



Nexus Issue 8
29 May 2023

The Canteen is open on
Wednesday and Friday

Week 6

Friday 2 June

Yr 4 Rm 12 Assembly

Wednesday 31 May

Mathematics Parents
Workshop—9am in the
school library.

A Message from the Principal

Attadale PS Families,

With the long weekend ahead, I'm sure our staff and students are looking forward to the extra break after a productive first half of the term.

Last Friday many of our Year 5 and Year 6 students participated in the Winter Carnival. As always, they participated fully and displayed our school values win lose or draw. Thanks to Mr Fritchley and staff who ran training and coached on the day.

Saturday marked the start of Reconciliation Week across Australia. Recently as a staff we reflected on the work we have been doing in this space through our Reconciliation Action Plan. This reflection highlighted areas to celebrate and plans for continuing to embed the processes, values and learning into our school culture.

In the past week, we have had a whole school focus on our listening behaviours which has resulted in a number of Letters of Commendation for students across the school who are displaying these behaviours in class. It has been pleasing to see so many students working hard in this area which will result in more teaching and learning time in the classroom.

On Friday Jane Duff, our school chaplain finished her time at Attadale PS. Although only here a short time, she had developed some great relationships with students and staff across our school. Thanks to Jane for her work and best of luck for your next adventure. Once a new chaplain is appointed, we will introduce them to the community.

Thanks

Phil Springett



LATEST TERM PLANNER

TERM DATES

WEBSITE

EMAIL US

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY



We would like to acknowledge the traditional owners of the land on which we meet today, the Whadjuk people of the Noongar Nation of Australia and pay our respects to the elders of the past, present and emerging.



Parliament News



Emily Simmonds

Premier

Cam Brindle

**Minister for
Communications**

Demi Fairhead

**Minister for
Resources**

Finnian Scott

**Minister for
Environment**

Lily Van Dongen

**Minister for
Sports**

Austin Leonard

**Minister for
Cultural Affairs**

Hi, I'm Emily Simmonds and I'm your Premier. I'm here to update you on what the parliamentarians have been up to the last couple of weeks!

GIVE A CAN, IF YOU CAN

Austin (Minister for Cultural Affairs) and Cam (Minister for Communications) are running the St Pat's Collection - Bring a Can if you Can! St Pat's is a great organisation for people that are less fortunate and need some food or a bed to sleep on. Sadly, for the 1st time in 50 years St Pat's is running out of cans so they need our help to bring cans in. There is a box outside of the old library, so Bring a Can, if you Can!

MINI MINISTERS

Demi (Minister for Resources) is organising Mini Ministers! This week, Demi will be announcing the winners of Mini Ministers 2023! It is a great opportunity for students to become a Mini Minister because they will be shadowing a parliamentarian for 2 weeks which includes running an assembly and coming to a Parliament Meeting. Many parliamentarians were once Mini Ministers!

EDIBLE GARDEN

Finn (Minister for Environment) has been doing a great job with the Edible Garden. It is now open most Mondays to Thursdays for everyone to go have a look at the fresh vegetables, fruit and the chirping birds! The Green Team and Finn are also running Nude Food Tuesday. They go around the school every Tuesday to give faction tokens to anyone who has no wrappers, and everything is reusable in their lunch box. Also, the Green Team have made fabulous bin stickers to put on all the school bins. They are bright, colourful and show an amazing message about pollution and putting rubbish in the bins!

Emily Simmonds.



**ST PAT'S
COLLECTION
BRING A CAN
IF YOU CAN**



proudly supporting



St Pat's | St Patrick's
Community
Support Centre

**PLEASE DROP OFF DONATIONS OUTSIDE THE
OLD SCHOOL LIBRARY**

MATHEMATICS PARENT WORKSHOP

9:00
AM



31 MAY
2023



JOIN US

RSVP

asiri.perera@education.wa.edu.au

Hear about our school's approach to teaching and learning mathematics using the latest evidence-based practice.

Learn effective ways to support your child at home.

This presentation is suitable for parents of all year groups.

Free RATs

To help with the early detection and treatment of COVID, the Department of Education is providing students with free Rapid Antigen Tests (RATs). If you would like some, please pop into the school office to collect .

Enrolments

Is your child 4 years old by 30 June 2023? They can apply to come to Kindergarten in 2024! Applications are now open and will **close on 21 July 2023**.

Values Award Winners



Caitlyn W— *Stand Up*— Caitlyn is an outstanding assembly monitor. She is so keen to help out and gives up her time at break times and after school to make sure the equipment is packed up and secure.

Emily GS— *Stand Up*—When a faction captain was away, Emily jumped up and said ‘sure, I am happy to help’. She took on extra responsibility to help others.

Ailiana C—*Stand Up*— Despite having a broken arm, Ailiana came to the swimming carnival ready to marshal, help students find swimming caps and cheered on her faction. She was the epitome of what you could hope for in a faction captain and did this all with a smile on her face despite the heat of the day.

Isaac G, Nicholas G, Isla A, Frankie S, Kayley HJ, Amy B—*Stand Up*—these amazing year 5 students give up time at recess and lunch to deliver canteen orders to the junior primary school students. They do this every week willingly and without them the canteen would find it very difficult to manage so many orders. What a team of champions!

