



**SOUTH PADBURY
PRIMARY SCHOOL**
Pursuit of Knowledge and Friendship

21 September 2023 Edition #9

Kookaburra Chronicles

Faction Sports Carnival



Congratulations to all the athletes from all the factions on a superb performance across the board. The final result of the carnival was very close, especially on the track.

Read on to see all the results in this edition.





Dear Families,

As we come to the end of another term, I'd like to say thank you for your ongoing support of the school and our P and C. 'Be Involved' has been very evident this term at the sports carnival, at assemblies, at the Father's Day stall and around the classrooms. When children see their parents involved at school, it supports their academic achievement and their belief that school is important and valued.

The weather held out for a great faction carnival. Congratulations to our students for their enthusiasm and support of each other on the day. Thanks to the P and C and all the parent volunteers for helping the day come together. And to the rain gods for allowing us to get through the day before drenching the oval around siren time! Congratulations to Acacia for taking out the overall winners shield and to Banksia for winning the spirit shield.

Planning for 2024 is well underway. Parents who wish to make class requests for 2024 based on educational reasons may do so in writing via email to the principal between Tuesday 10th October and Friday 20th October only. Please do not request specific teachers, as staffing is not confirmed for next year. Please read the school's Class Placements Guidelines document via this link for more specific information or find it on our website. [Class-Placement-Guidelines-2021.pdf](https://southpadburyprimaryschool.wa.edu.au/class-placement-guidelines-2021.pdf) (southpadburyprimaryschool.wa.edu.au)

The student councillors R U OK? charity PJ day was well supported this term. Thanks to the community we raised \$745! Even though the day is over, we ask families to keep the mental health of themselves and others at the forefront of their minds and always ask R U OK? Then listen, encourage action and check-in afterwards. A conversation can change a life.

Our indigenous artist mural of the 6 Noongar seasons is now up on the wall near the bike racks. If you haven't checked it out, please take a stroll that way when next onsite. It looks spectacular.

Don't forget to check out our school website. We are regularly updating information on the site, and there is some great educational information for parents under the 'Learning at Home' tab. We have added information about Triple P Positive Parenting courses, which are free and online. We encourage any families looking for extra information or support with parenting to check out these highly regarded courses. Please click on the link to our school website: <http://southpadburyprimaryschool.wa.edu.au/learning-at-home/parenting-support/>

Over the holidays our second nature playground will begin construction, which is very exciting. Families are encouraged to keep an eye on the school when passing by and report any suspicious behaviour to school security on 1800 177 777.

We wish all our families a relaxing holiday break free from making lunches and uniform washing! Stay safe if you are travelling, and we will see our students back on Tuesday 10th October.

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Principal



2024 School Charges and Contributions

2024 SCHOOL CHARGES AND CONTRIBUTIONS

The South Padbury Primary School Board has endorsed the schedule of Contributions and Charges for 2024. The schedule is broken into four sections and will allow you to calculate all costs that may be incurred throughout the school year.

1. Voluntary Contributions

The total amount of contributions parents/caregivers are being asked to pay have been set at \$40.00 per student which is in line with the School Education Regulations 2000. The voluntary contribution is capped at a maximum of \$120.00 per family for a family of 3 or more children.

Money collected will be used to supplement school expenditure in the curriculum learning areas. While the contributions are voluntary the quality of our teaching and learning program will be maximised when each family makes its contribution to the cost of supplementing funding gained from other sources, including the State and Commonwealth governments. It is therefore vital for the school to receive your family's contribution. Your contribution will be used to supplement school funding for the purchase of resources needed in the provision of the learning program activities. The table below gives you the breakdown of where we will direct your voluntary contribution to.

