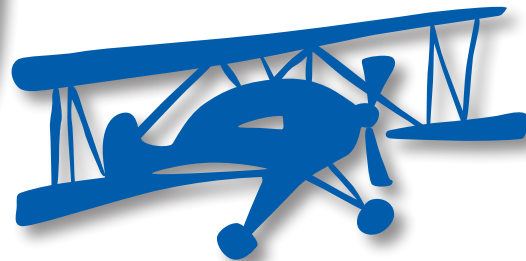




# Parap Flyer

Newsletter of Parap Primary School • Darwin, Northern Territory



Term 1 Week 9  
27th March 2025

Important  
dates



Assembly  
4th April - 8:30am

Term 2  
Teachers return  
14th April  
Students Return  
15th April

Good Friday Public  
Holiday  
18th April

Easter Monday  
Publi Holiday  
21st April

Anzac Day  
Assembly  
24th April - 8:30am

Anzac Day Public  
Holiday  
25th April



## DEAR FAMILIES

3 Way Conferences occurred on Tuesday 25th March. This was an opportunity for families to celebrate the learning that has been happening in classrooms. Students spoke about their own data as well as outlined their SMART goals set in class and how they plan on achieving these goals over time.

Thank you for celebrating in your child's success, we had a strong attendance across the school.

Preschool warmly welcomed families for a special afternoon session, providing a wonderful opportunity to connect and celebrate together. The evening concluded with an exciting preschool raffle draw, with all proceeds supporting the creation of new artwork by local artist Trent Lee for our new preschool space.

## CROSSING SIGNS

Thank you Laurie Zio (MLA) for organising the new school crossing signs for our school. Your support in ensuring the safety of our students and families is appreciated. These flags make a significant difference in enhancing visibility and promoting road safety around our school zone.

## Contact Us



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Parap Primary School Working Together

## 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



Global Citizenship

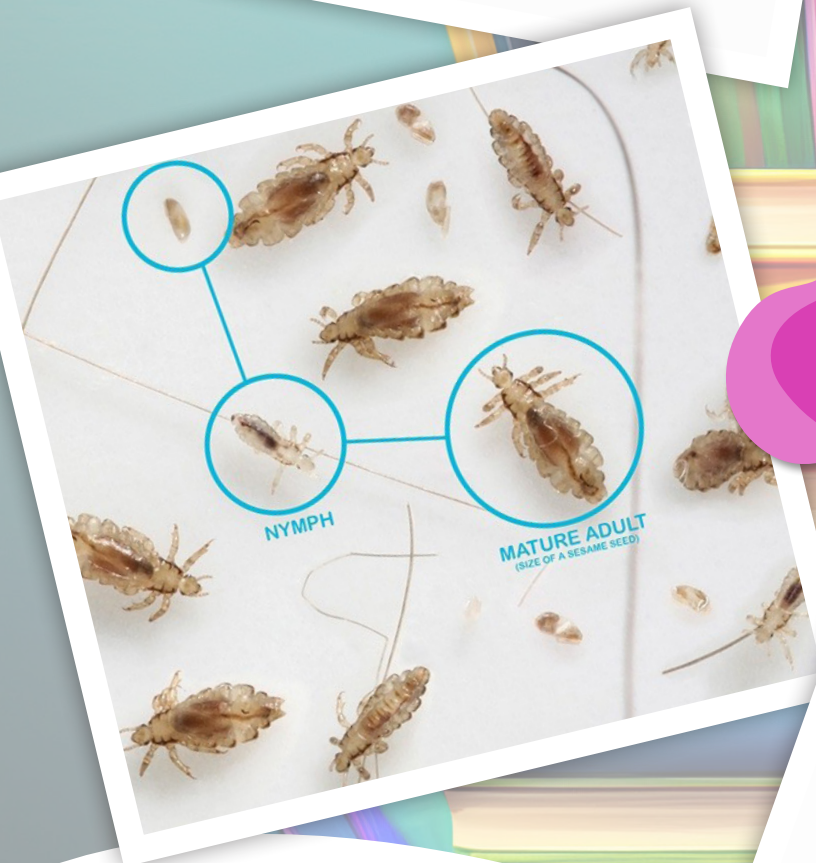


# HEAD LICE

We are receiving a lot of parent communication relating to Nits. When a case of nits is reported to the school, the school will send home a letter to all the children in the class. It is important that you check, comb and treat your child to avoid the infestation from growing. Along with treating your child's hair, all soft furnishing, hats, brushes and hair accessories must also be washed.

It is imperative that 7 days after the initial treatment, you must treat your child again as this will catch any eggs that were missed during the first treatment.

It is up to us to work as a team to ensure we are regularly checking our children and treating when necessary.







