



NEWSLETTER

Marangaroo Primary School
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Dear Parents/Carers and Community Members

Welcome to the latest instalment of the Marangaroo Primary School newsletter.

I hope you and your family were able to spend some quality time in the sun last weekend like I did. I even snuck in watching the Eagles game, which was a highlight! I encourage you all to attend our **Open Night** tomorrow from 5.30pm to 6.30pm.

Book Week

Book Week is going crazy! Don't forget that the library will be open during Open Night tomorrow (5.30 - 6.30pm) for book purchases. Thank you to our library officer Mrs Preston, who has worked overtime to ensure this event is a success.

As mentioned in the last newsletter, there will be a book week costume parade at this Friday's assembly. All children are encouraged to dress as their favourite book character. There will be certificates and prizes awarded for each class.

Marangaroo Logo Update

Thank you to the parents who have provided feedback on the possible change to our school logo. This information has proved very useful and will guide our further discussions with staff, parents and school board members. More information will follow in the next newsletter.

Leaving at the end of 2019?

If your children will be leaving our school next year, can you please inform the school as soon as possible. This information really helps me plan more effectively for next year.

P&C Thank you

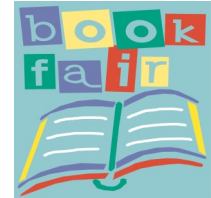
Thank you to the Marangaroo P&C group, who work tirelessly in many different ways and capacities. Our P&C have raised enough funds to purchase a new PA system. This new purchase will greatly benefit our students and future events.

General Reminders

- ◆ Please use the carparks around the school and at the golf course when dropping off and picking up your children, and not the staff carpark. Thank you to those parents who have heard our message.
- ◆ School Uniform is expected to be worn by all students. The uniform shop will be open tomorrow morning before school.
- ◆ PP will now present their assembly item in week 3 of term 4.

Regards

Taylor Webb
Principal



Book Fair

Tues 13–Wed 14 Aug

Book Week Parade
Friday 16 Aug during
assembly

Volunteers Needed

We have some great new books that are waiting to go on the shelves but they need covering. Please see our library officer Mrs Preston if you are able to help with covering these new books. It's a great way for you to meet other parents too. Mrs Preston is in the Library on Tuesday and Wednesday.



KINDERGARTEN 2020

Applications are now open for our kindergarten classes in 2020.



If your child was born between 1 July 2015 and 30 June 2016 they are eligible to attend. Please see staff in the front office for an enrolment form.

You will be asked to provide:

- ◆ your child's Birth Certificate (telephone the Registry of Births, Deaths and Marriages on 1300305021 if you do not have one.
- ◆ your child's up to date Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) Immunisation History Statement
- ◆ Passport and Visa information (if applicable)



BOOK FAIR



Our book fair is in the Library NOW! The theme this year is "Reading is my Super Power".

Yesterday students were given the opportunity to browse the collection and fill out a wish list. There is no obligation to purchase what is on your child's wish list. As well as books we will also have school supplies and posters for sale for as little as \$1. Students will be able to purchase during their normal library timeslots and during lunchtime on both days. Parents/Carers can purchase before or after school on Tuesday 13 until 3.30pm or Wednesday evening during the Open Night 5.30pm-6.30pm. Books may be purchased with either cash or credit card. Donations of purchased books for our library are also greatly appreciated and a certificate of appreciation with your name will be placed inside the book.

Everyone is welcome so bring along your aunts, uncles, cousins, neighbours and friends! The more purchases made, the more free books we earn for our school!

A Scholastic Book Fair is a fun event that enables children, parents, teachers and community members to purchase quality books and classroom materials at reasonable prices, while earning free books for our school. I look forward to seeing you all there.

Book Week Parade will be held 16 August, during our Friday morning assembly. We would love to see every student dressed up as their favourite book character. A winner from each class will receive a prize. We are looking forward to seeing all the fabulous costumes at the parade. I look forward to meeting you at the Book Fair.

Geronimo Stilton will be making a guest appearance so make sure that you come and say hi.

Vickie Preston
Library Officer



We are always looking for members to join our P&C. Being part of the P&C can be extremely rewarding – forming friendships, being part of the school, helping the students and families and contributing toward the community!

Joining us means attending meetings when you can, volunteering when available and lending your voice to making informed decisions about how the P&C contributes funds to the school. We have meetings twice a term on Monday evenings. **The next meeting is Monday 9 September at 7pm** in the staffroom.

