



From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents,

READING

In addition to reading to your children at home each day, you may be able to afford our school some of your time to support other young people.

Over the past years it has been our good fortune to have parents work with us as part of our Ready Readers team. The team forms part of our early intervention strategy designed by Golden Bay PS staff. The additional support enables students to develop greater confidence and reading skills using a one on one program. Volunteers are trained by staff with our easy and fully scripted reading prompts.

If you can afford one to two hours on one day each week please collect a volunteer slip from the front office and Ms Alyssa Marsh (teacher) will be in touch with you.

In the words of Dr Pamela High, "Those 15-20 minutes spent reading with a child can be the best part of the day. It's a joyous way to build child-parent relationships and set a child on the pathway to developing early literacy skills."

INTERNET USE AND SECURITY

Thank you for providing information to staff regarding some current concerns relating to a social media challenge that allegedly embeds in other programs used by young people (E.g. YouTube).

Please be assured that, in addition to the ICT agreements that are signed by you and your child in order to use our school devices, all safety nets provided by the Department are in place at our school and children are monitored during their time on the devices.

Unfortunately we are unable to monitor home devices but would strongly suggest that young people are monitored while using any electronic devices at home. The Police Community Engagement Unit (delivering information to young people at our school each year) often stress the importance of electronic devices being used in plain sight of adults and in areas such as the kitchen/dining/living room.

CONTRIBUTIONS

Your contribution to our school is very much appreciated and goes a long way to supporting programs and resources for the library, classroom and playground. If you haven't as yet paid your contribution you can do so using direct deposit to the school bank account. Account details: ANZ Bank Mandurah BSB: 016-745 Account No. 393342748.

New Incentive Scheme

For each contribution paid a ticket will be entered in the school raffle to be drawn in term 4 at the week 4 assembly. Six winners will receive a complete booklist for the following school year.

PARENT INFORMATION AFTERNOON

It was wonderful to see so many parents attend our parent information sessions last week. Staff believe in the importance of effective and timely communication. They were pleased to provide you with an overview of what will be covered across the year. There will be a strong emphasis on making the intent of learning visible to the learner.

SCHOOL BOARD

You will have received my note seeking nominations for two School Board vacancies in 2019. I would be most pleased to share a conversation with interested parties. Being a part of the School Board is a rich and rewarding experience that provides great insights and the opportunity to be a part of the governing body of the school. Please don't hesitate to contact me and find out more information.

I look forward to welcoming newly appointed School Board members at our next meeting.

Teaching – A mindful response to learning.

PETA LAWRENCE
PRINCIPAL

SCHOOL NOTICE BOARD



TERM DATES 2019

Term 1

Monday 4 February—Friday 12 April

Term 2

Monday 29 April—Friday 5 July

Term 3

Monday 22 July—Friday 27 September

Term 4

Monday 14 October—Thursday 19 December

Public Holidays

Labour Day—Monday 4 March

Western Australia Day Monday 3 June

School Development Days

Monday April 29

Monday 22 July

Monday 14 October

Friday 20 December

(No students on this day)

Last Day for Students

Thursday 19 December 2019

2019 IMPORTANT DATES

Term 1

Scope IT

12 February—10 April - weekly

Interschool Summer Carnival

20 March

Pink Stumps Day

21 March

Interschool Swimming

3 April

Last Day for Students

Friday 12 April

RE: Kindergarten & Pre-primary Arrival & Dismissal

In the interest of ongoing safety, I ask that all students be dropped off and picked up from the Kindergarten and Pre-primary classrooms by a parent or a nominated adult.

If there is a change to drop off or pick up arrangements please notify the classroom teacher and Administration staff so that your child's contact list can be updated immediately.

Adults nominated by parents will be asked to provide proof of identification by the teacher at the time of collection.

If you require further information please contact me on 9583 8800.

Thank you for your support with this important matter.

Kind regards,
PETA LAWRENCE
PRINCIPAL

VERY IMPORTANT - School Car Parks

We are very fortunate to have a total of 96 car parking bays for parents and visitors in the Tangadee Road and Arizona Parade car parks down either side of the school. A further 28 indented parallel bays can be accessed roadside.

For safety reasons I allocated the car park at the front of the school on Thundelarra Drive as a 'Staff Only' car park. A number of families cross in the 'walk area' of the car park at the start and finish of school.

With good reason, I respectfully ask that parents not use this car park at all, unless they have a child with a disability requiring close parking.

