

JOONDALUP PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



Joondalup
Primary School
Independent Public School

Learning in Harmony

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Principal's News



Staff news

We recently farewelled Mr Adam Meek, who taught Science during Term 2 and the beginning of this term. It was a pleasure to have him as part of our team, he worked collaboratively with colleagues and built a great rapport with students, who will no doubt miss him. Mr Meek has accepted a classroom teaching position at a neighbouring school, and we wish him all the best.

We are pleased to welcome Mrs Amanda Milne to our staff as our new Science specialist. She will continue delivering Science lessons across all classes, and we look forward to the expertise and enthusiasm she brings to the role.

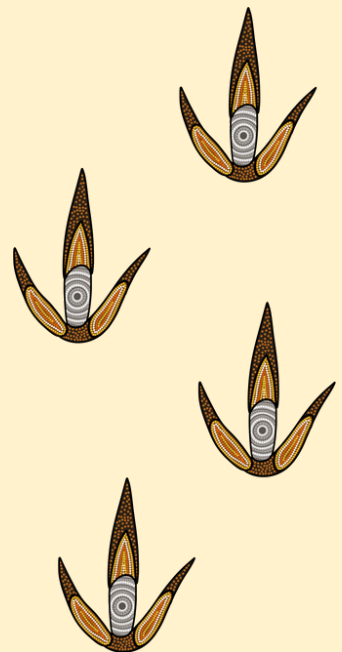
NAIDOC Week 2025

Our school celebrated NAIDOC Week with a range of engaging activities. Highlights included classroom learning experiences, a visit from Greg Nannup, our annual staff/parent vs student AFL game and a community picnic. We were fortunate to have perfect weather for the footy game and picnic, making it a truly enjoyable day. A big thank you to everyone who attended and thank you to our school choir for their wonderful performance during the whole school gathering before lunch.

Mrs Shaw, our AIEO, created artwork for students to colour in and turn into bookmarks during lesson time.

We also extend our sincere thanks to the P&C for commissioning artist Paula Southwick to design a unique piece of artwork for Joondalup Schools. The design tells the story of families travelling to school.

NAIDOC Week with Mr Nannup

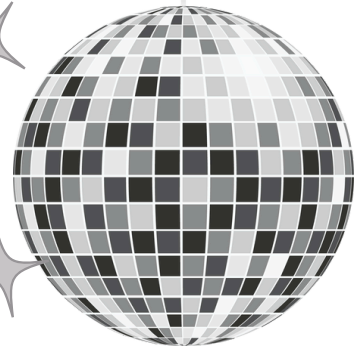


P&C Disco – Fluoro Fun!

The annual P&C Disco was a fantastic night full of colour, energy, music and fun. A huge thank you to all the students who came along and made it such an enjoyable evening.

Well done to the P&C team for organising another amazing event. A special thank you to Mat and Donna Sallur, who took the lead for the first time and kept the night buzzing. Your efforts

with the lighting, music and activities were appreciated by all. Hopefully you're up for doing it again next time.



Book Week 2025 – “Book an Adventure!”

It's Book Week, and classrooms are alive with excitement and creativity.

The Book Week Parade was a highlight, with an array of fantastic costumes and fun activities enjoyed by all. Congratulations to our Best Dressed winners, what an impressive display of imagination.

We were also honoured to welcome the Sabine Winton, MLA and Minister for Education, who joined us for the parade. As a former teacher, she appreciated the strong sense of community and joy that Book Week brings to schools.

