



## **WARLAWURRU CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

***Term 3 Week 5***

### ***Important Dates***

***28th August  
This Wednesday  
Book Week  
(Dress Up Day)***

***20th September  
Warlawurru Catholic  
School  
30th Anniversary  
Celebration***

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## **NEWS FROM THE PRINCIPAL**

**Katherine Coulter**

Term 3 Week 4

### **Warlawurru School Prayer**

Ngawi our God, we thank you for our school and the people in it.  
We thank you for our beautiful world, especially our home here in Halls Creek.  
Keep us safe in your care and teach us to love each other.  
Help us to be proud of who we are.  
Ngawi, you are our God.  
Amen

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

What an amazing week we have had at Warlawurru! We started the week with a long weekend, which I know everyone enjoyed, and then on Tuesday the six beautiful girls from Iona Presentation College, in Mosman Park Perth arrived. With their two teachers they have been a real blessing for our school. The girls helped out in the classrooms, played in the playground and helped out during Mass. Their teachers, Mr Chris and Miss Rachael helped around the school; they painted our hop scotches and helped Mr Warren and Mr Eddie fix things around the school. We look forward to their return visit in 2018.

I am very pleased to see so many kids coming to school every day and in their uniform. Students should be coming to school and wearing their uniform; and as an incentive we are going to hold a weekly raffle. Students who attend every day of the week will have their name in the hat and if they wear their uniform every day they will get two names in the hat. The prizes are very good, so help your child be in the running by making sure they get to school and are wearing their uniform.

Next week is Book Week, and on Wednesday we will have a day of fun! Students and teachers are asked to dress up as their favourite book character. We will have a parade, and then go into small groups to do activities throughout the school. Please help your child to organise a costume, there will be prizes!

As our 30th Anniversary draws closer, we have been practicing our Hymns and Readings. It is my hope that as many people who have some association with Warlawurru will attend. Please make sure you spread the word throughout the community. The date to remember is Wednesday 20th September, 2017. I wish your footy team well!

# NEWS FROM JUNIOR PRIMARY

Andrea Pilkington

## Hello from Junior Primary!

This week we have been very lucky to have some students from Iona Presentation College come to visit our school and help out in our classroom.

We showed the girls what a typical day looked like in Junior Primary. We loved showing the girls how we participate in Direct Instruction, our morning Literacy activities and our compliment circle time during Religious Education.

Miss Andrea was away on Thursday, Friday and will be away on Monday as well. She was attending an Early Years PD in Broome. Miss Andrea will return on Tuesday. During this time Junior Primary were left in the capable hands of Miss Marketa and Miss Sharazz.





# NEWS FROM MIDDLE PRIMARY

Rosie Landsberg

## FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONSUMPTION

On the 15th August we celebrated the Feast of the Assumption – a holy Catholic day of observance. This is a very special day in the Catholic Church, because Mary, the Mother of Jesus, was taken up into heaven after she died. Fr John came to the school to celebrate Mass with us. We honoured Mary with prayer and celebration through the Eucharist. Hail Mary, Pray for us all.

Also a very special Thank You to Iona Presentation College for your presence and help during this week. Middle Primary truly enjoyed having you in our classroom.

Thank you also for the lovely gift of “Layla and Max” the quokka a stuffed toy from Rottnest Island, Perth.





# NEWS FROM SENIOR PRIMARY

Christine Sell

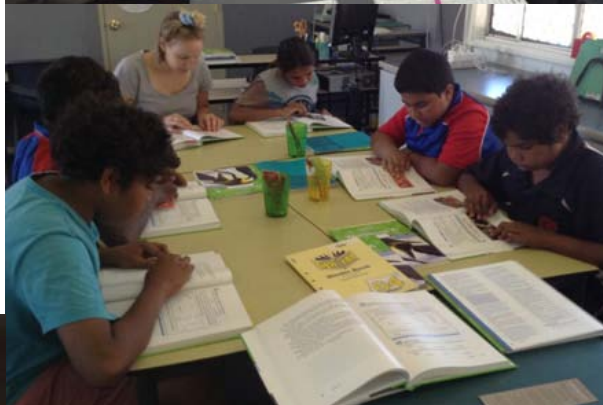
## WHAT'S THE SCOOP WITH THE SENIOR PRIMARY GROUP?

We are half way through Term 3 and the Senior Primary class can hardly believe how fast the term is going!

This week we have been very lucky to have 2 teachers and 6 students from Iona Presentation College helping us out in class and interacting with us in our recess and lunch breaks. They have definitely fallen in love with their Kimberley experience!

They have helped us with our Direct Instruction Literacy lessons, our math lessons, joined us in singing practice for our 30th Birthday Mass which will be celebrated by Bishop Christopher in Week 10 this term and they joined us in celebrating the Feast of the Assumption with Mass on Tuesday.

Next week is Book Week, a week where we celebrate all the great stories that have been written across the world. In Senior Primary we also write stories and who knows if one of our class mates one day may become a published author? So next Wednesday all students and teachers will be dressing up as a character from one of their favourite stories. So please encourage your child to come to school dressed up for the day! It's going to be a lot of fun. The theme for Book Week this year is 'Escape to Everywhere!'





# 2017 Iona Presentation College visit



# Please Go To Bed Early On School Nights



## BOOK WEEK

On Wednesday 23rd August we will be celebrating Book Week. This years theme is "Escape to Everywhere". We will be having a dress up day!

The children will be listening to lots of stories and doing activities.

So start designing your costume, around your favourite book character. There will be prizes for the best dressed.



