

THE LANDING POST

A Newsletter designed to inform our growing school community of
Anne Hamersley Primary School

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Friday 12 October	Colour Run 
Wed-Fri 17-19 October	Year 6 Camp
Monday 22 October	ACER Science Testing - Year 6
Thursday 25 October	Athletics Jumps and Throws
Friday 26 October	Athletics Carnival



Wed-Fri 7-9 November	School Photos
Wednesday 5 December	YEAR 6 GRADUATION
Tuesday 11 December	AHPS CHRISTMAS CONCERT
Thursday 13 December	FINAL ASSEMBLY

Dear Parents and Friends,

I trust you enjoyed the holiday and the quality family time it provided to do all those things together that the busy term precludes you from doing. Our children returned to school on Monday as enthusiastic as ever and as always, beautifully turned out in uniform. One look at the calendar that accompanies this Landing Post will give you an indication of just how busy we are. As always we look to your involvement to make several of these events a success.

COLOUR RUN TOMORROW

The response to our P&C fundraising efforts by giving our children an afternoon of fun has been excellent. Please continue to sponsor this event and make a special effort to come down and be “doused” with colourful paint. The event commences at 1.30 PM with free ice-creams to follow.

SCHOOL NUMBERS 2019

I am making an early start on setting up the school for 2019 as we expect in the order of 460+children to commence the school year. To ensure that children are placed accurately in classes I ask that you inform me if your child will not be returning next year or pass on to me the names of families that may be enrolling. This ensures that we get our “sums right” and start the school year smoothly and continue uninterrupted. If you need to bring to my attention any factors that inform your child’s placement in 2019, please write me a formal letter stating this. In the main, sound educational reasons will be considered as a priority. You are reminded that part of education is children developing and nurturing new circles of friends. We value this aspect of education and factor it into our deliberations while compiling class lists. The process of allocating classes is a complex one that requires teachers to discuss each child in the light of social, psychological and academic factors. Adjusting to new teachers and classmates can affect children in a variety of ways. Be assured that teachers do all they can, relying heavily on performance evidence, to ensure that our children are happy in school, acquiring the essential skills of making new friends and getting used to individual differences in teachers. Evidence of this can be seen on any day in our happy well-adjusted children. As in most schools, children will be placed in “straight classes” - all children in the room at the same year level or “composite classes” - children from two or more year levels in one learning area. As a guide, this year we have two “composite classes”. This is likely to change as building activity in the area continues and school numbers grow. This growth, unpredictable as it is, has prompted me to ask for the provision of yet another transportable classroom for 2019.

K KAPTURE SCHOOL PHOTO DAYS

Our school photo days will be from **Wednesday 7 November to Friday 9 November**. Approximately two weeks prior to the photo days every student will receive a Kapture Photography order envelope to take home. 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 at any time. Alternatively you can pay by cash and return the provided envelope to Kapture on the photography day. Detailed information will be provided in the next addition of The Landing Post, school website and Facebook page to inform parents and caregivers of cost-ing, photo packages, individual student or group photos.

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TECHNOLOGY ADDITIONS

During the school holidays extensive works has been done to our Technology Centre. A number of new power and data points have been added to the school network to accommodate a class of thirty two students. This important upgrade is to ensure that every student has the benefit of operating their own device during individualised learning sessions in the centre. Preparation for future NAPLAN testing as well as working towards mastering touch typing will greatly benefit students with this latest installation. Six new computers have been ordered to add to the existing bank.

YEAR 6 CAMP 2018

Our Year 6 students are getting very excited about going on camp next week. They will be spending three days and two nights at Ern Halliday Recreation Camp in Hillarys, and will be accompanied by Mrs Williams, Mrs Salomon, Mr Hall and Mrs O'Neill. Students will be participating in a range of fun outdoor activities, including abseiling, caving, orienteering and team building. These activities have been designed to help develop important communication, interpersonal, leadership and cooperation skills.

Wise words for the fortnight.....

"The richness of the human experience would lose something of rewarding joy if there were no limitations to overcome."

