



From the Principal's Desk

Leading the Way

Congratulations to our newly elected student leadership team for Semester One. Our school leaders are Mina-Jo Farber, Alyssa Kelly, Sai Charan Kotika, Lalita Puvanendran, Idella Rapps, Matthew Robinson, Hunter Rowe, Alyssa Tennant. Our Faction Captains are Red: Grace Calleja and Luke Sexton, Blue: Hayden Hill and Lalita Puvanendran, Green: Riley Hogg and Robyn Mews, Gold: Lleyton Mitchell and Emma Moore.

Our Incredible P&C

At our assembly yesterday, the Edney P&C presented the school with a cheque for \$39 500. This phenomenal amount represents the proceeds of Edney's Magical Kingdom Fair and additional fundraising for the benefit of our students. The funds will be put to use in refurbishing the school library, renewing our sporting equipment and health programs, as well as maintaining the subsidy of every single class excursion throughout the year and topping up every classroom and learning area budget across the school. This contribution is near to \$100 per child in additional funds which provides first-class resources and opportunities for your child as well as softening the costs requested from families during the year. Thank you to our P&C, the tireless volunteers and all in our school community who support our fundraising activities.

School Board Vacancies

The Edney Primary School Board is the peak advisory and decision making body of the school. Formed with parents in the majority, the Board is comprised of parents, staff and community representatives who ensure the good governance of our school, quality leadership, and exemplify the Board's vision, *Supporting Excellence*. Board Members are appointed for a term of up to three years. Nominations are now called for two parent vacancies on the School Board resulting from the conclusion of terms of serving Board Members. If you wish to nominate (current members can re-nominate), please do so in writing to aaron.chaplin@education.wa.edu.au

Upcoming Events



February 2019

22nd Kindergarten
Gold attend



March 2019

1st Kindergarten
Red/Blue attend
5th Public Holiday
7th Assembly Room 14
Newsletter Issued

Nominations close at 3pm on Thursday 7th March 2019.

This is our School

The School Board are considering whether "our" school creed is due for an update. The school creed used at Edney is actually not "ours" but borrowed and shared between countless schools across WA, Australia and in fact the world. In our 30th birthday year, we're wondering whether it is time to come up with a creed that is truly ours. Any suggestions are most welcome to Edney.PS.SchoolBoard@education.wa.edu.au. This topic is on the agenda for the next board meeting to be held on Tuesday 19th March. This, and all Board meetings are open to members of the public to observe.

School Board Awards

The Edney Primary School Board Awards recognise excellence in our school community, acknowledging the extraordinary work and contributions of community members and school staff. Nominations are open all year round, and take but a moment of your time. Please consider nominating worthy individuals for an award. The nomination forms are available on the school website.

New App on the Way

For the past several years, Edney has had an App available for parents and staff to notify of events. While it was revolutionary in its time, we're finding the App to be clunky and not of the high standard that our school deserves.

To this end, in the next term, we'll be unveiling a completely new, much improved, refreshed and more user friendly App with lots of exciting new features, and far less spam and clutter. We'll put the word out to point you to the App store for your device in the next few weeks.



Term 1 Week 3

22 February 2019



471



436



418



580

>>Faction points as of Term 1 Week 3, 2019<<

Honour Certificates for Term 1 Week 3. Well done students!

Room	Student	Room	Student
1	Rodel Palisoc Dean Harrison	16	Zekeya Yarran Jack Fawcett
2	Tristian Wilson Skye Incognito	17	Jack Fry Javiera Novoa Diaz
3	Alyssa Kelly Alyssa Tennant	EC1	Violet Almond Ryan Millstead
4	Hafiz Shamsul Bahari Peppa Curby	EC2	Emily Rumball Amira Richmond
10	Hamish Thomas Kyle Crawford		
11	Jayden Wolf Mya Gouveia	Art	Tristian Wilson Hydi Berghuber
12	Cameron Laws Savannah Julius	Italian	Zali Rowling
13	Kaylee Valois	Music	Ethan Julius Emma Wilson
14	Hannah Penalba	Phys Ed	Olivia Van Deyl



Breakfast Club News

The Breakfast Club runs every Tuesday from 7.45am to 8.20am.

Breakfast club can not be supplied to students after 8.20am as this time is



School Banking News

You can deposit money every Tuesday morning from 8.20am till 8.40am in the library.
Thank you from Banking

Voluntary Contributions

Thank you to those parents who have paid voluntary contributions. These contributions support the school budget and contribute to the purchase of additional educational resources. The School Board has set the Voluntary Contribution at \$60 per child.

Payment of contributions may be made in the office or by electronic deposit.

The school bank details are:

Edney Primary School

BSB 06 6112

A/C No. 00904132

Please use your child's name as a reference.

Look what's been happening!



Edney Edition



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Observations**



**Student
Leaders**

and



**Faction
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Election**





P&C News

The beginning of the year is always a proud moment for the P&C. It's the time when we see in monetary value, all of our team work and extensive fundraising.

At assembly we handed over to the school a rather large cheque. We hope you are as ecstatic about the result as we are. We thank all of those of have helped create such a fitting number and can't wait to see meet some new faces to continue on with the key role of Edney's P&C, to raise money for all Edney students.

If fundraising is a passion for you please get involved with the P&C. We have people who have put up their hands to do fundraising but we are still looking for that special someone who would like to coordinate fundraising, please email us at

edneyprimaryschoolpandc@hotmail.com

Last week your P&C had its AGM and first meeting of the year. The following people were elected Office Bearers:

Valda Ann Taipari - President,
Steve Rapps - Vice President,
David Balfe - Secretary,
Tania Death - Treasurer and three Executive Committee members are Lauren Irving, Naomi Johns and Bonnie Kelly.

All are welcome to join P&C and see what we do to support all the children of the school.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday 26th March.

Canteen News

We still have our welcome back special this week, it is our last few days where you can get a free icy pole if you bring your bag up after lunch.

Thanks for all those who supported our Valentines recess special.

Our frozen fruit cups at only \$1.20 will help keep you cool as will our watermelon slices.



Community News

Here are activities our community has been talking about.

The Joys Of Raising Boys

This session is on Thursday the 14th of March from 6pm–8pm at Maida Vale Baptist Church, costing \$5 per person.

You will gain an insight into the enormous benefits of finding the best approach to relaying to boys as they grow and thrive in our community.

For further information phone 9257 9968 or email youth@kalamunda.wa.gov.au

Kalamunda District Rugby Club

Get ready for the 2019 Junior Rugby Union Season, registrations are open now, contact

kalamundajruc@gmail.com for more information, or visit [facebook@kalajuniors](https://www.facebook.com/kalajuniors)

High Wycombe Junior Football Club—Girls Auskick and Junior
High Wycombe Junior Football Club is excited to offer the opportunities for girls to play football.

Auskick offers a fun and safe environment for girls to learn how to play football. They will be taught the basic skills of football while having fun and making new friends.

Junior Girls team are looking for girls to join our team and play in our Junior Girls competition. It doesn't matter if you've never played before, we want you! So come join in the fun on Monday night and be ready to make new friends.

Register now to secure your spot in Auskick or our Junior Girls team

at www.hwjfc.org.au and clicking on the registration link.

Please direct enquiries to the Girls Coordinator Rhiannon Lehmann at rhirihi@iinet.net.au or phone on 0433 167 896.

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