ESCAPE TO EVERYWHERE  
CBCA BOOK WEEK 19-26 AUGUST 2017





Iona Presentation College visit this week



# CANTEEN LUNCHES ONLY \$3

FRESH FRUIT, BOILED EGGS, HOT MEAL & FRUIT SALAD



## SCHOOL UNIFORMS

LIGHTWEIGHT  
AND BRIGHT

SHIRTS - \$17.50

SHORTS - \$10





# STRAIGHT TALK KIMBERLEY REGIONAL GATHERING 9-11 OCTOBER 2017

Are you an Aboriginal woman from the Kimberley Region? Are you working towards social justice and self-determination for Aboriginal people?

Straight Talk brings women together to learn more about political processes and the political system. Straight Talk provides the opportunity to exchange ideas, knowledge and experience and work together to develop strategies to make change happen. We will cover travel, accommodation, meals and registration costs.

Applications for Straight Talk are now open.  
Applications close Monday 28 August.

## How to apply?

To get an application form, contact Attika Edgar at Aarnja:  
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RoadWise Committee

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the  
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IMPORTANT ROAD SAFETY PROJECT

**YOU ARE INVITED**

Halls Creek Safe Speed Project Launch

Wednesday, 16 August 2017. From 11 am – onwards

At Halls Creek Police Station

Realising that my driving affects the  
liveability of other people's roads just as  
other people's driving affects my road, I  
hereby pledge to:

Drive within the speed limit on all roads;  
Be courteous to pedestrians, cyclists and all  
other road users; and  
Display my *I slow down in Halls Creek* sticker  
on my vehicles to inform others of my  
commitment.



RSVP – ASAP – Sen Sgt Peter Jenal, Halls Creek Police or  
Phil Burgess, Shire of Halls Creek  
(FREE Sausage Sizzle courtesy of Shire of Halls Creek RoadWise Committee)





## ARE YOU BUSHFIRE READY?

It's a team effort. Go to [emergency.wa.gov.au](http://emergency.wa.gov.au)

As part of their recently awarded NDRP grant, the WA Council of Social Service will be travelling to the Kimberley and the Pilbara delivering training to assist community organisations in building their resilience in responding to and recovering from natural disasters.

The one-day workshops will be facilitated by WACOSS Manager Projects and Business Development, Stuart Reid. Can you please contact Stuart to discuss local arrangements for delivery of the workshops in Broome, Fitzroy, Kununurra, Karratha, Newman and Hedland.

Workshops are planned for the first three weeks in September but at this stage, the only date locked in is for Broome on 4 September.

Stuart can be contacted at WACOSS on 9420 7222 or mobile 0439 098 386. His email is [stuart@wacoss.org.au](mailto:stuart@wacoss.org.au)

The training is in the use of an online resource developed by the Australian Council of Social Service which allows organisations to benchmark their current capacities and resilience, identify areas for improvement and then works through a 'Six Steps to Resilience' tool.

The project is supported by a Natural Disasters Resilience Program Grant so there will be minimal cost to participants. WACOSS is proposing to charge \$25 per participant to offset local costs and ensure buy-in from potential participating organisations. Stuart has indicated that local governments are welcome to participate.

Any assistance you can provide to Stuart in getting the message out to your networks in the community sector would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks & regards

**Helen Kent | District Emergency Management Advisor – Kimberley & Pilbara**

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## AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Dylan YOOMARIE	2nd,
Katherine DANN	3rd,
Orlando HESTER	9th,
Jasmine BINDAI	22nd

### P.A.T.H.S

#### Promoting Alternative Thinking Strategies

*Did you know ..... all feelings are normal?*

*How are you feeling today?*

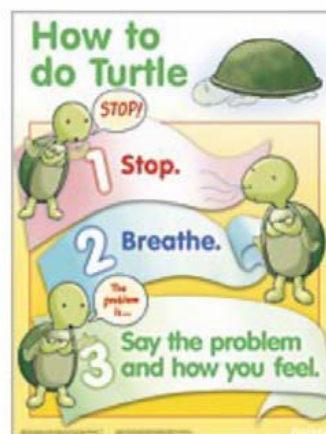
*What will you do with that feeling?*



### P.A.T.H.S

#### Promoting Alternative Thinking Strategies

*When you feel angry ....*



### Child Safety

**Do you always know  
where your kid is?**







# ACADEMY TRAINING

The AFL in consultation with the Fremantle Dockers have established a Next Generation Academy (NGA) across Western Australia. The aim of the NGA is to identify and develop young talent, introduce 11 to 16-year-old boys and girls to school and community football competitions and feed into the existing programs in Western Australia.



## WHEN

Thursday 17, 24, 31 August & 7 September 2017

## WHERE

Halls Creek Town Oval

## TIME

3pm - 4pm

## WHO

Boys and girls aged 11 – 16 years old

## WHAT TO BRING

Football boots, water bottle and football training attire



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# 2017 Iona Presentation College visit







# Warlawurru Catholic School

is celebrating 30 years of quality  
Catholic education in Halls Creek this year!

All past and present pupils, staff and community members are invited.

## 30th Birthday Celebration Open Day

Wednesday 20 September 2017 - 9.00am—12.00 noon

At Warlawurru Catholic School, Red Hill

We will start the day with Mass,  
followed by fun activities for everyone.

*We are also looking for any photos, work, articles that  
tell our story, if you have anything please contact the  
principal.*

*If you know someone who has a connection to War-  
lawurru please pass on the above information.*

