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Walpole Primary School

Dates to Remember

Thursday 13 June	WOW Cruise P-Yr6
Friday 14 June	Interschool Cross Country
Friday 5 July	Last day of term Student Reports home
Wednesday 24 July	Students return to school

URWalpole Project

The staff and students are busy identifying and researching fungi. They have found out all sorts of fun(gi) facts such as a fungi is the largest living organism and fungi can draw up gold from the earth.

We have been lucky to have Hillary Mayger and Katie Syme work with the students to create some magnificent pieces of Art. Every student will select one piece they have created over the term to exhibit at Petrichor.

Families will be invited to the opening night but the students' works will be on display over the holidays for others to admire.

URWalpole Camp

The Year 4/5/6 students have been in Bridgetown this week learning more about fungi. They have had a great time visiting truffle and mushroom farms, a cidery and wildlife sanctuaries.

This week has allowed them to link what they have learnt in the classroom to practices in the community.

Thank you to Ms Walker, Ms Burkett, Mrs and Mr Crossly, Mr Gamblin and Mr Banister-Jones for accompanying the students.

School Surveys

Government schools are required to annually survey their community. Your feedback is very important to us. The surveys are anonymous but the results are looked at by the staff and School Board. Please complete the five-minute survey online or collect a paper copy from the office. An email with a survey link has been sent home.

<https://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/C7mkuJLa>

P&C Football Catering

Thank you to Gail, Nikki and Cheree for quickly pulling together a P&C Fundraiser at the recent football games at Walpole. There was a great selection of food to purchase and the feedback from the attendees was very positive. Thank you to the parents who baked for the stall. Your contribution was very much appreciated.

Staff Professional Development

Participating in various trials has led to some of our teachers accessing top quality professional development this term. Mrs Teague-Robertson has been to Sydney and Cairns to learn more about STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) in the Early Years. Ms Walker went to Onslow to explore remote schools and came back feeling very proud of our school.

Year 4/5/6 Camp



Glen from Mario Wildlife Rescue shared information about woylies.



Perup Sanctuary - Information session with Katie



Southern Forest Fungi

Merit Certificates awarded to:

Year 1	Cinta
Year 2	Namphet
Year 3	Phoebe
Year 5	Stella



School Uniforms



Some items of the new school uniform can be purchased through the office. There are shirts in all sizes and some jackets.

Interschool Cross Country

Permission forms and payment due by Monday 10 June ☺

3 JULY 2019

WALPOLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

FABULOUS FUNGI ART EXHIBITION

@ PETRICHOR GALLERY

Thank you to Amity Health, the Edmonds and the P&C for helping make possible this family friendly event.

This will be our URWalpole celebration and include paintings, prints and ceramic sculptures as well as samples of work.



Supported by the Australian Government

Walpole Primary School P & C Assoc
PO Box 310 Walpole WA 6398
Facebook Cover Photo Competition.

Calling all talented young artists and photographers at Walpole Primary School.

Would you like to see your photo or artwork as the cover photo on our P&C Facebook page for next term.

Landscape Photos Only Please

Competition Rules:

1. The Artist or Photographer must be a current student of WPS
2. One entry per child
3. For privacy reasons photos must not include people
4. Landscape photos will only be accepted
5. Parents or carers must submit all entries including child's name and year by email to the P&C Facebook page.
6. By entering parents or carers consent for WPS P&C association to display child's artwork or photo on our P&C Facebook page.
7. The photo or artwork must be the child's own work.
8. The artwork must be something that can be found within our community/Region.
9. Winner will be chosen by the P&C committee

Photo competition closes on **15th July 2019**

Winner will be announced on the P&C Facebook page
Photo will be placed on the P&C Facebook page as the cover photo for Term 3 commencing on the 22nd July 2019.

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