Kindergarten/Pre-primary		Years 1 - 6	
Phys Ed Resource Materials	\$10.00	Science Consumables	\$5.00
Art/Craft Consumables Stationery/Craft Materials	\$10.00	Art/Craft Consumables	\$10.00
Language Consumables Resources	\$10.00	English/Library Resource Materials	\$10.00
Technology /Science Resource Materials	\$10.00	Photocopy Supplementary to all Learning Areas	\$5.00
		ICT Computing Consumables	\$10.00
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION	\$40.00	TOTAL CONTRIBUTION	\$40.00

We also point out that all contributions are used for the direct benefit of the children. Our aim is to raise our community's contribution rate to at least 80% for the benefit of all our children.

2. Charges For Extra Cost Optional Components

A breakdown of **estimated charges** for your child's participation in excursions, incursions, activities for 2024 have been included in the table listed on the next page. Details on charges collected in previous years has helped guide the 2024 estimate of charges. The amounts shown **represent the maximum** that will be charged for scheduled activities in 2024.

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CHARGES FOR EXTRA COST OPTIONS - SCHEDULE 2024

Please note that not all children in the year level are involved in all the below activities, e.g. Inter-school sporting teams, music, PEAC etc.

The table shows the maximum cost and many classes will not be required to expend the amounts shown below.

		K	PP	YR 1	YR 2	YR 3	YR 4	YR 5	YR 6
1	Incursions and ECE Specialist Education Program Activities	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60
2	Excursion			\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50
3	Edu Dance	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45
4	Interm Swimming		\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$60	\$35	\$35
5	Interschool Carnivals			\$15	\$15	\$38	\$45	\$45	\$45
6	School Swimming Carnival						\$35	\$35	\$35
7	PEAC*			\$10	\$10	\$10	\$50	\$45-\$215	\$45 - \$300
8	Instrumental Music – Instrument Hire							\$120	\$120
9	Year 6 Camp								\$700
10	Choir/Excursions			\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30	\$30
11	LOTE			\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10	\$10

*Please note that not all children in the year level are involved in all the above activities, e.g. interschool sporting teams, music, PEAC etc.

PEAC Students can choose from a range of ~45 courses of varying costs. PEAC Course range in cost from \$15 to \$100 per Round,

Year 1, 2 and 3 Early Extension Program \$10.00 per year

Year 4 PEAC Induction Day for 2024 is for identified Year 4 students (Induction day for these students will be held at the end of 2024) Cost \$50.00.

Round 1 for all Year 5 students is a foundation introduction to PEAC (course and costs \$15.

Year 5 Round 2 and Round 3 PEAC course costs \$30.00 - \$200.00 per year.

Year 6 students have 3 Rounds of PEAC course costs \$45.00 - \$300.00 per year.

If you have any queries relating to the above costs, please contact our PEAC Administration Office on 9416 9864

The schedule includes costs associated with:

Specific learning activities and available to all students, but conditional on a payment being made e.g. Incursions, excursions.

Specific learning activities available to selected students, but conditional on a payment being made e.g. PEAC, Music program, etc.

Other activities available to students, but conditional on a payment being made e.g. Camps, etc.



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3. Items For Personal Use

The list of items for personal use will vary from student to student and includes:

Pupil requirements for all students and used in lessons

e.g. stationery items, calculator, etc.

Pupil requirements recommended but not essential for all students

e.g. tissues, art shirt, etc.

Pupil requirements for selected students and not directly part of the educational program e.g. class photographs, Year 6 leavers' shirts, etc.

All materials can be purchased through Campion, however you are not obliged to use this supplier. Your child will need to have the listed materials each school day so it will be necessary to replace some items, such as pens or pencils, throughout the year. Campion orders placed online before the closing date will be delivered to your home address. Copies of these lists are available from the front office or on the school website.

BYOD Year 3 students 2024 are asked to provide their own iPad for the BYOD program. The iPad does not need to be new but does need to run the most current iOS software (iOS 16.6 at the time of publishing). iPads minis are not recommended. The list of current iPad models which support iOS can be found at <https://support.apple.com/en-us/HT213411>

The most basic model costs around \$550 new.

