

TERM 4, WEEK 4 PARENT UPDATE

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been an exciting week for our fabulous students at **Piara Waters Primary School!**

Our week began with **Day Two** of our **Faction Athletics Carnival**, featuring the track and team events. A huge thank you to everyone who helped make the carnival such a success, and for your flexibility and understanding with the change of date to Monday.

The **combined results** from Day One (Monday/Tuesday's jumps, throws, 200m and 400m events) and Day Two (Monday's team games, sprints and relays) saw **Worl** take out both the **Championship Shield** and the **Spirit Shield** — congratulations!

Our **Faction Captains** did a marvellous job supporting other students and helping the day run smoothly. A big thank you also to **Mr Headland** and **Mr Jones** for their excellent organisation, and to all our dedicated staff for ensuring everything went so well. We really appreciated the parents who came along to cheer, support, and help pack away at the end of the day.

Most importantly, our **students** deserve a big pat on the back. It was wonderful to see everyone giving their best effort, having fun, and showing such great sportsmanship. We're so proud of the way our students represented their factions and our school — you made this carnival a fantastic event!

The total championship points were:

1. **Worl** - 1369
2. **Kabi** - 1174
3. **Karla** - 1112
4. **Boodjera** - 1025

The total spirit points were:

1. **Worl** - 1346
2. **Kabi** - 1332
3. **Karla** - 1263
4. **Boodjera** - 1238



Congratulations to the individual Champions and Runner Up Champion boy and girl:

	Champion	Runner Up
Year 1 Girls	Mithara P Iliana R	Shiny P
Year 1 Boys	Tanaka M	Cameron H
Year 2 Girls	Emily A	Lila U
Year 2 Boys	Aston E	Beau O
Year 3 Girls	Nika S	Georgia H
Year 3 Boys	Sahil T	Lavin S
Year 4 Girls	Lola F	Anna K
Year 4 Boys	Elijah J	Jake F
Year 5 Girls	Mila G	Maddison K
Year 5 Boys	Ben D	Alex N
Year 6 Girls	Holly G	Georgia C
Year 6 Boys	Cooper S	Cahleb-James J

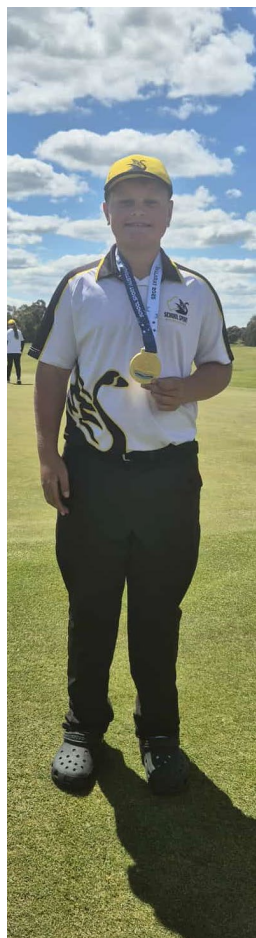


MORE PWPS HIGH ACHIEVERS

On Friday, some of our selected Year 5 and 6 Math Extension students participated in the **Interschool Numero Competition**. Well done to our Year 6 teams, 'Piara Likes Pies 2.0', who came 5th, and 'Prismatic Piara', who came 6th, in the Interschool Numero Challenge on Friday.



Ms Tyneil White has done a terrific job promoting Numero at our school and teaching the year 6 Maths Extension group over the past few years. The addition of Mr Jensen to the Maths Extension Program for year 5 this year has also added value to our program. We are proud of the progress our students have made.



On Friday night, I had the pleasure of attending the prize-giving ceremony for the **Alliance Francaise Poetry Recital Competition**.

It was wonderful to see our students take home four of the prizes for their performances. Emilio, Liam, and Jess, who placed 1st and 2nd, respectively, in the Year 4 division of the Poetry Recital Competition; Michelle, who placed 3rd in the Year 5 competition; and Aakaash, who placed 2nd in the Year 6 competition. Congratulations to our students and well done to Mademoiselle Wong for your dedicated French teaching!



Congratulations also to Aakaash, who also attended the **French comic drawing competition prize ceremony** the previous week and was awarded first prize in the year 6 category.

Congratulations to Ryker (Year 6), who proudly represented Western Australia at the **School Sport Australia State Golf Tournament in Ballarat, Victoria**, last week. Ryker's leadership skills were recognised through his selection as **Vice Captain** of the WA team. The team performed exceptionally well, earning **2nd place** in the **Team Ambrose Nett** category and **1st place** in the **Boys' Team Nett** category — an outstanding effort!

To celebrate **World Teachers' Day**, Room 54 and Room 27 presented a heartfelt assembly on Friday. The students shared original [cinquain poems](#) they wrote to honour their teachers across Years 3–6, including our wonderful specialist staff. Their thoughtful words beautifully captured the care, creativity, and dedication that make our teachers so special.



It was a truly touching celebration and a wonderful reminder of how blessed we are to have such passionate educators who go above and beyond each day to make learning meaningful, engaging, and fun for our students.