## NEW ADMIN STAFF

A warm welcome to Patrik Ralph, who has joined our front office team part-time. Patrik grew up in Darwin and is currently studying to become a secondary teacher specialising in Humanities. Patrik is excited to become part of the Parap Primary school community and has already made great connections with our students.

## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

### Pupil Free Day

Monday 14th April (the first day of Term 2), will be a pupil-free day. Teachers will spend the day unpacking data, then using the data to backwards map, create rich assessment tasks and working in collaborative teams to identify focuses for English, Maths and Real Life Inquiry. The school (primary and preschool) will be closed for the day so students will not attend. Camp Australia will be operating from 7:30am – 6:00pm, offering care for our parent community. If you need more information, please contact Camp Australia on <https://campaustralia.com.au/> and look for the Pupil Free Day tab.

### STUDENT FREE DAY on Monday 14 April

Camp Australia will be open for full day care. Please book on website:  
[www.campaustralia.com.au](http://www.campaustralia.com.au)  
1300 105 343

# BACK to SCHOOL

Tuesday 15 April 2025



# HARMONY WEEK

Harmony Week is a special time at Parap Primary School, where we come together to celebrate the rich diversity and multiculturalism within our community. It is an opportunity to embrace inclusiveness, show respect for one another and reinforce the important message that 'Everyone Belongs', no matter their background.

Each year level participated in engaging activities throughout the week that connected to our Real Life Inquiry Global Concept of "Identity and Belonging" and our School Value of Inclusion.

Our assembly on Friday, showcased Year 2/1 Chappell's adaptation of the beloved book 'I Am Australian Too' by Mem Fox, where students shared the diverse backgrounds that make up their classroom community. The assembly concluded with a vibrant parade where the whole school proudly showcased cultural dress or the colour orange.







# ATTENDANCE TRACKING



## Key Takeaways

- 2 NG has demonstrated the biggest turnaround in both attendance and lateness.
- 6 BH is the leader in punctuality with minimal late arrivals.
- 4 CL, 6 AC, and 2/1 LC are models for consistent, high attendance.
- Continue monitoring 3 SS and 6 JB for lateness support, as their rates remain higher than most.



# Certificates of Powerful Learning

Term 1 Week 8

## Resilient



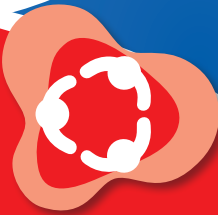
Transition Giallouris	Idris M
Transition Richardson	Pepper H
Year One/Tr Sutton	Austin H
Year One Rowe	Annabelle B
Year Two Giallouris	Frankie S
Year Three Snow	Zahra H
Year Four/Three White	Evie L
Year Four Lane	Sophia M
Year Four Lane	James L
Year Five Houghton	Celina P
Year Five Wellfair	Sienna C
Year Five Wellfair	Violet M
Year 6 Coffin	Piper O

## Creative



Transition Giallouris	Amelia R
Year Two Giallouris	Sandy H
Year Three Liveris	Ellie G

## Collaborative



Year Six Berger    Levi

## Curious



Year One Rowe	Basim I
Year Two Sinclair	Daisy M
Year Three Liveris	Tame V
Year Four/Three White	Harry C
Year Four Rintoule	Ashley V
Year Six Hawken	Indi G

## Self Directed



Transition Richardson	Ella M
Year One/Tr Sutton	Ella C
Year Two/One Chappell	Isidro L
Year Two/One Chappell	Bella G
Year Two Sinclair	Jimmy M
Year Three Snow	Dean K
Year Four Rintoule	Bree N
Year Five Anita	Oliver C
Year Five Anita	Savvas M
Year Five Houghton	Thomas M
Year Six Berger	Saloni K
Year 6 Coffin	Valerie C
Year Six Hawken	Ivy-Rose H







# A MESSAGE FROM THE COUNCIL

Ever wondered what the council does and how or why get involved?

Did you know you don't need to be a member of the council to:

- attend council meetings
- be a member of the Fundraising, Infrastructure and Grounds, Wellbeing and Finance subcommittees
- assist organise fundraising events?

The school council is a place for parents and caregivers to help strengthen the Parap school community and enhance the wellbeing of its students, staff and their families.

The council helps set the strategic direction of the school and maintains oversight of the school's operation. It is not about running the school – that is the job of the principal.

The council and subcommittees meet monthly to discuss and provide advice and/or make decisions on:

- how Territory educational policies are implemented at the school
- how school grounds are maintained
- the needs of the school for buildings, facilities and equipment and how they are used after hours
- how to spend the school budget
- raising money to spend on the school
- educational and wellbeing needs of the students
- the strategic direction of the school.

