



News 5 Term 3
22 September 2022

North Parmelia Now

Together we will be DARING and ROBUST learners.

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Some highlights at North Parmelia PS, as the term draws to a close, have been the sports carnival held last week, the Crescendo Program that has delivered engaging and relevant programs throughout Term 3, the 2022 Year 3 and Year 5 NAPLAN results that continue to exceed expectations and the superb sporting results achieved this term. The entire school community can feel very proud of the students and their achievements. I would like to thank the staff for their commitment and similarly, thank the school community for their support.

The 100 Nights of Reading program will conclude at the end of this term. Congratulations to all of those students who have achieved their goal of reading for 100 nights. There is no better homework activity than at-home reading. Students can engage with their own reading interests, it is self-managing and intrinsically motivating for the students. Home reading is also very educational. Thank you to parents and carers for supporting their children to become involved in this activity. We look forward to offering eligible students a pizza lunch to recognise their efforts, next term.

If parents and carers wish to place preferences for classes in 2023 please provide a written request stating the **educational reason** for your preference to Mrs Kennedy at the front office by Friday 4 November. When placing children, teachers give a great deal of thought to a variety of factors, so it may not always be possible to meet parent requests. Further to this, structural requirements need to be considered when creating classes and these will further impact on student placement.

The P and C committee is working incredibly hard to support school programs. Their endeavours have added to the positive tone in the school as well as providing important fund raising opportunities. The P and C committee have run the canteen every Friday, organised the Father's Day Stall and Raffle and the Book Fair among other things. On behalf of the school community, I would like to thank the P and C for their support of the school.

The final day of Term 3 is Friday, 23 September, 2023 and classes will resume for students on Tuesday, 11 October, 2022. We look forward to welcoming students back, well rested and ready for Term 4, on Tuesday, 11 October 2022. Please note that the school will be closed on Thursday 22 September 2022, for the memorial public holiday, following the passing of Queen Elizabeth.

Peter Elsegood
Principal

We would like to acknowledge the traditional custodians of this land and waters of Australia and the Torres Strait. We respect all Aboriginal and Torres Strait people - their customs and their beliefs. We also pay our respects to elders past and present with particular acknowledgement to the Whadjuk people of the Noongar nation, the traditional owners of the land that our school is built upon.



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Honours & Awards

Congratulations to the following students who received Honour Certificates at our assembly on Tuesday, 13th September 2022.

Room 1	Zaramia B.			Jovan J.
Room 2				
Room 3	Aura B.			Keanu J.
Room 4	Emma V.	Brooklyn D.		Oscar B.
Room 6	Amelia B.			Jace P.
Room 8	Skylah-Ray C.	Josh L.		Violet P.
Room 9				
Room 13	Jamie C.	Justin I.	Elijah K.	Jaxon H.
Room 14	Indy D.		Sadie C.	Crystal W.
Room 15	Room 15			



NAT FYFE AWARD

Last week the Fyfe Award went to Natalee Foster for working hard to improve her kicking and having a go at footy!



Aussie of the Month

The Aussie of the Month award recognises personal endeavour, achievement and contribution to the community.

The award reflects some of the values we share as Australians, a sense of fair play, generosity of spirit, commitment to community participation and a real concern for the environment.

At each classroom assembly, the students of the class vote for a student who they feel lead by example and are a role model for the school. The student is presented with an Aussie Bear, badge and certificate.

Congratulations to Mia A-M for being Room 1's Aussie of the Month recipient.



Mathletics Masters of Maths

We once again have some wonderful Magicians of Maths who have been working hard on Mathletics.

Unfortunately we don't have any gold certificates this term.

We did have 3 Silver Certificates.

Julien D.	Room 8
Violet P.	Room 8
Lily P.	Room 2

There was also **22 Bronze Certificate's** awarded to students. Congratulations to all those students who have been working so hard on their math skills.



ROOM 9's MOST MEMORABLE TERM 3 MOMENTS

Eden loved the Kwinana Library visit during Book Week because she got to meet the Illustrator Peter Cheong and heard about his life story.

Kyan: Interschool Cross Country because I came first and was invited to the State Cross Country where I came 11th. Next year, if I make the team I'm going to Adelaide.

Odin enjoyed the Athletics Carnival because, "It's more fun than work and I can run a lot."

Skylar stated the Cicada performance at Koorliny Art Centre was one of her most memorable moments because it was entertaining and funny. She also enjoyed meeting Peter Cheong.