[Helen Keller]

With best wishes

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National Bandanna Day Tuesday 23rd October 2018 Week 3

National Bandanna Day is fast approaching and we need your help to make this event possible. On Tuesday the 23rd October, we will be hosting a whole school fundraiser for National Bandanna Day. In the lead up to this event, you can purchase bandannas from outside Orelia 2 before school from Monday 15th until Tuesday 23rd October. We will also have a box of bandannas at the front office which you can purchase from between these dates. Students can wear their bandannas during these dates. On Tuesday 23rd, we will be turning AHPS into a rainbow of colour. Every student can wear brightly coloured clothing to school and bring a gold coin donation. On this day, bandannas will be sold outside the library. During recess, there will be cupcakes for sale in the undercover area. If you would like to donate cupcakes to the cupcake stall please email Miss Chambers directly

lauren.chambers@education.wa.edu.au

Please dig deep and donate. Help make sure that no young person goes through their cancer journey alone.



BALI VISIT

Last term Georgina and her Dad, Shane Ziarkievicz, took a trip to Bali. While they were there they took the opportunity to visit our sister school, Kapal SD No1. They met the teachers and the administration staff in the morning. Georgina and Shane were treated to a traditional dance by the students and tours around the school. Georgina said her favourite thing about the visit was seeing how excited the children were to see her and say hi. It was such an amazing opportunity for Shane and Georgina to see what schools are like in Bali and how their education system differs from ours. If you are travelling to Bali and would like to attend our sister school please contact Danella Brown for information.



REMINDER: EARLY CLOSE EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 2.30PM



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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to our very own Ruby-Maree Ugle from Parmelia 1 for being awarded the 'Gold Star Bravery Award' in the school holidays. Ruby-Maree came to the rescue when Mum, Tahni-Maree collapsed in the family home. Ruby-Maree calmly called for help, placed a blanket on her mother and cared for her two younger siblings whilst they waited for help to arrive. We are so proud of her life-saving actions and happy that Mrs Ugle is back in good health.

DEALING WITH DISAPPOINTMENT BY PROFESSOR MATT SANDERS

Despite what certain sport shoe commercials might have you believe, life isn't always about winning.

It is equally important for the development of healthy self-esteem that children learn how to deal with disappointment.

As a reaction to not getting what they want, such as being chosen for a team, children may sometimes put themselves down, saying things like: "I'm dumb", "you hate me" or "I'm just stupid". If this happens, try to avoid being too sympathetic. Instead encourage your child to try again after the set-back and to enjoy the activity or game even if they aren't the winner.

Rather than simply reassuring your child that everything will be okay, you can help your child develop their own sense of worth by letting them know that you understand their feelings of disappointment and that you are there to help them work out a reasonable way of dealing with that disappointment.

Remember too, when you're helping your child with an activity or with homework concentrate on effort not results. Praising your child for trying and making an improvement will motivate them to continue trying at a difficult task.

Professor Matt Sanders is founder of the Triple P – Positive Parenting Program®. For more information go to www.triplepparenting.net

Our Hero!



Starts
October 11
Term 4

Pre-Kindy
classes

Mrs Jackson and Mrs Bell will be running one hour classes for children and parents who are fully enrolled at AHPS 2019 Kindergarten.

- Prepare for 2019 Kindy
- Meet new people
- Play and Learn

Every Thursday

RSVP by
9th October

In Amity 1

There is a choice of 4 classes.
9am, 10.30am, 12.00pm & 1.30pm. Limited places available.

9297 7000 or email Paula.Bell@education.wa.edu.au

STUDENT PASSPORT PROGRAM

Congratulations to the following students that completed their Passports and earned their High Achiever Badges:

Olivia Amato	Eliseo Quintanilla	Willem Naude	Shyla Tawhai
Kari Gutierrez	Dalounny Vilainam	Asiwome Deku	Daniela Schiaffini

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DAILY TIMELINE

Most timeline activities are all about history or what happens over the course of a year or season. Make this timeline activity more relevant and personal for your child by extending the concept to hours and minutes and the various activities your child does each day

What You Need:

- Blank index cards
- Markers

What You Do:

1. Label index cards with various times of the day. Make sure the times you choose are times that something important happens each day (get up, leave for school, go to piano, football or netball practice, bedtime, etc.). Be sure to include "am" and "pm" so that your child has to think about whether this is 7:30 in the morning or the evening.
2. Give the cards to your child and have him fill out the cards according to what he does at these specific times throughout his day. Let him be creative in how he fills the cards out—writing, drawing or any combination of the two.
3. Once the cards are filled out, mix them up and then have your child arrange them in order from earliest to latest.
4. Do the cards that he has made represent his day? If there are gaps, have him make additional cards including the times, and activities, that are most important to him.
5. When he's done, tape the cards together to create his/her daily timeline.



