



**Coolbellup
Community School**
Learning For Life

Newsletter

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Dear Parent Community

For the first time in a while I can inform you things have actually changed! As you have probably seen in media reports, all of the children are required to attend school as from Monday, 18 May 2020. The only exceptions are for children who have an underlying health issue which makes them more susceptible to infections such as COVID-19. If your child falls into that category please contact us and seek medical advice. Your child may still require a medical certificate if their absence is due to these circumstances.

As attendance is now compulsory the usual rules apply. Specifically, if your child is not at school you are required to provide a reason. A valid reason would be for things such as illness, a medical appointment or family emergency. As is our current practice, we will be following up any unexplained absences.

The Department of Education defines regular attendance as being anything over 95%, being no more than 5 days absence per term.

As attendance is now compulsory, we will no longer be providing working from home materials. If your child has been completing work at home, please send it in with them on Monday for their teacher to look at.

To ensure the safety of the children at school we will continue our heightened cleaning and personal hygiene practices. We have opened the playgrounds, with the exception of the Spida on the oval, as it is difficult to clean.

We are still prohibited from having assemblies, incursions and excursions. I am not sure if we will be able to hold the Senior Camp this year. I will be sending home a note next week to gauge interest from our Year 5 and 6's in the event we are able to go in November.

Parents are still not able to enter the school grounds to drop off or pick up their children. If your child is late, please bring them to the office and we will deliver them to class.

Parents are still able to enter the office to pick up their children during school hours for appointments and such or conduct business that cannot be conducted over the phone. As always please maintain the 1.5m distance from staff or other visitors to the office.

I thank all of you for patience and understanding during these uncertain times. On the few times I have had to remind people of the 'rules' their response was cooperative and respectful.

Please be assured that we will continue to do what we can to support your child's emotional and physical safety and still provide a quality education.

Kind regards

Ray Knight
PRINCIPAL

Number 6

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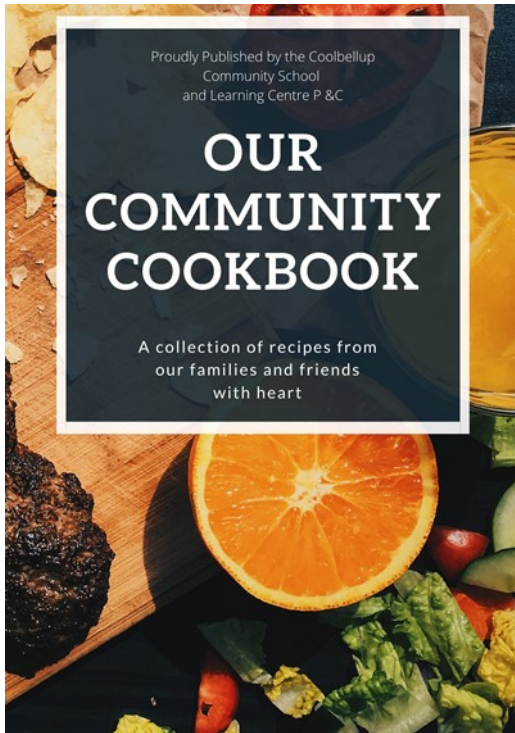
Dates to Remember

**Mon 1st June -
Western Australia
Day Public Holiday**

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P&C News (Contact: coolbelluppc@outlook.com)



Welcome back to all our families and friends!

Due to the COVID-19 restrictions, we are currently adapting to a new way of doing things as a P&C.

We are unable to be on campus at the moment so we have been thinking creatively about how to work with our school community.

We have decided to undertake the creation of a Community Cookbook! We will be sending home recipe submission forms with the students for you to complete with your favourite dinners, cherished cakes, yummy desserts or something handed down the family line which everyone remembers eating for a special occasion.

Everyone can submit a recipe; Mum, Dad, Grandparents, etc. We all have a person in our family who has a special dish or favourite dinner we could eat over and over again.

We are hoping our end result will be a cookbook we can sell as a fundraiser at the end of the year. We would love to see a variety of foods, cultures and diverse diets of our children and community reflected in the cookbook. Hopefully we can cherish these for years to come and find some dinner inspiration!

Children are to return the recipes to the front office and they will be collected over the next month. You are more than welcome to submit more than one recipe. Spare forms will be available for the children to collect on your behalf from the office. You can also submit recipes via our facebook page. We will be putting up some of our favourite dinners on the page over the next few weeks to give you some inspiration!

