



# Golden Bay Primary

**Newsletter**

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## From The Principal's Desk

Dear Parents,

### Uniform Shop

I can confirm that the uniform shop will be open between 10.00am - 1.00pm on Thursday 30 January 2020. This will enable parents to purchase uniforms prior to the commencement of 2020 school year. My sincere thanks to the P&C and parents who voluntarily operate the shop for us.

### Dance Extravaganza

How amazing! Outstanding dance routines by outstanding young people. It was fabulous to see all the proud parents at our dance Extravaganza last Friday. Lots of highly positive comments from the many parents and grandparents in attendance.



### Outdoor activities and Sun Care

Given that summer is now upon us, I've replenished sunscreen across the school with bottles available in each classroom. Additional general pump bottles are always available for excursions/incursions and outdoor activities. I know many parents apply sunscreen of their choice each morning before the start of the school day. Thank you.



All staff have been respectfully reminded to encourage students to use the available sunscreen (in the absence of known sensitivities and allergies) and to wear their hats during lunch, recess, PE and Sport. This is a part of our dress requirements. Students not wearing a hat are routinely asked to play in the shade.

Can parents please name hats well given that many end up in the Administration Office each day.

### Future Focused Learning

The young learners in Pre-primary 1.3 have done outstanding work discovering how to share happiness. Full article on page 6 of this newsletter.



### Reports

The plan is for student reports to be placed on CONNECT on Friday 13 December. Please see class teachers if you require an additional meeting to discuss your child's report.

### Last day Term 4

The last day of school for 2019 is Thursday 19 December. I wish everyone a safe and relaxing holiday with family and friends.

**PETA LAWRENCE**

**PRINCIPAL**

# Calendar

## TERM DATES 2019

Term 4 Monday 14 October–Thursday 19 December

School Development Day (No Students)

Friday 20 December

Last Day 2019 for Students

Thursday 19 December 2019

## 2019 IMPORTANT DATES

### TERM 4

Kindy Cafe Wednesday 11 December

Year 6 Graduation Tuesday 17 December

Year 4-6 Book Awards Tuesday 17 December

PP-year 3 Book Awards Wednesday 18 December

Last day students Thursday 19 December

## 2020 IMPORTANT DATES

### TERM 1

Monday 3 February - Thursday 9 April

#### Public Holidays

Labour Day Monday 2 March

Good Friday Friday 10 April

#### GOLDEN BAY

#### PRIMARY SCHOOL WEBSITE

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

**[www.goldenbayps.wa.edu.au](http://www.goldenbayps.wa.edu.au)**

#### **School Bank account details.**

Golden Bay Primary  
BSB 016–745 (ANZ Mandurah)  
Account 393342748

## Merit Certificates

Congratulations to our well deserving students who have individually achieved recognition of classroom work and displaying the values of Golden Bay Primary. Well done!



<b>Korah</b>	Pre-primary	1.1	<b>Astrid</b>	Year 4	3.3
<b>Angelina</b>	Pre-primary	1.2	<b>Joshua</b>	Year 4	3.3
<b>Dylan</b>	Pre-primary	1.3	<b>Grove</b>	Year 4	T3
<b>Blake</b>	Year 1	T1	<b>Eva</b>	Year 4	T3
<b>Imogen</b>	Year 2	T1	<b>Ryley</b>	Year 3	3.4
<b>Ace</b>	Year 1	T2	<b>Sophie</b>	Year 3	3.4
<b>Chloe</b>	Year 2	T2	<b>Shampaigne</b>	Year 5	2.3
<b>Kaydence</b>	Year 1	4.2	<b>Nash</b>	Year 5	2.3
<b>Nicolas</b>	Year 1	IE	<b>Bailey</b>	Year 6	2.4
<b>Sofia</b>	Year 1	T4	<b>Jake</b>	Year 6	2.4
<b>Chanelle</b>	Year 2	T4	<b>Owen</b>	Year 6	2.1
<b>Junior</b>	Year 2	4.1			
<b>Isaac</b>	Year 2	4.1			
<b>April</b>	Year 3	3.2			
<b>Chiara</b>	Year 3	3.2			

We welcome parents, care givers and members of the community to join us every fortnight at our assembly.

Assemblies commence at 9:00am. Please come and celebrate our success and progress.

# Golden Moments

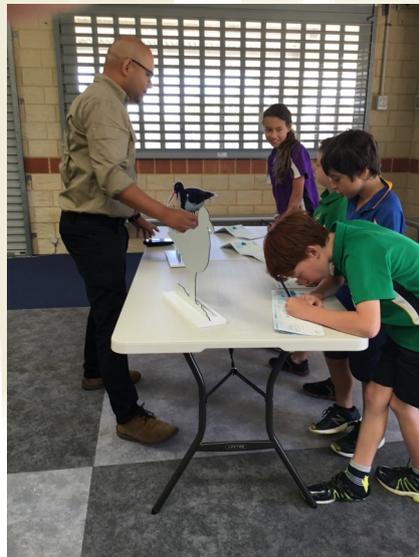


## 'Bring in a Beach' incursion.

On Wednesday, the year 3's were fortunate to have Wayne from Coastal Care join us for a 'Bring in a Beach' incursion. The focus was on handling and investigating real objects that have been washed up along our coasts, with a focus on biodiversity, classification and marine pollution.

