

2019 K-Mart Wishing Tree update

from Mrs Brown

Tuesday night is a great night for late night shopping at K-Mart Rockingham! I once again had the pleasure of shopping on behalf of the Endeavour Schools community. This year families, students and staff raised a combined total of \$357.00. Another great effort by all involved. I managed to purchase some amazing gifts and books that will be distributed to children in need, some pictures below of the great range. Thank you again to everyone who donated, just a few coins saved here and there by everyone has resulted in our school community being able to assist others. Thank you to Mrs Grieve for counting all the coins and banking for us. Enjoy your Christmas knowing that we have all helped someone else have a better Christmas than they would have.

Karen Brown - Santa's little helper!



From the Pen of the Principals

Primary School

Dear the Endeavour Schools' Community,

Year 6 Graduation Ceremony and Book Awards

This week we have held two events where we acknowledge the achievements of our students. On Monday we held our Year 6 Graduation Ceremony. This was a time for us to reflect on what these students have achieved over the last eight years of their primary schooling and we wish them all the best for the next stage in their education journey. Yesterday we held our Book Awards Assembly where we acknowledged the achievements of our students from across the school. The 2020 student leaders were also announced at the Book Awards Assembly. I would like to congratulate all award recipients from both events.

2020 Class Lists

School staff have been working through developing the class structures for 2020. All class lists will be available for parents to view outside the school office and the Library on Friday, 31st January 2020 from 10.00am. The reason class lists are not released earlier is to allow for the processing of new enrolments at the start of the school year. Currently our projected student population is 465 students for 2020.

Student Reports

Student reports were emailed home yesterday. It was great to read the improvements that many students have made over the course of this semester. I encourage families to take the time to read the report comments with their children, celebrate successes and reflect on areas for further development in 2020.

Staff Changes

At this time of year we do farewell some staff and thank them for their work at Endeavour Primary School. As I've mentioned previously we are very lucky to have such a dedicated and passionate staff group at our school. I would like to thank Mrs Shelley Smith, Miss Lynda Enright, Miss Bess O'Neill, Mrs Behsman, Mrs Bree Waller, Mrs Keryn Channing and Mrs Gill Hamill for the contributions they have made to our school and students. We wish them all the best with their future endeavours. A number of new staff are joining our school community next year who will be introduced in our first newsletter next year.

As this is the final newsletter for the year I would like to extend to our whole school community my best wishes for a happy and enjoyable summer break. To those families that are leaving us at the end of the year we wish you all the best for a successful future.

Regards,

Chris Burgess – Principal

Education Support Centre

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

As we near the end of 2019 I'd like to let you all know that our school planning for 2020 is well underway with school operational plans now ready for the new school year. Students have done some transitioning over the past two weeks, both in classrooms and in the playground in preparation for moving to new year levels with new teachers and education assistants. As we are expecting a slight increase in student enrolments next year we have been working hard on sorting out the 2020 class lists, staffing and room allocations.

2020 will see some staff changes with 2 new teachers joining us - Ms Sarah Lowe and Mrs Sharon Behsman who is moving across from the Primary School.

We will continue to bring you the highest quality of staffing across all our classes both now and into the future. We select highly trained, experienced and collaborative staff who have student outcomes and inclusion as their priority.

Our annual Volunteers Morning Tea was held recently as our THANKYOU to everyone who helps out at our Schools. Our Schools' Junior Choir did a fantastic job with the entertainment and we all enjoyed a scrumptious morning tea supplied by our wonderful staff. We recognise that everyone is busy in their lives but please know that our students and staff sincerely appreciate your on-going support for our Schools through your time and expertise. We encourage everyone to participate in any way that they can, whenever they can, because it does make a difference!

A position has become available on the School Board so if you are interested please contact the school office for more information.

As this is our last newsletter for the year I'd like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a very happy and safe holidays. Have fun, make wonderful memories and enjoy the time with your loved ones! I look forward to welcoming you back to school in the new year.

Regards,

Jayne Gorbould - ESC Principal



2020 Important Dates

Tuesday, 28th January 2020

Book Pick up day (Library) & Uniform Shop Open - 10.15am - 11.15am

Friday, 31st January 2020

Uniform Shop Open 10.00am - 12.00pm

Friday, 31st January 2020

Class Lists will be displayed from 10.00am

Monday, 3rd February 2020

First day Term 1



Year 6 Award Winners

City of Rockingham Citizenship Award	Evie N
City of Rockingham Leadership Award	Oceana S
Paul Papalia Award for Excellence	Kylan B
Award for Improvement	Ieesha I
FAF Award	Oliver R
'I Am Because We are' Award	Tyron W
ESC Endeavour Award	Pippa F
P&C Award for Resilience	Eleanor D
Year 6 Sport Awards	Lincoln F
	Helayna M
Year 6 Indonesian Award	Alyssa H
Performing Arts Awards	Jaxson R
	Toby M
Year 6 Science Award	Max P
Bendigo Bank Numeracy Award	Julia F
Bendigo Bank Literacy Award	Antony S
Alan Hansen Endeavour Award	Will M
Neil Fairs Values Award	Lacey T
ESC Award for Literacy & Numeracy	Jackson H
Lions Dux Award	Antony S