Jaycee loved going to the theatre and watching Cicada; especially the lights and the voice effects. The clock countdown showed how long it took (17 years in seconds) before the Cicada became a butterfly and flew away to freedom.

Noah loves Hip Hop because "It's fun and sporty."

Ruby can't believe how much fun Term 3 has been. "Being involved in the WA Ballet Program and Hip Hop is great because we learn the Noongar language while we dance."

Hunter's favourite moment was missing school work at the Interschool Cross Country and going home early with his Dad.

Ethan loved dressing up as Darth Vader at the Book Fair. "It was a lot of fun and Malcolm dressed up as Storm Trooper so we sought of go together."

Alexavier loved getting a Star Writer Award at the Assembly as, he has worked so hard towards it.

Chantelle's most memorable moments are the Assemblies. "Being back at school is fun and I really liked the Cicada performance and practising with the WA Ballet."

Kapreece has loved training for the Sports Carnival as she is learning to run faster.

Shanae loved all the activities that celebrated Book Week. The Assembly, the Book Week Parade and dressing up as her favourite book week character. "It has inspired me to use more epic creativity in my work."

Xzavier's most memorable moment was everything to do with books. "The Story Quest Performance was so adventurous and amazing! I loved dressing up as Harry Potter."

Olivia loves going to the early morning choir sessions because "I just love singing. I even thought I saw Natasha and Ally there too."

Austin's highlight of the term is doing weekly ballet lessons because he learns a new Aboriginal language and loads of ballet moves. "Kyle and April make ballet so much fun."

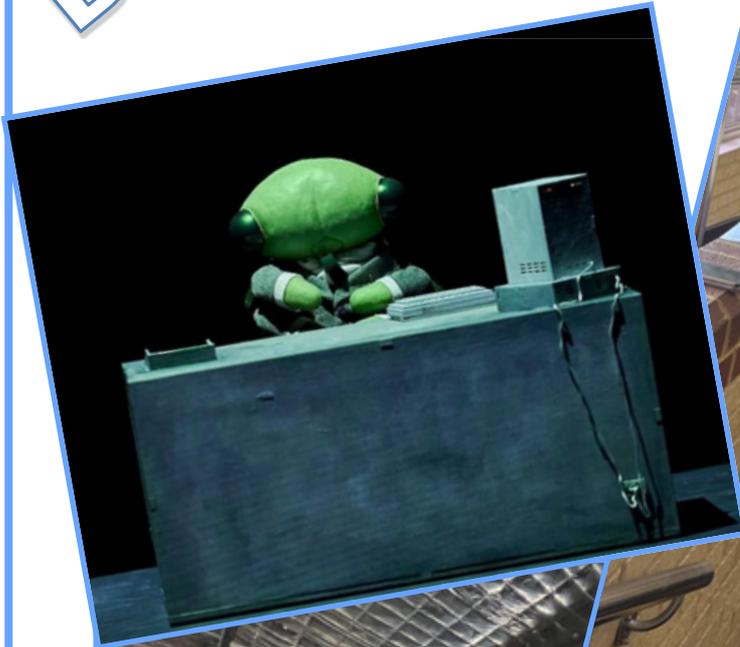
Christina loved going to see Cicada and meeting a famous author at Kwinana Library who told her about what he did in his past.

Malcolm agrees. "The Cicada performance was really fun and entertaining."

Jayvaan "Peter had a sad time at Afghanistan."

What a fantastic term. How lucky are we?

Book Week & Story Quest



PJ Day

On Thursday the 8th September the North Parmelia Year 6 Students held a Pyjama Day for the school community to raise money for the Year 6 Graduation gift to the school.

The graduates raised a total of \$280 and are very grateful to the school community for their support.

There was a great variety of different pyjamas like silk PJ's, Oodies, Dressing Gowns and many more styles. Everyone stayed snug and warm and enjoyed the day.



Faction Athletics Carnival

The scores for the athletics carnival were:

- 1st Challenger- 531
- 2nd Sulphur - 359
- 3rd Parmelia- 350
- 4th Gilmore- 304





Dear Parents & Carers,

The school has over 30 items of clothing in the Parmelia Centre that have not been claimed by students.

We have endeavoured to return labelled items, but many are not labelled.

Please make sure you check the Parmelia Centre in case any of these items belong to your child.





The P&C would like to take this opportunity to thank the school community for their support, and to extend an invitation to all community members to join them in their future fundraising endeavours. A special thankyou to **Kwinana Meat & Poultry** and **Glenn's Butchers** for the donation of sausages for the sports carnival.

