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Grovelands
Primary School

The Grovelander

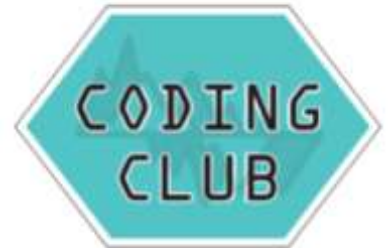
Official Newsletter of Grovelands Primary School
An Independent Public School

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Coding Club

Coding club is in full swing again this year. Years 1 and 2 on Monday/Tuesday and Years 3 to 6 on Wednesday/Thursday during lunch. Students are learning to use different robotics equipment and coding apps.

Mrs Shorey



Our Vision

A safe learning environment where students are empowered: with the skills to question; the desire to improve; the will to persevere and develop resilience; to inspire each other To be the best they can be.

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Welcome everyone, to the Term 1, Week 8 edition of the Grovelander. After two weeks offsite, recovering from surgery, it has been fabulous to return to a warm welcome from students, parents and staff.

I would like to thank Mrs Kapuscik for undertaking the Principal role in my absence. We are very lucky to have such an able replacement on staff. Thanks also to Mrs Trenorden for taking on the Deputy Principal role over this period.

It was absolutely fantastic to see so many families attend our Big Breakfast on Tuesday morning. Having our community back on school grounds is very pleasing. Let's hope it continues!



We have under two weeks of Term 1 to go, and as usual lots to do. Over the next couple of weeks, in addition to our regular educational program, we have in-class Harmony Week activities, a "No Uniform Day" Fundraiser, Electoral Commission incursion and the P&C Easter Hat Parade.

On Monday March 22, your School Board undertook training to assist us in developing ways to maximise the skills of Board Members and increase the capacity of the Board to bring expertise and funding into our school community. This is reflective of the Board's commitment to growth and improvement so we can better serve our school community.

This will be our last newsletter for the Term. I would like to take the opportunity to wish you all a safe and enjoyable Easter and School Holiday period.

Warm regards,



No Uniform Free Dress Day

Wednesday 31st March Week 9

GOLD COIN DONATION

Free icy poles to the class
that raises the most money!

Appropriate dress required



Next Wednesday, 31 March,
**** No Uniform Day ****
CAMP FUNDRAISER
Gold Coin to participate.
Thank you for your support.

These April school holidays METRONET will have a full-scale model on display at Yagan Square, giving people an early opportunity to see inside Perth's new C-Series trains.

METRONET would like to invite you to share this information with your school families, to attend the free family-friendly event from Saturday, 3 April to Sunday, 18 April between 9am and 5pm.

Visitors can walk through the carriage and along with the railcar, there is a 1:50 scale model on display, and kids can get involved with a scavenger hunt.

Thursday mornings between 9am-10am are reserved for Quiet Hour, where the display will be low sensory to cater for those who prefer to experience the train in this environment.

Walk-ins will be welcome and families wanting to skip the queue will be able to register for free VIP tickets at www.metronet.wa.gov.au/all-aboard.

If you need any further information on the event, or could share some promotional materials, please just let us know by return email or at 9326 3666.

As the biggest railcar order in the state's history, the METRONET Railcar Program will deliver 246 new C-series railcars to Perth's rail network.

The trains will service an increased demand from METRONET projects and replace the A-series trains that currently operate on the Armadale/Thornlie, Fremantle and Midland lines.

Find out more about the Railcar Program and METRONET at www.metronet.wa.gov.au.

Regards

Communications and Engagement Team
p: (08) 9326 3666 | w: metronet.wa.gov.au

Before School Sport Taekwondo Years 4-6





P & C Easter Hat & Colouring Competition

Dear Parents and Caregivers,
You are invited to the Easter Hat Parade!

Thursday, 1 April 9.00am.

All students from Pre-primary to Year 6 are encouraged to make an Easter Hat or Easter Basket at home to bring with them to parade on the day.

Kindergarten students are participating in their own parades and parents have been notified.

We will also be having a **\$0.50c** "Guess the eggs" competition running on **Friday 26 and Monday, 29 March from 8.30am near the front office.**

All Students can partake in a colouring competition. **A prize will be given per year (Kindy will be 1 per group)** Submissions can be entered at the front office.

Thank you for supporting our school and we look forward to seeing you there.



**GROVELANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL P&C
UNIFORM SHOP**

Dear Parents & Caregivers,

The Uniform Shop is open Thursday mornings,
8.30am – 9.00am .

Alternatively, orders can be left at the office.
Payment can be deposited into:
Account name: Grovelands Primary School P&C
Uniform
BSB 066-156
Account Number 10057363
Please state Student Name and/or layby
number. EFTPOS is available in the uniform
shop.

Contact Details

Please ensure the school has current information regarding address, phone contact numbers, medical conditions, custody advices, etc at all times. It is particularly important that emergency contact numbers are current.

If unsure, please visit the office and check admission details. If you have changed your details over the school holiday break, please contact the office to have your details updated.



VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS INFORMATION

While the payment of contribution is voluntary, we encouraged all families to make the contribution to assist the school and it's students.

Student contributions can be paid at the front office via cash, EFTPOS or direct bank transfer.

Thank you to the families who have already paid their 2021 contributions.
We appreciate your support.



Number of Children	Contribution	EFT Payments can be made to: Grovelands Primary School Bank: Commonwealth BSB: 066 040 Account No: 19901113 Please use your Child/ren's name in the reference.
1	\$30.00 per year	
2 or more	\$60.00 per year	



Zooper Dooper Icy Poles

See Mrs Heady Monday - Thursday
Lunch-time only.

After the second siren in the Science Room

\$1.00 Whole Icy Pole
50 cents Half Icy Pole

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
22 March Board Meeting 3.15pm	23 Engage & Earn Big Breakfast 8.00am	24 P & C AGM 9.15am	25 Electoral Commission Visit Years 5/6	26 Room 15 Assembly
29	30	31 Year 6 Fundraiser - Free Dress Gold Coin Donation	1 April P & C Easter Parade 9.00am	2 GOOD FRIDAY School Holidays Begin
Term 1 Break				
School Returns Monday ,19 April 2021 ANZAC Assembly Friday, 23 April. 2021				

Big Breakfast Snapshot





Child and Parent Centre
Westfield Park



Leap Frogs

Pre-Kindy at Grovelands Primary School



Leap Frogs pre-kindy is a fun, play-based playgroup designed to help your child feel independent and confident in making the transition to kindergarten.

Visits from health professionals, educators and services will be available.

Please contact us for more information on this free program.

This free program is for children aged 3-4 years entering kindergarten in 2022
Parents/caregivers participate alongside their child in this playgroup

Date: Commences Term 2; Wednesdays during terms 2, 3 & 4

Time: 9:00am to 11:30 am

Venue: Grovelands Primary School, 14 Grovelands Dr Camillo

RSVP: **BOOKING REQUIRED**

westfieldpark@parkerville.org.au • 9235 7004

Please register at the Child and Parent Centre, located at Westfield Park Primary School, or call 9235 7004.

P&C News

BINGO NIGHT

Friday, April
23rd

5pm to 7pm

GROVELANDS PRIMARY

School Canteen Undercover Area

Raffle Tickets .50c each
Lucky Numbers \$1.00 each
10 Games for \$20.00
Half Time/ End of night flyers \$1.50 each
Markers and Dobbers available

Food and Drink will be available!

Only 100 seats available
Guarantee your seat for only \$1.00 and
get a free raffle ticket
Sign up sheet located outside front office.

GREAT PRIZES! FUN FOR ALL!