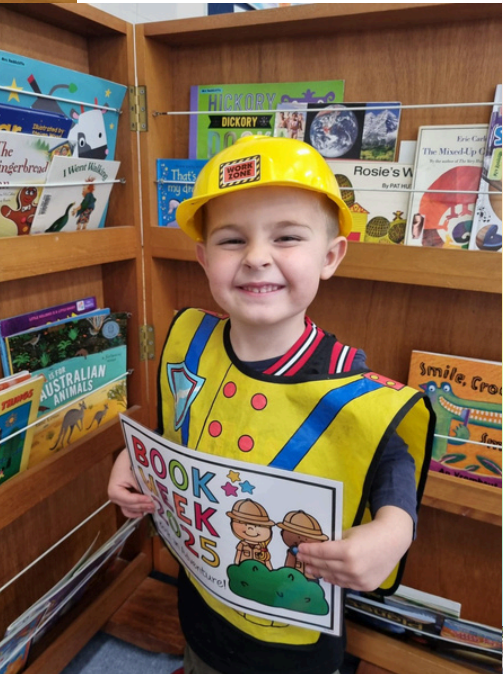
Don't forget there are two exciting school wide competitions currently underway:

- Kindy to Year 2: Draw something that might be found underground – winners announced Thursday 21 August.
- Years 3 to 6: Describe something special that you have loved for a long time – winners announced Friday 22 August.



Carol Selley
Principal

Book week with our Kindy Kids



PBS News

We're excited to introduce our new mini mascots Lucca, Billie, Zander and Maali to celebrate the classes that earn the most Class Dojos for each of our behaviour expectations.

Our first winners were:

- We are Responsible – Room 4
- We are Respectful – Room 10
- We are Kind – Kindy
- We do Our Best – Room 7

Our Latest winners are:

- We are Responsible – Room 19
- We are Respectful – Room 6
- We are Kind – Kindy
- We do Our Best – Room 12

Congratulations to these classes for such a strong start to the term, keep up with great work!



Music with Mr Sutherland



Exploring Music- Junior Primary

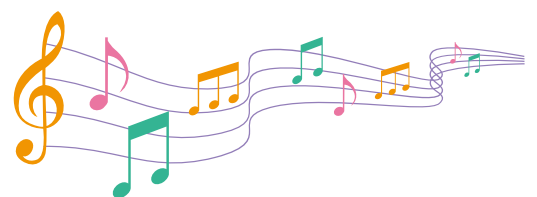
This term, Junior Primary students have been exploring the foundations of music through singing games, movement, and percussion activities. They have been learning to identify and respond to musical elements such as dynamics (loud and soft), tempo (fast and slow), and rhythm (patterns of sound and silence). These playful and engaging experiences have helped them develop listening skills, confidence in using their voices and instruments, and an awareness of how music can be used to tell a story or create a mood.

Ukulele- Middle and Upper Primary

In Middle and upper primary students have been developing their musicianship through learning the ukulele. They have focused on strumming techniques to explore rhythmic concepts, used chords as a foundation for understanding harmony, and performed known melodies both as a class and individually. Students have also begun composing their own simple musical patterns, applying their understanding of melody and rhythm creatively. Through these activities, they've built confidence in reading chord charts, playing in time with others, and listening closely in an ensemble setting. It's been a hands-on and engaging way to deepen their understanding of how music is structured and performed.

Choir

This term, our school choir has been working hard in preparation for their upcoming performance at The One Big Voice. Students have been learning a selection of songs along with accompanying choreography, while developing vocal technique, expression, and harmony. Their commitment and collaboration during weekly rehearsals have been impressive, and we look forward to seeing them represent our school with confidence and pride at the event



**Mr Sutherland
Music Teacher**

100 Days of School

Room 32 Celebrated 100 Days of School. We did some fun activities and had a class party to celebrate being 100 days smarter.



100 days of being in school and Mrs Goodridge thinks that's pretty cool! We are 100 days smarter, yes it's true...we've been reading, writing and doing math too! We are learning a lot of exciting things, let's see what the next 100 brings!