Premier's Reading Challenge



Students are invited to uncover great mysteries through the world of books for the Premier's Reading Challenge. The challenge is to log 12 or more book titles during the challenge. This year there are new and more extraordinary prizes for readers. The 2023 Premier's Reading Challenge will run from Monday 8 May 2023 to Friday 8 September 2023. Head to the [website](#) for more information.

Happy Western Australian Parents & Citizens Day.

As a valued member of our P & C
and a contributor to our school,
we invite you to a MORNING TEA to say...



Friday, 9 June 2023

9:00am

Please RSVP to

attadale.ps.office@education.wa.edu.au

by Thursday, 8 June 2023

First Aid Courses

Our P & C are running some first aid courses.
Click the link to book online.

<https://www.trybooking.com/CHRAg> or scan
the QR code.



ATTADALE PRIMARY SCHOOL P&C

CERTIFIED FIRST AID COURSES



HLTAID009- CPR Refresher
HLTAID011 - Provide First Aid
HLTAID012 - First Aid in a Child
Care Setting

MONDAY/TUESDAY
12TH-13TH JUNE 2023 6:30PM
ATTADALE PRIMARY SCHOOL HALL



REGISTER VIA TRYBOOKING - PLACES LIMITED
[WWW.TRYBOOKING.COM/CHRAg](https://www.trybooking.com/CHRAg)

Triple P - Positive Parenting Program

On Tuesday 30 May 2023 from 6-8pm, Sarah Boyd, our School Psychologist (Provisionally Registered) will be co-presenting the Triple P – Power of Positive Parenting Seminar at Kardinya Primary School with parents from Attadale Primary School invited to attend. The seminar introduces five positive parenting principles that can help promote child development, strong family relationships and encourage positive behaviour. We hope to see you there. For more information, please see the attached flyer.

Small changes,
big differences.



Free seminar for parents Triple P – Positive Parenting Program

Triple P seminars give you simple, practical strategies to:

- Promote your child's development and independent skills
- Strengthen family relationships and wellbeing
- Encourage positive behaviour
- Raise resilient, confident children

The Power of Positive Parenting

Learn about the five positive parenting principles that can help you promote your child's development, strong family relationships and encourage positive behaviour.

Tuesday 30th May from 6-8pm

All parents will receive a free tip sheet with the content to take home. Light refreshments provided.

BOOKINGS AND MORE INFORMATION

Register online by [clicking here](https://www.triplep-parenting.net.au/wa) or searching for this session by location (Kardinya) at www.triplep-parenting.net.au/wa

Please note: there will be no crèche available and it is recommended that children are not brought to the session.



www.triplep-parenting.net.au/wa



Specials

Week 6 - 29 May 2023

Recess

Warm Cinnamon Apple Cups \$3.00

Warm diced apple tossed in cinnamon served with vanilla bean yoghurt
+ Granola
+ Lactose Free Yoghurt



Warm Apple Cups

Lunch

Butter Chicken - \$5.50

An Attalicious favourite - beautifully spiced butter chicken with steamed rice and peas.

Option

- Vegetarian
- Larger portions



Butter Chicken

Attalicious Pizza \$5.00

Wednesday's only

Perfect portions of pizza with choice of toppings. All made with our Attalicious special sauce.

- Margarita
- Ham & Cheese
- Hawaiian



Wednesday Pizza Day

Similar to photos. Full description in the spriggy app.

High School Enrolments

Enrolments for 2023 are now open at Melville Senior High School.

The enrolment form can be found online [HERE](#).

Enrolment applications can be submitted electronically to

Melville.SHS.Admissions@education.wa.edu.au or in person via the front office at the school.

The due date for this form is **June 30** (the last day of Term 2).

If you have further questions about the school, please contact our front office at [\(08\) 6274 1300](tel:0862741300).

School tours are on the following dates:

- Wednesday, May 10, from 9 am – 10 am
- Wednesday, June 14, from 9 am – 10 am
- Wednesday, June 14, from 4.30 pm – 5.30 pm

Bookings are essential on our website: www.melville.wa.edu.au.

2023 Contributions and Charges

Dear parents/carers, just a friendly reminder that we are now accepting payment for 2023 Voluntary Contributions and charges. You can deposit into the school account, call with credit card details or come into the office to pay with cash/eftpos. Details on the Contributions and Charges can be found [here](#)
Attadale PS BSB 066163 ACC 00903 316 (please use child's surname as a reference).

Join us on Facebook

We are excited to invite you to become a member of the Attadale Primary School Closed Facebook Group. You can join the group here <https://www.facebook.com/groups/attadaleprimaryschool>
Please make sure to answer the validation questions or we will be unable to accept your request.

What's on for Kids

Out of school activities for your child.

Australian Sports Camps — A.S.C. run 3-day sports camps for primary-aged children in the school holidays. It is a great opportunity for children to improve their skills or learn a new sport. [Brochure here](#)

K2 Dance — [Term 2 Flyer](#)

Keyed Up Music Lessons – in the Hall Keyed Up Music will be teaching keyboard and guitar group lessons after school. Lessons start at \$20.30 for a small group per lesson. If you are interested in your son/daughter learning either guitar or keyboard, please call Savanna on 6107 8841 or 0479 171 424 or enrol at www.keyedupmusic.com.au/enrolment-form [Brochure here](#)

Marshalls Tennis Academy – You can learn before school at Attadale PS. To enrol please go to marshallstennis.com.au. Look for Schools Coaching, then scroll down to Attadale Primary School.

TDC The Dance Collective - [Brochure here](#)