Sports Carnival Raffle:

1st Prize: Jovan Joseph. Other prize winners were Tayah D, Sarah P and Hunter P, congratulations to all prize winners and thankyou to everyone for your continued support. Thankyou to Mr Roger Cook, Deputy Premier of WA, for donating the bicycle for our raffle.

Open Night: The P&C will be holding a sausage sizzle on Open Night, Wednesday 19 October. So please come and enjoy the performance, feed the kids and enjoy the night.

Halloween Disco: Friday 28 October, tickets will be available in the office in Term 4. \$8 per ticket which includes a sausage sizzle & drink.

P&C Committee



You're Invited

PRIMARY SCHOOL TRACK & FIELD CARNIVAL

**YOU HAVE BEEN RECOGNISED
AS A CHAMPION ATHLETE BY YOUR SCHOOL**

SPRINTS

80M FOR YEAR 4
AND 100M
YEAR 5 AND 6

TURBO JAVELIN

LONG JUMP

MIDDLE DISTANCE

400M FOR YEAR 4
AND 800M
YEAR 5 AND 6

School Sport WA, in conjunction with UWA Little Athletics Club, would like to invite you to a "Champion of Champions" track & field carnival.

WHEN

FRIDAY 28 OCTOBER 2022
5:00PM - 8:00PM

WHERE

UWA LITTLE ATHLETICS CLUB
MCGILLIVRAY RD, MT CLAREMONT

DETAILS

- The winners, in the listed events, at each Interschool Carnival will be invited to nominate through the SSWA website.
- A Parent/Guardian will need to attend the event with the student.
- The athlete will be representing their school.
- Track events will be run in heats with a final for the 8 fastest runners.
- Long Jump and Turbo Javelin will be best result overall.
- Medals will be awarded to the top three place-getters in each age group in each event.

NOMINATIONS CLOSE • MIDNIGHT 14 OCTOBER 2022 • COST \$10 PER EVENT



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Gilmore
COLLEGE

We transform positive relationships into meeting the unique learning potential of every student.

Join in on one of our Principal's Tours

We warmly invite families of current and prospective students to visit our school for a Tour of the facilities and gain an understanding of the opportunities available for our students.

The 45 minute Tour will commence at 9:00am from the Administration Office at the front of the school. Morning tea and a Question & Answer session will follow the Tour in the conference room. We will answer your questions honestly; explaining our ethos and our passions.

Thursday, 31 March @ 9:00am

Thursday, 23 June @ 9:00am

Thursday, 15 September @ 9:00am

Thursday, 8 December @ 9:00am

College Tours provide prospective and current families the opportunity to visit the school during a normal day, visiting the places where learning and engagement take place and to provide a true sense of Gilmore College. The student leaders in particular are a great source of authentic information about what it means to be a Gilmore College student day to day.

Please note, this is a 'parents only' tour. (Students who enrol at Gilmore College will visit the school for their orientation later in the year.)

Please RSVP by phone on 6595 2700 or email at gilmore.college@education.wa.edu.au

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Families are invited to enjoy a Tour and morning tea with our Principal





NPPS Behaviour Expectations



All NPPS members are expected to demonstrate the following behaviour expectations towards themselves, others and the school.

	Friendliness	Respect	Excellence	Determination
NPPS way At ALL times, in ALL areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use manners • Use kind words and actions • Be fair and encouraging • Share equipment and resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take care of our school and equipment • Respect others and their property • Use appropriate language and volume • Be trustworthy and honest • Follow staff instructions and school expectations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Always wear the school uniform with pride • Show independence • Follow before and after school expectations • Set goals and strive to achieve them • Be a role model of expected behaviours • Follow transition expectations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take responsibility for your own actions and choices • Try to solve problems positively • Have a positive mindset • Be resilient and try your best • Ask for help from a teacher when needed • Be patient • Be cyber safe
Learning time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consider opinions of others • Accept and appreciate others • Take turns • Celebrate other's achievements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be considerate and allow others to learn • Be active listeners • Respect other people's work and belongings • Follow classroom expectations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Challenge yourself to achieve your best • Be responsible for your own learning • Participate in all learning activities • Share your ideas and work in groups equally 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stay focused and complete set tasks • Be persistent • Be actively involved • Reflect and strive to achieve goals
Outside	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include others • Make positive choices 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use all areas and outside equipment appropriately • Always put our rubbish in the correct bin 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stay in your allocated areas • Walk and play safely • Always wear your hat • Be ready for class when the siren goes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finish playing and pack away when you hear the signal • Sit down to eat with manners