MAKYBE RISE
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Makybe Rise News

Issue 17 Term 4

Message from the Deputy Principal

Well, Summer has certainly arrived early! Despite the rapid rise in temperatures, our students have continued to work very hard to reach the learning goals they have set for themselves. At this time of year, many students are completing end of year assessments and this provides a wonderful opportunity for the children to reflect upon, and celebrate their achievements and the progress they have made throughout the year.

Our Year 6 students recently returned from a highly successful experience at Nanga Bush Camp in Dwellingup. The weather during this time was challenging too, but for a very different reason! It rained continually while they were there but Mrs Garwood and the teachers report that the students showed great resilience and a wonderful growth mindset. I asked some of our senior students today, "what would you like our school community to know about your time at camp?" Here is some of what they told me;

- We loved the canoeing, high ropes and rock climbing activities and while challenging, we were proud that we were able to persevere.
- The disco, lead by DJ Fernandez was great fun!
- Camp provided a 'different learning environment' and we were able to apply our AVID success skills to ensure we made the most of the opportunities presented to us.
- The "Wood Shed" provided a lovely meeting place for us all to come together to talk, eat and share the day's experiences.
- We've become closer and are all friends.

I wish to convey my thanks to Mrs Garwood, staff, students from BSC and the parents who gave up their time to support the students while at camp. It was much appreciated!

Our wonderful Makybe P&C, with the support of a small group of parents and staff, are proud to run Breakfast Club each Tuesday and Thursday in LC2. We ask for parents support and cooperation in ensuring children are not at school before 8.10am on these days. We will review changes to our timing in the coming weeks to evaluate our process for 2020.

On the other days of the week, before school supervision is provided in the Undercover Area from 8:15 until the classroom doors open at 8:30. Students should not arrive at school before this time.

Recently, our very own Year 6 student, Ella, organised Wear Blue for Diabetes Day. It is Ella's hope that scientists will find a cure and no future child will need to suffer. Over 900 students at Makybe Rise Primary School dressed up in blue as a symbol of hope that a cure will be found and over $800 was raised by our school community. We would like to thank all our families for their support and participation! Well done Ella!

The P&C's Colour Fun Run was an enormous success and a source of fun, laughter and joy here at Makybe. A huge thanks goes to our P&C, staff and student Tribes Leaders for your organization and support of every student!

As the end of the year is quickly approaching, it would be appreciated if you could let the office know if your child/ren will not be returning to Makybe in 2020. We are planning our staffing and classrooms and would really appreciate you letting us know if you are changing schools. Please contact the Administration Office. In the next fortnight we will also be informing students from Year Three to Year Six if they will be placed in a BYOD iPad class next year. A note will be sent home.

Many of our students are welcoming the chance to cool off during Swimming Lessons and by all reports their participation and behaviour have been impeccable. Leading into Summer, it is important that we all take the time to 'cool off', stay hydrated and remember our sunscreen.

I look forward to seeing you all at our annual Makybe Rise Christmas Party on Saturday 23 November!
David Lewis

IMPORTANT DATES

- **28 Nov: BSC Transition**
- **29 Nov: BASSA Spring Carnival**
- **4 Dec: School Board**
- **6 Dec: Kindy B Xmas Concert**
- **9 Dec: P&C Xmas Dress Up Day**
- **10 Dec: Kindy A Xmas Concert**
- **12 Dec: Kindy B P&C Xmas Dress Up Day**
- **13 Dec: PP Xmas Concert**
- **16 Dec: Makybe Magic Morning Tea**
- **17 Dec: Student Success Book Awards Assembly**
- **18 Dec: Year 6 Graduation**
- **18 Dec: Year 6 River Cruise**
- **19 Dec: Last day of school**

UNIFORM SHOP

OPENING TIMES:

Monday	**8.15am - 10.30am**
Thursday	**1.00pm - 3.45pm**

SMS ATTENDANCE

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Figurative Language in Room 39