Vacant Position: Secretary

The P&C is still looking for someone to take on the role of secretary. This person is responsible for the agendas and minutes of meetings and general record keeping. No experience is necessary as full training will be provided. This role is absolutely vital to the P&C and we will not be able to continue if it is not filled soon.

If you think you might be a good candidate please email marangarooandc@gmail.com for more information, or contact Eric Jones on 0411 720 880 or Danica Charlton on 0452 581 605

Father's Day Stall

A stall will be held from Tuesday 27 August until Friday 30 August for students to purchase a gift for their father, grandfather or special male in their life. Classes will visit the stall during allocated time slots. Prices will range from 50c to \$10.00.

School Banking – Volunteer needed

To keep the Commonwealth Bank School Banking program running we need your help. Our current coordinator will be leaving the school at the end of this year as her daughter will be graduating. We are looking for someone to take over this role. If you are interested in taking on this role please don't hesitate to contact Melanie Bailey on 0422 517 511 or come along to one of the banking days for a chat.

Did you know for every 10 transactions your child makes with the school they earn a prize?
And for every 10 deposits made through school banking Marangaroo earns \$5.
This might not sound like much but it all adds up!!

The Marangaroo Primary School P&C

Uniform Shop

Uniform Coordinator needed urgently!

It has become critical that the P&C find someone to take over the uniform coordinator position as soon as possible to allow time for training.

If the position of coordinator is not filled then the school will no longer be able to run an onsite uniform shop. The P&C will be forced to outsource the supply of uniforms to a company based somewhere in Perth. This will result in higher prices for parents and the inconvenience to parents of having to travel to the shop to purchase uniform items.

This is my last year at Marangaroo Primary. Over the years I have truly enjoyed helping out the school, P&C and parents by running the uniform shop. I believe it is essential for students to wear the school uniform with pride and represent Marangaroo Primary when out on excursions or in the general community. I have gained valuable knowledge and experience during my time as uniform coordinator.

Through volunteering your time in the uniform shop and joining the P&C you will become more involved and informed about your child's education and the school. If you would like further information about the uniform coordinator role please feel free to give me a call on 0409 291 345 or visit the uniform shop on one of the open mornings for a chat.

Open Night

I will be in the undercover area during the upcoming open night Wednesday August 14 from 5.30-6.30pm to discuss anything you would like to know relating to the P&C, School Board or uniform shop.

Faction Friday's

Don't forget that all this term students will receive a faction point for wearing their faction coloured t-shirt every Friday. Faction shirts are available for purchase from the uniform shop for **\$6 each**.

Remember uniform days have changed

Just a reminder that the uniform shop is now open every second **Wednesday** on the **even weeks** of term. The remaining open days for the uniform shop this term are August 14 & 28, September 11 & 25.

Tahlia Rogers

Uniform coordinator

SCHOOL DIARY AT A GLANCE

Wednesday 14 August	8.15 - 8.45am 5.30 - 6.30pm	Uniform shop K—Yr 2 Incursion REmida OPEN NIGHT
Friday 16 August		Book Week parade during assembly. Item presented by Yr 3's
Monday 19 August	3 - 4 pm	Art Club
Friday 23 August		Marangaroo X Factor Final
Monday 26 August	3 - 4 pm	Board Games Club
Tuesday 27 August - Friday 20 August		Father's Day Stall
Wednesday 28 August	8.15 - 8.45am	Uniform shop
Friday 30 August	8.50am 9.30am	Assembly item presented by Yr 1 Community Info Workshop on Autism & SLP Caring C Reward Day
Monday 2 September	3 - 4 pm	200 M & 400 M races, Jumps & Throws for Yrs 4-6 Art Club

Giralt Road Crosswalk

Our manned crosswalk on Giralt Road is to be surveyed in the near future. To ensure the safety of our students and for this service to continue we ask that any students crossing Giralt Road please cross at the designated crosswalk. If it is seen to be not utilised enough we may lose the attendant that assists our children each morning and afternoon.



Zigzags are continuing to offer before and after school care in C7 classroom. This service is also available on School Development Days and school holidays.

Please see the front office for a brochure, phone 0421 369 516, visit <https://www.zigzagsoshc.com.au/> or meet the carers on site before and after school.