College** warmly invites you to attend our Junior School Open Morning for prospective students in Years 4-6 on Wednesday, 24 October 2018. The morning will commence at 9:30am, followed by a guided tour, Q&A and morning tea. Bookings can be made at: <https://www.trinity.wa.edu.au/enrolments/junior-school-open-morning/>. We look forward to meeting you there!

**Dolphin Water Polo Club** - Season 2018 - 2019 Starts October For more information [www.dolphinwpc.com.au](http://www.dolphinwpc.com.au) or email [admin@dolphinwpc.com.au](mailto:admin@dolphinwpc.com.au)

**Sense Rugby** - Thursdays from 11 October - 13 December at Harvey Feld, Broome Street, Cottesloe. Sign up at <http://www.senserrugby.com.au/sign-up-here/> or contact Katie for more info - [katie.barnes@westernforce.com.au](mailto:katie.barnes@westernforce.com.au) or phone: 0488 990 083

**Nedlands Uniting Kids Holiday Club** - Come join us for a fun afternoon of cooking, craft and games for children Year 1 - 6 on Wednesday 26, September, 2018. Bookings essential Call 0437 187 610 or email [julie.ridden@nedlandsuniting.com](mailto:julie.ridden@nedlandsuniting.com)