PETA LAWRENCE
PRINCIPAL

GOLDEN BAY PRIMARY SCHOOL WEBSITE

All school information, programs, notes to parents, and key events can be found on the Golden Bay Primary School website at the following address:

www.goldenbayps.wa.edu.au



PRIME MINISTER

MINISTER FOR EDUCATION

Dear parents, carers and the school community,

Keeping our children safe is a shared responsibility. Schools, governments at all levels, the Australian community and, first and foremost, parents take this obligation seriously.

As parents, we know that it can be challenging to raise children today in a world where risks to safety can appear not only on the street but online. And it is not always easy to navigate when the online world can have real world physical and mental health impacts.

That is why our Government has developed resources to empower parents (and schools) to protect children and prepare them to be resilient, responsible and respectful adults:

- www.esafety.gov.au – resources that promote online safety including tackling image-based abuse and a complaints service for young Australians who experience serious cyberbullying.
- www.studentwellbeinghub.edu.au – support for students, parents and teachers to create a learning environment that promotes student wellbeing and the development of respectful relationships.

You can also visit www.bullyingnoway.gov.au for education and advice for kids, parents and schools on how to combat and respond to bullying.

Whatever age your kids, it is never too late to make changes to improve their welfare. With the fresh start that a new school year brings we encourage you to use these resources for practical advice on keeping your family safe and well through the year.

Yours sincerely

Handwritten signature of Scott Morrison in blue ink.

SCOTT MORRISON

Handwritten signature of Dan Tehan in blue ink.

DAN TEHAN



CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES 2019

Dear Parents/Guardians,

The Golden Bay Primary School Board has endorsed the schedule of Contributions and Charges for this year. The schedule is broken into three sections and provides families the opportunity to calculate and plan for all costs that they may incur throughout the school year.

1 CONTRIBUTIONS (as per voluntary contribution made by parents under Section 99 of the School Education Act)

Financial Support provided by parents supports the provision of resources that extend the school's capacity to add value to students' learning experience.

Contributions are **\$55.00 per child (years K-6)**.

This charge was endorsed by the School Board and falls below the maximum set (\$60.00 per child) in the School Education Regulations 2000.

Money collected is used to supplement school expenditure across the Learning Areas and for Resource Materials. The quality of teaching and learning programs is enhanced when all families support the school. For example, parent contributions enable schools to provide multiple sets of reading books for use with ongoing student assessment.

Payment methods

- Complete payment for each child using the payment slip below, EFTPOS, or via direct deposit;
- If more than one child in each family, it is acceptable to pay for each child at different times;
- Contact Kristy McGregor, Manager Corporate Services, for a payment plan across the first three terms;
- Contact Kristy McGregor, Manager Corporate Services, to negotiate a different plan for your family
- **Direct deposit in to the school bank account as follows:**

**Golden Bay Primary School
BSB 016-745 (ANZ Mandurah)
Account 393342748**

Please use your child's surname as the reference

New Incentive Scheme

Contribution paid for each child by the end of term 3 will be entered in the school raffle. The draw will be held in term 4 at the week 4 assembly.

Six winners will receive a complete booklist for the following school year. Year 6 students will receive a voucher towards their high school booklist.

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Contribution Payment Slip – Please return to Golden Bay Primary School Administration

Please find enclosed \$ _____ being payment for _____

for my child/ren _____ . OR

Please debit my VISA MASTERCARD _____ Expiry ____/____ CCV _____

For the amount of \$ _____ being payment for _____

for my child/ren _____ .

9 Thundelarra Drive, Golden Bay, WA, 6174

Telephone: (08) 9583 8800

Email: kristy.mcgregor@education.wa.edu.au

2 CHARGES

The Golden Bay Primary School Board has approved the following breakdown of estimated "upper limit" charges for student participation in incursions, excursions and in-term swimming in accordance with Section 100 of the School Education Act. Students will only incur costs when they are involved in an activity. The amounts indicated on the Schedule represent the maximum charge for all scheduled activities for the year. As in the past, you will be asked to make payment for each activity prior to the event. A detailed explanation of the school charges is attached in the document titled **Maximum School Charges Schedule**.

Year	Charges	Year	Charges
Kindergarten	\$140	Year 4	\$ 450
Pre Primary	\$299	Year 5	\$ 422
Year 1	\$395	Year 6	\$1724
Year 2	\$395		
Year 3	\$354		

3 PERSONAL ITEMS (refers to student personal items (booklist) proposed under Section 108 of the School Education Act)

The following year level expense breakdown has been approved by the Golden Bay Primary School Board. Items can be supplied by **West School Supplies** or your preferred stationery supplier. Year level lists will be distributed to students. The list will detail pick up dates and times for January 2019.

