

Sweetheart Day
Free Dress in Red

Friday 21st February 2020

The student councillors will be selling foil wrapped chocolate hearts for 50 cents each and a Sausage Sizzle for \$2.00 will be available for students lunch as part of Sweetheart Day.



School Canteen Roster Term 1

24th Feb	Hayley Sewell & Ruth Carr
3rd March (Tues)	Chelsea Glatz & Jess Lantzke
9th March	Debs Chester & Jess Wilkes
16th March	Richelle Glatz & Casey Butt
23rd March	Simone Rowles & Debs Chester
30th March	Jarna French & Jess Wilkes
6th April	Fiona McKechnie & Chrissie Barratt
9th April	Last Day of Term—need volunteers for canteen to be available on this day

Volunteers, New and Old are always needed. If you are able to assist this term please contact Chrissie Barratt on 0427 291 424.

LIBRARY NEWS

This year “Case Book Fair” is coming again. The same variety of books and posters will be available, the books are all in cases and not displayed on tables as we normally do. The Book Fair will be from 16th March beginning week 7 and will end on 24th March. Everything else is the same as in all previous Book Fairs: books can be re-ordered, I will hold books, you may pay cash, cheque, eftpos, directly into Scholastic or the Goomalling P&C bank accounts. The school library receives a percentage of all sales. As the cases move onto the next school, the boxes will be collected on the 26th March.

Then in Term 4, if we have sales over \$1000 we will be having a “buy one book, get another book free” (to the same value) Book Fair.



Happy Reading.

Mrs Sheila.



Goomalling Primary School
“Every Child, Every Chance to Shine”

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What's On

Term 1 2020

Week 3

- Sweet Heart Day Friday 21st Feb (Sausage Sizzle & Choc Hearts for sale)

Week 4

- Mortlock Swimming Carnival 9.30am Start

Week 5

- Monday 2nd March Labour Day

Week 6

- Assembly Monday 9th March Host: General

Week 7

- Book Fair commences Monday 16th March

Week 8

- Cyber Wiser Incursion Monday 23rd March
- Book Fair concludes Tues 24th March

Week 9

- Year 5/6 Camp Kalgoorlie Monday 30th Mar—Fri 3rd April

Week 10

- Assembly Monday 6th April Host: K/PP/YR1

Dear Parents, Staff and Guardians,

Welcome to Week 3. After a disrupted week of swimming last week, things are business as usual. As I walk around classrooms, it is clear to see that the programs are in full swing and children are engaged in purposeful learning. Wimbledon has nothing on the playground this week with a multi-player game taking over the courts. Over the past few weeks, I have had an opportunity to speak to the families of our 2019 graduates. They have all reported successful starts in their new high schools and continue to make us proud.

Parent Information Sessions

It was lovely to see the families who attended our parent information evening. Thanks to Chrissie Barratt for organising and cooking the sausage sizzle. If you were unable to attend, please remember that our teachers are happy to meet with you to answer any queries you may have.

Good Standing Policy

Families should all have received a yellow envelope containing our new Good Standing policy. Good standing recognises students who adhere to behaviour, attendance, work requirement and dress code policies. I encourage parents to read the policy and contact the school to clarify any questions you may have. We will be holding our first reward day on the 4th March. The student council will be making tacos for lunch for all eligible students.

School Start Times

It is wonderful to see our students keen to come to school. A reminder for families that the official start time for class is 8.55am and that students should arrive after 8.30am.

Swimming

I extend a huge thanks to the swimming staff this year and particularly to Aleisha Coad for her amazing perseverance to ensure our students had lessons. Thanks to Lynn Carr, Darrell Kennedy, Lois Leeson and Annette Syred for driving the bus for the week. The swimming carnival will be held next Friday 28th February. Nominations are in and we are looking forward to the day being hosted by Bolgart PS. Please note that the swimming carnival is a good standing event.

Camp

The senior class are developing a buzz around our Kalgoorlie camp in Week 9. We are booked into Fairbridge Camp School and Mrs Barratt has been busy finalising our itinerary this week. Safe to say, we will all be sleeping on the train home! Information will be coming home to parents in the coming weeks as things are finalised. The money raised through our canteen has provided \$6000 towards camp costs. We are incredibly lucky to have a pro-active P&C who contribute so generously to make camp affordable for our families.

School Council

The school council meeting will be held in Week 6 with the 2019 council. This meeting will be to plan for the 2020 council, our open council meeting to be held later in Term 1 and our key agenda items for the year.

Sunsmart Term 1

Term 1 is a Sunsmart term and school hats are compulsory. Hats are available at school for \$10.

Amanda Roe, Principal

2020 Voluntary Contributions and Charges

School contributions and charges are a vital source of income for our school and are used to purchase important curriculum materials for your child to use at school.

The Voluntary Contributions and Charges for 2020 have been ratified by the School Council.
Kindergarten \$50
PP-Yr 6 \$60

The preferred method is direct deposit into the school bank account:-
 BSB- 633000 ACC - 112628334
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 (Reference—please use family name and initial)

Alternatively, please consider paying off on a weekly/fortnightly or monthly basis.
 The Voluntary Contributions must be paid by the end of Term 1; Thursday 9th April 2020

Mortlock Schools Swimming Carnival

(Bolgart PS, Sacred Heart CS, Goomalling PS)
 The Mortlock Schools Swimming Carnival will be held on Friday 28th February 2020 at the Goomalling Swimming Pool at 9.30am. Children from PP to Year 6 will be participating. Bolgart PS is the Host School for 2020.

Thank you to our helpers who have put their hands up to assist on the day:

Timekeepers—Peta Clarke, Ruth Carr, Debs Chester, Richelle Glatz, Simon Chitty and Casey Butt

Half Lane Lifeguards— Jess Lantzke & Riley Chitty



Welcome to Room 9

We have had a fantastic and busy start to the year in Room 9. We welcomed back our Year 3's and 4's and welcomed our new Year 2 students. In week 2 we had swimming lessons and want to say a huge THANK YOU to Miss Alesha, Naïve, Holly, Jarna and Loretta for teaching us for the week! We had such a great time learning new skills.

In week two we had a very special visitor with Kade's weiro Jackie spending the day chirping away in our classroom. A big welcome back to Matilda we can't wait to hear all about your amazing time and adventures you had in America.

Stay tuned for more exciting things happening in Room 9 this term!



A Big Warm Welcome to our two newest Kindy Students for 2020, Indiana & Paige Smith

Hope you both enjoy school as much as we enjoy having you both!



Goomalling Junior Football AGM

Thursday 12th March, 7pm @ Goomalling Sporting Complex.
 All Parents who have children interested in playing in the 2020 season must attend.

Contact: President Andrew French 0428958058

