



MAKYBE RISE
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Makybe Rise News

Room 31's Hopes and Dreams

Students in Room 31 have been busy getting to know one another by sharing special memories as well as their hopes and dreams for the upcoming year. We have each brought in a photograph or special poster which represents a significant and happy event in our life. It has been fascinating learning about things that are important to each other and this sharing has helped us build a safe and supportive classroom environment.

We also shared our hopes and dreams for Year 4, setting ourselves goals for Literacy, Numeracy and also something we would like to achieve in our personal lives. We made them SMART (specific, measurable, achievable, relevant and within a time frame) and included what we are going to do to help get us there.

2016 is going to be a fantastic year in Room 31!

Amy Stewart
Classroom Teacher



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Safe iPad Use in Room 40

This year Room 40 is lucky enough to be an iPad class. We have spent the first few weeks of school learning how to use our iPads safely in the classroom. We created some classroom rules to abide by when using our iPads and we have been treating them with respect and care.

Some rules that we have practiced are:

- holding our iPads with two hands when collecting it and bringing it back to our desk
- always sitting at our desks with our iPads and never leaving them on the floor
- making sure that our iPads are not on the edges of our desks

We have also begun using Air server on our iPads to share news about something special to us. We have enjoyed watching slideshows and videos created by students that showcased what was special to them.

This week we all logged into Scholastic Literacy Pro to complete our online test. We have had lots of success and are enjoying using our iPads to facilitate our learning.

Bianca Compton
Classroom Teacher



IMPORTANT DATES

- 22 February - 18 March: Swimming Lessons
- 7 March - Labour Day Public Holiday
- 11 March - Parents Make a Difference workshop for Kindy parents
- 16 March - Parents Make a Difference workshop for Pre-primary parents
- 21 March - Harmony Day P&C Dress Up Day
- 22 March - Swimming Trials
- 25 March - Good Friday Public Holiday
- 28-29 March - Easter Public Holidays
- 1 April - P&C Disco
- 4 April - Makybe Magic Kids Morning Tea
- 7 April - ANZAC Assembly



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Crunch & Sip Tip

To keep your child's Crunch & Sip snack interesting, try packing it in little boxes or bags. This is a great way to increase the range of fruit and veg they eat, plus it's quick and simple.

The key is being organised. If you like, you can chop and pre-pack the snacks on a Sunday night for the week ahead. Or, when you're making dinner the night before, just chop a few extra veggies and put them aside. Keep in mind that some vegetables and fruit will dry out and become unappealing if you chop them too far in advance.

Variety packs are a good idea for the following reasons:

- Help your child to eat a rainbow of fruit and vegetables
- Enable you to introduce new fruit or vegetables alongside familiar or more accepted ones
- Are visually appealing

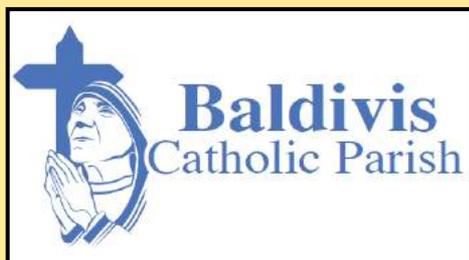
The following are great ideas for Crunch & Sip variety packs. You could try to include two or three different kinds in each pack, maybe one unfamiliar alongside one or two choices your child already loves. Here are some ideas:



(Healthy Kids Association website)

Mother Teresa Catholic Parish

Mother Teresa Catholic Parish of Baldvis is recommencing after school religion classes on Tuesday, 1 March at 3.30pm at the Parish House, 739 Eighty Road (next to Mother Teresa School). For further information, please contact Fr. Geoff on 0427 040 100.



Important Office Information

Absentee Letters: Just a reminder that if you receive an Absentee Letter for a student, please complete the reason for the absence and return the letter to the administration office as soon as possible. (These letters are sent home via the classroom fortnightly.)

In order to avoid this, it is imperative to let the office know either prior, or on the day that an absence is occurring, so that we can update our records. This can be done via phone, email or through the Skoolbag App.

Collecting Students Early from School: Parents collecting students from school during school hours for any reason are asked to enter through the administration office so that a pass can be completed.

Identification can be requested to ensure that appropriate adults are collecting the student/s from school. If parents require a relative or friend to collect, notification is appreciated if they are not already listed on our system as an approved adult.



