



MAKYBE RISE
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Makybe Rise News

Principal's Message

Hello Makybe Rise Families

Welcome to Term 4! There are many wonderful events planned for this term, please update your calendars so that you don't miss out.

Last week, Makybe's three-year IPS Review was conducted by two independent reviewers. I am very pleased to announce that the feedback from our reviewers was excellent! Thank you to our parents, students and staff who met with the reviewers to share your experiences. Across the board, the reviewers said that there was a very high level of consistency between what the students said about our school, what parents said about our school and what staff said.

Our students told the reviewers that they feel very safe at school, that they have good friends, strong teachers and that AVID is preparing them well for high school.

Our parents told the reviewers that Makybe still has that small school feeling, that they feel welcome and valued at school and that they love our Makybe teachers and EA's. They said that they feel their children are thriving at Makybe because of the great staff.

Our staff accounted for themselves so beautifully that the reviewers told them that Makybe is amongst the best schools the reviewers had ever seen!

I would like to congratulate all our community - together we have created a wonderful place for our children to grow and learn!

Last Thursday night, Police Officer Andrea Musulin presented to parents about Protective Behaviours in a very powerful workshop that had a significant impact on all of us present.

Andrea spoke about stranger danger and the way that parents, grandparents, schools and media all teach children the same messages about how to keep themselves safe. However, 95% of child abuse is committed by adults known to a child and over 40 000 children are sexually abused each year. And yet, no-one talks to children about how to keep themselves safe from sexual abuse even though most sexual abuse occurs to children aged between 5 and 8 years of age. Andrea, provided parents with specific steps and tools to empower their children and proactively keep them safe. It was a confronting message, but one that every parent should hear.

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IMPORTANT DATES

- **October 27 - Graduation and Student Leaders Photos**
- **October 27 - Kindy A Tabloid Sports Day**
- **October 28 - BASSA Inter-School Athletics Carnival**
- **October 29 - Music Assembly**
- **October 30 - Kindy B Tabloid Sports Day**
- **October 30 - P&C Disco**
- **November 5 - Open School Board Meeting - unpacking our IPS Review; 5.45pm**
- **November 24 - BASSA Spring Carnival**
- **December 2 - P&C Meeting 6.30pm**
- **December 2 - Yr 6 Camp**
- **December 3 - School Board**
- **December 5 - P&C Makybe Community Xmas Party**
- **December 9 - Information Workshop for 2016 Kindy Parents**
- **December 10 - PP Xmas concert and picnic**
- **December 15 - Yr 6 Graduation**
- **December 16 - Student Success Book Awards Assembly**
- **December 17 - Last day!**



A Rush of Creativity in Room 33

In Room 33 students have been exploring, researching and learning about the Australian Gold Rush. The Gold Rush is a significant event in Australia's history and is an event which has shaped our nation.

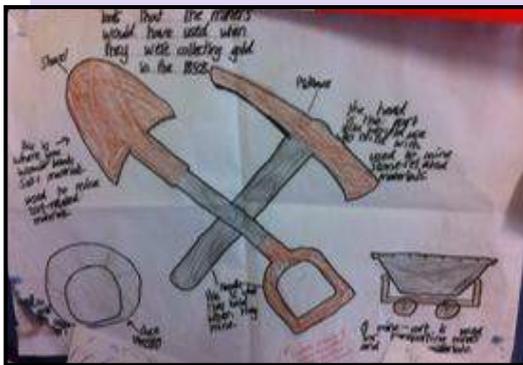
During Term 3, students selected a number of different homework projects to complete on the topic of the Gold Rush. Students used higher order thinking skills such as analysing, evaluating and creating to complete these projects. Students were given the choice to select the project they wanted to do for that week and then decide on their own way of presenting their work to a high standard.

The projects that students submitted were creative and demonstrated a high level of understanding around this History topic. Here are some comments from the students of Room 33 on their homework projects:

'I thought the projects were a creative way to present information rather than just writing it.' - Bailey

'I enjoyed doing the research and learning about gold because it was interesting.' - Krystal

Alexis Patriarca
Classroom Teacher



Room 9 A + B = Kindy Fun!