The incursion included six hands-on rotations that supported student learning about their own coastline and nearest beach. Students were encouraged to feel a connection with their coastline and learn strategies to help keep it clean and sustainable.

The two sessions ran for approximately one hour during which the students were fully engaged and excited. They consolidated the valuable learning we have already been doing on protecting our oceans and coastlines.



## Future Focused Learning

The students in Pre-primary 1.3 have been discovering how to share happiness. This semester PP 1.3 have been focusing on helping the homeless. They have worked really hard all semester to finger knit a beautiful blanket. A special thanks to Cid for putting all our knitting together – the blanket looked amazing and the students were really proud! They also collected clothes that they no longer wore and donated them to those in need. Pastor Josh from Eastlake Church, was invited to our class to hear about our initiative and to receive the donations. He will distribute the items for us.

Pastor Josh wrote this message to the students.

“Dear Pre-primary Class,

You have inspired me with your happiness project. Everybody deserves HOPE, HAPPINESS and LOVE. You are helping change people’s lives. Thank you so much. I can’t wait to see all the smiles.



# Dance Extravaganza



## Chaplain update

Hello everyone,

I want to firstly thank every student, staff member and parent for making me feel welcome at Golden Bay Primary this year.

I love being your Chaplain and helping you grow just as much as you help me grow.

This term I have been making stress balls with some of the students.

A stress ball is a very helpful tool to use whenever you feel sad, mad, anxious, bored or just because you feel like it.

Look at the picture below to see instructions on how to make one.

I also want to wish every family in our school community a Merry Christmas.

May you feel blessed throughout this Christmas season and enjoy the love and festivities.

I look forward to seeing everyone back at Golden Bay Primary in 2020 for another great year of learning and fun.

Be safe and be kind to yourself and others.

Chaplain Joané

### How to make a stress ball for those stressful moments



You need:  
2 Balloons  
2 scoops of flour or rice  
1 sandwich/freezer bag

- Cut the tips off the balloons.
- Put the flour or rice in the sandwich bag and twist the top.
- Put the sandwich bag of flour or rice into one balloon.
- Then place a second balloon over the first one.

Your stress ball is now ready to use.

# Golden Bay Parents and Citizens Information

## Term 4

### Subway Lunches

Finished for 2019

### School Banking (operating outside the School Canteen)

Every Friday 8:15am - 8:40am

### \$1 Fun Friday

13 December

### 2019 Donations and Sponsors

**Thank you for your ongoing support!**

PEET - Creating Communities

Subway Secret Harbour

Hon. Paul Papalia

Chipmunks Port Kennedy

Golden Bay Cleaning

## **SUBWAY AT SCHOOL**

P&C will be offering a Subway at School lunch special for all students and staff fortnightly on Fridays.

The meals are \$6.00 and come with a 6-inch Sub and drink. Several healthy options are available to choose from with part proceeds from every meal ordered going back to our P&C to fundraise towards our Year 6 Canberra Study Tour.

Please complete the below order form with the correct money (no change given) in a sealed envelope and return to your class teacher by Thursday.

**Please note no orders can be taken after Thursday morning**

**Subway lunches are on the following dates:**

Finished for 2019

## **\$1 FRIDAY FUN DAY**

Our P&C will be holding \$1 Friday Fun Days to fundraise to go towards our ongoing yearly contributions on alternating Fridays to Subway.

During lunchtime, P&C members will be selling juice boxes, icy poles and popcorn for \$1 each.

There is no need to pre-order, students can just purchase on the day.

**For Kindy and Pre-primary - please write student name, order, and room number on an envelope with the correct change. Your order will be delivered to the classroom.**

Friday Fun Days will be held on the following dates:

13 December.

Please find all P&C information on our Website

<https://www.goldenbayps.wa.edu.au/pc-association/>

## Golden Bay Parents and Citizens Information



### 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 Dollar mites token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for an exclusive School Banking reward item in recognition of their regular saving 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 and on the next 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-coordinators and process our banking every week.

For more information visit [commbank.com.au/schoolbanking](http://commbank.com.au/schoolbanking)



## Christmas Raffle

The P&C is running a Christmas hamper raffle this year. The raffle will be drawn on 13 December. Raffle tickets are \$1 each. We are asking for donations of items suitable for mixed hampers and hope that students/families will support us to make up some wonderful hamper prizes.

Notes have been sent home with item suggestions for each year level.

Please place your donation in the box in the front office by 11 December



Community

# COACH GLOSSOP HOLIDAY CAMP.



W. COACH GLOSSOP

15TH TO 17TH  
JANUARY 2020

INTERMEDIATE  
11 TO 14 YEARS OLD  
11.30AM TO 1.30PM

SENIOR 15+  
2PM TO 4PM

MIKE BARNETT SPORTS COMPLEX  
COST: \$120.00  
INCLUDES BASKETBALL & T-SHIRT

REGISTER VIA

[ROCKINGHAMFLAMES.COM.AU/HOLIDAY-CAMPS](http://ROCKINGHAMFLAMES.COM.AU/HOLIDAY-CAMPS)



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# JUNIOR HOLIDAY CAMP

15 TO 17 JANUARY  
9AM - 11AM

MIKE BARNETT  
SPORTS COMPLEX

\$120 INC. BASKETBALL  
& T-SHIRT

5-10  
YEAR OLDS

REGISTER VIA  
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