



Parap Flyer

Newsletter of Parap Primary School • Darwin Northern Territory

Term 3 Week 5

16 August 2023



IMPORTANT DATES

Swimming—Primary Years
Mon 21—Thu 24 August

**Book Character
Dress Up Day**
Friday 25 August

Swimming Carnival
Friday 1 September
8:30am—12:30pm

**School Council
Trivia Night**
Trailer Boat Club
Thursday 7 September

Three Way Conferences
Tuesday 12 September

School Council Meeting
Tuesday 29 August 6pm
Tuesday 19 September
6pm

Assembly
Friday 18 Aug—8:30am
Friday 25 Aug—8:30am
Friday 8 Sep—8:30am
Friday 22 Sep—8:30am

Dear Families,

Last week I got to witness the Parap Concert Production and I was totally blown away by our talented students who showcased their acting, singing, instrumental and dance techniques. This year the theme was inspired by our Real Life Inquiry global concept around the importance of mateship.

Later in the newsletter are some amazing highlights from the concert!

NAPLAN:

Individual Student Results for NAPLAN were sent home earlier this week for students in Year 3 and 5. As of 2023, a new proficiency standard was introduced for NAPLAN reporting. The standard will replace the numerical NAPLAN bands and the national minimum standard with the following four levels of achievement:

- Exceeding
- Strong
- Developing
- Needs additional support.

The report showed results for each NAPLAN test through proficiency level. These levels show what students know and are able to do in literacy and numeracy.

Darwin Middle School visit:

Later this week, students in Year 6 have the opportunity to visit DMS for the full day along with Ludmilla Primary School students. Our students will be accompanied by Ms Breanna Hawken and Ms Lynley Davies and together they will be able to experience a day as a middle schooler. Our students will be immersed in a range of activities including a school tour, Science, Health and PE, Food and Nutrition and Dance sessions.

Primary Years Swimming Program:

The Primary Years Swimming Training Program will run from Monday 21 August to Thursday 24 August (Week 6). Students will attend 4 training sessions in total at the Parap Pool and then will participate in the Swimming Carnival on Friday 1st September (Week 7). Please ensure your fill in the form along with the payment and return it back to school.

Have wonderful week!

Warm regards,

Bianca Hyke

Principal



Our School Mission

Working Together, nurturing personal achievement and lifelong learning sustained by explicit values and strong school, family and community partnerships.

Our School Values

PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY, INCLUSION, COOPERATION and GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

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THE CHILDREN'S
BOOK COUNCIL
OF AUSTRALIA

CHILDREN'S
BOOK WEEK

#CBCA2023

19 to 25 AUGUST

READ
GROW
Inspire

BOOK PARADE

FRIDAY 25TH AUGUST @ 8:30 am

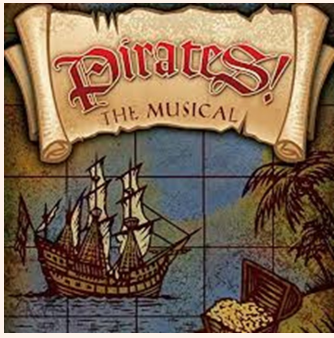
during Assembly in the Hall

Come dressed as your favourite book character!

Families and Friends are welcome to attend

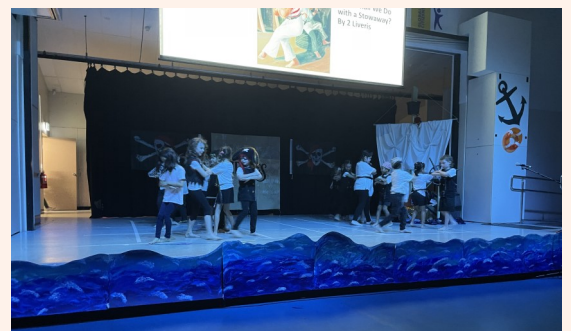


Let's celebrate Book Week and our love of reading.



PARAP PRIMARY SCHOOL PRODUCTION
2023
PIRATES





Courage

The NT Music School presents

THE DARWIN BEAT FESTIVAL

6, 7, 8 SEPTEMBER 2023

We are excited to announce that our BEAT Choir will be performing on Wednesday 6 September and our BEAT dance troupe on Wednesday 6, Thursday 7 and Friday 9 September. To purchase tickets for the BEAT performance please visit <https://www.yourcentre.com.au/#!/events> or use the QR code below. We encourage parents to purchase tickets for the Wednesday night performance as both our Parap BEAT choir and dance troupe will be performing. 😊

Tickets are on sale, please book early to avoid disappointment.

Please ring 08 8980 3333 or

book [online](#)



School Survey 2023

8–25 August



YOUR VOICE MATTERS

The annual School Survey is your opportunity to share your experiences with your school and its education services to celebrate success and identify opportunities for improvement.

It's confidential, easy to access and takes 10–20 minutes to complete.

Please contact your school to access your School Survey.

It is time for our Annual School Survey!

Parents/ guardians, students in Years 4 – 6, and teachers are encouraged to have their say about their school community by participating in the 2023 School Survey.

The survey contains questions that provide schools with key insights into wellbeing, engagement and learning experiences from the perspective of the school community.

The survey opens from **Tuesday 8th August to Friday 25th August.**

[Parent Survey link/QR Code](#)

www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/ParapPSParentSurvey2023



TRIVIA NIGHT

7
SEPTEMBER

Start at 06:30pm
Trailer Boat Club

\$20 per person
Tables of up to 10 People
Raffle Tickets | Great Prizes
Free Coopers on arrival
KIDS FREE



Coopers

School Council
Fundraiser event
parapschoolcouncil@outlook.com

DARWIN
TRAILER BOAT CLUB



Certificates of Powerful learning - Term 3 Week 3

RESILIENT LEARNERS

6 Hawken	Eliza F
6 Hawken	Johnathan B
6 Davies	Ekkam C
6 Davies	Divya T
4/3 Anita	Max B
2 Liveris	Abi S
2 Giallouris	Lillie S
2 Chappell	Levi O
2 Chappell	Hailee C
1 Sinclair	Isla M
Tr Sutton	Kian M
Tr Giallouris	Bella G

Have a growth mindset.

CURIOUS LEARNERS

5 Bishop	Georgia C
4/3 Spinella	Eddie N
4/3 Worthy	Holly C
4/3 Worthy	Chenoah D
2 Giallouris	Declan N
2 Liveris	Sophia M
1 Rowe	Jiva H
1 Rowe	Archer A
1 White	Arthur R
Tr Giallouris	William N
Tr McGill	Ziggy C

Ask questions to expand their knowledge of the world.

SELF-DIRECTED LEARNERS

5 Bishop	Alysa M
5 Houghton	Chase G
4/3 Anita	Paige N
4/3 Bound	Fletcher H
4/3 Ryan	Seerat G
Tr Sutton	Zaki S

Demonstrate a readiness and willingness to learn.

COLLABORATIVE LEARNERS

5 Houghton	Scarlett L
4/3 Bound	Auglisya D
4/3 Ryan	Elena F
Tr McGill	Isidro L

Cooperate with others in play and learning.

CREATIVE LEARNERS

4/3 Spinella	Piper O
1 Sinclair	Archie P
1 White	Arihaan K

Open their hearts and minds to possibilities.