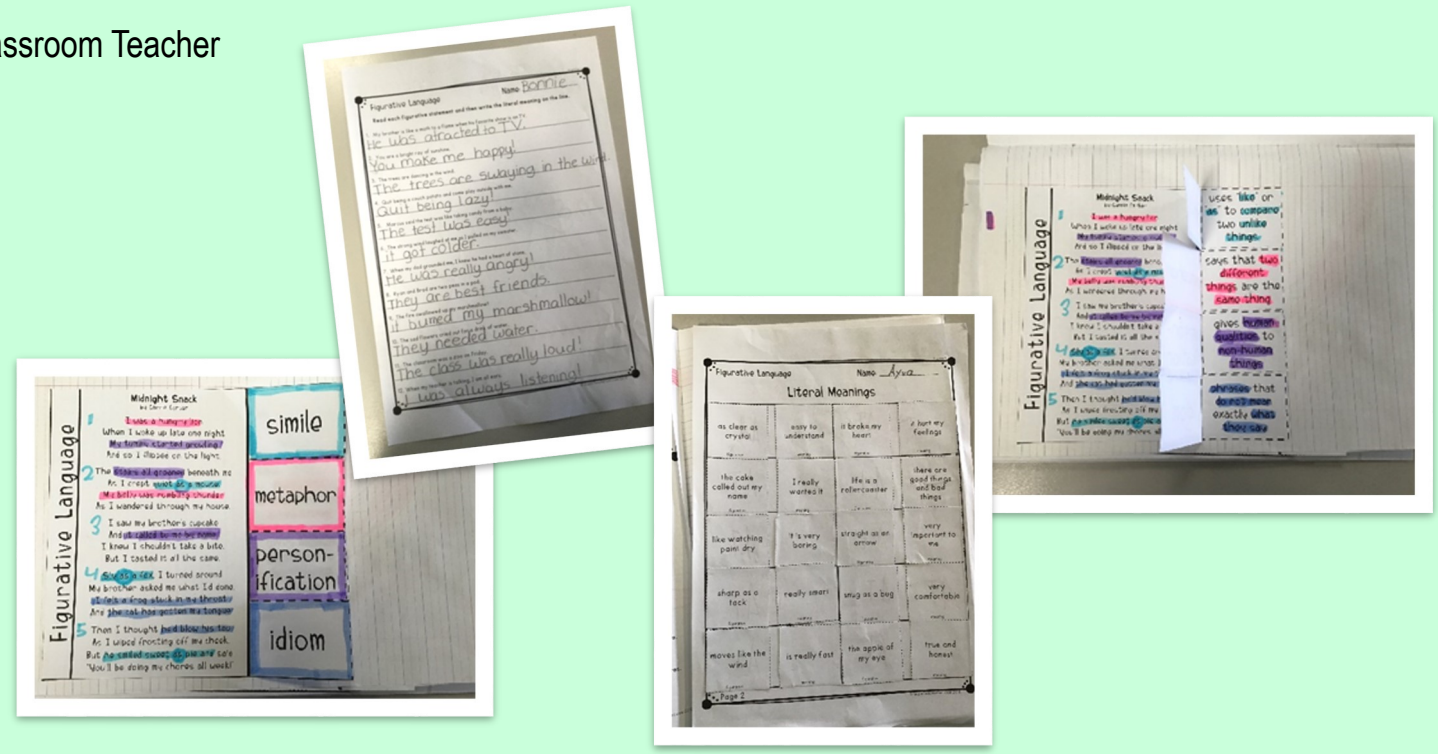
English is very complex and words can have many meanings. Over the past few weeks we have been learning about different types of figurative language including similes, metaphors, personification and idioms. We used our AVID Critical Reading Skills to mark a text which had all four types of figurative language.

We matched cards with a figurative text with its meaning and Ms Hornsby challenged us to work out the literal meaning of some figurative statements.

We have really enjoyed learning about figurative language and discovering how it makes language more interesting. Our next challenge is to include some figurative language in our writing to make it more interesting.

Naomi Hornsby

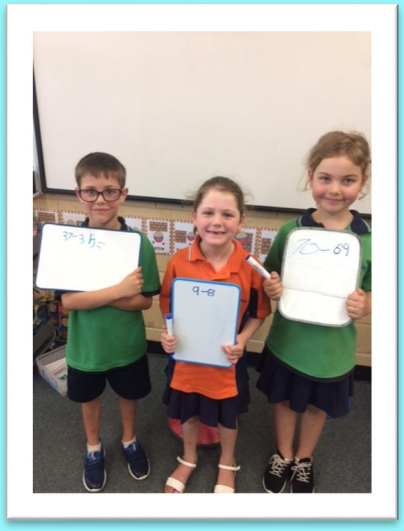
Classroom Teacher



Counting up to Subtract in Room 15

This term the Year Ones have been learning more about subtraction. We have started developing strategies that allow us to subtract numbers easily.
Did you know that you can count up to solve a subtraction problem? We count up when the numbers are close together.

In Room 15, we do this every day when we are identifying how many people are absent in our class. We have 21 people in our class. If 19 are at school we can count from 19 to 21 to find that 2 students are missing 19 + 2 = 21 or 21-19 = 2



Take a look at this picture for other sums we count up to solve.