Joondalup Schools P & C

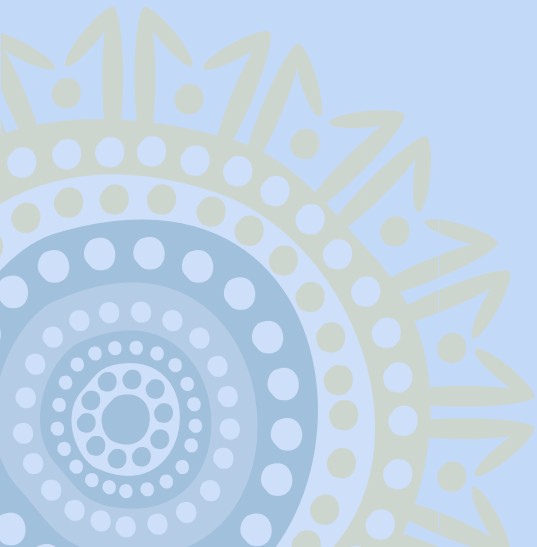


**FATHER'S
DAY**

**FATHER'S
DAY STALL**

**Tuesday September 2nd
Thursday September 4th
8:00am-8:45am**

**Undercover Area
ALL ITEMS \$5- CASH ONLY**



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Joondalup Primary Schools 2ND HAND UNIFORM SHOP



PRICE LIST 2025

- NEWER ITEMS
 - JACKETS \$7
 - DRESSES \$7
 - SHORTS/SHIRTS \$5
 - LONG PANTS \$5
- STAINED OR HOLES \$2
- HATS \$2
- UNBRANDED ITEMS \$2
- LIBRARY BAGS \$2
- SCHOOL BAGS \$5
- THEMED T SHIRTS. \$2



HOW?

WE NEED YOUR DONATIONS!

Donate your pre-loved uniforms to support the P&C and school community!

This year we are also looking for clothes donations for
Harmony day, Easter, Book Week, Disco, Halloween, Colour
Run, Christmas and any other dress up day in-between.

DETAILS

- Donation drop off: Front office during school hours
- Shop location: P&C Storeroom (behind the canteen).
 - ✓ Every second Monday
 - ✓ 815am-845am and 3-330pm:
- PAYMENT: Cash, tap or transfer methods accepted

Term 3 Opening Dates

28th July	Week 2
11th Aug	Week 4
25th Aug	Week 6
8th Sept	Week 8
22nd Sept	Week 10

✓ Please wash items before donating 🙏

TEXT Amanda with any queries between 6am and 9pm
 (0402607219)



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Celebrating Sustainability in WA Schools

We're proud to announce the 2025 WasteSorted Award school finalists - four inspiring schools making a real difference through sustainability and waste reduction programs.

- ♥ **Congratulations to:**
- ♥ *Attadale Primary School*
- ♥ ***Joondalup Education Support Centre***
- ♥ *Ocean Road Primary School*
- ♥ *Perth Waldorf School*

Theses schools are leading the way in creating cleaner, greener learning enviroments for thier students and communities. Well done!!





Department of
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VacSwim

Give your child the skills they need around water.

Enrol them in school holiday swimming lessons.

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education.wa.edu.au/vacswim



Enrolment information is available in multiple languages on our website.



Joondalup Schools
P&C Association



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2025 P&C EVENT PLANNER



TERM 1

FEBRUARY

- 19th: P&C Meeting

MARCH

- State Election Sausage Sizzle
- 19th: P&C Meeting

APRIL

- 8th: Easter Raffle

TERM 2

APRIL

MAY

- 3rd: Federal Election Sausage Sizzle and cake stall
- 6th & 8th: Mother's Day stall
- 14th: P&C Meeting

JUNE

- Adult Night Fundraiser (tentative)
- 11th: P&C Meeting

TERM 3

JULY

- 30th: NAIDOC Picnic Fundraiser

AUGUST

- 6th: P&C Meeting
- 8th: School Disco

SEPTEMBER

- 2nd & 4th: Father's Day Stall
- 3rd: P&C Meeting
- 12th: Faction Carnival Cake Stall