4. Other Voluntary Approved Requests

The South Padbury Primary School P & C Association voluntary approved request will be \$30.00 per family. **Please remember when you are paying the P & C Voluntary Contribution this is a per family contribution, and is not paid per child.**



Faction Athletics Carnival Summary 2023

Congratulations to all the athletes from all the factions on a superb performance across the board. The carnival was very close especially on the track.

The results are as follows

AGE CHAMPIONS

YEAR 1

GIRLS CHAMPION

INDIANNA S

GIRLS RUNNER UP

NIAMH S

BOYS CHAMPION

DEMARUS K

BOYS RUNNER UP

BODHI M

YEAR 2

GIRLS CHAMPION

BILLIE B

GIRLS RUNNER UP

BONNIE W and IMOGEN C

BOYS CHAMPION

LUCAS M

BOYS RUNNER UP

ADAM K

YEAR 3

GIRLS CHAMPION

STEVIE V

GIRLS RUNNER UP

MARGO R

BOYS CHAMPION

KODY W

BOYS RUNNER UP

HARLAN M

YEAR 4

GIRLS CHAMPION

EMMA S

GIRLS RUNNER UP

OLIVE P

BOYS CHAMPION

VANN S

BOYS RUNNER UP

HARRISON F

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Faction Athletics Carnival Summary 2023

YEAR 5

GIRLS CHAMPION

AERIN M

GIRLS RUNNER UP

GRACE H and EMILY B

BOYS CHAMPION

LUCA C

BOYS RUNNER UP

JAMISON S

YEAR 6

GIRLS CHAMPION

SCILLA B

GIRLS RUNNER UP

AI SLING O

BOYS CHAMPION

TOMMY C

BOYS RUNNER UP

MASON C

OVERALL RESULTS	ACACIA	BANKSIA	BORONIA	TUART
JUMPS AND THROWS	318	250	187	253
TEAM GAMES	683	600	659	630
TRACK	387	382	272	311
TOTAL	1388	1232	1118	1194

SPIRIT AWARD - Points are awarded for the march onto the oval, cheering, supporting team members and helping pack up and clean up at the end of the day.

MARCH WINNER = BANKSIA

OVERALL SPIRIT = BANKSIA

Many thanks to the following parents and former student who assisted with the running of the carnival.

Cherie Perrie, Amanda Duckworth, Naomi Shapleski, Alicia Thomas and Karis Udy

Thanks to Mike Maxted and the 'Dadbury' dads who assisted in the set up and pack down on the day.

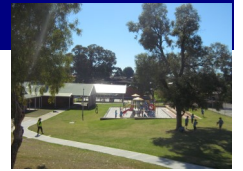
To all the staff who generously assisted before and on the day, thank you!

At the **Jumps and Throws Carnival** the following parents were there to assist with the running of the carnival, Mrs Shapleski, Mrs Hudson and Mrs Gendle. Many thanks to all those parents .

The Interschool Carnivals are in Term 4

JUMPS AND THROWS - Wednesday 18 October at South Padbury Oval 9.00am-12.15pm
Hosted by Bambara Primary School

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL - Friday 20 October at MacDonald Park Hosted by South Padbury Primary School.



Faction Athletics Carnival 2023



P&C Update

Wow, what a term! Thank you to everyone who signed up to help with our three fundraising events in Term 3.

Between the Father's Day stall, the sports carnival and the disco, we're pleased to report we'll be pouring just over **\$5000** into the fundraising pot, leaving us with a running tally of more **\$38000!**

Term 4 will see us pushing to reach **\$50000**, with the Colour Run and some other activities planned.

How can you help? Keep signing up to volunteer, make sure you vote at SPPS for The Voice referendum on October 14 (and buy a sausage sizzle while you're there!) and look out for Colour Run details in the coming weeks.

We thank you for your ongoing support and hope you all enjoy a safe and happy holiday.