Room 15

YEAR 6 NANGA BUSH CAMP 2019

Camp has been one of the biggest highlights of primary school. Even though the weather wasn't so great, we still had heaps of fun and enjoyed our special 3 days we spent there. One of our camp highlights was Tree Tops Adventures. Majority of the 99 year 6 students that went to camp, would say that this was for sure their favourite activity. Another highlight was the disco on the Thursday night. About half way through we discovered a kangaroo with a Joey in its pocket, scavenging through the trash looking for some tucker!Thank you to all the teachers, BSC students and parents for supporting us through this amazing journey and ending the year on a high!

Written by: George, Chan, Alexa, Charlotte M and the rest of the year 6's

P&C COLOUR FUN RUN

West Oz Wildlife Pre Primary Incursion!

On Tuesday November 12 the Pre-primary/Year 1 classes were visited by West Oz Wildlife and had the opportunity to have a hands on experience meeting a variety of Australian Animals.

This linked nicely into our current theme of Australian Animals and our focus on information texts. This incursion allowed students to build on their prior knowledge and give them a real purpose for writing.

The students were delighted to meet Maui the Koala, Yappa the Dingo, Hero the Woma Python, Rosie the Stinson Python and Betty the Blue Tongue Lizard.

We look forward to having them back next year.

The Pre-primary team

Australian Maths Competition

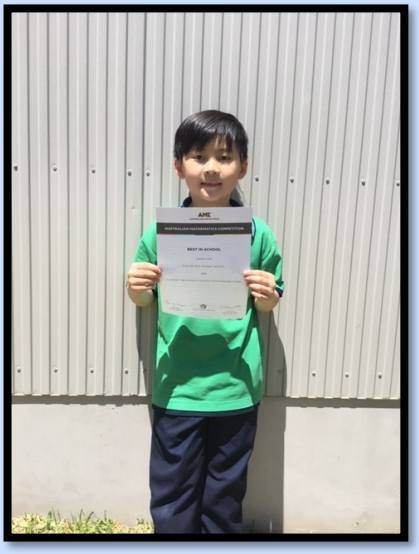
In August of this year, over 130 students from Makybe Rise participated in the Australian Mathematics Competition for 2019.

Our students were awarded the following certificates:
5 Distinction
37 Credit
69 Proficiency
21 Participation

Jason Tan from Year 3 was awarded Best in School. Congratulations to Jason and all of our other Makybe Mathematicians!

Melissa Christmass

Curriculum Coach



Modern Language Teacher Association

On Monday 28 October, the annual Modern Language Teacher Association awards ceremony took place.
This year, Makybe Rise had seven students enter two different competitions, showing off their languages skills, with two of them being successful and coming second in their age group. Unfortunately, one of the two was not able to make to the presentation.
In addition to this amazing effort, Mrs McDonald was also acknowledged, being

shortlisted for the MLTAWA Principals Award, as an outstanding principal who supports the language program here at Makybe Rise. Even though Mrs McDonald did not win the award, she was being recognizing as an exceptional leader who has been instrumental in the success of German at Makybe Rise Primary School.

Julia Mueller

German Specialist

23 NOVEMBER
9.30 TO MIDDAY

MAKYBE RISE
CHRISTMAS
PARTY

MAKYBE P&C presents... Critters Up Close, Love Bouncy Castles, Full Radical Run Obstacle Course, Happy Cheeks Face Painting, Mini Markets and of course a visit from Santa!

Open to current & new Makybe families; children to be under adult supervision
Canteen open with yummy treats.
Feel free to bring a picnic blanket and make a morning of it!

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS AND CHARGES 2020

Dear Parents/Caregivers

The Makybe Rise Primary School Board has endorsed the schedule of contributions, personal items and additional costs for 2020 under the *School Education Act 1999*.

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS:
Financial support by parents has always played a significant role in providing resources that extend the school's capacity to add value to the learning experiences of students. The continuing partnership between schools and parents is vital to ensuring that all students receive a level of education sufficient to carry them forward in today's society.

Contributions are voluntary; however, the quality of our teaching and learning programs will be maximised when each family makes a contribution to supplement funding gained from other sources, including the State and Commonwealth Governments. Contributions collected at Makybe Rise Primary School contribute to items including resources to support student activities, photocopied materials for Teaching and Learning programs, reading books, Library resources, Physical Education resources and Learning Area resources.

2020 Contributions	Amount
School Voluntary Contribution (per student)	$60.00

The total amount of voluntary contributions parents and carers are being asked to pay is the $60 maximum set in the *School Education Act 1999*.