If any of these topics interests you, please consider coming to a council meeting, joining a subcommittee by emailing the office, or volunteering for a council event.

All contributions are welcome; no matter how big or small.

The next school council meeting will take place in the staff room at 5.30pm on Tuesday 15 April (Week 1 of Term 2).



# A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

As we wrap up another fantastic term, I want to thank our students, families and staff for their hard work and enthusiasm. It has been a term filled with learning, growth and wonderful celebrations like Harmony Week. I wish you all a safe and relaxing break and look forward to seeing everyone refreshed and ready for another great term ahead!

Take care,  
Bianca

**STUDENT FREE DAY**  
on Monday 14 April

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**BACK TO SCHOOL**

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## Parap Primary School Review

Tues 1st – Thurs 3rd April  
(Week 10)

Our School Review Team will be visiting to connect with staff, students, and families.

Have your say. Stop by for a chat before or after school.

Thank you for your support.



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# After-School Language Classes



Join us  
Term 2

\$180

PER TERM

Students welcome from Year 1 - Year 12

We offer the following after-school language classes:

**Monday:** Greek, Japanese, Portuguese, Spanish

**Tuesday:** Auslan, Greek, Indonesian, Italian

**Wednesday:** French, German, Korean, Mandarin, Russian

**Saturday:** Mandarin (10:00am - 12:30pm)

ENROL  
NOW

Mon-Wed - 4:00pm - 6:00pm

Sat - 10:00am - 12:30pm

Sports Vouchers accepted

[www.darwinlanguagescentre.nt.edu.au](http://www.darwinlanguagescentre.nt.edu.au)



Darwin  
Languages  
Centre

## School Holiday Fun for Kids

Monday 7th to Saturday 12th April

Chinese Story Club for Kids

10.00am to 12.00pm every day!

Contact us for more details  
m:0452 135 400  
[www.adultshortcourses.com](http://www.adultshortcourses.com)

Tuesday 8th April  
Easter Cooking Class  
2.30pm to 4.30pm

Thursday 10th April  
Bread & Pizza Cooking Class  
2.30pm to 4.30pm

Thursday 10th & Friday 11th April  
Pottery Short Course  
10.00am to 12.00pm







[www.13yarn.org.au](http://www.13yarn.org.au)

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Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Crisis Supporters

**13 YARN**

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**13 92 76**

13 Yarn is the first national support line for Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander people in crisis. We offer a confidential one-on-one over the phone yarnning opportunity and support with a Lifeline trained Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Crisis Supporter for mob who are feeling overwhelmed or having difficulty coping. We are here to provide crisis support 24/7 to enable our community to yarn without judgement and provide a culturally safe space to yarn about their needs, worries or concerns.

**Culturally Safe Space**

**Available 24/7 across Australia from any phone**

**We listen, without judgement or shame**

This initiative is funded by the Australian Government, Department of Health



THE ARRAY [ ]

# MINECRAFT CAMP

**SCHOOL HOLIDAYS**

April 7-11, 2025 | 8:30 AM - 2:00 PM  
\$90 p/day or \$400 for the week

Learning Dojo at The Array [ ]  
The Vic Mall, Darwin CBD

**TURN SCREEN TIME INTO SKILL TIME!**




## Giggles & Gains: A Physio-Led Baby Group

Helping Your Baby Thrive Through Movement & Play

At Outreach Physiotherapy, we support babies born prematurely or with developmental delays, understanding the unique challenges they and their families face. Our Giggles & Gains group is designed to support your baby's development through guided movement, play, and expert advice from experienced physiotherapists.

### WHY JOIN?

- Support early movement and motor development
- Learn practical exercises and positioning techniques
- Connect with other families who are on a similar journey
- Gain expert advice on milestones and baby handling
- Create a nurturing and playful environment for your baby

### WHO IS IT FOR?

Families with babies (under 2 years) born prematurely and/or who have delayed gross motor development who want to support their baby's movement, strength, and development in a fun, engaging, and supportive setting.

### SESSION DETAILS

**Location:**  
5/396 Stuart Highway Winnellie 0820

**When:**  
8-week program starting May 2025

**Expressions of Interest:**  
[reception@outreachphysiotherapy.com](mailto:reception@outreachphysiotherapy.com)

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# AFLNT HOLIDAY PROGRAM

THURSDAY 10TH APRIL  
9AM - 3PM  
TIO STADIUM, MARRARA



**4-7 YEAR OLDS**





**8-12 YEAR OLDS**



**JOIN US FOR AN UNFORGETTABLE DAY OF FRIENDLY COMPETITION, SKILL REFINEMENT, AND PURE FOOTY ENJOYMENT!**