We can't wait to see what delicious treats you send in to us and we look forward to making a fantastic Community Cookbook from our school community.

UNIFORM SHOP

Current arrangements for ordering uniforms remain as follows:

- Uniform Order Forms can be emailed to parents/carers upon request, via the school office. Alternatively you can access a form and print one from the school's website. The order form is to be returned via email to the P&C Uniform Co-ordinator at coolbelluppc@outlook.com. **Please do not pay online until the P&C contact you.**
- If the item is in stock, the P&C will contact you directly with payment information and advise when the order is ready and will be sent home with your child.
- Should the requested item not be currently in stock, you will be contacted when your order has arrived.
- **Payment will not be taken for uniforms or jumpers unless they are in stock.**

BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast Club is closed until further notice.

P&C News (Contact: coolbelluppc@outlook.com)

SCHOOL GARDEN

We were able to acquire 20 established plants from APACE to help our school gardens as part of the Council native plant subsidy program.



GILBERTS SOS PROGRAM

We continue our fundraising efforts through the Gilbert's SOS program. Participants sign on and every shop contributes to a running total of which the school receives 1%. Thank you to the efforts of the 19 families who have signed on so far.



SCHOLASTICS BOOK CLUB

Book Club brochures will only be handed out once a term however you can still place a LOOP order at any time.

Proceeds of all book club sales earn the school scholastic points which are used to purchase classroom and library resources.

P&C CONTACT DETAILS

	P&C	President (Sarah Grehan)	Vice President (Lisa Appleby)
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P&C BANK DETAILS

Account Name: CCS and CLC PC Association **BSB:** 066190 **Account No:** 10188616

Waterwise Tips



Catch the cold water too

While waiting for the shower/tap water to heat up, collect the cold water and put it on the garden.



Proud to be a

Waterwise School



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Early Learning & Care
Coolbellup

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CARE

What we do -

- Safe transport to and from school;
- Afternoon tea to fill hungry bodies and fuel busy minds;
- Fun Activities so you're never bored ~
- Arts and Crafts; Cooking; & Active Play;
- Homework Club if you want to get it done and dusted;
- Rest and Relaxation for tired minds and bodies.

~KINDY TO YEAR 6~
CALL KAYLA TO ENQUIRE NOW

ph: 6268 0148
e: coolbellup@sonaschildcare.com.au
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Fremantle College Notice

Approved Specialist Programs 2021



APPLICATIONS CLOSING DATE CHANGE

to **19 June 2020**

Current Year 6 students are invited to apply for the below Approved Specialist Programs operating at Fremantle College:

- Specialist Contemporary Music
- Specialist Marine Studies
- Specialist ICT
- Specialised Learning Program - Autism Spectrum Disorder

Apply online at
<https://fremantlecollege.wa.edu.au/applications-for-approved-specialist-programs/>
www.fremantlecollege.wa.edu.au
 P: (08) 9338 8900 E: fremantle.college@education.wa.edu.au

Fremantle College – Enrolments and Closing Date Change for Specialist Programs

Do you have a child in Year 6? Have you completed your Enrolment with Fremantle College yet? Applications for Year 7 in 2021 are due by 24 July for all in and out of area enrolments. Click the link below to find out more: <https://fremantlecollege.wa.edu.au/enrolments/enrolments/>

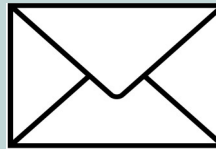
Our enrolment documents can be completed fully online and emailed to us. Our office is also accessible 8:00am to 4:00pm for drop off of completed documentation.

Please also be advised that the closing date for our Approved Specialist Programs for 2021 has changed to 19 June 2020.

Administration

Please ensure you keep the school up to date with your current phone number and address.

This information is vital should we need to contact you in an emergency.



If your child/ren arrive at school after 8.45am, please direct them to collect a Late Note from the office before proceeding to class.



Thank you.



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SMS - Absence Messages

For the parents who would like to send an SMS in the morning to advise of your child's absence, the number is :

0438 947 795.

This number is available for text messages only.

Absence Note

Please feel free to complete the below tear off slip and give to your child's teacher or the office to explain your child's absence from school.

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CHILD'S NAME LA YEAR

My child was away from school on ____/____/____ because they were:

(please tick)

Sick _____

Family reasons _____

Appointments _____

Other _____

Signature of Parent/Carer: _____