OTHER VOLUNTARY APPROVED REQUESTS:

Library Contribution: Monies raised through this Library Fund will be used to purchase a collection of quality literature and information texts for our students.

Literacy Contribution (Years 3 - 6 only): Monies raised through this Literacy Contribution will be used to purchase a license for your student to access Literacy Pro as part of the Literacy program.

P&C Contribution: Monies raised through this P&C Contribution will be used by the P&C as part of their fundraising objectives for our students.

We understand that at times it can be difficult to pay these contributions up front. To assist our families, we do accept regular payments via cash, Qkr! and EFTPOS.

2020 Voluntary Approved Requests	Amount
Literacy Contribution (Years 3 - 6 only)	$10.00
Library Contribution (per student)	$10.00
P&C Contribution (per student)	$10.00

CHARGES:
A breakdown of estimated charges for participation in educational activities is shown in the tables below.
The amounts represent the ***maximum*** charges for scheduled activities in 2020. As in the past, you will be asked to make payment for each activity as it approaches.
These costs are associated with specific learning activities available to all students, but conditional on a payment being made at the time of the activity. If a particular event listed in this table does not occur, then no charges for that event will apply. The 2020 charges, which have been approved by the School Board, are as follows:

Extra Cost Options	Kindy	PP	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
In-term swimming (transport, pool entry)		50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Swimming Carnival (Years 4 - 6)						20	20	20
Kindergarten Christmas Book	7							
Sports Excursions		10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Art Incursion/Excursion	15	15	15	15	15	15	15	15
Excursions/Incursions	60	70	70	70	80	80	80	80
Australian Mathematics Competition					10	10	10	10
Year 6 Graduation								100
Year 6 Camp								300
Estimated maximum cost	**82**	**145**	**145**	**145**	**165**	**185**	**185**	**585**

Extra Cost Options *For Selected Students*	Kindy	PP	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Interschool sport/carnivals (transport, venue hire)			10	10	30	65	75	75
Science Excursions		20	20	20	20	20	30	60
Primary Extension and Challenge (PEAC) - cost varies depending on programs selected							300	300
Instrumental Music - Clarinet/Flute/Brass hire (Guitar students - to purchase own as per IMSS specifications)							110	110
German Excursions/Incursions	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Choir Excursions					10	10	10	10
Estimated maximum cost	**10**	**30**	**40**	**40**	**70**	**105**	**535**	**565**

Other Optional Costs	Kindy	PP	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Leavers Shirt Screen printing							15	15
*School Photographs	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Estimated maximum cost	**50**	**50**	**50**	**50**	**50**	**50**	**65**	**65**

*School Photographs - indicative price for basic package, payable directly to photographer.

ITEMS FOR PERSONAL USE:

Please note, personal items and school uniforms are not included in the schedule above. The recommended list of items for personal use has been distributed and these items can be purchased through West School Supplies. Please refer to the Personal List for each year level. Items listed are specific to Makybe Rise Primary School and we request you purchase these **exact** items. Your child will need to have the listed items each school day, so some items such as pencils, may need to be replaced throughout the year. The brand and type listed on the booklist are recommended for their quality and suitability.

The school uniform shop is operated by Uniform Concepts and is open Monday morning and Thursday afternoon.

PAYMENTS:

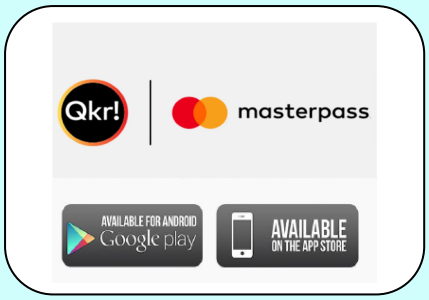
Help us operate a cashless payment system by using the Qkr! app or our EFTPOS facilities. All cash payments must be in a **clearly marked envelope** and handed in at the front office.

If you have any queries, please contact the school office.

Yours sincerely

Steph McDonald

Principal



P&C Updates

We recently held our Annual Colour Fun Run and what a fantastic day it was! Thank you to all the students, teachers and parents that helped out on the day. These events could not happen without the support of our amazing Makybe Community. Our favourite end of year event is quickly approaching - the Makybe Rise Christmas party on Saturday 23 November 9.30am till Midday. If you wish to have a market stall on the day please email makyberisepandc@gmail.com for an application form.