TERM 4

OCTOBER

- 29th: P&C Meeting

NOVEMBER

- 6th: Colour Run
- 26th: P&C Meeting

DECEMBER

- Christmas Raffle

ONGOING

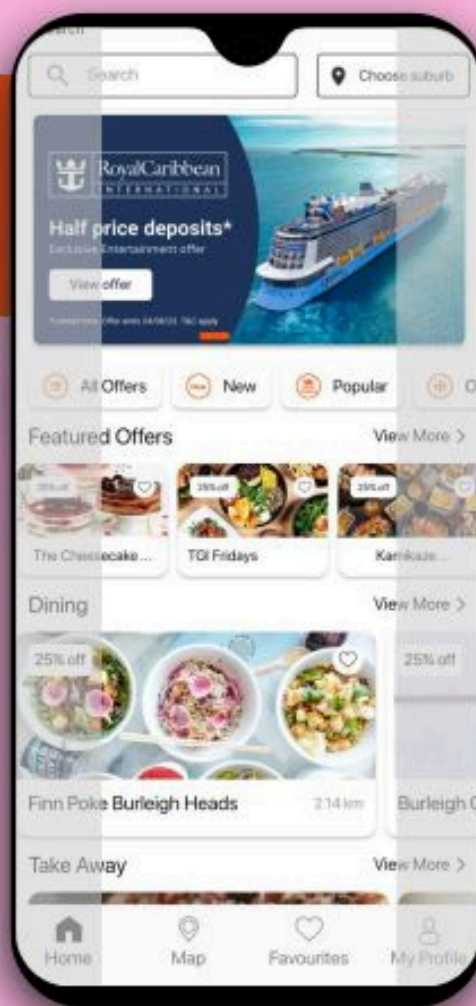
- 2nd Hand Uniform Store
- Icy Pole Fridays
- Entertainment Book

For more information or to help out, email: hello@joondalupspc.tidymail.co.
All events depend on volunteer availability, so are subject to change.

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proceeds from each
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TYPICAL SAVINGS WITH THE ENTERTAINMENT APP



Ice cream
2 for 1



Dinner at a restaurant
Save up to 50%



Family holiday
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...and so much more!





FREE SESSIONS FOR 0-4 YEAR OLDS

FUNdamental Movement Skills

- ✓ Develop Gross and Fine motor skills
- ✓ Develop balance, co-ordination, agility and strength
- ✓ Increase confidence and provide social interaction
- ✓ Focus on specific sporting skills

COME AND JOIN US

Wednesdays: 8.50-9.20 am in the
undercover area

No need to book - just turn up!

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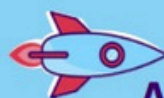




EARN UP TO \$300 A DAY* THESE HOLIDAYS

Join our Rocketeers team and inspire the children in your school community! Help create fun and connected experiences through art, science, and outdoor adventure.

*Dependent on hours worked, experience and qualifications.



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Uniting WA

Children and Family
therapeutic services
(CAFTS)

Date

Tuesday 9th September

Time

10-11:30am

Location

129 Grand Blvd
Joondalup

Protective Behaviours Workshop for parents and carers



Join us for an interactive workshop on protective behaviours

Develop your understanding of protective behaviours and ways to educate and support your children to increase their own personal safety and reduce risks of harm.

We will explore safety and connection and build skills in communication with your children around personal safety.

Please Register your interest in attending by emailing us at

cafts@unitingwa.org.au

What's on in Term 3



Find out more



Every Friday

On Fridays, we pARTy



August 1 - 29

We're creating a storybook... and you could have your story published!



Special thanks to AUSTRALIAN LITERACY & NUMERACY FOUNDATION

National Science Week

August 11 - 15

Featuring out of this world science & LEGO® activities!

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Book Week

August 18 - 22

Book an adventure!



After School Care

- Fun Activities
- Social Interaction
- Yummy Snacks

Every school day in Term 3!



Free webinar for families

September 2

How to be a connected parent with Lael Stone



Your OSHC.

Before and After School Care

by Camp Australia

campaustralia.com.au/back-to-school-term-3



Moving Schools in 2026?

Is your child moving to another school in 2026?

If you know your child (Years K-5) is leaving Joondalup Primary School at the end of 2025, please notify the admin team by coming into the school office and completing a form, or by sending an email to joondalup.ps@education.wa.edu.au stating your child's last day of school and which school they will be moving to.