It is hard to believe that we are now at the beginning of Term Four. Both Kindy groups have had a BIG year of academic learning and social growth.

Kindy A and B classes really enjoyed showing their families some of their work during Student Success Week last term. A thank you is extended to the wonderful parents who were able to support their Kindy student with their Success Flag. It was so nice to see so many families get to view all the hard work that the Kindy students have completed so far.

During the last few weeks of Term Three we collaged a big picture of two students from our Kindy classes. We talked about all the things we do to be a successful learner. The Kindy children drew the most amazing pictures of themselves in their future careers. Even young students can dream BIG!

This term will be a busy one for us with the upcoming Tabloid Sports morning in Week Three. Both of the Kindy groups will be reading books about a new character 'Pete the Cat' and lots of our class activities during the term will focus on these books.

A thank you is extended to all the parents for continuing to support your child with our 'Be A Reader' program. We are sure there will be a few children who will have read 100 books by the end of the term. Some students have also had a lot of success with learning their alphabet letters and sounds and are regularly practising these at home.

The end of our year will finish with the students making some Christmas keepsakes and we will have a concert for our parents and families.

Thank you parents for your support this year!

Allison Thomas
Classroom Teacher



every child every day

School Nurse Message

Colour Blindness

Colour blindness means that a person can not distinguish some colours or see the colours differently to other people.

Very few people who are colour blind are 'blind' to all colours. Commonly, the colours seen differently are greens, yellows, oranges and reds.

For more information and to see the Colour Blind Awareness and Support Group, please visit: <http://www.members.optusnet.com.au/~doverton/>

If you have any concerns, colour vision testing can be performed by some general practitioners, eye specialists or optometrists.

Scoliosis

Scoliosis is an abnormal sideways curvature of the spine. It can be detected by a simple examination of the back.

The normal spine has three curves - one in the neck, one in the upper back and one in the lower back. These curves can be seen from the side, but when you look from behind, the spine should appear straight. If the spine has a sideways curve, this is scoliosis.

An information leaflet about colour blindness and scoliosis will be distributed to all Year 6 students in the next couple of weeks. Please read through the information provided and check your child for these conditions as described in the leaflets.

If you have any concerns, please contact your General Practitioner or School Health Nurse, Karen Penny, on 0409 802 597.



Makybe Rise P&C Inc. News

What's happening in Term 4:



General Meeting: Our final meeting for the year will be held on Wednesday, 2 December at 6.30pm in the school staff room. We are always looking for fresh ideas, so please come along and meet the team.

Halloween Disco, Friday 30 October: Kindy - Yr 1 from 4.30 to 5.30pm and then Yr 2 - Yr 6 from 6.00 - 7.30pm. Tickets: \$5 PRESALE ONLY (other items available for purchase at the event.) Tickets may be purchased at the school's main gate, before and after school every day, from Thursday, 22 October to Wednesday, 28 October. Tickets may also be purchased through www.ouronlincanteen.com.au from 14 October to 29 October.

Kids Card Designs: Each year the P&C offers our families the opportunity to purchase their children's artwork on various platforms such as greeting cards, calendars and diaries. A copy of your child's artwork, as well as order forms, will be coming home soon.

Canteen Corner: Our 2015 summer menu has now launched with lots of healthy, yummy items for Makybe students and staff.



Above are of some of the items on offer: 'Spudzess' and Fruit Kebabs. These particular potatoes were from the schools vegetable patch. We use lettuce from the patch daily and are working to use more 'school grown' produce as it is available.

If you can spare an hour from 9am to 10am on a Monday, Wednesday or Friday, the Canteen would love to see some new volunteers. Our volunteers are essential in ensuring the smooth operation and affordability of our canteen. If you are able to help, please pop in to meet Katie and Laura or email: makyberisecanteen@gmail.com.

Makybe Rise Christmas Party: Our annual Christmas Party will be held on Saturday, 5 December from 9.00am to 12.00pm. This is a free event and is open to all current Makybe Rise Families. There is an opportunity for local businesses to set up a stall in our mini market at the event for a small fee. Please register your interest by emailing the P&C on the details below.

For any P&C queries, please contact us via our Facebook page or by email: makyberisepandc@gmail.com.