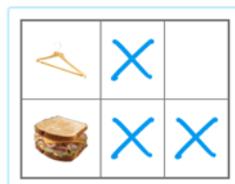
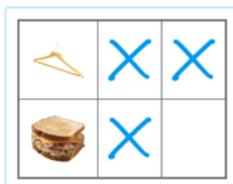
Expand on this activity by having your child create a set of cards for each person in the family (you, Dad, a sibling, etc.). Outline each person's cards in a different colour so that you can tell at a glance who each card represents. Can you use them to create a large family timeline? Or, is it easier to make a separate timeline for each member of the family? What does each way of assembling the timeline tell you?

MATHS MANIA

Look at the picture



Which graph shows the number of hangers and sandwiches? Circle the correct answer.



Mr Guy
Deputy Principal



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SCHOOL COMMUNITY NEWS Updates from your P&C Association

Colour Explosion

This Friday is our first Colour Explosion Fun-Run. Starting at 1:30pm, please send all students in old sneakers, old shorts and a white shirt. Students will get slightly damp to allow the colour to stick, therefore a towel for the car ride home after school would be advisable. Parents are encouraged to come down and participate bring a super soaker if you have one. There are some amazing prizes that the students can win from their sponsorship efforts as well as the fun of the run! Sponsorship will continue until next Friday 19th October so keep striving for you sponsorship goal.



Athletics Carnival Friday 26th October

The AHPS Athletics Carnival is being held on Friday 26th October, and we will again be organising a sausage sizzle for the children and spectators throughout the day. Children's pre-orders will be packed up ready for when the children break for lunch. The sausage sizzle and cake stall will be operating all day for spectators to purchase something to eat or drink. This is a perfect opportunity to come along and share lunch with your children and cheer them on in their sporting events. We are also again seeking the support of our school community with the kind donation of baked goods for our cake stall. If you are able to please contribute a cake, slice or biscuits, could you please drop them off to the P&C tent at the oval on Friday morning. Please be aware we are a Nut Aware School when baking. Your assistance is much appreciated.



Bunnings Ellenbrook Fundraiser 27th October

We will be at Bunnings in Ellenbrook on Saturday 27th October holding a Sausage Sizzle fundraiser. One of our main fundraising drives for this year is the provision of a shade sail for the new Early Childhood playground. We are eagerly looking for volunteers to assist throughout the day to keep things running smoothly – below is a guide of the times we will be operating. If you have a few hours to spare and are able to assist, please let us know via email, Facebook message or via the front office.

Anne Hamersley Primary School P&C Association
Bunnings Help Roster - Date: Saturday 15 September



NAME	PHONE	SETUP 7.30AM	8AM- 10AM	10AM- 12PM	12PM- 2PM	2PM- 4.30PM

Our details

We welcome new members at any stage throughout the year and parent helpers at all of our events. If you have any suggestions or ideas you would like to share with us, please drop us a line in our new Suggestions Box in the front office. To stay up to date with events and requests for volunteers or to contact us at any time, please visit and like our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/Anne-Hamersley-Primary-School-PC-Association-Inc-1558093001148025/> or send us an email at AHPS_pandc@hotmail.com