School Uniforms

UNIFORMCONCEPTS

Supplying Uniform for Joondalup Primary Schools

2024/2025 UNIFORM PRICE LIST & ORDER FORM (effective 1.10.24)

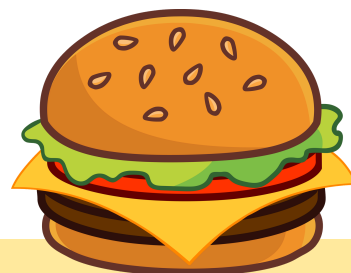
ADDRESS: 5/7 Delage St, Joondalup, WA 6027 TEL: 9270 4660

EMAIL: joondalup@uc.nellgray.com.au WEBSITE: nellgray.com.au

OPEN: Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm (Thursday 6pm) Saturday 9am - 1pm



Locavora Lunches



Online Lunch Orders

Lunches from Locavora can be ordered for your child on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Please visit the [website](#) to place an order.

Free online parent workshops

Term 3, 2025 Calendar

Facilitated by School Psychologist Consultants from the Department of Education WA

The Triple P and Child and Parent Centre teams are excited to offer a series of free, live online workshops for families.

What is Triple P?

The Triple P - Positive Parenting Program provides parents and carers with ideas and strategies to help children develop essential skills and behaviours for a healthy childhood. Learn more about Triple P on the [Education in WA](#) website. To register for face-to-face workshops, visit the [Triple P in WA](#) website and search for upcoming sessions by location. Parents can also access a range of self-paced Triple P Online programs for free.

What is a Child and Parent Centre?

Child and Parent Centres support families across WA through a range of early learning programs, maternal and health services, and child support activities. Visit [Child and Parent Centres Western Australia](#) to find centre locations and enquire about programs.

How to register

Scan the QR code or [click here](#) to register for a workshop. You will receive email confirmation and a link to join, along with a reminder before the workshop. For the best experience, we recommend downloading the [Webex app](#) ahead of the workshop. Please note that these webinars are not recorded.



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Term Three

Wk	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat	Sun
1	21 Jul School Development Day	22 Jul Students resume	23 Jul	24 Jul	25 Jul No Waste Picnic	26	27
2	28 Jul NAIDOC Week Greg Nannup Incursion	29 Jul	30 Jul NAIDOC Community Picnic	31 Jul	1 August Greg Nannup Incursion	2	3
3	4 Aug	5 Aug	6 Aug P&C Meeting 7:00pm	7 Aug	8 Aug Assembly – Year 5 Lockdown Drill P&C Disco	9	10
4	11 Aug	12 Aug	13 Aug	14 Aug	15 Aug	16	17
5	18 Aug Book Week	19 Aug Book Week Dress up day/activities	20 Aug School Board Meeting 6:30pm	21 Aug	22 Aug Assembly – Choir 9:00am	23	24
6	25 Aug	26 Aug	27 Aug	28 Aug	29 Aug One Big Voice	30	31
7	1 September	2 Sep P&C Fathers Day Stall 8:00-8:45am	3 Sep P&C Meeting 7:00pm	4 Sep P&C Fathers Day Stall 8:00-8:45am	5 Sep Assembly – ESC Junior 9:00am	6	7
8	8 Sep Faction long distance runs	9 Sep Faction jumps and throws	10 Sep School Board Meeting 6:30pm	11 Sep RU OK Day	12 Sep Faction Carnival	13	14
9	15 Sep	16 Sep	17 Sep	18 Sep	19 Sep	20 P&C Bingo	21
10	22 Sep	23 Sep	24 Sep	25 Sep Year 5 Sleepover	26 Sep Assembly PP, Rooms 31, 32 9:00am Students last day	27	28
H	29 Sep King's Birthday	30 Sep	1 Oct	2 Oct	3 Oct	4	5
H	6 Oct	7 Oct	8 Oct	9 Oct	10 Oct	11	12

Start and End of Term
Public Holidays
School Holidays (students)
School Development Days