



# Parap Flyer

Newsletter of Parap Primary School • Darwin Northern Territory



Term 3- Week 7  
31/8/2022

**Primary Swimming - Year's 4-6**  
29 August—6 September

**Three-way Conferences**  
Tuesday 13 September

**Swimming Carnival 9-12yr olds**  
Friday 16 September  
8:30am-12:30pm

**Sausage Sizzle (Lunch only)**  
Friday 16 September

**Book Fair—In the Library**  
12—16 September  
7:30—8:15am & 2:35—3:00pm M-F  
**Additional Opening Time on**  
Tuesday 2:35—5:00pm

**Footy Colours Day**  
Tuesday 20 September

**School Assembly**  
Friday 9 September—8:30am  
Friday 23 September—8:30am

Dear Parents and Carers

**INDUSTRIAL ACTION – STOP WORK - Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September**  
*Parap Primary School* will be affected by the industrial action but **will remain open.**

Every effort will be made to minimise impacts on learning and ensure appropriate supervision is in place for students to ensure their safety and wellbeing. We have had to modify timetables and combine year levels to support reductions in staffing.

All students are asked to come to the Hall at the beginning of the day, with their bags, hats, lunchboxes and water bottles. We will be grouping students in the following combinations.

Preschool and Transition  
Year One and Year Two  
Year Three and Year Four  
Year Five and Year Six

All of our students will have an executive staff member (Principal or Assistant Principals), support staff and the teaching staff who are not participating in the action, to look after them on Thursday. Formal learning will not be possible however we have organised activities for each group which include, sport, technology, games and puzzles.

At the end of the day you will be able to collect your child from the Hall or Camp Australia if they attend After School Care.

As always, please remember to contact the office to inform them if your child will not be attending school.

## 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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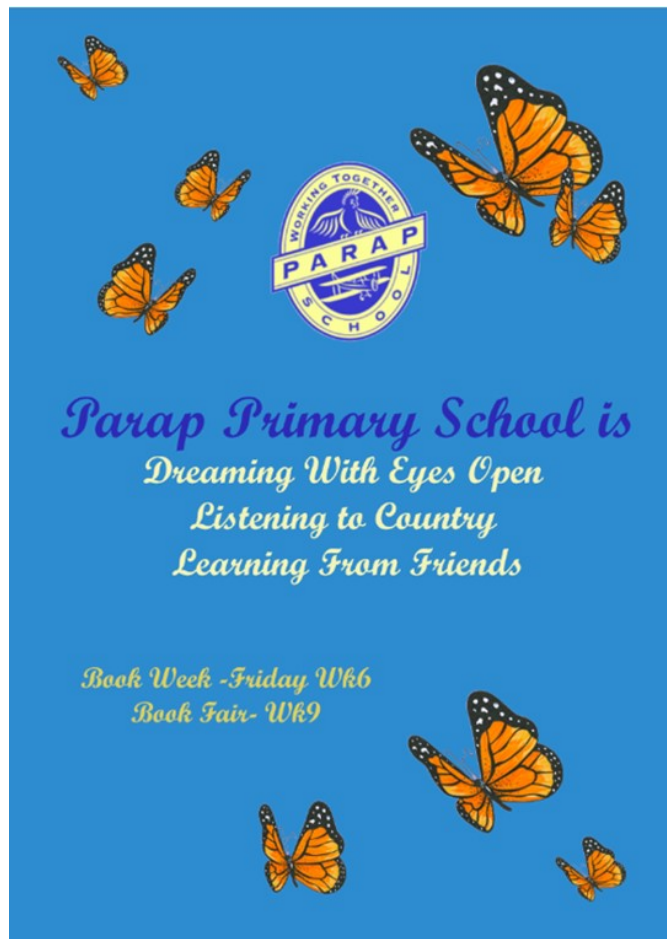
## **INDUSTRIAL ACTION - WORK TO RULE**

The department of education has received formal notification from AEU NT that work to rule action may impact NT government schools from Friday 26 August 2022, to continue until further notice.