Year	Cost	Year	Cost
Kindergarten A	\$48.15	Year 3	\$ 65.75
Kindergarten B	\$47.85	Year 4	\$ 96.80
Pre Primary	\$63.65	Year 5	\$ 90.00
Year 1	\$97.80	Year 6	\$119.90
Year 2	\$97.80		

Should you require further clarification please do not hesitate to contact Kristy McGregor, Manager Corporate Services on 9583 8800 at your earliest convenience.

Yours sincerely



Peta Lawrence
Principal, Golden Bay Primary School
16 November, 2018

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Star ^{merit} Awards



Ariyah	Year PP	1.1			
Mason	Year PP	1.1	Malia	Year 4	T3
Rahni	Year PP	1.2	Lattarna	Year 4	T3
Estella	Year PP	1.2	Anabel	Year 2	T4
Lucas	Year PP	1.3	Nash	Year 1	T4
Cameron	Year PP	1.3	Oliver	Year 3	3.1
Jett	Year 2	4.2	Kaiden	Year 3	3.1
Kelly	Year 2	4.2	Shaun	Year 3	3.2
Lincoln	Year 1	4.1	April	Year 3	3.2
Breeanna	Year 1	4.1	Kantrelle	Year 5	2.3
Scarlett	Year 2	I.E	Lucas	Year 5	2.3
Beau	Year 1	I.E	Annalise	Year 6	2.4
Jai	Year 4	3.3	Austin	Year 6	2.4
Semi	Year 4	3.3	Logan	Year 6	2.1
Kloe	Year 4	3.4	Owen	Year 6	2.1
Emelia	Year 4	3.4	Isla	Year 5	2.2
Roman	Year 2	T1	TJ	Year 5	2.2
Blake	Year 1	T1			
Cooper	Year 1	T2			
Chloe	Year 2	T2			

Assembly



WACA EXCURSION

Last Friday Mr and Mrs Green took some extremely excited year 6 students to the WACA to watch a Women's International cricket match between Australia and New Zealand. Mr Green won the free tickets in a competition.

On arrival there was face painting in Australian and New Zealand colours, signs of 4 and 6, and a blow up hand.

Jackson, Cara and Maddison were selected to march on to the field before the match and sing the National Anthems with the teams. They were presented with Big Bash colours. The match was exciting with each four scored celebrated with cheering and a Mexican Wave.

It was a brilliant day and of course our students represented Golden Bay with the best behaviour.

Stephen Green

PE Teacher



SAVE THE DATE

Term 1: March 27th to April 1st

BOOKFAIR

Wednesday- Monday
before school: 8:15-9
after school: 2:30-3

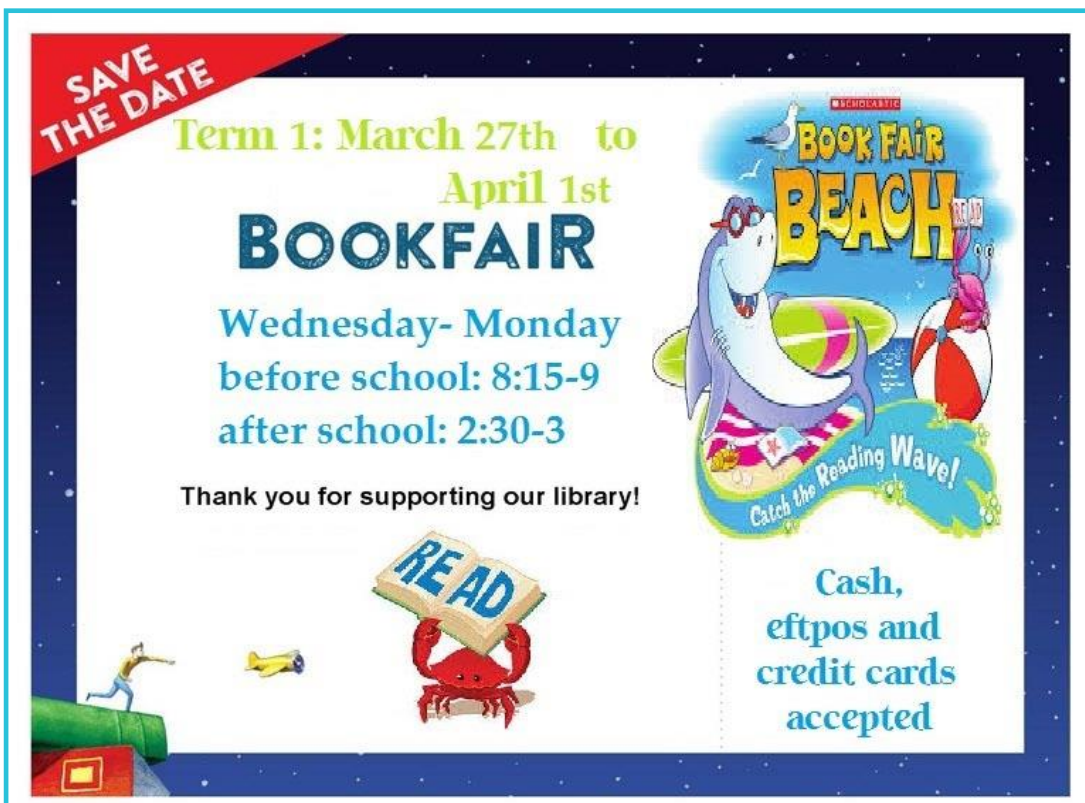
Thank you for supporting our library!