School Dental Service Survey

The School Dental Service is an important health service providing dental care, at no cost, to school aged children across Western Australia.

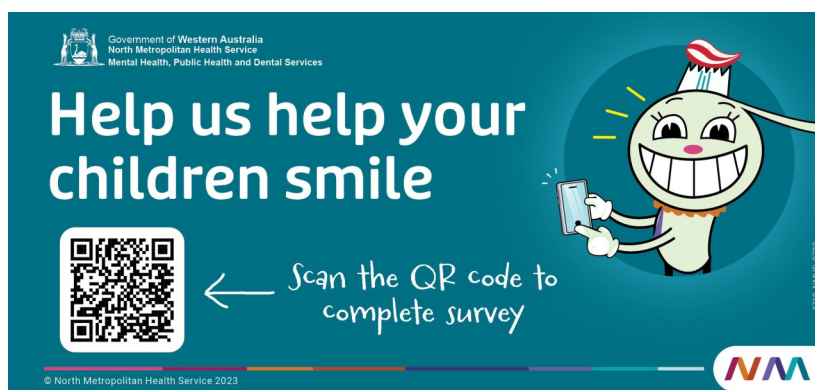
The Padbury Dental Therapy Centre is looking to improve the way we communicate with the South Padbury Primary School community and we need your help.

Better communication will help improve your experience with the service, boost engagement and support better dental and oral health outcomes.

Your help in completing a 10-minute online survey, will provide valuable feedback. <https://redcap.link/SchoolDentalServiceCommunicationSurvey>

Thank you for your support.

The staff at Padbury Dental Therapy Centre



Year 4 Excursion to Fremantle

If you are yet to pay for your child to attend the Year 4 Fremantle excursion, please go to QKR to complete your consent and payment to ensure your child can attend.

Year 2 Excursion to Buckingham House

If you are yet to pay for your child to attend the Year 2 Buckingham House excursion, please go to QKR to complete your consent and payment to ensure your child can attend.

Contact Information:

56 Warburton Avenue
PADBURY WA 6025

Phone: 08 6206 2250

Email: southpadbury.ps@education.wa.edu.au

www.southpadburyprimaryschool.wa.edu.au

Police Communications: 131 444

Education Security: 9264 4771 or

9264 4632

SCHOOL SECURITY ON THE HOLIDAYS



If at any time you see or hear of inappropriate activities around our school, please do not approach the offenders or put yourself at risk in any way but call Education Security to attend.

Ed Security 9264 4771 or 9264 4632

Dates to put in your diary....

Thursday 21 Sept	YR4-6 Author Incursion
Friday 22 Sept	Last Day of Term 3
TERM 4	
Monday 9 Oct	Pupil Free Day
Tuesday 10 Oct	Student's Commence Term 4
Thursday 12 Oct	TA4 Buckingham House Exc.
Monday 16 Oct	YR4 Fremantle Exc.
Tuesday 17 Oct	TA3 Buckingham House Exc.
Wednesday 18 Oct	Interschool Jumps & Throws
Friday 20 Oct	Interschool Athletics



VacSwim
Enrolments now open!
Places are limited, so get in early.

Help keep your child safe in the water.
Enrol now for the school holidays.

education.wa.edu.au/vacswim

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Check the website for locations.
education.wa.edu.au/vacswim

Program	Dates	Enrolments close	Price
October 8 day program	Wednesday 27 Sep to Friday 6 Oct 2023	Thursday 17 Aug 2023	Child \$32* Family \$85.50*
October 5 day program	Monday 2 Oct to Friday 6 Oct 2023	Thursday 17 Aug 2023	Child \$16.50* Family \$43.50*
Country early start 7 day program	Saturday 16 Dec to Friday 22 Dec 2023 (incl Sat 16 and Sun 17 Dec 2023)	Thursday 12 Oct 2023	Child \$32* Family \$85.50*
January 8 day program	Wednesday 3 Jan to Friday 12 Jan 2024	Thursday 26 Oct 2023	Child \$32* Family \$85.50*
January 5 day program	Monday 8 Jan to Friday 12 Jan 2024	Thursday 26 Oct 2023	Child \$16.50* Family \$43.50*
January 9 day program	Monday 15 Jan to Thursday 25 Jan 2024	Thursday 26 Oct 2023	Child \$32* Family \$85.50*

*Concessions available. Does not include pool entry. Information on the website is available in languages other than English. If you require an interpreter or need assistance in completing enrolment forms, please telephone VacSwim 9402 6412.