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TERM PLANNER - Term 4

1	08 October	9 October	10 October	11 October Pre Kindy Classes	12 October Colour Run	13 October	14 October Jump Jam Competition
2	15 October	16 October	17 October Yr 6 Camp K-5 Jump Jam 1.30-20pm Demonstration	18 October Pre Kindy Classes Yr 6 Camp Assembly – C2	19 October Yr 6 Camp	20 October	21 October
3	22 October ACER Science Testing Yr 6	23 October National Bandana Day K-6 Camp Quality Puppet theatre	24 October Puberty Course Yr 5-6	25 October Pre Kindy Classes Athletics Jumps & Throws	26 October Athletics Carnival	27 October Bunnings Sausage Sizzle	28 October
4	29 October	30 October Mod Cross Classes Parliament House Lunch Captains & Councillors	31 October P1, P3, P4 Excursion Brownes Puberty Course Yr 5-6	1 November Pre Kindy Classes P2, P5 Excursion Brownes Assembly – C1	2 November Have a go Carnival	3 November	4 November
5	5 November	6 November Mod Cross Classes	7 November School Photo's Puberty Course Yr 5-6	8 November Pre Kindy Classes School Photo's	9 November School Photos	10 November Bunnings Sausage Sizzle	11 November
6	12 November Triple P Seminar 1 9am – 11am	13 November Mod Cross Classes	14 November Puberty Course Yr 5-6	15 November Pre Kindy Classes Assembly – C3	16 November Kindy Incursion – Farmyard on wheels K – 2 Transition	17 November	18 November
7	19 November Triple P Seminar 2 9am – 11am	20 November Kindy Induction Mod Cross Classes Calista Excursion – State Library	21 November Puberty Course Yr 5-6	22 November Pre Kindy Classes Pre Primary Induction	23 November ESC Orientation – Yr 6 K – 2 Transition	24 November	25 November
8	26 November Triple P Seminar 3 9am – 11am	27 November	28 November	29 November Pre Kindy Classes	30 November K – 2 Transition	1 December	2 December
9	3 December	4 December	5 December Year 6 Graduation	6 December Pre Kindy Classes	7 December House Sausage Sizzle K – 2 Transition	8 December	9 December
10	10 December Reports Emailed	11 December Christmas Concert Sausage Sizzle	12 December	13 December Final Assembly & Book Awards	14 December SDD DAY	15 December	16 December



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COMMUNITY NEWS

Small changes,
big differences.



FREE Triple P 0-12 Years Seminar The Power Of Positive Parenting

Seminar Series Triple P provides an introduction to the principles of positive parenting for parents of children aged 3 – 12 years.

All parents are invited to attend free seminars to learn practical and positive ways to:

- strengthen bonds with your children;
- encourage social and language skills;
- develop children's emotional self-regulation, independence and problem solving ability;
- manage common behavioural concerns.

DATES	Monday mornings (Term 4 – Week 6, 7 and 8)
12th Nov -	<i>Children's behaviour - the tough part of parenting</i>
19th Nov -	<i>Raising confident children</i>
26th Nov -	<i>Raising emotionally resilient children</i>
TIME	9am – 11am
VENUE	Anne Hamersley Primary School
COST	Free
	You may attend one, two or all three seminars.

BOOKINGS AND MORE INFORMATION

Please call Anne Hamersley Primary School on 9297 7000 to register or email at annehamersley.ps@education.wa.edu.au

** Child care will be available on the day. Please enquire when registering.



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NICK CORRIGAN SOCCER SCHOOLS

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

AT Swan Valley Anglican Community School

term **4** 9 week program

P-P's to Year 6's
Starting Wednesday 17th October to 5th December
3.10pm - 4.10pm
Contact Nick today & reserve your place!

Swan Valley Anglican Community School take no responsibility for any sporting activity being held on school grounds after school hours. Under no circumstances should contact be made directly to Swan Valley Anglican Community School. All correspondences must go directly through to the soccer school.

Office: 9304 8111 Mobile: 0409 118 228
Email: nick1965@bigpond.com www.ncsoccerschools.com.au

NICK CORRIGAN SOCCER SCHOOLS

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

AT Swan Valley Anglican Community School

Starting Saturday 13th October - 15th December
Contact Nick today & reserve your place!

Little Littlies 3 & 4 years 9.00 am 30 mins
Middlies 5, 6 & 7 years 9.45 am 60 mins
Biggies 8, 9 & 10 years 10.50 am 60 mins
Teenies 11, 12 & 13 years 10.50 am 60 mins

10 week program

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