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PAT TESTING – HIGH ACHIEVERS (YEAR 3 – 6)

Each year, our Year 1 to 6 students complete the **ACER PAT Maths and Reading tests**, and our Year 3 to 6 students also complete the Science test. Information about these assessments can be found on our school [website](#).

These assessments enable us to track our students' performance in comparison to Australian norms, identify their strengths and weaknesses, and pinpoint areas for teachers to focus on. It also allows us to celebrate students who excel in reading, mathematics, and science.

At Friday's Senior assembly, we presented the following students with certificates for achieving the highest scores in their year level at our school. We will present the Year 1 and Year 2 highest achievers at next week's Junior Assembly.



Year 3		
Maths	Reading	Science
Jenet J Eric G Krishva S	Angela B Jenet J Jai G	Jai G Mia T Carter C
Year 5		
Maths	Reading	Science
Dhyanam S Lian J Edwin A Sasen C	Avinoor D Michelle L Dhyanam S Zain S	Kade N Jackson R William R

Year 4		
Maths	Reading	Science
Evan T Japjot C Joshua S Aarav V	Aashi M Evan T Ethan M	Romeo D Leo J Ethan M
Year 6		
Maths	Reading	Science
Zayn H Aryan S Milan S	Emily G Dylan C Aryan S	Milan S Harsimran K Cooper E Sophie H

RUNNING CLUB AWARD WINNERS

Congratulations to our senior students who received certificates at the assembly for completing **100 laps**, **200 laps** and **300 laps** at Running Club.

Well done to the following students who completed **100 laps**:

Sofia R Elah J Joshua P Danika R Olivia S Lois G Sudharrshan T Prabhleen K

Well done to the following students who completed **200 laps**:

Vihaan C	Japjot C	Kayzer Y	Cohen E	Georgia C
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Incredible achievement by the following students for smashing **300 laps**!

Campbell R	Jackson R	Emily M	Alex N
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OPTIONAL LEAVERS SIGNING SHIRT – YEAR 6 PARENTS,

We've been offered a special one-time deal from Uniform Concepts to purchase a white graduation shirt for just \$10. This is old stock they wish to clear.

This shirt is not part of the school uniform, but it will make a perfect signing shirt for students to collect signatures and messages from their peers and teachers on the last day of the year.

Sizing matches our regular uniform shirts (not the leavers' shirts). You're welcome to nominate a preferred size for your child, and we'll do our best to accommodate. However, as the shirt's primary purpose is for signing and as a keepsake, we may need to allocate a different size if we run out of the requested stock.



If you'd like to order one, please [complete the online form](#). Orders will close Sunday, November 16.

SCHOOL CLOSED (ADVANCE NOTICE) – FRIDAY, 14 NOVEMBER

On **Friday, 14 September**, our school will be **closed** for a school development day, and students will not attend. Our teachers will be undertaking professional learning. The [OSH](#) is open, and parents should contact them directly for a booking if needed.



Monday, 3 November

Tuesday, 4 November

PIARA WATERS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL TRANSITION DAY

Students enrolled in Piara Waters Senior High School for 2026 will attend the Transition Day today. This is a full day at the high school, and students will travel to and from home to the high school, and not attend PWPS at all that day.

The Transition Day will help familiarise students with their new school environment and meet future teachers and students from other primary schools that are also attending the high school next year.

Students not attending Piara Waters Senior High School in 2026 will

attend PWPS as per usual that day. Other days will be established for alternative high school orientation/transition sessions that students should attend.



Please notify via the absentee process when your Year 6 child attends an orientation/transition. We will mark them as attending an external education activity on that day (not absent from school).

HAVE SUM FUN – YEAR 6

The Year 6 Have Sum Fun team will complete the final, third round at 10:50 am today.

READING RECOGNITION CEREMONY

Students who have reached a Home Reading milestone recorded in their Reading Log will be presented with their certificates at this afternoon's ceremony in the library.

Parents and carers will be invited to attend via an email sent from Compass. There is no need to RSVP.

- Kindergarten – Year 2 Reading Recognition Ceremony, 1:30 pm
- Year 3 – Year 6 Reading Recognition Ceremony, 2:00 pm



Wednesday, 5 November

SENIOR CHOIR (YEARS 4 to 6)

Year 4/5/6 (Senior) Choir is on today. Choir students need to meet in the music room and be ready for 7:45 am.

PAT MAKE UP TESTING (YEARS 1-6)

Make-up sessions will be held today in the Science Lab, starting at 8:35 am, for students who have been absent from school and have not yet completed all of their tests.

Thursday, 6 November

JUNIOR CHOIR (YEAR 2/3)

Junior Choir (Years 2 and 3) is on today. Choir students need to meet in the Music room and be ready at 7:45 am.

YEAR 6 STUDENT LEADER NOMINATION FORMS DUE

On Friday last week, current Year 5 students received a form to nominate themselves as a student councillor or faction captain for the 2026 school year. This form is due to the front office today; no late forms will be accepted.