2016 Important Dates

Term Dates

Term 1	Commences:	Monday, 1 February
	Concludes:	Friday, 8 April
Term 2	Commences:	Wednesday, 27 April
	Concludes:	Friday, 1 July
Term 3	Commences:	Tuesday, 19 July
	Concludes:	Friday, 23 September
Term 4	Commences:	Tuesday, 11 October
	Concludes:	Thursday, 15 December

Public Holidays

Friday, 1 January
Tuesday, 26 January
Monday, 7 March
Friday, 25 March
Monday, 28 March
Monday, 25 April
Monday, 6 June
Monday, 26 September
Monday, 26 December
Tuesday, 27 December

Student Free Days

Tuesday, 29 March
Tuesday, 26 April
Friday, 3 June
Monday, 18 July
Monday, 10 October



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Makybe Rise P&C Inc. News



We would like to introduce our 2016 P&C Team:

President - Jodeen Herbert: We have been at Makybe Rise since 2014, with daughters in Kindy and Year 1. This is my third year on the P&C Committee; previously I was the Secretary. I joined the P&C to get to know my children's school better and have loved being a part of our awesome school community. In 2016 I am looking forward to working with this great new team to organise fun events for the students, while working with the school to fund our first Nature Based Playground.

Vice President - Kristine Forsythe: My son is Year 2 at Makybe Rise and my daughter is Year 9 at Baldvis Secondary College. My family and I moved to Perth from New Zealand in 2013 and started at Makybe Rise in 2014. This will be my second year being involved with the P&C and I am looking forward to an awesome 2016!

Secretary - Melanie Larkin: I have three boys that all attend Makybe Rise; they are Kindy, Year 2 and Year 4. I am originally from Kalgoorlie but had a short stint at Makybe Rise in 2014. I returned to Kal for 2015 and we are now back for the 2016 year. I have never been involved in a P&C before but have always wanted to be a part of the boys schooling. My children are my treasures and I love being involved with their school. I am looking forward to working with this amazing team to help contribute new ideas to work towards funding the Nature Based Playground and being a part of our fantastic community.

Treasurer - Sian Lawford: I have three children at Makybe Rise in Years 1, 3 and 4 and have been at the school since 2012. I also have a step daughter in Year 10 at Baldvis Secondary College. I started my involvement in the P&C in 2012 as my son has special needs and I thought this would be a great way to get involved in my children's education. I currently sit on the School Board and have lived in WA all my life. I have a background in book keeping and am looking forward to working with our families in 2016 to further build on our amazing community.

Executive Member - Elke Masters: I have a daughter in Year 1 and next year one in Kindy. We joined Makybe in 2014 but this is my first year on the committee. I grew up in Perth but lived my adult life in the UK so when we came to Baldvis late in 2013, we knew nobody and wanted to get involved to meet more people! I am looking forward to being an active participant in new and exciting projects that help out my daughters school.

Executive Member - Rebecca Labouchardiere: I have a daughter in Year 2 and a son in Year 5. We joined Makybe Rise this year so I'm only a newbie! Originally I am from Perth, but spent the last three years in Kalgoorlie; we only moved to Baldvis in December. Joining the P&C is a great opportunity to help and participate with projects at school and be more involved with my kids. It would also be nice to meet new people!

Executive Member - Pauline Davey: I have two children at Makybe Rise; a son in Kindy and a daughter in Year 6. We moved to Australia from the UK seventeen months ago and have only lived in Baldvis. I am looking forward to getting actively involved in the school and getting to understand the Australian curriculum. I am keen to actively support the school with its fundraising events and to have fun and get involved - it's all about our kids!

Executive Member - Mahalia Thomas: I have two children; one in Year 1 at Makybe Rise and one starting Kindy next year - eek! This will be our first full year of many at Makybe after moving from Butler. I have joined the P&C to become more involved with my kids school; it's also great to be involved with the school as I LOVE planning events and fundraisers!

Executive Member - Natalie Collier: I have three children at Makybe Rise; one in Year 1 and two in Kindy. I have been involved with the P&C since 2014 and was previously Treasurer. I grew up in Sydney and moved to Baldvis in 2011. My husband is in the Navy and we moved here from Melbourne. I am currently studying a Certificate in Fitness and have recently completed a Les Mills module to become a Grit instructor. This year I am happy to be more involved with the fundraising events to help support our great school.

Executive Member - Danielle Dunnet: I have two children at Makybe Rise; my son is PP and my daughter is Year 2. This is my fourth year at Makybe and I have often thought about being involved in the P&C. I feel very fortunate to have such a great school at our front door and look forward to contributing to the fabulous things the P&C do to make it so fantastic!

We are all pleased to represent our P&C Committee; please know we are here to assist our wonderful school to grow and be an enjoyable place for us to share with our families!

Easter Raffle: It's that time of the year when we ask all our supportive families to donate easter eggs for our annual Easter Raffle! Donations can be left at the administration office over the next few weeks. You would have already received the tickets and we would like to thank you all in advance for your contributions, big and small, as they are greatly appreciated. The raffle will be drawn on Thursday, 24 March.

For any P&C enquiries, please contact us via our Facebook page or by email:
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Makybe Rise Primary School, Week 4 Term 1 2016

Hello everyone!!!