Congratulations to all Award Recipients

2020 Student Councillors

Thomas M	Roxy M
Izzy K	Sienna C
Scarlett L	Angus F
Chloe H	



2020 Faction Captains

Centaurus	Arjay S Nevaeh R
Hydra	Arelia S Isaac T
Orion	Hendrix A Rydah T
Phoenix	Nevaeh T Tysen C



Times Tables Champions

This year, students from Years 3-6 have been working very hard to learn their multiplication times tables. Each week they challenge other students in their class to reach the top of the tables challenge board. The class champions for Term 4 are as follows:

Room 15	Tayan B
Room 17	Ethan H
Room 18 (3)	Ethan T
Room 18 (4)	Uros P
Room 20	Rydah T
Room 21	Izzy K
Room 22	Ariki W
Room 24	Billy W
Room 10	Isaac T
Room 11	Will M
Room 7	Max P
Room 8	Will R
Room 9	Kylan

At the end of term class champions competed with each other to determine the overall champion for each year level and win the Tables Champ Trophy. The year level champions are as follows:

Year 3	Ethan T
Year 4	Billy W
Year 5	Isaac T
Year 6	Max P

Congratulations to all students for improving your knowledge of number facts. Mr Croll will give all Year 3-6 students another opportunity to win a Tables Champ Trophy next year.

Endeavour Dental Clinic will be closed from Friday, 20th December, 2019 and re-open on Monday, 3rd February 2020.

In case of an emergency please contact Mount Henry Clinic on 9313 0555 or out of hours contact 1800 098 818.

We would like to wish the Year 6 students all the best as they head to High School. Please remember that they are eligible to receive dental care with us until the end of Year 11 or until 17 years of age.

We wish you all a safe and lovely holiday!!

Endeavour Dental Ladies



2019 End of Year Book Award Recipients

Science Award	Isaac T
	Jontayn K
Performing Arts Award	Evie N
	Liam C
ESC Art Award	Kylan B
LOTE Award	Tajh W
ESC Spanish Award	Jackson H
ESC Sports Award	Zenith L
Library Awards	Joseph K
	Bridget P
Phys Ed Awards	Anjay S
	Izzy K
FAF Award	Jet I
Room 3 Livia C	Saphira W
Room 4 Kathleen E	Anna M
Room 5 Scarlett H	Sean D
Room 6 Ciahn Mc	Will F-M
Room 7 Antony S	Charley G
Room 8 Julia F	Tyron W
Room 9 Lilly L	Zenith L
Room 10 Isaac T	Jayden L
Room 11 Will M	Lacey T
Room 12 Ellian C-W	Riley H
Room 13 Waitaororangi G	Keris P
Room 14 Grace L	Elli B
Room 15 Keylee H	Anna W
Room 16 Marley T	Declan M
Room 17 Ethan H	Brooke D
Room 18 Ethan T	Finn L
Room 19 Ewan M	Diesel H
Room 20 Chloe H	Isabella W
Room 21 Eejay S	Izzy K
Room 22 Chase P	Bella I
Room 23 Jacob U	Isaac S
Room 24 Jayden B	Joharlil T



Defence News

I would like to wish all our Defence families a wonderful Christmas and best wishes for 2020. To our departing Defence students, all the very best of luck on your journey at your new school:

Harry B	Jada B	Kade B
Ivy De G	Odinn De G	Violet De G
Chloe K	Evie N	Josh N
Bridget P	Oliver R	Benjamin W

Mrs Waddell
DSM



Music News

Thank you very much to Bob Appleyard and Daniel, from Music Force Mandurah, for being our sound technicians on concert night. They were very professional and it was a pleasure to work with them.

Thankyou also to Ms Rickey who videoed the concert on the night, which is available for copying when you take a USB to the office.

Music Force also donate gift vouchers every year to our school and contribute the prizes for the Performing Arts Awards at the Year 6 Graduation and we greatly appreciate their generosity.

The performances at the Christmas Concert last Thursday evening were outstanding and it was absolutely wonderful to see so many children having fun and trying their best. Thank you to our parents, carers, staff and students for organising the fabulous costumes as they really added to the night of success.

Thank you very much to our Yoh Dance group for our pre-concert entertainment. You did a super job and the audience thoroughly loved your performance.

Mrs Nurse



Over the Christmas break, if you find any Home Readers or Library Books could you please return them to Mrs Grieve in the Library when you return next year.

Thankyou.



Chaplain's Corner

I 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 Endeavour Schools in 2020 for another great year of learning and fun.

Be safe and be kind to yourself and others. Merry Christmas.

Chaplain Joané