READ

BOOK FAIR BEACH

Catch the Reading Wave!

Cash, eftpos and credit cards accepted





CAR PARK CAFE



5.30pm - 7.30pm

Golden Bay Shopping Village Car Park
Dampier Drive, Golden Bay

Come down for some community fun as the Golden Bay Shopping Village Car Park is transformed into a vibrant outdoor café for the summer!



Local Business Pop-ups



Fish & Chips



Food Stalls & Trucks



Giant Games



Live Music



Relaxation Zone

...And a great opportunity to meet and chat with your local supporting businesses



For more information contact Zoya on 9284 0910 or via email at zoya@creatingcommunities.com.au



Government of Western Australia
Department of Communities



GOLDEN BAY PRIMARY SCHOOL
Parents and Citizens Association Inc.

Term 1
Subway Lunches
1st 15th & 29th March, 12th April
School Banking (located in the canteen)
Every Friday 8.15am-8.40am
\$1 Friday Fun Day
8th & 22nd March, 5th April
Pink Stumps Sausage Sizzle
21st March
Easter Raffle Draw
11th April



School Banking day is FRIDAY.

Remember, **FRIDAY** is School Banking day between 8.20-8.40am in the undercover area. Students should bring in their weekly deposit to the undercover area.

For every deposit made at school, students will receive a silver Dollarmites token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for an exclusive School Banking reward item in recognition of their regular savings habits.

School Banking is also a great fundraiser for our school. Our school receives a Regular Savers Contribution of \$5 for every 10 deposits processed per student as well as an Annual Contribution which is based on the number of students who made at least one School Banking deposit in the prior year.

If your child has lost their book, they can bring their money to school in a sealed envelope with a note on the next School Banking day. We will issue them with a replacement.

Thank you for supporting the School Banking program at Golden Bay Primary School. We would also like to thank the wonderful parents who volunteer as our School Banking Co-ordinators and process our banking every week.

If you would like to know more about School Banking, please ask for a 2019 School Banking program information pack from the school office or visit commbank.com.au/schoolbanking.

The rewards available during 2019 are:

- Scented Stackable Highlighters
- Snowy Origami Set
- Icicle Starband Ruler
- Yeti Fluffy Notepad
- Arctic Owl Fluffy Keyring
- Scratch Art Cards
- Water Skimming Bounce Ball
- Polar Pencils & Pencil Toppers



Parents, we're Fundraising with Bows in 2019! Our school uniform colours have been turned in to custom bows, clips, hair ties, and headbands by School Ponytails, and we'll be raising funds for our kids with every purchase!

We currently have 2 options available for ordering:

Option 1: At the Uniform Shop, cash payments only. The Uniform Shop hours are Mondays 8.15am -8.40am.

Option 2: Purchase online on the website below using the code FUNDRAISER GOLDEN BAY.

Please note if you do not use this code, funds will not be returned to the P & C.

www.SchoolPonytails.com.au

We have a great selection for sale. We kindly thank you in anticipation of you helping us achieve our yearly contribution goals to our school.



OPTIONAL

School Uniform Hair Accessories

NOW AVAILABLE



SHOP AT OUR SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP



Order
Online

(Use the code in the cart to avoid the fundraising share
back to our school (shipping fees apply)

Shop online: www.SchoolPonytails.com.au



FUNDRAISING ORDER FORM