Executive Committee
Makybe Rise Primary School P&C Association Inc.



Can Saver Plus assist you with school costs?

Join Saver Plus and match your savings, dollar for dollar, up to \$500 for educational costs including:

- school uniforms and text books
- computers, laptops and tablets
- excursions and camps
- sports equipment, uniforms and lessons
- music tuition and instrument hire.

You may be eligible if you have a Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card, are at least 18 years old, have some regular income from work (you or your partner) and have a child at school or study yourself.

Contact Jacqui Brooker, your local Saver Plus Worker:
(08) 9265 5585 / 0418 663 585
or jacqueline.brooker@thesmithfamily.com.au

Saver Plus was developed by ANZ and the Brotherhood of St Laurence and is delivered across Kivimaa and Rockingham by The Smith Family. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government.



Gifted & Talented Program

Nominations to enter the Gifted & Talented Program at Comet Bay College are now open by accessing

www.det.wa.edu.au/giftedandtalented

Students and parents of students in Year 5 are encouraged to attend an

Information Evening

relating to entry into the Selective Academic, Language and Arts Programs

Thursday 29 October 2015 from 6.00 - 7.15pm

Representatives from the Department of Education will deliver a presentation to be followed by a question and answer session.

Comet Bay College - Auditorium

Allatoona Avenue, Secret Harbour WA 6173

RSVP: Tuesday 27th October 2015

Telephone: 9553 8101/9553 8102

www.cometbaycollege.wa.edu.au

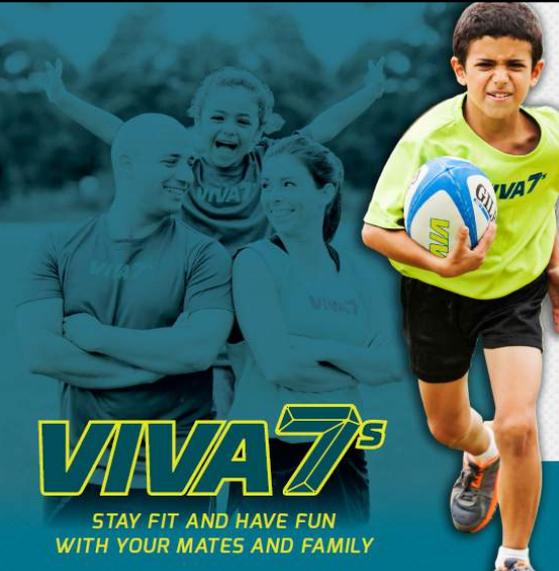


PEEL WATER POLO

www.peelwaterpolo.com.au

Flippa Ball (8-12) and Junior Water Polo (13-17)
Rockingham Aquatic Centre
Fridays 4:30-5:30pm

30th October 2015 to 18th March 2016
(breaking over school holidays)
Cost \$100



VIVA 7s
STAY FIT AND HAVE FUN WITH YOUR MATES AND FAMILY

CROSS THE LINE

VIVA7s.com.au

VENUE:
Lark Hill

START DATE:
17th November

LENGTH OF PROGRAM:
8 weeks

COST:
\$99 includes a shirt



Makybe Rise P&C
HALLOWEEN DISCO
Friday 30 October

\$5.00
PRESALE ONLY
other items available for purchase at the event

Kindy - Year 1
4.30pm to 5.30pm

Year 2 - Year 6
6.00pm to 7.30pm

Tickets may be purchased at the schools main gate before and after school every day from Thursday 22 October to Wednesday 28 October

Tickets may also be purchased through www.moonincanister.com.au from Wednesday 14 October to Thursday 29 October

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every child every day



Recess Items

Apple Slinky	\$1.00
Air Popped Popcorn	\$1.00
Toasties (Vegemite or Cheese ½)	\$1.00
Baked Bean & Cheese Jaffle (1/2 Per Serve)	\$1.50
Banana Pikelets (3 Per Serve)	\$1.50
Pikelets (3 Per Serve)	\$1.50
Gluten Free Pikelets (3 Per Serve)	\$2.00
Yoghurt (Various Flavours)	\$2.00
Fruit Salad	\$2.00