What's been happening?

CAF PROGRAM: This program encourages children to feel part of a group, to share their interest and experiences with others, gain a sense of belonging and wellbeing. At Makybe Rise we used Arts and Crafts to express our identity while creating our 'hands' banner, hand art with positive affirmations, self and family images.

HOMEWORK CLUB: It's that time again! CA staff would like to support and encourage your child to do 15-20 minutes of school homework during ASC. If this will benefit you, please sign the 'Homework Sheet' at the service.

WET AREA GAMES: A very popular area for settling into BSC and ASC routine. It's the perfect space for block and stick construction. Of course Hand ball is a favourite! Bella and Thandi are great organisers and provide challenging games for all to play, such as carnival games.

THEMES AND INTEREST BASED LEARNING: Individual Profile Maps are a resource Camp Australia use to gain information about your child, their likes and dislikes. This has led to many ideas incorporated into our weekly program planning. Previously planned activities were based on topics such as 'All About Me' and 'Australia', and now presently we are learning about 'Egypt'. Hot damper with jam was a great hit!

PARENT NOTE: Parents, it is important for us to now about the extra-curricular activities your child will participate in while booked into Camp Australia such as Lego and Choir. Please see the Coordinator.

Regards MAKYBE RISE CA TEAM



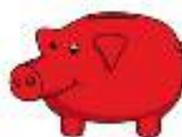
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Before using our programs register online for an account. This enables you to make bookings, view your statements and manage your details anytime of the day. Registering is quick and easy. Visit www.campastralia.com.au/newparents



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Holiday Clubs

Don't forget about the Camp Australia Holiday Clubs these school holidays. Use the Holiday Club

Finder on the website to find the nearest program: www.campastralia.com.au/holidayclubs



Healthy Snacks

Afternoon tea is served daily.

Menus are tailored to children's tastes, developmental and nutritional needs. Afternoon tea includes a selection of yummy sandwiches and fruit. Children may also engage in fun cooking activities.

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Mums Raising Boys

- up to the age of 12 years

However well-prepared mothers are logically, the emotional response to having a boy is often still, 'Wow! This is unknown territory.' It is true that for many mothers, the idea of raising a son carries its own set of worries.

As the primary female role model in a boy's life, mothers play an important role in the development of their son's identity including their ability to be nurturing. This in turn affects how they relate to others, particularly to girls and women.

This workshop will discuss:

- The importance of the mother-son relationship
- What boys need from their mums
- Practical ways to improve and maintain a positive and rewarding relationship

<p>GOSNELLS Lotteries House, 2232C Albany Highway</p> <p>Tuesday 15 March 2016 6.30-9pm</p>	<p>FREMANTLE 1 Ord Street</p> <p>Wednesday 4 May 2016 10-12.30pm</p>
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Fee: \$25 per person

Places are limited so please phone 6164 0200 to enrol



FREE PARENTING SEMINAR – for EVERY PARENT
Positive Parenting Program SEMINAR SERIES Term 1 2016

Is this you?

Most of the time parenting is great fun. You know you are doing a great job. But there are times when things get a little difficult.

Like when your toddler won't eat her dinner. Or your six year old won't pick up his toys. Maybe your child never seems to listen. If only someone could give you some ideas to make those times easier!

If this sounds like you, a Triple P Seminar may suit.

Triple P Seminars are for groups of parents. They are informal presentations dealing with the most common parenting issues we all face.

Triple P can help you:

- Encourage behavior you like
- Deal with problem behavior
- Become more confident as a parent
- Be realistic about parenting
- Take care of yourself

Also, prior to the Triple P Seminar, there will be a 15 minute presentation by a staff member from the Child Parent Centre, East Waikiki. Find out what workshops and other services you can access.

Date: **Wednesday, 30 March 2016 (week 9)**

Time: **1.00pm – Arrival for a free 'cuppa'**
1.15pm – Child Parent Centre short presentation
1.30-2.30pm – Seminar: The Power of Positive Parenting

Where: **Hillman Primary School**

Cost: **Free – however bookings are essential as there are limited spaces**

Parents of children aged between three and eight years are welcome to attend.

To register to attend a free parenting seminar please:
Complete the slip below and return to Hillman Primary School's Administration Office, or call Hillman Primary School's Administration office to register your details – PH: 9527 3600

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REGISTRATION FOR: POSITIVE PARENTING PROGRAM - SEMINAR 1: The Power of Positive Parenting
Location: Hillman Primary School

Name of Parent(s)/Carer(s) wishing to attend:

(1) Surname _____ First Name _____ Mobile (1) _____

(2) Surname _____ First Name _____ Mobile (2) _____

Email _____

Postal Address: _____ Suburb: _____

Name of Child/ren: _____ Year Level: _____

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