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From the Principal's Desk

What a wonderful term with the joys of academic, performing arts and sporting achievements.

It was wonderful to see so many parents at the Learning Journey. Thank you to our staff for all their hard work throughout the term. A warm thank you to our wonderful P&C volunteers for a busy and fun filled term for our children.

Thank you to Abel's Dad for the donation of two skip bins which meant the unsightly large/heavy rubbish around the school was able to be taken away.

Next term will be very busy with the following events: Selected students dancing at Government House Interschool Athletics at Caversham Numero Championships Bandanna Day Choir performances at Seniors Week Gala Day and Mertome Village **Open School Board Meeting** Mathematics Parent Session 2018 Kindergarten Parent Meetings and Kindy Student Orientation Sessions Volunteers Morning Tea Year 6 Graduation End of Year Awards Morning

We are proud to say that staff at Ballajura Aquatic Centre have highly praised the behaviour of our students. Enjoy the holiday break. Stay safe and we will see everyone back at school on Tuesday the 10th of October (Thursday 12th of October for Kindy Red).

'CONNECT' for Parents Goes Live Today

Today we will be sending out automated emails from our Connect platform providing parents with an account for Connect. Connect is a secure online environment that has been developed by the Department of Education Western Australia and provides parents with a way to engage with their child's learning easily and safely online.

The platform generates the emails based on the email address held on our database. If you have changed your email or do not receive an email providing Connect account details please contact Mrs Otley or Mrs Vine in the office to update your details and they will be able to provision your Connect account.

Paperless Newsletters Commencing Term 4, 2017

Commencing at the beginning of Term 4 paper-based newsletters will no longer be sent home each week with the oldest child in each family. Electronic copies of newsletters are currently available to parents through two different methods. A small quantity of printed newsletters will be available in the office. We encourage parents not yet registered to subscribe or download the app in readiness for newsletters going paperless.

Newsletters are available through the school website by visiting www.cavershamps.wa.edu.au. From the website homepage, parents may choose to 'subscribe' to receive an email copy via the website.

Alternatively the Updat-ed App provides convenient access to important information including newsletters via your mobile device. Simply load the app and select Caversham Primary School from the drop down box and complete the registration form. Your request will be approved by the office and your app will be ready to use.







Building Update

Early Childhood transportable classrooms: two new classrooms will be located at the front of the early childhood area, where the existing swings and red cubby house are located. The library side fence will be shifted further out to the other side of the row of trees (keeping trees) and the sandpit will be extended lengthwise towards the gate.

Learning Journey Art Competition Winners

Congratulations to the winners of our Art Competition held on the evening of the Learning Journey. Our winners were Shakeel, Methuli and Shirley. All art completed for the competition was to a very high standard the students can be very proud of their achievement.

Faction Carnival 2017

A very light shower of rain didn't dampen the spirit at the Faction Carnival held on Friday the 8th of September. It was a great day with our Kindergarten students joining in for their first races and some fun team games. Our Year 1 to 6 students participated in races and team games, representing their Factions with great team spirit and sportsmanship.

Thank you to our parent volunteers and the P&C for their support on the day. Preparations are now in full swing ahead of the Interschool events to be held in Week 3 of Term 4 with Caversham Primary School hosting the event this year.

Term 4 Planner

A Term 4 Planner is included with this newsletter. Please keep it in a convenient location for reference throughout the term. Further details about events and any necessary changes or updates will be communicated through the school newsletter.

Suitcase Circus

Performance

Congratulations to our Suitcase Circus performers. It was fantastic to see parents, staff and students enjoying the very talented circus tricks performed on the day.

These tricks are much more complicated than they may appear and take time and perseverance to master. Thank you to Mrs Eversden for organizing the fantastic workshops.

Government House Open Day Dance Performance

Students in Years 5 and 6 enjoyed dance lessons with the Pamela Humphrey's Dance group and as a result have been invited to perform at the Government House Open Day on Sunday the 15th of October 2017.

It would be wonderful to have Caversham families in the crowd to support students. The Open Day has many family-friendly activities and a range of entertainment in the Ballroom and the grounds. We hope to see you there.

For further information about the open day please visit the website www.govhouse.wa.edu.au



Mrs Amanda Eversden

TERM 4 2017					
WEEK	MON	TUE	WED	THURS	FRI
1	Oct 9	10	11	12	13
	School Development Day	Students First Day Term 4	Kindy Blue & Green Attend		
	Students Do Not Attend				
2	16	17	18	19	20
	Assembly Yr 5 Room 15		Kindy Red Attend		
3	23	24	25	26	27
			Interschool Sports Jumps and Throws		Interschool Sports Carnival
			Kindy Blue & Green Attend		
4	30	31	Nov 1	2	3
	Assembly Yr 4/5 Room 12		Kindy Red Attend	Scitech Excursion Rms 2,3,4,5 & 8	Bandanna Day
5	6	7	8	9	10
			Kindy 2018 Parent Information Sessions	School Board Open Meeting	Choir Performance at Seniors Gala Day
			Kindy Blue & Green Attend		
6	13	14	15	16	17
	Assembly Yr 3/4 Room 7		Kindy Red Attend		
7	20	21	22	23	24
			Kindy Blue & Green Attend		
8	27	28	29 (1) (1) (2) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1	30	Dec 1
	Assembly Yr 3 Room 8	Mathematics Parent Workshop	Kindy 2018 Student Orientation		
	Choir Performance Mertome Village		Kindy Red Attend		
9	4	5	6 Volunteers Thank You Morning Tea	7	8
			Kindy Blue & Green Attend		
10	11	12	13	14	15
	Graduation	Reports Sent Home	Kindy Red Attend	Students Last Day 2017	School Development Day
				End of Year Concert & Awards	Students Do Not Attend