



Goomalling Primary School
"Every Child, Every Chance to Shine"

The Goomalling Gazette

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Dear Parents/Guardians, Staff and Students,

I have been appointed as the Acting Principal for Goomalling Primary School for this term as Mr Palmer has an appointment in Perth. I am looking forward to working in the school with the community and students. I currently live in Toodyay on a small acreage.

I have been a Principal in a number of rural and city schools but being a country person from Broomehill enjoy the community atmosphere of small schools.



There are a few upcoming events to look forward to this term being the Mortlock Athletics Sports Carnival between Goomalling PS and Sacred Heart CS (Bolgart have withdrawn). This will be held on Week 8, Friday 7th September and GPS is the host school. The VPSSA Interschool Athletics Week 9 Friday, 14th September at Calingiri Football Oval. Host school is Bolgart PS.

Please find the GPS Term 3 Planner and U/11 & Open Jumps Consent attached to this newsletter.

With regards
Kim Anderson
Principal

VPSSA 2018 Cross Country Results

Well done to everybody who participated in the Cross Country Carnival last term and congratulations to the place getters on the day.

Under 7 Boys 1st Place
Under 9 Boys 3rd Place
Under 11 Boys 1st Place
Open Girls 2nd Place

Jaxon Smith
Zayden Chitty
Jayden Clarke
Andie Schell



IMPORTANT DATES & INFORMATION

School Council

School Council meeting is this Thursday, 26th July @ 7pm in the McGill Library.

Assembly

There will be a General Assembly held on Wednesday, 8th August commencing 9am in the Daphne Schell Performing Arts Centre.

P&C Meeting

The next P&C meeting is to be held on Monday, 20th August commencing 1.30pm in the Staffroom.

Bookweek

A parade for Yr K-6 will be held on Wednesday, 22nd August for "Bookweek" at 9am. The student councillors have suggested that the girls dress up as boy book characters and the boys dress up as girl book characters if they so wish, if not then dressing up as their favourite book character will be fine.

Mortlock Athletics Carnival

Mortlock Athletics Carnival to be held at Goomalling Town Oval on Friday, 7th September commencing 9.15am. Host school: Goomalling PS. Please return the Jumps U/11 and Open's permission form by **Monday, 30th July 2018.**

VPSSA Interschool Athletics Carnival

VPSSA Interschool Athletics Carnival to be held at Calingiri Town Oval on Friday, 14th September commencing 9.00am. Host school: Bolgart PS.

School Photos

School Photos will be held on Tuesday, 18th September 2018.

P&C CATERING

The P&C have been asked to cater for a function at the Goomalling Community Centre on Friday, 31st July from 2-4pm.

Please forward monetary donations into school or alternatively deposit directly into the P&C account.

BSB: 633000

Account: 110303070

Renaë Syme/P&C Fundraising Co-ordinator

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SCHOOL WEBSITE

The school website is being upgraded gradually if there is anyone willing to assist with keeping the news and events up-to-date on a regular basis please contact the school office.



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MUSIC FESTE



A cold and wet day didn't dampen the spirits and excitement for Music Feste Day in Wongan Hills on Wednesday 27th June. All students from Kindergarten to Year 6 participated in their items, displaying their musical prowess.

The Kindy/PP class sang and played percussion instruments to 'Kookaburra Sings in the Old Gumtree'. Thanks to our able pianist Andie Schell who accompanied the students.

The 1/2/3 class played the drums with great rhythm and timing. The 4/5/6 class ('The Stringers') mastered the ukulele to play and sing 'The Best Day of my Life', along with Mackenzie Smith playing the piano.

Well done to all the students for their entertaining performances!

Nature Playground



Before...



After!

The first stage of our nature playground is finally developed...after lots of planning, it even looks better than I imagined!

A **HUGE Thank You** to the following that came and helped with the nature playground over the holidays:

Andrew French, Brendan Barratt, Casey Butt, Nick Smith, Jess Wilkes & kids.

Plus a special **Thank You** to Scott Thomson - Central Ag for the use of his telehandler.

Jarna French