The nominated students will present their speeches to the Year 4 and 5 students on the following dates:

- Student Leader speeches will be held on Tuesday, 25 November
- Faction Leader speeches will be held on Thursday, 27 November

YEAR 4/5 IMSS CELLO LESSONS

Today, the Year 4 and 5 Cello students will have a combined lesson with Mrs Bell (cello teacher) in the **Music Room** after lunch (1:20 pm).

IMSS SUITABILITY ASSESSMENT

The following **Year 4 students** are asked to go to **Room 3** at the times listed below to meet with the IMSS Flute and Brass teachers. They will learn more about our [2026 Year 5 IMSS program](#) and determine their physical suitability.

- **10 am** to meet the flute teacher, Mrs Hall
- **1:30 pm** to meet the brass teacher, Mrs Garrett

Room 27	Room 28	Room 29	Room 35	Room 37	Room 54
Rahmeen M	Tinaye P	Vaiga A	Campbell G	Theodore O	Max M
Joshua S	Luke F	Toby M		Shaina A	Kira K
Isabelle L	Ellie K	Romeo D		Izza R	Kanya M
Eva S	Anikkha Y			Eli G	Emilio Liam S
Ellie K	Arjun K			Aastha S	Adhvin M
				Aashi M	
				Charlotte M	

The following **Year 3 students** will need to attend the **Music Room** to meet with the IMSS Cello teacher, Mrs Bell, at **2:10 pm** to learn more about our [2026 Year 4 IMSS program](#) and assess their physical suitability.

Room 30	Room 31	Room 32	Room 34	Room 36
Olivia S	Daisy G	Ella C	Sajan A	Lulu M
Advait A	Jheel G	Lia K	Jack H	Jenet J
Jai G			Ruhi D	Juan J

Friday, 7 November

JUNIOR ASSEMBLY – YEAR 4, ROOMS 29 and 54

This morning, the Year 1 students in Rooms 13 and 14 will host our junior assembly. The Assembly begins at 8:35 a.m. in the Undercover Area.

Parents and carers are welcome to attend, or you can view the assembly at this [Webex link](#). Meeting password: PWPS

HAVE SUM FUN – YEARS 3, 4 AND 5

The Year 3, 4, and 5 Have Sum Fun teams will compete in the final, third round today.

IMSS SUITABILITY ASSESSMENT

The following **Year 3 students** need to go to **Room 3** to meet with the IMSS teacher (violin) at 11:50 am.

Room 30	Room 31	Room 32	Room 34	Room 36
Olivia S	Daisy G	Ella C	Sajan A	Lulu M
Advaith A	Jheel G	Lia K	Jack H	Jenet J
Jai G			Ruhi D	Juan J

ICY POLES FOR SALE

On Friday, students from Kindergarten to Year 6 may bring \$1 to purchase an icy pole at lunchtime. All proceeds go to the 2025 Year 6 camp.

Miss Alison Ramm
Principal

1 November 2025

Term 4	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY Senior Choir 7:45-8:30am	THURSDAY Junior Choir 7:45-8:30am	FRIDAY Icy poles for sale lunchtime
Week 1					
Week 2					
Week 3					
Week 4					
Week 5	10/11 P&C Meeting 6:30 – 8:30pm Interschool Athletics Day 1 (Yr3-6)	11/11 Remembrance Day 11am minute of silence Year 6 Graduation Photo - 11:30am	12/11 Kindy A Regional Cricket Final (Summer Carnival A cricket team)	13/11 Interschool Athletics Day 2 (Yr3-6)	14/11 School Development Day – Students don't attend
Week 6	17/11 Yr 6 Science Fair	18/11 Yr 6 Science Fair	19/11 Kindy B Yr 6 Science Fair	20/11 Yr 6 Science Showcase 5:30pm – 7:00pm	21/11
Week 7	24/11	25/11 2026 Year 6 Student Leader Speeches	26/11 Kindy A	27/11 2026 Year 6 Faction Captain Speeches	28/11 Junior assembly 8:30am – Kindy 1, 2 and 3A
Week 8	1/12	2/12 Parents advised of 2026 P-6 class placements	3/12 Kindy B	4/12 Year 5 Caine's Arcade Presentation – UCA (Parents after lunch)	5/12 Senior assembly 8:30am (The arts) High School Simulation Day
Week 9	8/12 No more student library borrowing from today	9/12 P-6 2026 Transition morning (9am – 10:30am)	10/12 Kindy A Kindy 2026 Orientation morning 9:00 – 10:30am (Group A)	11/12 Kindy 2026 orientation morning 9:00 – 10:30am (Group B) Reading Recognition Ceremony (Library) 1:30 - 2:00pm (K-Yr 2) 2:00 – 2:30pm (Yr 3 – 6)	12/12 Volunteers Morning Tea 10am P&C Colour Run
Week 10	15/12 Year 6 Graduation (5:45 – 8:00pm)	16/12 Faction Reward Year 6 Outback Splash excursion	17/12 Kindy B K-6 Student Reports Home End of year concert and book awards (4:00 – 7:30pm)	18/12 Goldie Draw Last Day for Students Farewell arch for Yr 6 and leaving students 2:20pm	19/12 School Development Day (Students don't attend)