Learn music at South Padbury Primary School!

- Keyboard/guitar starting from \$20.35 for a group lesson.
- Held after school.

Enrol now for Term 4!

receive first lesson free! (quote keyedup4)

www.keyedupmusic.com.au/enrolment-form

CONTACT US!

0479 171 424
enquiry@keyedupmusic.com.au





South Padbury Vacation Care Programme
26th September - 9th October 2023

from \$8.55 per day

Monday 25th September	Tuesday 26th September	Wednesday 27th September	Thursday 28th September	Friday 29th September
Public Holiday 	Virtual Reality Travel through space as you wear a virtual reality headset. 	WA Reptile Park Visit and learn about Australia's fascinating native animals and discover some interesting facts about them. 	Disco Party Join our super fun disco dance party today as we top it all we drag! 	DIY LCD Watch Colour your DIY watchband and set the time with the real digital LCD display. 
Monday 2nd October Cartoon Workshop Fire up those pencils and artistic minds. Our cartoonists workshop awaits. 	Tuesday 3rd October Gnomes Go Wild Fill your own soft plush. Gnomes to add to your collection. 	Wednesday 4th October Magician Join us for an interactive and mind blowing illusion show by the magician. 	Thursday 5th October Caversham Wildlife Park Come with us as we watch the farm show, meet the animals and to breeds, feed kangaroos and koalas. 	Friday 6th October Beaded Bookmark Easy, colourful paperclip bookmarks are fun to make and fun to use for school work and home reading. 
Monday 9th October Biscuit Decorating Layer with icing, paint with an edible colour palette, decorate with sprinkles and a small bag of totes your own cookies. 				

*Please note: Child Care Subsidy rebates are applied, if eligible.

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South Padbury Vacation Care Programme
26th September - 9th October 2023

Vacation Care Programme
Zig Zags OSHC programmes are engaging and inspired by our children and staff. Experiences are a combination of excursions, incursions and activities at our services. We offer developmental and creative activities that are fun, packed and challenging appropriate to their age and maturity.

Where are we located?
Located at South Padbury Primary School, 56 Warburton Ave, Padbury.

Who can attend?
All school aged children from Kindergarten age and above, from any primary school (public or independent) are welcome to attend.

Opening Times
7.00AM - 6.00PM Monday - Friday during School Holidays and School Development Days.

What to bring?
Healthy afternoon tea and refreshments are supplied. Just bring your socks, closed in shoes (no thongs please), hat, water bottle and **not** free morning tea and lunch. Please bring a rashie for any water play based days.

Vacation Care Pricing

- \$85 per day
- Incursions and Excursion fees are in addition to the daily fee per child for the corresponding day.
- Government subsidies up to 90% may apply including the incursion/excursion pricing
- Please note there is a 2 week cancellation policy, however we are able to honour swaps within the same week, providing it doesn't affect our staffing.

Book now online at www.zigzagsoshc.com.au/vacation-care

- 1 Login at www.zigzagsoshc.com.au/m.au/vacation-care
- 2 Click on heart icon
- 3 Select BookMe
- 4 Ensure Calendar is set to your preferred service
- 5 Choose days and select Participate. Confirm Bookings and select the box next to Terms and Conditions.

Zig Zags OSHC

If you are unable to book online please phone, email or visit any of our centres where we will be happy to help you.

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