Work to rule action means that participating AEU members will only complete the minimum requirements as outlined in the Teacher Responsibility Guide.

## **BOOK FAIR**

Don't forget that our annual BOOK FAIR is on in week 9, beginning on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> September.



## **BEAT DANCE AND CHOIR**

We are pleased to announce that although this amazing performance is outside of regular school working hours, the BEAT is still expected to be held as planned. Our school choir will be performing on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> September. Our dance group will be performing over the three nights – Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Tickets are available from the Darwin Entertainment Centre.

If anything changes parents will be notified immediately.



# BOOK WEEK

What a fabulous week and an even more impressive Book Character Dress Up Day. Take a look at our magnificent parade.





## School Council News

Hi everyone,

My name is Em and I am one of your School council representatives and just wanted to take a moment to introduce myself....BUT first!!!

What an amazing couple of weeks for Parap Primary! Thank you again to everyone for your support during the School Concert, Trivia night and Election BBQ events! This was a great opportunity to not only come together as a community but raise money for the school! A special mention to all of our sponsors at the trivia night for their amazing contributions! The raffle draw was a definite highlight of the night bringing lots of cheer!



Now a little about me... I am part of a huge family of 7! We are a Defence family travelling all over Australia and although only new to Darwin this year, we LOVE it here!!

My husband Stu has served in the Army for 20 years and we have 5 beautiful children. Levi (Year 6), Hazelle (Year 3) and Owen (Year 2) you may know as they all attend Parap. Our other son Jax is in Year 9 at Darwin Middle and our other son Ryan is 2 at Play school - yes that's a lot of Boys!!

I have been a Midwife for many years working at busy hospitals in different states so I can appreciate the importance of support and a family unit. Our recent posting to Darwin has seen me also take on a role in another area of interest as a Housing Manager for Defence.

I work full time but decided to join the School council as a way to be involved with the kids school. It can be hard to transition schools and as you can imagine things are different everywhere you go! I am also a member of the Fundraising and Parent Engagement committees. There are lots of varying committees at the school and if you would like to get involved in whatever capacity suitable to you, send an email to [Parapschoolcouncil@outlook.com](mailto:Parapschoolcouncil@outlook.com) as we would love to welcome all aboard!

I look forward to getting to know you all better. You may not see me around all the time, but please don't be shy if you do as I love a good chat!

Thank you again to everyone for your ongoing support and commitment to the ever evolving Parap Primary school community.

Keep smiling,

Em Dorrian

## REMINDER SWIMMING

The **Primary Years Swimming Training Program** (Year 4 – Year 6) began on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August (Week 7) and has been extended to Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September (Week 8).

The Primary Years Swimming Carnival will be held on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September.

Year 3 students who turn 9 this year may be eligible for the PY Swimming Carnival 9 year old age group. If they are part of the Darwin, Nightcliff or Casuarina Swimming Club they will have the opportunity of then representing our school at the Interschool Swimming Competition in Week 9. These students will attend a trial swimming lesson on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> September to ascertain that they can swim 50 metres confidently. Mr Daniel Gerlach will assess their swimming capability and eligibility for swimming events in the carnival. Allocation of events will be at the sole discretion of Mr Daniel Gerlach and his swimming instructors.

If you would like to nominate your child for the PY swimming carnival please email [cimarra.stephensen@education.nt.gov.au](mailto:cimarra.stephensen@education.nt.gov.au) by **Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> August**.

# Certificate of Powerful learning - Term 3 Week 5

## SELF-DIRECTED LEARNERS

6/5 Bound	Endora E
6/5 Hawken	Ruby W
4 Gartside	Sharon V
4 Pfitzner	Bridie C
3 Bishop	Harriet C
3 Lawrence	Ismaeel A
1 Huma	Joshua S
1 Sinclair	Percy H

Demonstrate a readiness and willingness to learn.

## CREATIVE LEARNERS

6/5 Houghton	Lucy P
6/5 May	Alice C
2 Giallouris	Cassius F
T McGill	Johvi F
T Spinella	Ellie G

Open their hearts and minds to possibilities.