Upcoming events:

- Christmas Party - Saturday 23 November
- Christmas Drive - Saturday 23 November. We will be collection donations to support Makybe and local families in need this festive season. This will be launched at the Christmas Party.
- Christmas Dress Up Day - Monday 9 December (Kindy B Thursday 12 December)

General Meeting:

Our final General Meeting will be held in Term 4 on Tuesday December 10. All are welcome to attend our general meetings which are held 6:30-7:30pm in the staff room. Babysitting is provided, bookings are essential please email makyberisepandc@gmail.com

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Get Active Rockingham 2019

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Come to our **FREE** Get Active Expo this November to kick start your fitness goals.

Get Active Expo

Saturday 2 November
9am - 12pm

Gary Holland Community Centre
19 Kent Street, Rockingham

- Fitness demonstrations
- Health and fitness advice
- Goodie bags
- Open to all abilities

No registration required, just turn up in your active wear on the day.

Keep on track with FREE fitness sessions throughout the month.

Bootcamp at the Aqua Jetty

Wednesday 6 November
6pm - 7pm
Aqua Jetty, Warnbro

BoxFit at Anytime Fitness

Wednesday 13 November
5.30pm - 6.30pm
Anytime Fitness, Rockingham

Yoga at Mary Davies Library

Wednesday 20 November
5.30pm - 6.30pm
Mary Davies Library, Baldivis

Mindset Workshop

Wednesday 27 November
6pm - 7.30pm
Mary Davies Library, Baldivis

Registration essential. To book your spot call the City on **9528 0333** or email **customer@rockingham.wa.gov.au**

See more about the Get Active Expo and free fitness sessions by visiting **rockingham.wa.gov.au/getactive**

Snap a photo of yourself getting active in November and hashtag **#getactiverockingham2019** to go into the draw for some amazing prizes.

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DOWN SOUTH THERAPY

JANUARY 2020 SCHOOL HOLIDAY GROUPS

Down South Therapy is excited to announce that we will be offering a range of groups for your child in the upcoming 2020 January school holidays.

SCHOOL READINESS GROUPS will provide your child with the skills and confidence to promote success in the upcoming school year targeting specific skills surrounding phonological awareness and handwriting skills. These groups are run for children of all ages and abilities.

WE THINKERS SOCIAL SKILLS GROUPS Based on the We Thinkers! Series this group will help your child to better understand themselves and others, develop self-awareness, perspective taking, social problem solving, and will support your childs social-emotional learning, relationship building, classroom learning and academic performance. The We Thinkers Social Skills Groups are run for children of all ages and abilities.

STRONG BODIES GROUP will provide your child with the opportunity to further develop their core, gross motor and fine motor strength. This group will help your child in their academic and social performance at school and overall confidence in participating in a range of activities at home school and in the community. The Strong Bodies Groups are run for children of all ages.

LEGO SOCIAL SKILLS GROUPS will provide your child with the skills and confidence in cooperation, problem solving, conversation, communication and social skills and most importantly building friendships. These groups are based on the Lego Therapy Program to assist children of all ages and abilities.

BOARD GAMES SOCIAL SKILLS GROUP will provide your child with the opportunity to develop their social skills, communication and conversational skills, problem solving skills, cooperation and winning and losing skills whilst having fun learning and playing board games with their peers. The Board Games Group is suitable for children from 8 years old to teenagers.

CHILL-OUT GROUP will provide your older child and teenager with the skills and confidence to manage and regulate their feelings around anger. Based on the RAGE program (Re-navigating Anger and Guilty Emotions) it will help your child to recognise provides their body responses, the impact on others and regulation strategies. Chillout groups are suitable for children from 10 years old to teenagers.

COMMUNITY EXPLORERS GROUP will provide your older child and teenager with the skills and confidence for participating in activities in the community with a group of their peers, developing independence, problem solving, communication and social skills. Members will participate in a selected activity in the community as decided on by the group, focusing on developing skills for planning, preparation and participating in the activity by the end of the week.

All families will be provided with useful handouts including activities for home and school and a summary report of their child's performance.

These groups are planned for and facilitated by Speech Pathologists, Occupational Therapists and Physiotherapists. Developed using current evidence based practice and research our groups are unique and specialised in providing your child with the best opportunities for growth and development

Spaces are limited and fill quickly, please contact us 0404 698 218 or enquiries@downsouththerapy.com.au for further information and to secure a placement.
NDIS, NDIA, Government, Medicare and Private Health Insurance Rebates are available.

Where: Venues in Rockingham, Mandurah, Armadale and Fremantle regions
When: Each group runs Monday – Friday for 2 hours per day for one week.
Groups will be on offer every week in January pending numbers.
Who: For children and teenagers of all ages