**** Recess Snacks not available to Kindy Students ****

Lunch Time Treats

Fruit Kebabs	\$1.50
Fruit Salad & Custard	\$2.00
Yoghurt (Various Flavours)	\$2.00
Frozen Yoghurt & Fruit	\$2.00
Fruit Salad, Jelly & Custard	\$2.50

Everyday Lunch Items

Sushi (Tuna or California Roll, 4 Pieces)	\$4.00
Zucchini Slice & Salad	\$4.00
Egg & Bacon Slice with Salad	\$4.00
Pasta Salad	\$4.00
Pizza Slice & Salad	\$4.50
Hot Chicken Roll	\$4.50
Burger (Chicken, Beef or Fish Finger)	\$4.50
Salad Box (Cheese, Egg, Ham, Chicken, or Tuna)	\$4.50

Drinks

Water	\$1.00
Plain Milk	\$1.50
Flavoured Milk (Chocolate, Banana, Strawberry, Caramel, Choc-Mint)	\$2.50
Sipahh Straw & Plain Milk	\$2.50

Sandwiches

(Hi Fibre White, Wholemeal or Multigrain)	
Vegemite	\$2.50
Salad	\$3.50
Meat & Salad (Ham, Chicken, or Tuna)	\$4.00
Extras (Cheese, Egg, Roll or Wrap)	\$0.50
Extras (Gluten Free Roll)	\$2.00

Daily Specials (Lunch Only)

Monday	\$4.50
Spudzess	\$4.50
Meat Ball Sub	
Wednesday	
Butter Chicken Curry & Rice	\$4.50
Chicken Salad Wrap	\$4.50
Friday	
Chicken Pops	\$4.50
Hash Browns with Sweet Chilli & Sour Cream	\$4.50

Please Note:

Our Canteen is 100% online with orders being placed through: www.ouronlinecanteen.com.au. Orders must be placed before 8am & may be placed up to two weeks in advance. Direct deposit from as little as \$1.00. All fruit & vegetables purchased locally.



Principal:	Josh Jashari
Associate Principal:	Jackie Huts
Associate Principal:	Kerryn Woodhouse
Registrar:	Amanda Sykes



UPDATE 5 — TERM 4—21st October, 2015

From the Principal

Last week saw our new Associate Principals commence and we welcome Mrs Kerryn Woodhouse and Miss Jackie Huts to the team. We also welcome Mrs Denise Bradley who will be working as our School Officer this term.

Specialist Areas: Those parents/carers who have enrolled their children at the school should have received a survey through the email asking for feedback on their preference for specialist areas the school should offer. The results of this survey will be tabled at the Steering Committee meeting this Wednesday evening (21st October).

Teaching Positions: These have been advertised into two pools, Early Childhood and Year 4-6 teachers and will close early next week. We have had a very healthy response with a significant amount of applicants in both pools. Once the specialist areas are confirmed these will also be advertised.

The Executive Team have been working and planning our curriculum implementation process for the new school. This has involved looking at each area and ensuring we are focussed on implementing research based whole school strategies and processes that reflect the needs of our students.

Now that our logo design has been confirmed we will be working on our stationary which should be finalised in the next week. This is reflected in our new Update design.

From the Associate Principal : Student Services

Hi Rivergums School Community,

My name is Jackie Huts and my role within the school is Student Services. This role incorporates Pastoral Care, catering for student diversity, inclusivity and medical and health care planning. Central to my role in supporting students will be working closely with parents, families and the wider community. This week I have been working hard to read through all of our current enrolments to build a picture of our school cohort and individual student needs. I look forward to meeting everyone in 2016.

From the Associate Principal: Early Childhood and Curriculum

Hello Rivergums Community,

My name is Kerryn Woodhouse and my role focuses on Early Childhood and Curriculum. I will be working closely with families in Early Childhood to ensure your children are supported academically and socially and emotionally, as we value the 'whole child' and want your children to have the most enriching school experience. I will also be working closely with staff and the Executive Team to develop researched based and exciting whole school programs in Literacy, Numeracy, Science, Humanities and Social Sciences, and other curriculum areas. I am looking forward to meeting you all in 2016 and working with you to build our wonderful school community.

