



## Memo from Mr. Mansfield.

### Harmony Day

Today at our assembly we acknowledged Harmony Day which is celebrated worldwide on 21 March. It is a day to reflect on the ways we can live harmoniously in our community, regardless of background or circumstances. Harmony Day was first celebrated 23 years ago and has grown across Australia and the world with over 55,000 Harmony Day events celebrated since 1999.



### Covid in review

We constantly strive to keep the school community well informed of the latest covid updates. Our main form of communication is to use the Whole School Story on Class Dojo. If you are still not linked to your child's Class Dojo, please call the front office so we can help you connect.

We would appreciate that if your child is unwell prior to coming to school that you do not send them to school. If a child displays COVID like symptoms while at school, Parents will be called and asked to collect the student and to keep them home until well. If you are unsure about your child's health please consider testing your child for COVID using a PCR test or RAT. Our goal is to work with the whole school community to keep our school Covid safe.



### Walk/Ride to School Day Wednesday 16 March

Although this term's Walk/Ride to School Day was low key, it did not stop all the bike riders and walkers coming out in force. Being mindful of social-distancing, students and parents were greeted on arrival by Sgt Shane and Sgt Daniel of the Busselton Police and Carolyn Ryder from the City of Busselton. The students enjoyed a piece of fruit for their efforts and some lucky students managed to win themselves a new bike lock for their bikes. It is great to see so many students walking and riding, helps to reduce parking congestion around the school and is also a very healthy way to start the day.



### Callows School Smart Winners

Congratulations to the following families who purchased their school 2022 Personal Items and Book Lists through Callows School Smart. Student names were entered into a draw to WIN back the cost of their order (therefore receiving their 2022 order for FREE) plus a Gift pack of books/stationery age appropriate to the year.



K. Ladham (K-PP), C. Watson (Yr1-2),  
D. Walsh (Yr3-4) and S.Duncan (Yr5-6).

Thank you again to the Callow's School Smart team for their excellent service, supporting Vasse PS.



### Constable Care Incursion

Constable Care presented at the Vasse Primary last week. The shows took place outside, at the Koolbardi Stage, with the audience socially distancing within their year groups. As always, the performances helped students' develop knowledge and understanding, as well as critical thinking skills around road safety, infrastructure and local signage to help them safely travel to/from school; how to be a good friend, to prevent bullying and about respectful relationships; and the First Aid Heroes introduced our students to DRSABC and learn how to call an ambulance. It was a timely and worthwhile two days of incursion with the Constable Care team.



Kind regards, Simon Mansfield - Principal

## PBS Expectations:



This week (T1 Wk8) Next week (T1 Wk9)

### Be Respectful



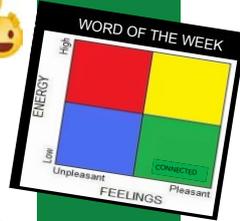
### Be Your Best



## RULER feeling Word: Connected

Word of the week

FEELINGS WORD	DEFINITION
CONNECTED	Feeling close to someone or part of a community. Having a sense of belonging. SYNONYMS: joined, united, belonging, associated.



## Merit Certificates *Awesome! Congratulations to these students*

<b>Pre Primary</b>	Archie A, Hudson B, Isla B, Taj B, Albert D, Ja'naeya D, Maggie D, Zoe F, Aiden G, Audrey G, Amelie G, Jacob H, Lily H, Maya K, Charlotte K, Abbey L, Isla M, Alyssa M, Bodhi N, Lily O'D, Finn S, Frankie T, Joni T, River W, Nathan W, Kristoffer W, Ollie Y.
<b>Year 5</b>	Hunter A, Laila A, Autaya A, Indi-Rose B, Brandon B, Ajai B, Jada B, Amity B, Ayla C, Ella C, Jackson C, Ella C, Basse C, Noah C, Lucy C, Anaya D, Gypsy-Rose H, Macey H, Sandy J, Isla J, Amy K, Chace L, Keshi M, Jax N, Bodhi O'D, Ben P, Jordan S, Kaelee S, Tyson T, Ruby W, Brandon W.



## Important Admin News

### Thank you to Gaye and the CWA.

The lovely ladies at the CWA have donated beautiful handmade fabric face masks for students and staff. The masks have come in very handy, especially when students have forgotten their masks.

### Your child's after-school arrangements.

Please ensure your child knows how they are getting home after school every day.

### Volunteer Contributions and Charges 2022.

We appreciate your prompt payments and accept EFTPOS at the front office or via telephone.

#### Direct Credit to:

Acct Name: Vasse Primary School  
BSB: 633-000 • Acct No: 182-526-996  
Ref: *Student Surname, First Initial.*

Thank you to those Parents who have made payment.

For more information tap or scan QR Code



## MUSIC FOR KIDS with Cara

# EVERY TUESDAY

3.30 - 4.30 pm

from March 22nd, NO music March 29th, every tues from 5th April

### ELIJAH CIRCLE PARK

under the trees at Elijah Circle and Haydrake dr intersection

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### KINDY KIDS MUSIC 3.30 - 4

### PP & Yr 1 KIDS 4 - 4.30

All kids welcome to stay for the whole session...  
Parents must stay with their kids for the session

FREE COMMUNITY PROJECT BY CARA

Please contact Cara 0498 125 590 with any questions

## FREE HORSE ASSISTED PROGRAM FOR YOUNG PARENTS

DEVELOP CONNECTIONS WITH OTHER YOUNG PARENTS WHILE HAVING FUN WITH OUR HORSES

Young Parents (16 to 24 years) are invited to enrol in a FREE series of 3 half day workshops.

- Developing an understanding of moods in relationship
- Understanding & interpreting body language
- Correlation between Mind/Body
- Listening and communication

Parents will become more confident in their role as well as enhancing connection with their children/family.

**25 MARCH, 1 AND 8 APRIL 2022**  
**9.30 TO 12.30 PM**  
**HORSE VISION CENTRE, VASSE WA**

PLEASE CONTACT CHRIS SCOTT TO ENROL ON 0431627186 OR VIA EMAIL CHRIS@HORSEVISION.COM.AU

\*No horse experience necessary but places are limited.

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