



Memo from Mr. Mansfield.

Term 2 ANZAC Ceremony

Welcome back for another term of Learning.

We started the term with a respectful tribute to the ANZAC's, holding an online service on Wednesday at 11:30am. Special guest and returned serviceman, Busselton's Mayor Grant Henley spoke of his personal journey in service and reflections on the history of the ANZAC's with a thought provoking speech.

A video reading of 'Alfreds War' written by Rachel Bin Salleh was played. Mayor Henley recited the Ode before the Last Post, a minute silence followed by The Rouse.

I would like to thank the Student Leaders who hosted the event, and despite the downpour of rain, remained stoic as the flags were raised as The Rouse was played. Our ANZAC ceremony concluded with students joining in to sing 'The Spirit of The ANZACs'.

Covid Update

As you are aware, COVID restrictions have eased and the wearing of masks is no longer mandatory. If you feel it's necessary for your child to wear a mask, the school will support this.

We are transitioning to pre-COVID operations. Students will start eating together in the Quad; Parents will be allowed back in the classrooms; Parent helpers will still be required to be vaccinated; Assemblies will evolve into in person group presentations.

Some of these transitions require operational and staffing changes. We will work as fast as possible to ensure the school is functioning as per normal while being mindful of maintaining appropriate health and hygiene requirements.

Year 1 - 2 verandah afternoon school pickup

Parents, if possible please refrain from gathering outside Rms 19 - 26 verandah until after the end of day siren sounds.

The verandah has not been acoustically designed for large numbers of parents as it becomes very noisy and distracting for the students in the classrooms. Our teachers noticed a positive difference in the afternoons during the covid restrictions and would appreciate this to continue.



Vasse PS School Board Members 2022

I would like to welcome the following people to our School Board. Each of these Board Members brings a special area of expertise to the table and I look forward to working with them. The school appreciates the commitment these people have made to our school.

Community Representatives:

Thea Hanley, Zara McMorran, David Breen (on leave).

Parent Representatives: *Simone Bush, Erin Smith, Amy Gornall, Ulrika Larsson, and Katie Taylor.*

P&C Board Representative: *Karlie Scully*

Staff Representatives: *Kathy Guiver, Adam Dehring.*

Principal: *Simon Mansfield.* Co-Opted: *Amy Sefton.*

Minute Secretary: *Joan Davies.*

Vasse PS P&C Members 2022

I would also like to welcome the following parents who have stepped up to be office bearers and committee members for our School P&C.

President: *Lyndon Miles.* Vice President: *Sharon Cowley.*

Secretary: *Alana Stannard.* Treasurer: *Warwick Howard.*

P&C Board Rep: *Karlie Scully.*

Executive Committee: *Pauline Rockley, Brian Blanchard, Luigi Cocco, Naomi Lawson, Stephanie Argyle.*

Canteen Committee: *Lyndon Miles, Daniel Ninness, Stephanie Argyle, Naomi Grove, Emma Nicholson.*

Fundraising Committee: *Sharon Cowley, Naomi Grove, Emma Nicholson.*

Vasse Art Award Committee: *Sharon Cowley, Eimear O'Brien, Stephanie Argyle.*

Fathering Project: *Brian Blanchard, Luigi Cocco, Daniel Ninness, Warwick Howard.*

Thank you to these people and the many others who attended the Annual General Meeting last Wednesday, all keen to help out in their own way.

It's fantastic for our school to have such a dynamic group steering our P&C. This term will be spent considering a strategic plan for the next few years and developing a common purpose.

Many of you may not realise the awesome efforts by the Vasse PS P&C and I would like to take a moment to publicly thank the following retiring P&C members President - Nicole Hayward-Meyer and Secretary LeeAnne Walker for the amazing work they have done over the years, with enthusiasm and commitment for our whole school community.

Kind regards, Simon Mansfield - Principal

PBS Expectations:

This week (T1 Wk2) Next Week (T2 Wk3)



Follow school routines and procedures

Be Your Best

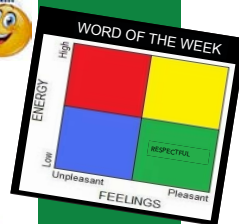


Set and work towards goals

RULER feeling Word: Respectful

Word of the week

FEELINGS WORD	DEFINITION
RESPECTFUL	Thoughtful of others feelings and needs. Careful to treat others well. SYNONYM: approval, consideration, appreciation, thoughtfulness



Merit Certificates *Awesome!*

Congratulations to these *Year 6* students

Kai B, Samantha B, Jacob C, Kyran C, Ruby C, Evelyn C, Jayden F, Reef F, Shelby G, Oliver G, Hannah G, Grace H, Sumara H, William H, Jarrah H, Emily H, India L, Xavier M, Jimi Mcl, Malani McN, Keelie McN, Joshua M, Candace N, Nathan P, Charlotte S, Maxx S, Stephanie T, Matilda T, Charlie W, Carters W, Charlotte W, Alex W, Oliver W, Cooper W.

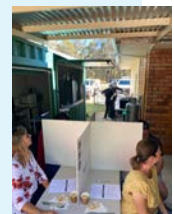


Lamb Tasting Fundraiser

This Vasse PS Fathering Project fundraiser was a great success last Sunday in the Kitchen Garden on 1 May. A massive thank you must go out to all 60 people who put their hand up to come along and support the event. An interesting experience, well run by the Murdoch University research team, scoring and grading tasty morsels.

Coming Up: "Blokes Night" 31 May at The Shelter with the Tomorrow Man group. This is FREE and open to all Dads, and Father figures whether from the school or not.

Plus this term we will have the **Dads and Kids Cape to Cape Hike** - another great success in the past. *Check our social media for updates and bookings.*



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We look forward to hearing from you.