Building Progress

Our Building program is progressing steadily. The new road has commenced from the roundabout. The school street address will be 1 Avoca Chase. Construction will be completed for the beginning of the school next year (Monday 1st February) although we may not be able to occupy one or two buildings until later than expected this year.

Thank You

Thank you to the office of Gary Gray MP for donating to our school the Australian and Aboriginal flags and the office of Paul Papalia CSC MLA for donating the West Australian flag. We will be able to fly these flags on our new flag poles.





Makybe Rise Primary School, Week 2 Term 4 2015

Hello everyone!!!

So good to be back!!! Welcome to the service newcomers Harry W, Ella Rae B, Riley W and India D.

HOMEWORK CHALLENGE: continues with Salina T and Indie H winning a prize. Parents, if you would like your child to complete their homework on their iPad or other forms of technology, please speak to Beth (Coordinator).

AREAS OF PLAY: You are welcome to visit the service and view our new areas of play: Homework/Drawing/Colouring; Family/Café/Salon. We have a 'Naming Competition' so please feel free to place your choice; the most exciting and appealing name for these areas will be selected.

SCIENCE/EXPLORATION AREA: We have such talent amongst the Leaders; Rameswari has a Masters in Biochemistry and Diploma in Laboratory Technology therefore each week she will plan and implement science experiments to teach and share with the staff and children. I love Wednesdays!

YOGA: Our Friday yoga mornings are a big hit and children really enjoy this meditation time. Keep up the great work Leaders Chiara and Tara.

EXTRA ACTIVITIES: Children spontaneously create play, linking to their home, world around them to the service. Recently a Hairdressing play was initiated by the girls and this has now progressed into a planned 'manicure session' on Thursday afternoon... I better make my booking!

Children loved the schools 'Makybe Rise's Got Talent' so we have decided to have an in-house show annually. A trophy has been donated for this occasion and children have 2 weeks to prepare their act.

Regards MAKYBE RISE CA TEAM



Once registered

You can make bookings and cancellations, view your statements and manage your details anytime of the day.



Save on Care

Save 50% or more on Before and After School Care with the Child Care Rebate. Almost all families

are eligible. To find out more call our Customer Service Team on 1300 105 343



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.



HOW TO GET STARTED

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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www.campastralia.com.au

MAKING CHANGES THROUGH GOAL SETTING

PRESENTED BY DOLLY BHARGAVA

As parents if we want things to change in our life,
we have to decide to make things change!

Step-By-Step Plan—Based on your understanding of your child's development and where you want your child to be in the future, this workshop focuses on helping you come up with a step-by-step plan on how to get there. One of the most important steps that families have to undertake to bring about change is to set goals. The process of setting goals helps families identify the direction they want to go in and the steps they need to take to get there.

'Stages of Change' Model—You will learn about the 'Stages of Change Model' to understand that long term change is not instant, but a process of steps that each member of the family undergoes to change old patterns and adopt a new one.

Practical Tools—This workshop will give you practical tools to know precisely what your child wants to achieve, identify the barriers and roadblocks that may be holding them back, plan a realistic pathway towards achieving their goals and use evaluation tools to monitor their progress in achieving them.

You will receive a take home
workbook that will help you set and
achieve goals independently.



BIBRA LAKE — 13 OCTOBER 9.30AM to 2.30PM

GUILDFORD — 27 OCTOBER 9.30AM to 2.30PM

KWINANA — 2 NOVEMBER 9.30AM TO 2.30PM



Summer Series



Halloween Movie night

Saturday 31 October 2015 | Time: 7.30pm

Movie: Monster House (PG)
Location: Singleton Primary School, Naval Ave, Singleton
Theme: Halloween theme dress up
BYO picnic blanket or chair



Safety and Family Expo (SAFE)

Saturday 14 November 2015 | Time: 1pm - 4pm

Location: Churchill Park, Rockingham Beach Road, Rockingham
Featuring: Official launch of Rockingham SmartWatch, CPR demonstrations, KidSafe car seat display, cyber safety tips, skin cancer checks, St John's Education Ambulance, fire truck, photo booth, free children's amusements, rides and much more

For further information please contact
Community Safety on 9528 0333

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