## RESILIENT LEARNERS

6/5 Bowman	Lauren L
6/5 Bowman	Sophia Q
6/5 Hawken	Aden T
6/5 Houghton	Tylar C
3 Anita	Katerina L
2 Chappell	Maryanne B
2 Chappell	Gunvansh S
2 Giallouris	Blake C
1 Huma	Grace M
1 Rowe	Farhan A
1 Rowe	Raven B
T Sutton	Madison A
T Sutton	Zubbu Q

Have a growth mindset.

## CURIOS LEARNERS

6/5 May	Ruby B
4 Gartside	Fletcher B
3 Lawrence	Chase A
2 Liveris	Beau C
2 Liveris	Poppi R
T Spinella	Archie P

Ask questions to expand their knowledge of the world.

## COLLABORATIVE LEARNERS

6/5 Bound	Reuben K
4 Pfitzner	Martha H
3 Anita	Korbyn M
3 Bishop	Vighnesh R
1 Sinclair	Isandra B
T McGill	Judd D

Cooperate with others in play and learning.

# Certificate of Powerful learning - Term 3 Week 6

## SELF-DIRECTED LEARNERS

6/5 Houghton	Thembiso H
6/5 May	Dorothy H
4 Gartside	Evangeline J
2 Chappell	Liidi R
2 Chappell	George M
1 Sinclair	Monica C
T Spinella	Ryland J
T Sutton	Emilia L

Demonstrate a readiness and willingness to learn.

## COLLABORATIVE LEARNERS

4 Pfitzner	Thomas B
3 Lawrence	Ila W
3 Bishop	Meadow S
3 Anita	Nathanielle B
2 Liveris	Saisia F
2 Liveris	Pippa G
1 Sinclair	Bree N
T McGill	Louis S

Cooperate with others in play and learning.

## RESILIENT LEARNERS

6/5 Bowman	Charlotte B
6/5 Bound	Jayden C
6/5 Houghton	Lilly B
4 Pfitzner	Bethany N
4 Gartside	Hudson H
3 Lawrence	Paige N
3 Bishop	Eric C
3 Anita	Duncan D
T Spinella	Terah T

Have a growth mindset.

## CREATIVE LEARNERS

6/5 Bound	Eve G
1 Huma	Olle U
T McGill	Anne-Marie L
T Sutton	Pippa F

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## CURIOUS LEARNERS

6/5 May	Alexis G
1 Huma	Finness W

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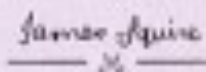
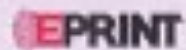
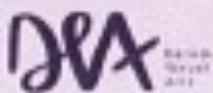
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EXHIBITION BY CINDY MAY



FRIDAY 2ND - SATURDAY 17TH  
SEPTEMBER 2022  
GALLERY ONE  
HARBOUR VIEW GALLERY

1/8 MCMINN ST, DARWIN CITY  
[WWW.DARWINVISUALARTS.COM.AU](http://WWW.DARWINVISUALARTS.COM.AU)





Free Family Fun Day at Mindil starts at 11 am



Bubbles, Games, Giant Obstacle course, Face painting all free activities

# Come to the Free Family Fun Day at Mindil Beach

Come to see the Street Parade in the CBD Saturday 3 September

**Esplanade - Saturday 03/09/2022**

We wish to advise car park spaces will be unavailable along the Esplanade between Peel Street to Daly Street from 22:00pm Friday 02/09/2022 and traffic control will be in place Saturday 3/9/2022 from 08:00am causing short delays for

## Variety NT 30 anniversary bash street parade

Street Parade Participants will arrive at the Muster Point (Near Daly St roundabout) before parade begins at 10:00am

We thank you for your assistance in allowing us to stage the event from the Esplanade to Mindil Beach.



**Please contact Variety (Katrina Fong Lim) on 08 8981 2544**

Welcome the weird and funny Bash Cars to the end of the 30th anniversary Bash

Food vans to purchase food

Major Sponsors NT Government, City of Darwin and Noonamah Tavern

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### NOTICE OF EVENT

#### SPONSORS

